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MEMORANDUM FOR DR. McLUCAS

SUBJECT: 303 Committee Actions

Attached at the right for your information are three 303 Committee documents.

At Tab A is the memorandum from Dr. Kissinger to the President on the U-2 issue which contains the recommendation that the IDEALIST project be retained in FY 71.

At Tab B are the minutes of the 303 Committee meeting of December 20, 1969, during which the IDEALIST and HEXAGON issues were discussed. Approvals for BUMPY ACTION missions over South China and the SR-71 mission over North Korea were deferred.

At Tab C are the minutes of the meeting on December 23, 1969. BUMPY ACTION missions were to be held off and a joint CIA/DOD evaluation of South China intelligence requirements was directed.

We have been informed by [redacted], through [redacted] that the South China BUMPY ACTION missions and the SR-71 mission for North Korea remain "held off" for January.

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