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PRESIDENT'S REQUEST TO
STUDY NRO - PFIAB TASKING

BY _____

COMMENTS/DIRECTION:

SHOULD WE SET UP A LUNCH WITH
ADMIRAL ANDERSON?

YES NO

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Sen Kulp
Prior to above & first mtg Di Baker I
would like to have our version NSCID

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DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
OFFICE OF THE UNDER SECRETARY

MEMORANDUM

GEN KULPA

SINCE THE MEETINGS
ARE CONTINGENT ON MR
PLUMMER'S RECEIPT OF THE
NSCID, I SUGGEST YOUR OFFICE
ADVISE LORETTA AS TO WHEN
TO MAKE THE ARRANGEMENTS



DONALD J. KUTYNA
Colonel, USAF
Executive Assistant

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July 8, 1974

NOTE FOR GENERAL KULPA

SUBJECT: Talking Paper for the PFIAB Study

Here is a Talking Paper for Mr. Plummer's use in discussing the future of the NRP on July 23. Hal Wheeler and Jim Blankenship all concur in the paper as it is now written.

I cannot stress enough the importance of Mr. Plummer devoting sufficient time in thinking through his remarks. His appearance before the Panel probably will have the major bearing on the outcome of the Panel's findings. The determinations of the Panel will set the pattern for the management of satellite reconnaissance for the next several years and it is important that Mr. Plummer understands this. I suggest that we have at least a two-hour session with Mr. Plummer before his appearance. I have discussed this paper with Lionel Olmer at the PFIAB and he believes that it covers forthrightly the areas of primary interest to the Panel. I understand also that John Clarke desires to set a session between Colby, Hall, Allen and Plummer to discuss the PFIAB Study prior to the principals individually making their appearances. If this occurs, we should make sure that we see Mr. Plummer before hand.

HAROLD S. COYLE, JR.
Lt Colonel, USAF

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May 16, 1974

Mr. Plummer has seen.

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. PLUMMER

SUBJECT: Study of the NRP

For your information, Admiral Anderson's letter of implementation for the PFIAB study of the NRP is at the right. Dr. Baker will probably be working on the study with Dr. Land and two others. We are informally providing to the PFIAB at their request a listing of contractors within the NRO management and industry structure.

We have ascertained that Dr. McLucas' copy of Admiral Anderson's letter is in his office and no normal Air Force staffing is planned as of this time.

Although the Board desires to consult with as many individuals as possible about the NRP, there are relatively few individuals who possess a keen insight regarding the management problems.

We are planning a briefing for you to use when the ad hoc panel desires our input. We suggest that it would also be useful for you to consider having an informal luncheon conversation with Admiral Anderson in order to ascertain his perspective.



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