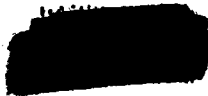


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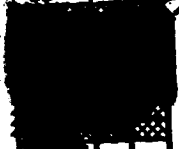
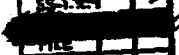
I have reviewed your request for membership on the NRO R&D Advisory Council.


As you noted, the Navy is active in some R&D areas of interest to the NRP. I am aware of Navy participation in the Support R&D Program through the annual R&D Review and recognize that your office has been the point of contact for Navy "White" R&D efforts.

The NRO R&D Council is chartered to provide broad guidance to the NRP and as such could benefit from information on Navy efforts of related or common NRP interest. As such, I believe your participation on the Council would be of mutual benefit and thereby concur in your participation. As a matter of policy the Council does not allocate near-term resources or approve specific R&D efforts. Specific R&D efforts are reviewed on a yearly basis by the NRO Staff and are submitted to me for approval.



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