Date: August 26, 1971
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To: L. B. Molaskey

From: J. P. Shanley

Subj: 1. Discussion With Robert Fulton Concerning "Hook Shroud" Construction
       2. Telephone Conversation With Robert Fulton Regarding Quote (subject to later revision) on "Hook Shroud"

1. This vendor was selected to quote on the shroud because:
   a. he has made similar size light tight cloth bags for us (620-0070-401)
   b. he has demonstrated experience in sea recovery problems
   c. he is located in Danbury (on airport)

   The vendor meeting was attended by L. Waldeck (who procured previous bags), J. P. Shanley and Robert Fulton. M. Shaw of the Purchasing Department was unable to attend.

   The problem had been described in detail (via telephone conversation) to Mr. Fulton and he came prepared with sketches.

   It was stated that Robert Fulton Company would:

   1. provide their own minimum working sketches with direction to their shop and suppliers
   2. provide all material and hardware
   3. fabricate, assemble and paint unit
   4. demonstrate satisfactory operation in air
   5. crate unit for shipment

   Various methods of releasing the shroud were discussed. The choice of a method was left to Robert Fulton Company, providing that it was "short stroke" and was accessible to the actuator.

   Operation in sea water was stressed. With the exception of the shroud material, the choice of materials was left to Robert Fulton Company.

2. Mr. Fulton telephoned to offer an ROM quote (subject to written confirmation) of $4625.00.

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[Signature]

CC: F. Johnson
    H. J. Haberland
    M. Shaw
    J. Canepari
    L. Waldeck
    W. Izzo
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