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MEMORANDUM FOR GENERAL KULPA, SAF/SS

SUBJECT: Closure of Air Force Special Projects Production Facility

I have reviewed your arguments relative to General Keegan's request to maintain the R&D and Evaluation functions with the Production Facility at SAC, Omaha. I agree with the conclusion that the Evaluation function should be done at NPIC, and I believe that we should proceed with this plan and advise all appropriate parties. On the other hand, I am not convinced by the arguments thus far shown on the R&D application. Your last paragraph indicates that you and General Bradburn are working the options. I want to make sure that you do include a complete treatment of SAC's DCS/Intelligence proposal to do this work with a very careful eye relative to the quantity of film to be processed in the period five to [redacted] ahead. I see no fundamental reason to put R&D [redacted] which is only an operational site, any more than to do so at SAC, another operational site.

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