MEMORANDUM FOR Chief of Staff, USAF
   Assistant Secretary of the Air Force
   (Installations & Logistics)
   Assistant Secretary of the Air Force
   (Financial Management)
   Assistant Secretary of the Air Force
   (Research & Development)
   Commander, AFSC
   Comptroller of the Air Force
   Director, Office of Information
   Director, Office of Legislative Liaison

SUBJECT: Delegation of Authority to Director, National Reconnaissance Office

On March 17, the Deputy Secretary of Defense appointed Dr. John L. McLucas as Director, National Reconnaissance Office (DNRO), in addition to his duties as Under Secretary of the Air Force.

Since the Office of Space Systems (SAFSS) and the Office of Special Projects (SAFSP) are concerned only with National Reconnaissance Program matters, I hereby delegate full directive authority over all of their activities to Dr. McLucas.

Dr. McLucas is delegated the authority to act for me on all Air Force matters -- including personnel, materiel, and fiscal resources -- associated with the National Reconnaissance Office and/or within the purview of the National Reconnaissance Program, including the MOL reconnaissance payloads.

Robert C. Seamans, Jr.

cc: Deputy Secretary of Defense
March 17, 1969

MEMORANDUM FOR The Director of Central Intelligence
The Secretaries of the Military Departments
The Director of Defense Research & Engineering
The Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff
The Assistant Secretaries of Defense
The General Counsel
The Assistants to the Secretary of Defense
The Director, Defense Intelligence Agency
The Director, National Security Agency

SUBJECT: National Reconnaissance Office

Reference: Department of Defense Directive No. TS 5105.23
subject: National Reconnaissance Office, dated March 27, 1964

In addition to his other duties, Dr. John L. McLucas is hereby designated Director, National Reconnaissance Office vice Dr. Alexander H. Flax.

Excluded from Automatic Regrading;
DOD Directive 5200.10 does not apply.