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25 February 1959

MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director, Plans
THROUGH : Assistant to the Deputy Director, Plans
SUBJECT : Proposed DPD Representation, General Electric
CORONA Business Meeting, Philadelphia, Pa.,
2 - 3 March 1959

1. In light of the discussions at the 24 February 1959 DPD Staff Meeting, concerning the [Redacted] overrun on "black and white" GE CORONA contracts, and because [Redacted] the Air Force auditor in our midst will eventually have to audit both the black and white contracts, I feel it would be extremely useful to have [Redacted] and [Redacted] DPD Comptroller, in attendance next month in Philadelphia when the GE people tell their side of the story and presumably identify some of the areas where unforeseen costs were incurred. Mr. Kucera, with whom I have discussed this matter, informally concurs.

2. RECOMMENDATION: That [Redacted] and [Redacted] be authorized to attend the projected meeting in Philadelphia, Pa., in company with Mr. James MacDonald of Mr. Kelly's staff, for the reasons set forth above.

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Development Projects Division

CONCUR in recommendation para 2:

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RICHARD M. BISSELL, JR.
Deputy Director, Plans

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