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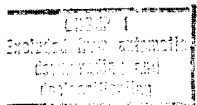
MEMORANDUM FOR: Executive Director, National Photographic Interpretation Center

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1. [redacted] was assigned to the Z Program Office from 5 May 1969 to 8 October 1971. During that period he not only devoted his full attention during the normal work week but also contributed many hours of extra time to the program effort. [redacted] joined Z when the total team consisted of 7 personnel operating out of the OSP Advanced Systems Branch. In July of 1970, the Z Program Office was officially formed and in September 1971 the program was officially approved. In addition to providing the initial interface for our two organizations, [redacted] had specific technical monitor duties, completing his final project with an acceptance inspection at the contractor's facility 5 October 1971. That acceptance marked the completion of one of the most challenging technical tasks undertaken by the Program Office. [redacted] deserves special commendation for that accomplishment.

2. [redacted] assigned to Z during 1971, have ably performed integration and interface roles for the Program Office. Their contribution to achieving program approval was unique and essential.


3. Your active participation and the work of many members of your staff formed the basis of our product quality determination and interpretation planning effort. The experiments, studies and reports completed this year provided essential ingredients for Phase II System Definition and initiation

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of the program. Please accept our sincere thanks for all of the NPIC support. We look forward to continued joint effort in implementing the system.


CHARLES E. ROTH, JR.
PROGRAM DIRECTOR
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