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SUBJECT: Letter of Appreciation

TO: Colonel F. C. E. Oler
Director, Weapon System 117L
Air Force Ballistic Missile Division
Hq Air Research and Development Command
P. O. Box 262
Inglewood, California

1. It has come to my attention that the Chief of Naval Operations has expressed to the Chief of Staff, USAF, his appreciation for the briefing you and your presentation team arranged for Naval personnel on plans and programs for Weapon System 117L last August.

2. You and your team are to be congratulated for the professional quality of this presentation. It not only greatly assisted the Navy but also undoubtedly made an extremely favorable impression upon senior members of that service.

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O. J. RITLAND
Brig. Gen., USAF
Vice Commander

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Air Force Ballistic Missile Division, Hq Air Research and Development Command,
P. O. Box 262, Inglewood, California 31 OCT 1957

To: Deputy Commander, Weapon Systems, Air Force Ballistic Missile Division,
Hq ARDC, P. O. Box 262, Inglewood, California

1. The attached basic communication and indorsements confirm informal information that I had received regarding the quality of the Weapon System briefing given the Chief of Naval Operations by Colonel Odeur and his team.
2. It gives me great pleasure to re-emphasize my letter of appreciation to Colonel Odeur dated 11 October by forwarding this letter from the Chief of Naval Operations with its indorsements from Hq USAF and Hq ARDC.

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O. J. RITLAND
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