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June 6, 2023

Re: U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) Tracking #
DOI-USGS-2021-002476 – Response

This letter is our response to your FOIA request dated February 13, 2021, in which you requested the following records:

A copy of the meeting minutes for each meeting of the National Civil Applications Committee (aka Civil Applications Committee or CAC) during the years 1975 – 1980.

We are enclosing one portable document format (PDF) file containing records responsive to your request, which are being released to you in part. As we have explained in prior communications, the records were classified, and USGS does not have the authority to declassify records. We consulted with the National Reconnaissance Office (NRO) and the Central Intelligence Agency (CIA) to request review and declassification of the records, as appropriate. We reasonably foresee that disclosure would harm an interest protected by one or more of the nine exemptions to the FOIA's general rule of disclosure; therefore, portions of these materials are being withheld pursuant to the following FOIA exemptions.

Exemption 1

Material that is properly classified under Executive Order 13526 is denied pursuant to FOIA Exemption (b)(1). Section 1.4 *Classification* Categories states that "information shall not be considered for classification unless its unauthorized disclosure could reasonably be expected to cause identifiable or describable damage to the national security..." The information must also pertain to one or more of a specified list. Item (c) of that list, intelligence activities (including covert action), intelligence sources or methods, or cryptology, applies to these records, and we

are withholding 20 pages in part and one page in full under Exemption 1. The information withheld includes mission-related projects and processes. Exemption 3 also applies to these withholdings, as explained below.

Exemption 3

Exemption 3 allows the withholding of information protected by a nondisclosure provision in a federal statute other than FOIA.

The relevant withholding statute for the NRO is 10 U.S.C. § 424 – Disclosure of organizational and personnel information: exemption for specified intelligence agencies, which provides (except as required by the President or for information provided to Congress), that no provision of law shall be construed to require the disclosure of the organization or any function of the NRO; the number of persons employed by or assigned or detailed to the NRO; or the name or official title, occupational series, grade, or salary of any such person.

There are two statutes that apply for the CIA. Section 6 of the Central Intelligence Agency Act of 1949, as amended, 50 U.S.C. 46 § 3507, states that “the Director of National Intelligence shall be responsible for protecting intelligence sources and methods from unauthorized disclosure...and the provisions of any other laws which require the publication or disclosure of the organization, functions, names, official titles, salaries, or numbers of personnel employed by the Agency.”

Section 102(i)(1) of the National Security Act of 1947, as amended, 50 U.S.C. 15 § 403-1, states “the Director of National Intelligence shall protect intelligence sources and methods from unauthorized disclosure.”

We are withholding 36 pages in part and one page in full under Exemption 3. The material withheld includes mission related projects and processes, along with employee names and titles.

Exemption 6

Exemption 6 allows an agency to withhold “personnel and medical files and similar files the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.” 5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(6). We are withholding 20 pages in part under Exemption 6.

The phrase “similar files” covers any agency records containing information about a particular individual that can be identified as applying to that individual. To determine whether releasing records containing information about a particular individual would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy, we are required to balance the privacy interest that would be affected by disclosure against any public interest in the information.

Under the FOIA, the only relevant public interest to consider under the exemption is the extent to which the information sought would shed light on an agency’s performance of its statutory duties or otherwise let citizens ‘know what their government is up to.’ The burden is on the requester to establish that disclosure would serve the public interest. When the privacy interest at stake and the public interest in disclosure have been determined, the two competing interests must be

weighed against one another to determine which is the greater result of disclosure: the harm to personal privacy or the benefit to the public. The purposes for which the request for information is made do not impact this balancing test, as a release of information requested under the FOIA constitutes a release to the general public.

The information that has been withheld under Exemption 6 consists of employee names, and we have determined that the individuals to whom this information pertains have a substantial privacy interest in withholding it. Additionally, we have determined that the disclosure of this information would shed little or no light on the performance of the agency's statutory duties. Because the harm to personal privacy is greater than whatever public interest may be served by disclosure, release of the information would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of the privacy of these individuals, and we are withholding it under Exemption 6.

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You agreed to pay up to \$100.00 for the processing of this request; however, since we did not comply with the FOIA's statutory time limits, there is no billable fee.

This completes our response to your request. If you have any questions about our response, you may contact me by electronic mail at foia@usgs.gov or at jewilson@usgs.gov. Thank you for your interest in the U.S. Geological Survey.

Sincerely,

JANIS WILSON

Janis Wilson
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Government Information Specialist

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Report of Meeting

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COMMITTEE FOR CIVIL APPLICATIONS OF CLASSIFIED
OVERHEAD PHOTOGRAPHY OF THE UNITED STATES

Held at the Special Mapping Center, USGS, Reston, Virginia

1300-1600 Hours, 23 January 1976

ATTENDANCE

William A. Radlinski, Chairman
Associate Director, USGS

John W. Jarman, Member
Civil Works Directorate, Office, Chief of Engineers,
Corps of Engineers

Leonard Jaffe, Member
Deputy Associate Administrator for Applications, NASA

Wilbur H. Eskite, Alternate Member
Director, Satellite and Advanced Technology Office, NOAA

H. Matthew Bills, Alternate Member
Deputy Director for the Office of Monitoring and
Technical Support, EPA

Harold Strickland, Alternate Member
Assistant Director for Operations, Division of
Engineering, U.S. Forest Service, Department of Agriculture

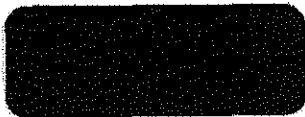
Roy E. Fordham, Executive Secretary
Chief, Special Mapping Center, USGS

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Director Special Activities, Office of
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1. Opening Remarks

Chairman Radlinski opened the first meeting of the Committee for Civil Applications of Classified Overhead Photography of the United States by giving the sequence of events which led to the setting up of the USGS classified facility at Reston, and the recent actions that led to the establishment of the Committee.

As an additional agenda item Mr. Radlinski proposed that the Committee review and comment on the report of "Civil Uses of Satellite Sensor Data" for a background paper for the Space Policy Committee Working Group, State Department. Although Mr. Jaffe had some reservations whether the Committee was chartered for this purpose it was agreed that it would be appropriate to discuss this subject later in the meeting.

He also got agreement from the Committee to add a Defense Mapping Agency observer to the Committee. Any other later proposals for observers will be considered as they are received.

It was agreed that the existence and name of the Committee are not classified but reports and other documents produced by the Committee will be classified as required. The Committee will operate at the lowest possible classification level and use "annexes" whenever possible to handle selected material of higher classification. Action is underway to obtain operational clearances for all Committee members and their alternates.

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All members are to send the Chairman a list of names of individuals from their respective agencies needing operational clearances. These will be forwarded to office for action.

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2. Guidelines

Draft operational guidelines were provided each participant prior to the meeting. Such guidelines were required in the October 3, 1975, memorandum which called for establishment of the Committee. Prior to discussion of the proposed guidelines Mr. Fordham briefed the Committee on the present system for submitting requirements to DCI; described the kinds of materials available at SMC; showed graphically the extent of the usable coverage (90 percent cloud free) through the last mission; showed graphically the latest requirements submitted to DCI; described the flow of civil agency requirements; and described criteria used for mission evaluation. He pointed out that all current user agencies had input to the latest requirements, except NASA.

The Committee agreed that the present system for submitting requirements to DCI continue as is, and that a working group be formed with a member from each user agency (USGS, FS, SCS, NOAA, EPA, and CE) to assemble the user agency requirements, and evaluate, consolidate, standardize, and establish priorities for the aggregate. One of the working group's initial tasks will be to establish broad

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guidelines for its operation. The working group will submit their findings to the Committee for approval before requirements are submitted to the DCI.

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The Intelligence field will in no way become involved in determining requirements and setting priorities for the civil community, [except in a purely operational sense.]

[redacted] briefed the Committee on the present status of downgrading of materials. A civil agency annex is being drafted on downgrading materials to the SECRET level and possibly to an unclassified level. The above will most likely require rectification and degradation of the image. Presently there is no action to downgrade the film itself. [redacted] did emphasize that none of the above can be accomplished at the present time. He stated that individual cases of downgrading to SECRET will continue to be handled by Inlow's office in an ad hoc manner.

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The Committee agreed that, to facilitate civilian agencies' use of classified systems, other Federal agencies should be encouraged to use the E-1 facility and that technical briefings be given periodically. Concerning State and local agencies, the Committee agreed that only Federal agencies would be included at this time. Classified materials accessibility by commercial firms under contract to a Federal agency will be handled by the agency concerned.

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The Committee questioned whether it should inform all Federal civil agencies of the availability and use of classified materials.

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Although most believed that it should, the problem of limited facilities and manpower could be prohibitive. Mr. Radlinski recommended that this question be discussed further at the next meeting, and asked that each member come prepared with a list of agencies that they believe could benefit from such knowledge.

Concerning the Committee's geographic area of interest it was agreed that the State Department's definitions would be used. Accordingly the Committee's concern will be for the United States and outlying areas, including its territories and possessions.

Foreign requirements, including Antarctica, will be submitted directly to DCI by the requesting agency.

The USGS E-1 facility can be set up for training courses, but some reimbursement may be needed. Also, available physical space could become a problem depending on the size of the training program.

X The Committee is charged with seeing that classified overhead photography is not used in direct support of law enforcement activities. Mr. Jaffe questioned why law enforcement was being excluded. Further, he questioned the difference between law

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enforcement and regulatory activities. The discussion that followed did not bring forth an acceptable answer to his question. The Committee may have to refer questions of uses of classified materials for law enforcement and regulation to the proper legal authorities for clarification.

The guidelines, which reflect the changes given above, are attached to these minutes. They will be considered by the Committee for approval at its next meeting.

3. Input to study of satellite systems

Mr. Jaffe stated he did not believe that the Committee should comment on the unclassified portion of the background paper study on the Civil Uses of Satellite Sensor Data and this was the consensus of the Committee. It was agreed however that Committee members should review the classified portion of the report and send any comments to Mr. Radlinski. [Each agency is free to review the unclassified portion of the report as it sees fit. However, a response to the Committee on the unclassified portion is not required.]

The Committee will not take an official position on the unclassified portions as described in the report.

4. Reports of the Committee

Mr. Radlinski stated that the Committee would report to the Secretary of the Interior on the results of the first meeting, and annually thereafter.

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5. Next Meeting

The next scheduled meeting of the Committee will be held on February 20, 1976, beginning at 9:30 a.m., in U.S. Geological Survey Building E-1, Isaac Newton Square, Reston, Virginia. An advance copy of the agenda will be provided to each member.

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OVERHEAD PHOTOGRAPHY OF THE UNITED STATESHeld at the Special Mapping Center, USGS, Reston, Virginia
0930-1210 Hours, 20 February 1976

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ATTENDANCE

Members, Alternates, and Observers

William A. Radlinski, Chairman

Roy E. Fordham, Executive Secretary

Leonard Jaffe, NASA

Albert C. Trakowski, EPA

Harold Strickland, USDA

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Kenneth I. Daugherty, DMA

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Others

Frederick Doyle, USGS

Clifton E. James, EPA

Robert F. Holmes, EPA

Ray P. Allison, USDA

Jim Morrison, NASA

Myron W. Krueger, NASA

Merle E. Southern, USGS

Absent

Department of Commerce representative

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1. Opening Remarks

The Chairman opened the second meeting of the Committee for Civil Applications of Classified Overhead Photography of the United States by requesting the use of the lowest possible classification level on Committee records. Since the Departments of Agriculture and Commerce and EPA do not have facilities for holding TOP SECRET-TK documents, Committee members and their alternates must come to Building E-1 to review pertinent materials. The Committee will make every effort to keep meeting notices, agenda, etc., unclassified.

2. Approval of Agenda

The proposed agenda was approved as presented.

3. Approval of Report of Meeting on January 23, 1976

The Report of Meeting on January 23 was amended and the approved revised version is attached to this report.

4. Operational Guidelines for the Civil Applications Committee

The operational guidelines were approved with the following changes:

Para. III B. Geographical Area of Interest

The Committee will restrict its activities to the United States, its territories and possessions, and outlying areas where U.S. civil Federal agencies are authorized to operate.

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Para. III E. Civil Uses of TALENT-KEYHOLE Information and Materials

The Committee will insure that the requirements and proposed uses for TALENT-KEYHOLE information and imagery by civil members will be in accordance with national policies and applicable laws.

In addition, it was recommended that a paragraph should be added to the guidelines to state that the Committee will not oversee CIA or DoD activities in the United States. The wording of this paragraph will be coordinated with COMIREX and will be discussed at the next meeting.

5. Responsibility of Committee to potential non-member civil agency users.

It was agreed that it is the responsibility of the Committee to insure that Federal civil agencies are made aware of the availability and use of TALENT-KEYHOLE materials. In order to accomplish this responsibility, the Committee will arrange for a technical briefing that can be presented at the SECRET level. A listing of potential Departmental and Independent Agency users will be prepared and a letter from Secretary Kleppe will be drafted inviting agency representatives to the briefing. The consensus was that the briefing should be limited to about two hours and be held in a facility located in downtown Washington, D.C. The tentative time and place for holding the subject briefing would be this July or August in the auditorium at NASA Headquarters. The Executive Secretary will draft a proposal for the briefing.

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There was a brief discussion on the training of potential users. The Committee agreed that no formal training program would be established at this time. However, training would be provided to agencies as individual agency requirements were established.

6. Guidelines for Working Group for User Requirements

The Committee was briefed by Mr. Fordham on the first meeting of the Working Group that was held on February 18, 1976, in Building E-1. At this meeting preliminary operational guidelines were developed for governing the actions of the Working Group.

In general, the Working Group is responsible for providing support to the Committee in connection with the submission of civil requirements for classified photography to the Director of Central Intelligence (DCI). The basic functions of the Working Group will be to receive, evaluate, consolidate, and establish priorities for civil requirements and submit recommendations to the Committee for approval.

A draft of the operational guidelines for the Civil Applications Committee Working Group will be presented to the Committee at the next meeting. It was requested that each user agency identify their official representative by memorandum as a matter of record.

7. Use of materials for law enforcement and regulation

It was agreed that the Committee has the responsibility to insure the proper use of the classified system within the Federal civil community. Concern was expressed, however, on how the Committee could carry out

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these responsibilities. In the case of regulatory functions, the general feeling is that classified material would only be used for gathering surveillance information. This information would not be used in court but would require the gathering of forensic data by other collection systems. Although there was agreement that the user agency has the ultimate responsibility for the proper use of classified data, the Committee does have responsibility to insure that proposed uses, to be identified by the user agency when requesting data, are proper and in accord with laws and regulations.

The Committee agreed that draft guidelines should be prepared in connection with the proper use of the classified materials by civil agencies.

8. Background Paper on Civil Use of Satellite Sensor Data

The Department of Agriculture representative submitted detailed comments on subject background paper. These were subsequently forwarded to Leon Sloss, Department of State for his consideration and use. Fred Doyle briefed the Committee on the Space Policy Committee meeting held January 23, 1976, at the Department of State.

9. Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Committee will be held on March 23, 1976, beginning at 9:30 a.m., in U.S. Geological Survey Building E-1, Isaac Newton Square, Reston, Virginia.

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4. Reports of the Committee

Mr. Radlinski stated that the Committee would report to the Secretary of the Interior on the results of the first meeting, and annually thereafter.

5. Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Committee will be held on February 20, 1976, beginning at 9:30 a.m., in U.S. Geological Survey Building E-1, Isaac Newton Square, Reston, Virginia. An advance copy of the agenda will be provided to each member.

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Held at the Special Mapping Center, USGS, Reston, Virginia

0930-1200 Hours, March 23, 1976

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94**ATTENDANCE****Members, Alternates and Observers**

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Roy E. Fordham, Executive Secretary

Harold Strickland, USDA

John W. Jarman, Army

Wilbur H. Eskite, Commerce

Albert C. Trakowski, EPA

James R. Morrison, NASA

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1. Approval of Agenda

The proposed agenda was approved with the addition of an item concerning a DMA classified briefing.

2. Approval of Report of Meeting on February 20, 1976

The Report of Meeting on February 20 was amended (see attached pages) and approved with the following changes:

- Item 7, paragraph one, first sentence. The sentence was changed to delete the words "to insure" and replace them with the phrase "with respect to."
- Item 7, paragraph two. The following sentence was added "The Chairman will arrange for the drafting of such guidelines."

3. Operational Guidelines for the Civil Applications Committee

The operational guidelines were approved with the following changes:

Para. III B. Geographical Area of Interest

The Committee will restrict its activities to the United States, its territories and possessions, and outlying oceanic areas where U.S. civil Federal agencies are authorized to operate. Foreign areas are specifically excluded.

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Para. III C. Civil/Intelligence Interface for Requirements

Civilian requirements for TALENT-KEYHOLE imagery will be approved, prioritized, and transmitted to the DCI by the Committee for all civilian organizations (members and non-members of the Committee). The DCI will not take part in any way in judgments concerning civil agency needs or priorities, nor will the Committee have any concern whatsoever with respect to DCI or Department of Defense (DoD) programs or uses of classified overhead photography.

Para. III E. Civil Uses of TALENT-KEYHOLE Information and Materials

The Committee will insure that the requests and proposed uses for TALENT-KEYHOLE information and imagery by civil members will be in accordance with national policies and applicable laws.

4. Guidelines for Proper Use of Data

The Chairman deferred the discussion of this item until the next meeting.

5. Status Report from Working Group

- A memorandum, subject, Operational Guidelines for the Civil Applications Committee Working Group, dated March 19, 1976, is attached to this report. These guidelines will be reviewed and approved at the next meeting.

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- Mission 1211. The results of Mission 1211-1, 2, and 3 were presented to the Committee. Approximately 152,000 nautical square miles of acceptable coverage was collected in civil requirement areas.
- Mission 4346. Forty-seven target areas have been submitted for acquisition of imagery on Mission 4346. This represents the first submission of requirements for the KH-8 system by the Civil Applications Committee.
- Mission 1212. The user agencies will submit requirements for Mission 1212 to the Working Group by March 24, 1976. The composited civil requirements will be reviewed by the CAC on April 12, 1976.
- User Agency Briefing. The proposed "User Agency Briefing" was discussed at the Working Group meeting on March 18, 1976. Subjects and demonstration materials were solicited from the various agencies. An outline for the proposed briefing will be presented to the Committee following a meeting with COMIREX to determine the level of content that can be included in the briefing at the Secret level.

6. Request from AID for "observer" status

The Committee reviewed a request from the Agency for International Development, Department of State, to have an observer assigned

to the Committee. The decision of the Committee was to deny

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the request.

It was decided that technical assistance and coordination could be accomplished with AID on an agency by agency basis instead of through Committee participation. In addition, the presence of an official observer from AID on the Committee might present the appearance to outsiders that the Committee was involved in foreign activities (see attached letter of response to AID).

7. Operational Systems Briefing

[redacted] presented a briefing in connection with the organization, functions, and programs of the National Reconnaissance Office (NRO) and the Intelligence Collection and Requirements Staff (ICRS).

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8. Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Committee will be April 12 at 0930 hours at the Special Mapping Center.

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COMMITTEE FOR CIVIL APPLICATIONS OF CLASSIFIED
OVERHEAD PHOTOGRAPHY OF THE UNITED STATES

Held at the Special Mapping Center, USGS, Reston, Virginia
0930-1210 Hours, 20 February 1976

ATTENDANCE

Members, Alternates, and Observers

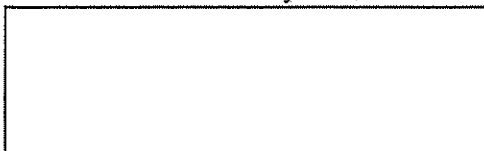
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1. Opening Remarks

The Chairman opened the second meeting of the Committee for Civil Applications of Classified Overhead Photography of the United States by requesting the use of the lowest possible classification level on Committee records. Since the Departments of Agriculture and Commerce and EPA do not have facilities for holding TOP SECRET-TK documents, Committee members and their alternates must come to Building E-1 to review pertinent materials. The Committee will make every effort to keep meeting notices, agenda, etc., unclassified.

2. Approval of Agenda

The proposed agenda was approved as presented.

3. Approval of Report of Meeting on January 23, 1976

The Report of Meeting on January 23 was amended and the approved revised version is attached to this report.

4. Operational Guidelines for the Civil Applications Committee

The operational guidelines were approved with the following changes:

Para. III B. Geographical Area of Interest

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Para. III E. Civil Uses of TALENT-KEYHOLE Information and Materials

The Committee will insure that the requirements and proposed uses for TALENT-KEYHOLE information and imagery by civil members will be in accordance with national policies and applicable laws.

In addition, it was recommended that a paragraph should be added to the guidelines to state that the Committee will not oversee CIA or DoD activities in the United States. The wording of this paragraph will be coordinated with COMIREX and will be discussed at the next meeting.

5. Responsibility of Committee to potential non-member civil agency users.

It was agreed that it is the responsibility of the Committee to insure that Federal civil agencies are made aware of the availability and use of TALENT-KEYHOLE materials. In order to accomplish this responsibility, the Committee will arrange for a technical briefing that can be presented at the SECRET level. A listing of potential Departmental and Independent Agency users will be prepared and a letter from Secretary Kleppe will be drafted inviting agency representatives to the briefing. The consensus was that the briefing should be limited to about two hours and be held in a facility located in downtown Washington, D.C. The tentative time and place for holding the subject briefing would be this July or August in the auditorium at NASA Headquarters. The Executive Secretary will draft a proposal for the briefing.

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There was a brief discussion on the training of potential users. The Committee agreed that no formal training program would be established at this time. However, training would be provided to agencies as individual agency requirements were established.

6. Guidelines for Working Group for User Requirements

The Committee was briefed by Mr. Fordham on the first meeting of the Working Group that was held on February 18, 1976, in Building E-1. At this meeting preliminary operational guidelines were developed for governing the actions of the Working Group.

In general, the Working Group is responsible for providing support to the Committee in connection with the submission of civil requirements for classified photography to the Director of Central Intelligence (DCI). The basic functions of the Working Group will be to receive, evaluate, consolidate, and establish priorities for civil requirements and submit recommendations to the Committee for approval.

A draft of the operational guidelines for the Civil Applications Committee Working Group will be presented to the Committee at the next meeting. It was requested that each user agency identify their official representative by memorandum as a matter of record.

7. Use of materials for law enforcement and regulation

It was agreed that the Committee has the responsibility to insure the proper use of the classified system within the Federal civil community. Concern was expressed, however, on how the Committee could carry out

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these responsibilities. In the case of regulatory functions, the general feeling is that classified material would only be used for gathering surveillance information. This information would not be used in court but would require the gathering of forensic data by other collection systems. Although there was agreement that the user agency has the ultimate responsibility for the proper use of classified data, the Committee does have responsibility to insure that proposed uses, to be identified by the user agency when requesting data, are proper and in accord with laws and regulations.

The Committee agreed that draft guidelines should be prepared in connection with the proper use of the classified materials by civil agencies.

8. Background Paper on Civil Use of Satellite Sensor Data

The Department of Agriculture representative submitted detailed comments on subject background paper. These were subsequently forwarded to Leon Sloss, Department of State for his consideration and use. Fred Doyle briefed the Committee on the Space Policy Committee meeting held January 23, 1976, at the Department of State.

9. Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Committee will be held on March 23, 1976, beginning at 9:30 a.m., in U.S. Geological Survey Building E-1, Isaac Newton Square, Reston, Virginia.

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guidelines for its operation. The Working Group will submit their findings to the Committee for approval before requirements are submitted to the DCI.

Intelligence organizations will in no way become involved in determining requirements and setting priorities for the civil community.

[] briefed the Committee on the present status of downgrading of classified materials. A civil agency annex has been drafted on downgrading some materials to the SECRET level. The possibility of downgrading materials on U.S. areas exists, but it will require the protection of the highest quality imagery from the currently operational systems. Presently there is no authority for civil agencies to downgrade the film itself. [] emphasized that while none of the above is authorized at the present time, individual cases of downgrading to SECRET can be referred on an ad hoc basis to his office.

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The Committee agreed that, to facilitate civilian agencies' use of classified systems, other Federal agencies should be encouraged to use the E-1 facility and that technical briefings be given periodically. Concerning State and local agencies, the Committee agreed that only Federal agencies would be included at this time. Classified materials accessibility by commercial firms under contract to a Federal agency will be handled by the agency concerned.

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The Committee questioned whether it should inform all Federal civil agencies of the availability and use of classified materials. Although most believed that it should, the problem of limited facilities and manpower could be prohibitive. Mr. Radlinski recommended that this question be discussed further at the next meeting, and asked that each member come prepared with a list of agencies that they believe could benefit from such knowledge.

Concerning the Committee's geographic area of interest it was agreed that the State Department's definitions would be used. Accordingly the Committee's concern will be for the United States and outlying areas, including its territories and possessions.

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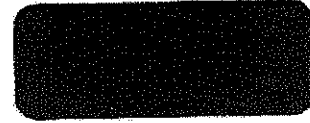
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Held at the Special Mapping Center, USGS, Reston, Virginia
0930-1200 Hours, April 12, 1976

ATTENDANCE**Members, Alternates and Observers**

William A. Radlinski, Chairman

Roy E. Fordham, Executive Secretary

F. Phil Weber, Agriculture

John W. Jarman, Army

John W. Townsend, Commerce

Albert C. Trakowski, EPA

James R. Morrison, NASA

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1. Approval of Agenda

The proposed agenda was approved with the addition of a discussion item on the new security control manual.

2. Approval of Report of Meeting on March 23, 1976

The Report of Meeting on March 23 was approved as written.

3. Review of the Requirements for Mission 1212

The requirements for panoramic and mapping camera imagery for Mission 1212 were reviewed and approved by the Committee as submitted by the Working Group. Justifications for the intended use of the imagery by each user-agency will be furnished to the Committee in writing by June 4 (see enclosure 1).

4. Status of Mission 1211

An ephemeris plot of the operations taken in M 1211-4 were reviewed by the Committee. Most of these operations were taken in the United States against requirements that had not been requested by the members of the Committee. Coverage of the as specifically noted since almost the entire border area was covered but the requirement is not known to the civil agencies represented on the Committee.¹ COMIREX will be asked to inform the Committee of all requests for United States coverage of TALENT-KEYHOLE imagery (except requests by DOD/Intelligence organizations and system engineering operations) that are not handled through the Committee.

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5. Review of the Operational Guidelines for the Working Group

The Committee reviewed the guidelines for the Working Group and recommended the modifications and additions stated below.

A second draft of the guidelines will be prepared and forwarded to the Committee for approval at the next meeting (see enclosure 2).

Modifications and Additions to the GuidelinesPara II A. Submission of Requirements by the User Agency

A justification to support the intended use of the acquired imagery. In addition, a statement will be submitted to confirm the requesting agency's intent to utilize the collected materials properly.

Para II B. Consolidation of User Agencies Requirements

Compile and recommend a prioritized imagery requirements data file for each TALENT-KEYHOLE mission. The data file along with the justifications that are submitted by the requesting agencies will be forwarded to the Civil Applications Committee for review and approval.

Submission of Late Requirements

A section will be added to the guidelines to provide for the submission of requirements by user agencies subsequent to the approval of the mission plan by the Committee. The

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use of these procedures will be limited to unusual situations that arise subsequent to the preparation of the standard mission plan. The section is as follows:

C. Submission of Late Requirements

In unusual situations, civil agencies may submit domestic requirements for imagery subsequent to the approval of the mission plan by the Civil Applications Committee. These requirements will be processed in the following manner:

- The requesting agency will submit the requirements to the Executive Secretary of the Civil Applications Committee. The request will include all of the appropriate information that would be included in a standard submission as outlined in II A above.
- The Executive Secretary may approve and forward the requirements to the Chairman, Imagery Collection and Requirements Staff (ICRS) if the intended use is "proper" and when the impact of the additional requirements on the approved mission plan would be minor. Requirements that are approved in this manner will be documented and forwarded to the Civil Applications Committee.

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- When the intended use of the collected imagery could be construed to be "improper" and/or the late requests for imagery would have a major impact on the approved mission plan, the requests will be reviewed by the Civil Applications Committee before they are approved and forwarded to ICRS.

6. Review the draft guidelines on "proper use"

There was a general discussion on the subject of "proper use."

A definition of "proper use" as applied to the Committee's activities was developed and it will be included in a policy statement. It was requested that a legal review of the statement by CIA be obtained by Joe Baclawski. This statement will be considered by the Committee for approval at its next meeting (see enclosure 3).

7. Status of the User Agency Briefing

The proposed user agency briefing will be at NASA Headquarters at 0930 hours, September 10, 1976, and will be conducted at the Secret level. An outline for the briefing and a list of agencies to be invited were reviewed and modified by the Committee (see enclosure 4). The invitations will be restricted to Federal

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agencies but the list will be expanded to include departments that are currently utilizing materials from the systems. Since the briefing will be presented at the Secret level, these departments may wish to take the opportunity to expose other officials in their organization to the systems.

8. Comments on Security Control Manual

Joe Baclawski presented the background, description, and status of the new TALENT-KEYHOLE Security Control Manual.

He requested that a review and written comments of the manual be forwarded to him from members of the Committee by April 23.

9. Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Committee will be June 4 at 1330 hours at the Special Mapping Center.

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Civil Agency Collection Requirements

The civil requirements for panoramic photocoverage were submitted by the Corps of Engineers-CW, Environmental Protection Agency, Forest Service, Bureau of Land Management, National Ocean Survey, Soil Conservation Service, and the Geological Survey. The enclosed graphics at a scale of approximately 1:20,000,000 identify requirement areas in the conterminous U. S. and Alaska as requested by the individual agencies. In addition, the requirements for mapping camera system coverage for Bureau of Land Management, Geological Survey, and National Ocean Survey in Alaska are included. The planned use of the acquired coverage is presented on the following pages.

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Corps of Engineers (CE)AreaApplication

- 1 To support environmental analysis of the impact of the Dickey-Lincoln Dam project on vegetation and on wildlife habitat, and for linear mapping in support of seismic studies.
- 2,3 Remote Sensing Demonstration Project Area-to support studies of the feasibility of applying all types of remote sensing systems to the Corps projects. The data will be used to perform analysis of the impact of these projects on the environment.

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Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)

The EPA will utilize the requested imagery in support of on-going environmental monitoring projects.

AreaApplication

- 1 To support a point and a non-point survey of the Connecticut River Basin for use in designing a new program for monitoring pollution sources.
- 2,3,4 To support an on-going study of the impact of land-use on water quality, and to assist in level III land-use delineation in the Genessee River, the Lake Superior, and the Milwaukee basins.
- 5 To support strip mine inventory program already underway. The first phase of the project involved the use of Landsat imagery to locate the mines. The second phase will involve making measurements of reclaimed and active areas using the panoramic imagery. Some slope analysis will be done to determine whether or not old strip mine areas are being leveled to their former topographic configuration.
- 6 To support a non-point survey in the 4-corners area, and to assist in the development of a plan for monitoring power plants in the same area.

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Forest Service (FS)

The coverage requested by the Forest Service will be utilized to support four basic programs; (1) 1:126,720-scale National Forest Map Revision, (2) Forestry Incentives Program (FIP), (3) Forest and Rangeland Renewable Resource Planning Act (RPA) projects, and (4) Western Forest Insect Issues Study (WFIIS). Additional applications are as noted.

AreaApplication

- 1 Assessment of Spruce Budworm damage to \$5,000,000 tree stand to assist in the formulation of management policy. Also, RPA Test Site.
- 2 Assist in the assessment of defoliation damage to northern hardwood forests by the Gypsy Moth. Also, FIP assessment area, and the RPA Test Site.
- 3 FIP assessment area and RPA Test Site.
- 4 FS-Region 9 National Forest map revision.
- 5 Chippewa-Superior National Forest map revision. Also, RPA Test Site.
- 6 Assist in the assessment of mortality in pine forest due to attack of Mountain Pine Beetles (WFIIS).
- 7 Assist in the assessment of mortality in pine forests due to attack of Mountain Pine Beetles (WFIIS). Also RPA Test Site.
- 8 Assist in the assessment of Spruce forest mortality caused by Engleman Spruce Beetles (WFIIS).
- 9 Support of Multidiscipline Resources Evaluation Study of soils, watershed potential, vegetation, forest classification, etc.
- 10 Assist in assessment of mortality in pine forests due to attack of Mountain Pine Beetles (WFIIS).
- 11 Support of effort to develop methods to inventory and assess harvestability of standing dead timber. Also, support joint EPA-FS study of impact of copper processing industry on vegetation. WFIIS area and RPA Test Site.

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Soil Conservation Service (SCS)

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AreaApplication

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The SCS will utilize the panoramic imagery in these areas to determine changes occurring in the distribution and extent of tree stands making up the "Windbreak and Shelter Belt" of the midwest and plains States. Information on the pattern of tree stand removal, quantity of trees removed, reasons for removal, and whether or not the stands are being replanted is required for this study.

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The SCS will utilize coverage of this area to develop a sampling technique for determining the land-use patterns of this South Dakota watershed. The information obtained in this pilot project may be used to develop an Environmental Impact Statement for the subject area.

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The SCS plans to use the panoramic coverage of the Kentucky River to analyze the land-use patterns (agricultural, commercial, industrial, etc.) in a sub river-basin.

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U.S. Geological Survey (GS)

The GS will utilize the acquired coverage as the primary compilation source for the planimetric revision of 1:24,000-scale and 1:250,000-scale topographic maps, the planimetric update of 1:100,000-scale maps, and the delineation of land-use. The USGS coverage request also reflects requirement areas to complete the image data base. This was a Federal Mapping Task Force recommendation.

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The pan coverage requested in the Cook Inlet area of Alaska will be used for revision of nautical charts.

The pan coverage requested by USGS will be utilized to complete mapping of areas not covered by 1:63,360-scale maps, especially in the areas of the Naval Petroleum Reserve #4 and the south-half of the Alaska pipeline.

<u>Area</u>	<u>Application</u>
1	Alaska Pipeline
2	Naval Petroleum Reserve #4
All other	1:63,360-map compilation

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National Ocean Survey (NOS)

The frame coverage requested in the Cook Inlet area of Alaska will be used for horizontal basic control extension.

U.S. Geological Survey (GS)

The frame coverage requested by USGS will be used for extension of control into unmapped areas, and for possible compilation of maps at scales of 1:63,360, and 1:250,000.

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Held at the Special Mapping Center, USGS, Reston, Virginia
1330-1600 Hours, June 4, 1976

ATTENDANCE

Members, Alternates and Observers

William A. Radlinski, Chairman

Roy E. Fordham, Executive Secretary

Harold Strickland, Agriculture

John W. Jarman, Army

Albert C. Trakowski, EPA

James R. Morrison, NASA

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1. Approval of Agenda

The proposed agenda was approved with the addition of three discussion items.

- Letter from DMA, dated 5 May 1976, subject, DMA Pilot Digital Operations and a proposed curriculum on Automated Cartography with George Washington University.
- Remote Earth Imagery Policy Paper, dated May 28, 1976.
- Status of Missions 1211 and 4346.

2. Approval of Report of Meeting on April 12, 1976

The Report of Meeting on April 12 was approved.

A. Clarification of item 4 concerning [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] coverage is given in this report in Agenda

Item 10 (Status of Mission 1211).

3. Approval of Working Group Guidelines

The Operational Guidelines for the Civil Applications Committee

Working Group were approved with the following changes:

Para II C. Submission of Late Requirements

First sentence - "In unusual situations,"
was changed to read - In urgent situations.

Second bullet - the phrase "after confirming the urgent nature of the request" was added to the first sentence.

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4. Review of Justifications for Mission 1212 Requirements

The requirements for Mission 1212 were approved as stated in

Enclosure 1 of the last report of meeting

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5. Approval of Statement on "Proper Use"

The signature block on the certification statement was changed to delete "Head of Agency" and to add the following:

Responsible Official

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The policy statement is under review by the CIA. Joe Baclawski will provide a progress report at the next Committee meeting on July 27, 1976.

6. Status Report on User-Agency Briefing

For technical reasons, the auditorium at NASA, HQ will not be available for the User-Agency briefing. Two alternative sites (CIA-Langley and Bldg. 213-NPIC) will be investigated to determine if the briefing could be presented at one of the sites on or about September 10.

The Corps of Engineers requested that the briefing topic - Coastal and River-bank Erosion Studies be deleted and replaced with a new topic - Resource Inventories. The Environmental Protection Agency requested that the topic - Pollution Source Inventories be substituted for Resource Inventories.

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Security guidelines for the briefing graphics were issued by COMIREX (TCS-5254-76) on April 8.

7. Security Control Manual

The Draft TALENT-KEYHOLE Security Control Manual, which was reviewed by individual members of the Committee prior to this meeting, is in the final review process. Dr. Baclawski indicated that the document may be issued within the next three months.

8. DMA Letter-Digital Pilot Operations

There was complete agreement of the Committee that it would be beneficial for the civil agencies to coordinate with DMA on Pilot Digital Operations and that the Chairman should meet with the DMA Steering Group "from time to time". Agriculture, Environmental Protection Agency, Interior and National Ocean Survey (by copy of memo), indicated an interest in participation at the DMA project manager level that is chaired by Dr. Joseph Del Vecchio. A reply will be sent to DMA indicating our interest. (This was subsequently done on June 10, 1976).

9. Remote Earth Imagery Policy Paper

A draft of the Remote Earth Imagery Policy Paper dated May 26, 1976, was discussed by the Committee. The final draft will be circulated to interested agencies for formal clearance.

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The main point of discussion by the Committee was Issue #2, Option B, Sub-option B-1 Extend the charter committee to cover domestic requirements of all U.S. civil users. The term "non-federal civil users" as used in the document is not defined. The consensus of the Committee was that the inclusion of all non-federal (State and local governments as well as industry and private users) would be almost impossible to manage.

Note: Following the meeting, the Department of State was contacted in reference to the policy paper. The following items were clarified:

- Interested agency - this term includes all agencies represented on the Space Policy Working Group.
- Non-federal civil user - the author's intent was to include State and local governments as well as commercial enterprises under this title. A footnote will be added to the final draft to clarify this point.

10. Status of Mission 1211

The final summary of Mission 1211 is as follows:

	Requirement Area (nautical sq. mi.)	Acceptable Coverage (nautical sq. mi.)
Stereo panoramic	477,000	50,000
Mono panoramic	431,000	129,000
	Total	179,000
Mapping Camera System	464,000	67,000

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Regarding the concern of the Committee over its responsibility for civil users' requests for classified overhead photography of the U.S. that may not be submitted through the Committee for Classified Overhead Photography of the U.S., it was agreed that it was the responsibility of COMIREX to see that all civil agency requests for coverage are processed through the Committee in accordance with its basic charter, and that the Committee has no policing responsibility for any such requests which are not submitted to it for processing.

The coverage of the [] area was not in contradiction to such a policy inasmuch as there was no request for coverage of the U.S.

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11. Status of Mission 4346

The mission is completed but none of the materials have been delivered to the Special Mapping Center. A report by ICRS/NRO indicated the following results:

<u>Total Targets</u>	<u>Gross Attempts</u>	<u>Number Acquired</u>
47	104	44

12. Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Committee will be July 27 at 0930 hours at the Special Mapping Center.

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0930-1115 Hours, August 30, 1976

ATTENDANCE

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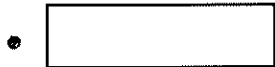
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1. Approval of Agenda

The proposed agenda was approved with the addition of two discussion items.

- Status of Missions 1212, 4346, and 4347.



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2. Approval of Report of Meeting on June 4, 1976

The Report of Meeting on June 4 was approved as written.

3. Approval of Statement on "Proper Use"

The policy statement is still under review by the CIA.

Dr. Baclawski will provide a report at the next Committee meeting.

4. Committee Position on Policy Paper

It was agreed at the January 23, 1976, meeting that the Committee should not take an official position on the unclassified systems included in the study on the Civil Uses of Satellite Sensor Data.

It was agreed, however, that it would be appropriate for Committee members to review the report and to submit individual agency comments. It was also agreed that when unclassified items affect the areas of concern to the CAC, the Committee will take an official position.

In compliance with the Committee's position, the draft of the Remote Earth Imagery Policy Paper, dated June 25, 1976, was circulated to interested civil agencies for review and comment.

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Items of concern to the Committee are as follows:

- Issue Number 2, Sub-option B-1, "Extend the charter of the Interior chaired committee to cover domestic requirements for high resolution imagery of all United States civil users."

The Committee believes that to expand the charter to include State and local governments as well as commercial enterprises would result in an unmanageable task for the Committee as presently structured.

- Issue Number 2, Sub-option B-2, "Explore the possibility of expanding the KH-9 intelligence program, making a portion of the capacity available for domestic requirements of civil users."

The Committee is in agreement with this recommendation and is awaiting further contacts from the Director of Central Intelligence.

- Recommendation Number 1, "That civil programs be permitted to utilize acquisition resolution of no better than 10 meters on an open worldwide basis with better resolution being considered on a case-by-case basis."

The Committee has no objection to this recommendation.

All other recommendations (Number 2 through Number 5), were

considered not within the area of responsibility of the CAC.

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5. Status of Security Manual

Dr. Baclawski stated that the comments received from the CAC concerning the draft TALENT-KEYHOLE Security Control Manual were being incorporated into the final draft. Although Dr. Baclawski indicated that the document may be issued within the next month, ^{approval} [issuance] could be delayed by the ongoing review of the document at a higher level. There may also be a delay

[redacted] is included in the manual.

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6. Status of Plans for User Agency Briefing

The User Agency Briefing is now scheduled for presentation on October 15, 1976, 1330 hours, at CIA Headquarters, McLean, Virginia.

The letters from the Secretary of the Interior to the other agencies inviting representation at the briefing have been typed and are ready for distribution. In addition to those agencies now being invited, the Committee agreed to include the Tennessee Valley Authority.

The Committee was advised that the Working Group has scoped the briefing and had a "dry run" on August 18. The Committee agreed that another "dry run" at the CIA facility would be appropriate and should be included on the agenda for the next CAC meeting. Mr. Fordham will make arrangements for the meeting to be held at the CIA Headquarters, either October 5,

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7. Status of Missions 4346, 4347, and 1212

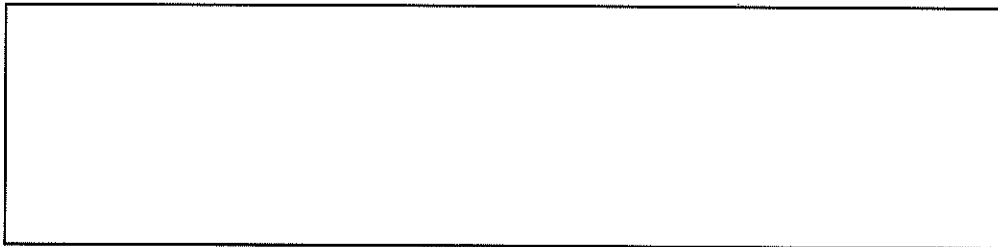
The materials from Mission 4346 have been received at SMC. All civil agencies that have received KH-8 coverage are to provide Mr. Fordham a report on utilization of materials as soon as possible.

Requirements for Mission 4347 have been received from the civil agencies. A total of 42 separate targets were requested by the civil community and all were incorporated into the file and transmitted to ICRS.

Major Nordburg briefed the Committee on the United States coverage obtained to date on Mission 1212. Preliminary evaluations indicate that the expended panoramic film will return a higher amount of cloud free photography than had been predicted by the mission simulation.

SMC has received one set of film positives and negatives of the Mission 1212-1 coverage, including color exposures.

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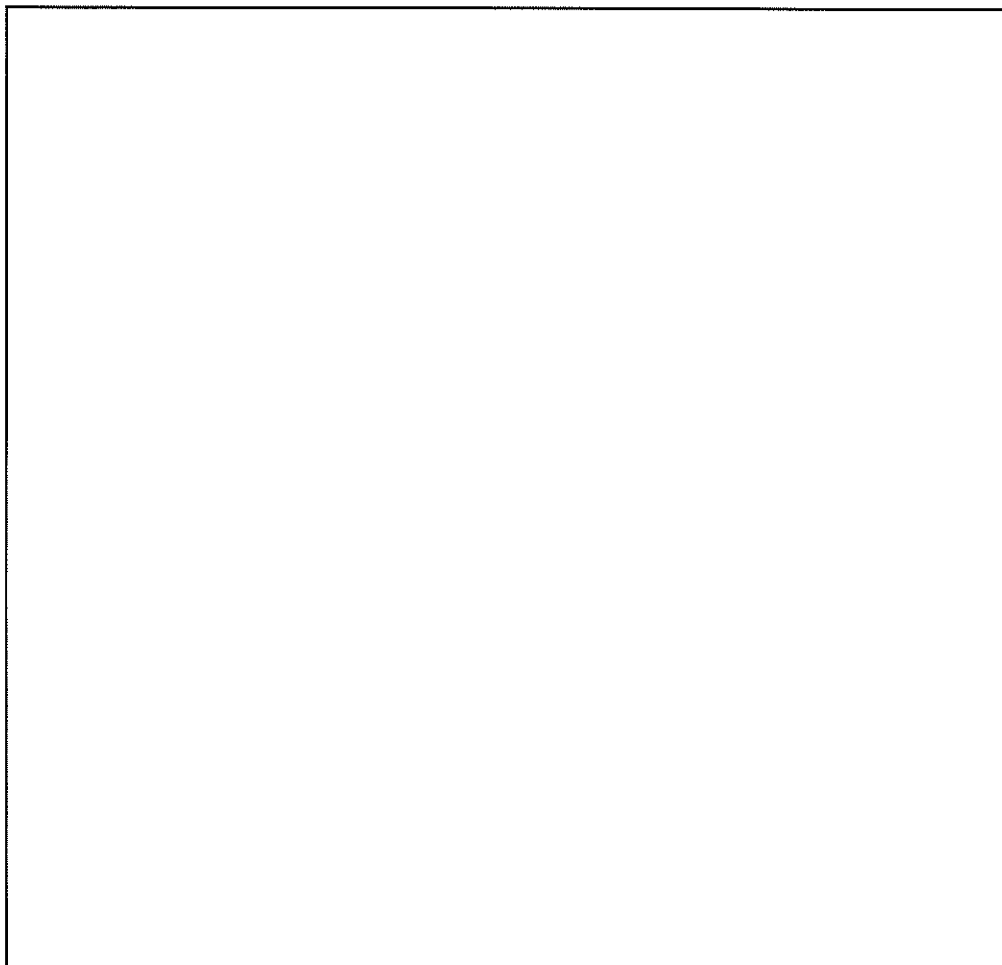
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9. Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Committee will be at the CIA auditorium
in McLean, Virginia, on October 6 at 0930 hours.

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Civil Applications Committee

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Held at the Special Mapping Center, USGS, Reston, Virginia
0930-1145 Hours, November 9, 1976

ATTENDANCE

Members, Alternates and Observers

William A. Radlinski, Chairman

Roy E. Fordham, Executive Secretary

Harold Strickland, Agriculture

John Jarman, Army

John W. Townsend, Commerce

Clifton E. James, EPA

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1. Approval of Agenda

The proposed agenda was approved with the addition of two discussion items.

- o Release of Decompartmented Materials to a
Corps of Engineers Contractor

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2. Approval of Report of Meeting, August 30, 1976

The Report of Meeting on August 30 was approved with the following two amendments:

- o page 1, paragraph 4, line 6--delete the word
"unclassified"
- o page 3, paragraph 1, line 5--substitute the word
"approval" for the word "issuance"

3. Critique of User Agency Briefing

The User Agency Briefing was held at the CIA auditorium on October 15. There were 167 people in attendance (216 had provided clearances to attend). The general reaction to the briefing was favorable. It stimulated interest in some new areas that has resulted in the scheduling of additional meetings with several agencies.

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There was a discussion on the disposition of the tape recordings of the briefing. The tapes have not been transcribed and there are no plans to accomplish this task. Instead, the tapes will be retained by the Committee at SMC and will be available for reference.

4. Approval of Statement on "Proper Use"

The DCI staff officers reviewed the draft policy statement on the "Proper Use of TALENT-KEYHOLE Imagery and Information by Civil Agencies." The comments and a revised statement (attachment No. 1) that were provided by COMIREX were reviewed and approved with only a minor editorial change.

In order to assist in the administration of the policy, it was suggested that two actions be accomplished.

- o A legal briefing should be scheduled to explain the meaning of such terms as "legal rights of U.S. persons," "violation of applicable laws," etc., as they apply to this policy statement.
- o Each user agency should submit a certified list of uses to the Committee for approval. Thereafter, the certification will be submitted only for an intended use that did not appear on the approved list.

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5. Approval of Civil Requirements

Requirements for Mission 1213 and 4347 were submitted to the Committee for approval. (attachment No. 2 and 3)

The Committee reviewed the individual agency submissions and approved the composite requirements and priorities that had been established by the Working Group. Mr. Fordham was asked to submit the graphics and written justifications for the intended uses to the Committee in the future in sufficient time to permit the members to review them prior to the Committee meeting.

6. Issue Paper

The Committee was informed that the final draft of the issue paper "Policy on Remote Earth Imagery" had been reviewed and was being prepared for transmittal to the President. (Subsequent to the meeting, the Chairman received the final copy with the notification that the document had been forwarded to the President on November 9.)

7. Other Items

- o Release of Classified Materials to a Corps of Engineers Contractor

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The Corps of Engineers had requested COMIREX approval for the decompartmentation of some KH-9 materials on September 21. The request was presented to the Committee by Dr. Baclawski on October 6 at the dry run of the User Agency Briefing. The Committee was asked to rule on the intended use and concluded that it was a "proper use." This was reaffirmed for the record at this meeting. The materials will be decompartmented at SMC for use in the research of change detection techniques by the Goodyear Aerospace Corporation.

o Status of [] M 1213 Launch

Mr. Murphy reported that the []

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is scheduled for launch in late January. However, changes in the schedules could occur and result in delays of 30 - 60 days.

8. Next Meeting

The next Civil Applications Committee meeting will be held on January 11, 1977, at 9:30 a.m., at the Special Mapping Center, Reston, Virginia.

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Committee on Imagery Requirements and Exploitation

5 October 1976

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Committee for Civil Applications of Classified
Overhead Photography of the United States

SUBJECT : Draft Policy Statement

1. In accordance with the Committee's request, the draft Policy Statement on the "Proper Use of TALENT-KEYHOLE Imagery and Information by Civil Agencies" has been reviewed by the pertinent DCI staff officers.

2. Both the Office of the General Counsel and the COMIREX Staff agree that the draft provisions are acceptable as a general statement of policy, and represent a necessary step in implementation of the CAC oversight responsibilities. We do, however, have suggestions for revising details in the Policy Statement as indicated in the following paragraphs and as reflected in the attached revised draft.

3. The references to "TALENT-KEYHOLE Imagery and Information" can and should be replaced by references to "imagery derived from classified overhead imagery systems." Also the reference to TKH-1 in the classification stamp should be replaced by "the DCI." Making these substitutions will permit issuance of the Policy Statement outside the TALENT-KEYHOLE Security Control System at the SECRET NOFORN classification, and will thereby facilitate the Committee's interactions with other user agencies.

4. It is also suggested that the citations of the National Security Act of 1947 and of the Privacy Act of 1974 be replaced by the generalized, but more inclusive phrases indicated in the attached draft since there are other laws and regulations that are also relevant.

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[Signature] Roland S. Inlow
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POLICY STATEMENT**PROPER USE OF CLASSIFIED IMAGERY AND DERIVED INFORMATION
BY CIVIL AGENCIES**

One of the responsibilities of the Committee for Civil Applications of Classified Overhead Photography of the United States is as follows:

"oversee civilian agency uses of classified photography in a manner designed to avoid any concerns that domestic photographic coverage is being used improperly."

Proper use is defined as the utilization of imagery and information derived from classified overhead imagery systems that is in support of Congressionally approved programs of the user agency, and that is not in violation of applicable laws, including the statutory authority of the user agency, nor inconsistent with the Constitutional and other legal rights of United States persons.

Proper use also requires compliance with all security regulations and guidelines issued by the Director of Central Intelligence and other restrictions that are applicable to information, materials and imagery derived from classified overhead imagery systems.

User agencies will submit the following statement with each request for information, materials or imagery derived from classified overhead imagery systems certifying that the intended use will be in accordance with the above.

"I certify that the intended use of the requested information, materials or imagery derived from classified overhead systems is in support of Congressionally approved programs of the user agency, and not in violation of applicable laws, including the statutory authority of the user agency, nor inconsistent with the Constitutional and other legal rights of United States persons. Applicable security regulations and guidelines and other restrictions will be followed."

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US	Special	901	0	0
I	1	902	86,600	
	2	903	80,800	
	3	904	191,200	358,600
II	1	905	37,600	
	2	906	61,000	
	3	907	87,400	186,000
III	1	908	50,400	
	2	909	86,000	
	3	910	152,600	289,000
				833,600
Alaska	1	911	91,600	
	2	912	223,400	315,000
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MAPPING CAMERA REQUIREMENTS FOR MISSION 1213

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Alaska	1	17	156,000	
	2	20	47,600	
	3	21	25,400	
	4	22	22,600	251,600
Antarctica	1	18	39,400	
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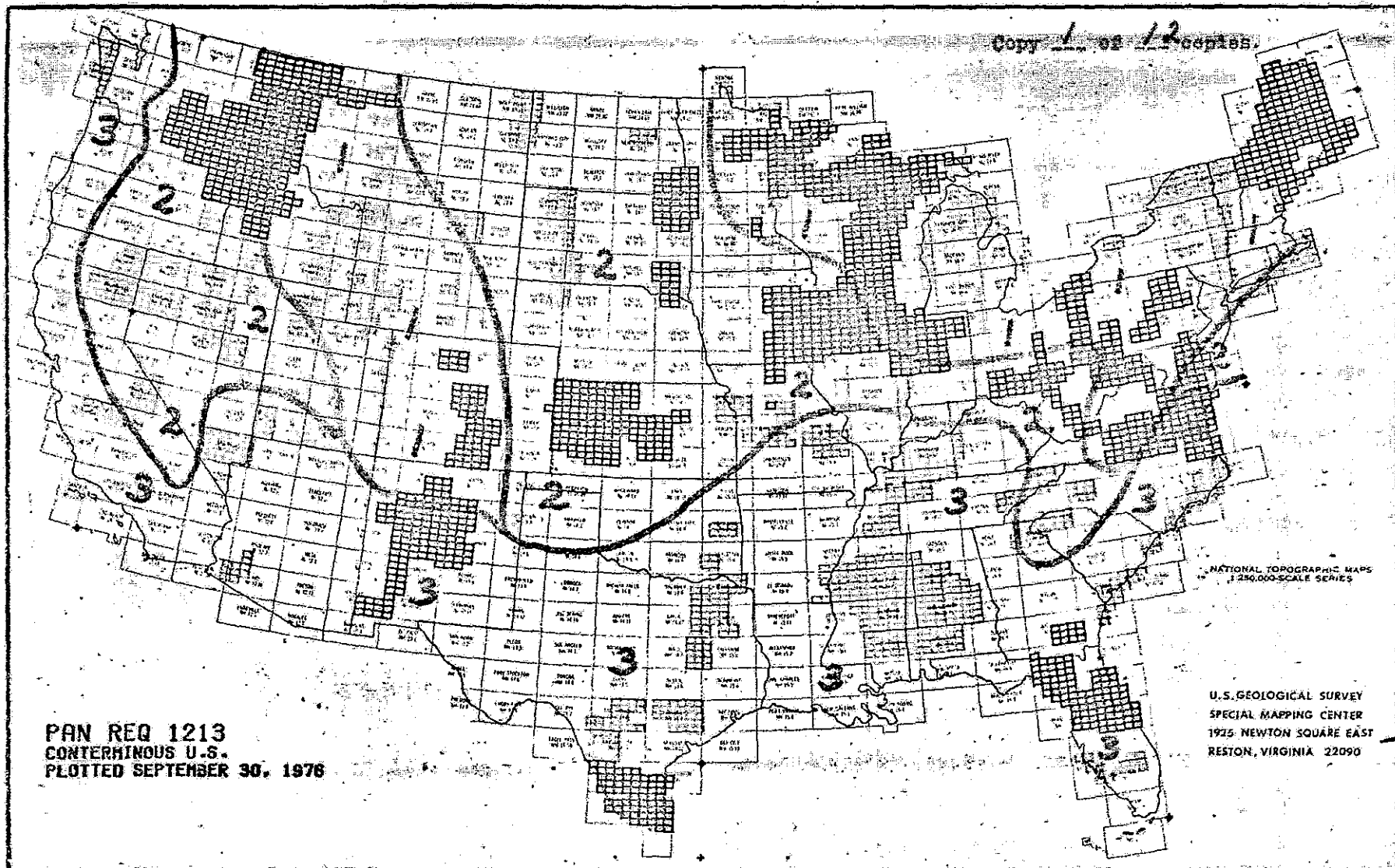
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August 10, 1976

Memorandum

To: John J. Schadegg

From: Roy E. Fordham

Subject: Request for KH-8 Coverage

A number of the civilian agencies that are charged with responsibility for the development and prudent utilization of the nation's natural resources have been using KH-9 coverage to carry out their mission. Some of these agencies have requested KH-8 coverage in support of on-going projects related to the inventorying and monitoring of natural resources, the detection of problems affecting the natural development or replenishment of replaceable resources, and the implementation of programs to assure continued availability of those resources. The target areas for which KH-8 coverage is requested were selected on the basis of the following study and/or mapping program requirements:

Target(s)	Agency	Application	Type Coverage
24-33	FS	Repetitive coverage over areas included in the Forest Incentives Program to monitor changes in vegetation and to evaluate the effect of forestry practices.	Stereopairs, color photography
48-54, 56-62	NOS	Determine the position of landmark features (e.g. micro-wave towers, water tanks, piers, etc.), and perform general shoreline revision on nautical charts.	Stereopairs and angle constraint of no more than 15° obliquity; no film restriction.
55	NOS	Determine the local position of small canals in Florida.	Stereopair and angle constraint of no more than 15° obliquity; no film restriction.
63-68	SCS	Identify and measure land cover and land use in the Colorado River Irrigation Project.	Stereopairs, color photography

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<u>Target(s)</u>	<u>Agency</u>	<u>Application</u>	<u>Type Coverage</u>
69-70	SCS	Land cover identification for sedimentation studies.	Stereopairs, color photography
71	EPA	Refinery and land-use study in the area of Eastport, Maine.	Stereopair, color or B&W photography
72	EPA	Support a study on soil salinity in the vicinity of Hamlin, Texas.	Lateral pair, B&W photography
73-77	USGS	To supplement cloud-obscured areas of existing source materials used for the interim revision of 7.5-minute quadrangles.	Monoscopic, B&W film

Malcolm J. Stephens
for Roy E. Fordham

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Held at the Special Mapping Center, USGS, Reston, Virginia
0930-1115 Hours, February 10, 1977

ATTENDANCE

Members, Alternates and Observers

William A. Radlinski, Chairman

Roy E. Fordham, Executive Secretary

Harold Strickland, Agriculture

John Jarman, Army

Cdr. James Collins, Commerce

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Charles Murphy, NRO

Joseph A. Baclawski, COMIREX

Kenneth Daugherty, DMA

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Others

Ray Allison, FS

Dick Gilbert, SCS

Karl Bergsvik, BLM

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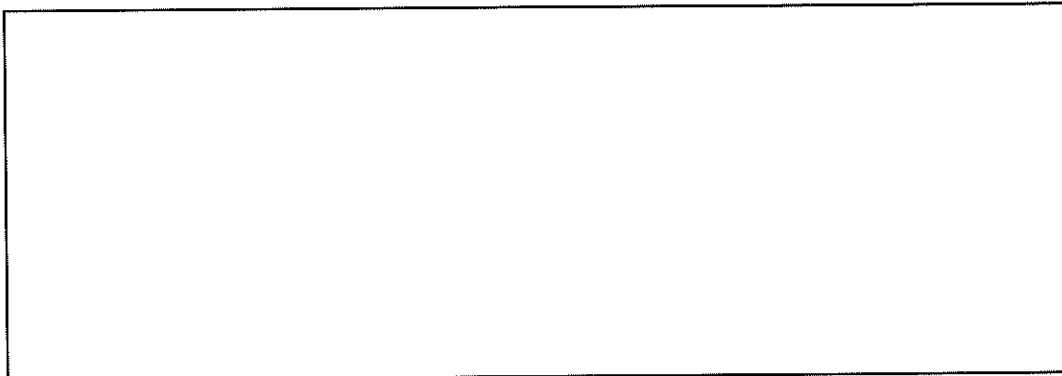
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1. Approval of Report of Meeting, November 9, 1976

The Report of Meeting on November 9 was approved. However, it was noted that there were two outstanding actions from that meeting that remained to be resolved:


- A legal briefing should be scheduled to explain the meaning of such terms as "legal rights of U.S. persons," "violation of applicable laws," etc., as they apply to the "Proper Use" policy statement.
- Each user agency should submit a certified list of uses to the Committee for approval. Thereafter, the certification will be submitted only for a proposed use that had not been previously certified. This action will be initiated by the Working Group.

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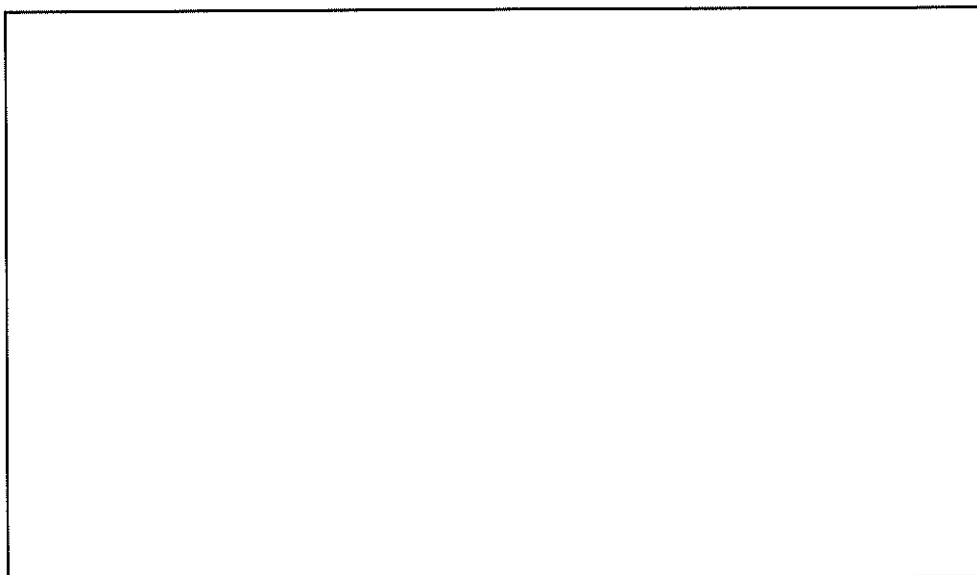
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requirements in support of civil agency applications must be entered through a TTY terminal using the CAMS procedure. It was recommended that the Geological Survey should submit a request for a terminal to be located in the E-1 building, to which the Chairman agreed.



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3. Space Policy Review

The Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs has asked for a review of all space policies by the civil, intelligence, and military communities. The objective of this effort is to develop a National Space Policy. At a preliminary meeting on January 31, Colonel Rosenberg, National Security Council Staff member, distributed a package (TCS 889017-77) containing several draft proposals for "A Coherent U.S. Space Policy" to be reviewed in time to be discussed at a meeting

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on February 8. The "civil" community was represented by participants from the Departments of Agriculture, Commerce, and Interior.

The meeting of principals was held on February 8 as scheduled, in the Old Executive Office building. Because there was a broad range of opinion on the subject of space policy and how it should be developed and managed, Chairman, David Aaron, Deputy Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs, decided to postpone the discussions and tasked each of the organizational participants to provide a position paper to him by February 15. This paper was to include critical issues, major policy questions, and time-critical problems that were assessed as being important to each organization. Interior, Agriculture, Commerce, and NASA submitted separate papers. The Corps of Engineers concerns were included in the Interior's response.

4. Requirements - Mission 1213

Mr. Fordham presented a revised version of the requirements for Mission 1213 which reflected a distribution of mono and stereo requirements. The use of the "mono mode" will provide for film economy since only one camera is used to satisfy the area requirement. It is anticipated that this economy will be reflected in an increase in total mission coverage.

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5. Five Year Security Clearance Update

It was noted that Geological Survey had received a memorandum from the Chief, Special Security Center, CIA, subject: Interpretation of DCID 1/14. DCID No. 1/14, dated 13 May 1976, requires that programs will be instituted that require periodic reinvestigation of personnel that are provided access to Sensitive Compartmented Information (SCI). Paragraph 14 of the document states the minimum requirements for the re-investigation are as follows:

"14. The scope of reinvestigations shall be determined by the SIO concerned based on such considerations as the potential damage that might result from the individual's defection or willful compromise of SCI and the availability and probable effectiveness of other means to continually evaluate factors related to the individual's suitability for continued access. In all cases, the reinvestigation shall include, as a minimum, appropriate National agency checks, local agency (including overseas checks where appropriate), credit checks and a personal discussion with the individual by trained investigative, security or counterintelligence personnel when necessary to resolve significant adverse information or inconsistencies."

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Paragraph three of the memorandum from the Chief, Special Security Center states:

"3. Continued access to SCI by CIA employees requires a full field updated background investigation at five year intervals, regardless of whether or not additional SCI accesses are sought. This is based upon CIA's conviction that the minimum standards in paragraph 14c of DCID 1/14 do not provide an adequate level of personnel security."

The requirement for a full field updated background investigation at five year intervals does not seem to be in consonance with paragraph 14, DCID 1/14. Dr. Baclawski agreed to investigate the problem and provide more information at the next meeting.

6. Next Meeting

The next Civil Applications Committee meeting is tentatively scheduled for April 19, 1977, at 9:30 a.m., at the Special Mapping Center, Reston, Virginia.

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Civil Applications Committee

JUL 12 1977

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0930-1200 Hours, May 10, 1977

ATTENDANCE

Members, Alternates and Observers

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Roy E. Fordham, Executive Secretary
Harold L. Strickland, Agriculture
John W. Jarman, Army CE
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1. Approval of Agenda

The proposed agenda was approved with the addition of six discussion items.

- Update on Legal Briefing
- Five Year Security Clearance Update
- Requirements for Mission 1213
- U-2/SR-71 Aircraft Capability
- Requirements
- DMA Use of TA3/P1

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2. Approval of Report of Meeting of February 10, 1977

The Report of Meeting on February 10 was approved without change.

3. ERDA Membership

In a letter to the Chairman, Civil Applications Committee, dated March 3, 1977, Energy Research and Development Administration (ERDA) requested membership on the Committee. The members of the CAC were polled prior to this meeting and membership of ERDA on the Committee was unanimously approved. Mr. Ted Albert of ERDA's Environment and Safety staff was introduced as the ERDA representative.

4. National Space Policy Review

Fred Doyle presented a status briefing on the National Space Policy Review. The Presidential Review Memorandum 23, dated

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28 March 1977, directed that a comprehensive review of national space policy should be conducted by 1 July 1977. The Secretary of Defense is Chairman of the Policy Review Committee for this effort and he has organized the activity into three groups. The basic study is being performed by a small Study Group directed by a Steering Group composed of senior officials of the participating Departments and Agencies. The Steering Group, in turn, is responsive to the Policy Review Committee. Representatives from the civil community - Agriculture, Commerce, and Interior are serving as observers on the Steering Group. NASA is the only civil community representative with membership on the Policy Review Committee, Steering Group, and the Study Group.

5. Review and Approval of "Proper Use" Statements

The Committee reviewed the "Proper Use" statements that had been executed by USDA, EPA, GS, and NOAA. It was agreed that "Proper Use" statements, outlining the proposed applications of the materials should be submitted to the CAC for approval prior to requesting classified system coverage. Each agency requesting coverage on Mission 1213 had submitted a "Proper Use" statement. However, the

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Chairman, CAC requested that all members of the Committee should submit a "Proper Use" statement before the CAC gives further consideration to and eventual approval of the existing agency certification statements.

Dr. Baclawski was asked to determine the level of classification that is required for the "Proper Use" statements.

6. Status of Manual

Dr. Baclawski reported that the draft of the new Security Manual is still in the review process, and that COMIREX had made favorable recommendations regarding Chapter 5. If it is approved, image map products of NIIRS rating = 3 or less will be releasable as an "unclassified" image product. In addition, the source material could be "decompartmented" and downgraded so that the imagery may be used at field offices if they are properly controlled in a secure environment. He indicated that the Manual should be issued in about two months.

7. CE Proposal to Use Classified Overhead Photography

The Corps of Engineers (CE) contracted with Goodyear Aerospace Corporation to investigate the state-of-the-art in methods of change detection using conventional imagery. The

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final report, "Research Study of the Monitoring Operations for the Regulatory Permits Program for the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers," is available for review by CAC members. A supplement entitled, "Investigation of the Use of Panoramic Photography for the Regulatory Permits Program," is also available. The supplement involved a Goodyear Aerospace evaluation of using a half-tone screened panoramic image for change detection. The image was judged to be of only "limited use," at best, because of the screen degradation. The studies indicate that CE could expect to realize "significant cost savings" if the imagery could be released unscreened to the contractor. One alternative is for the CE to wait for the release of the new Security Manual, with the expectation that Chapter 5 will permit the release of panoramic imagery that has not been screened. However, Dr. Baclawski agreed to review the Goodyear Aerospace reports, and to work directly with the CE rather than to wait for the eventual release of the Manual.

Colonel Maurice Kurtz (DMA-ETL) presented a briefing on the mission of the U.S. Army, Engineer Topographic Laboratory and described the facilities that are available to support agency mapping operations. ETL currently has a digital data

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edit system which is operational and is available for use
by other agencies and contractors.

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He invited the civil agencies to communicate their
application requirements to ETL because they could influence
the direction that the system development should take.
Colonel Kurtz extended an open invitation to any interested
agencies to visit the ETL facility.

8. Other Items

• Legal Briefing

Dr. Baclawski stated that it is very difficult to get
unanimity from the general counsels of the various
Departments on legal issues that are related to
classified systems. In order to avoid the problem,
he has drafted guidelines regarding the use of classified
imagery and these guidelines will be submitted to the
National Security Council for review and approval, after
which they will be presented to the Committee.

• Security Update

On February 10, the Chairman, CAC, requested that the
Chairman, COMIREX, review the requirement for a full-

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field investigation (FFI) every five years since it is a significant increase in the level of investigation above the minimum requirements of Director of Central Intelligence Directive No. 1/14. On April 21, the Chairman, COMIREX, confirmed the requirement, and indicated that it was necessary to conduct the FFI every five years to insure the integrity of the system.

- Requirements for Mission 1213

The major revisions to the original coverage requirements submitted for Mission 1213 included the deletion of some Mapping Camera requirements in Alaska, and the addition of some panoramic requirements in the mid-western United States in support of the SCS windbreak studies.

- U-2/SR-71 Aircraft Capability

DoD routinely schedules a number of training missions for the U-2 and the SR-71 aircraft. They have expressed a willingness to provide aerial photography from the flights to other government agencies.

Mr. Fordham agreed to contact DoD for additional information regarding the submission of requirements, and to report his findings to the CAC members.

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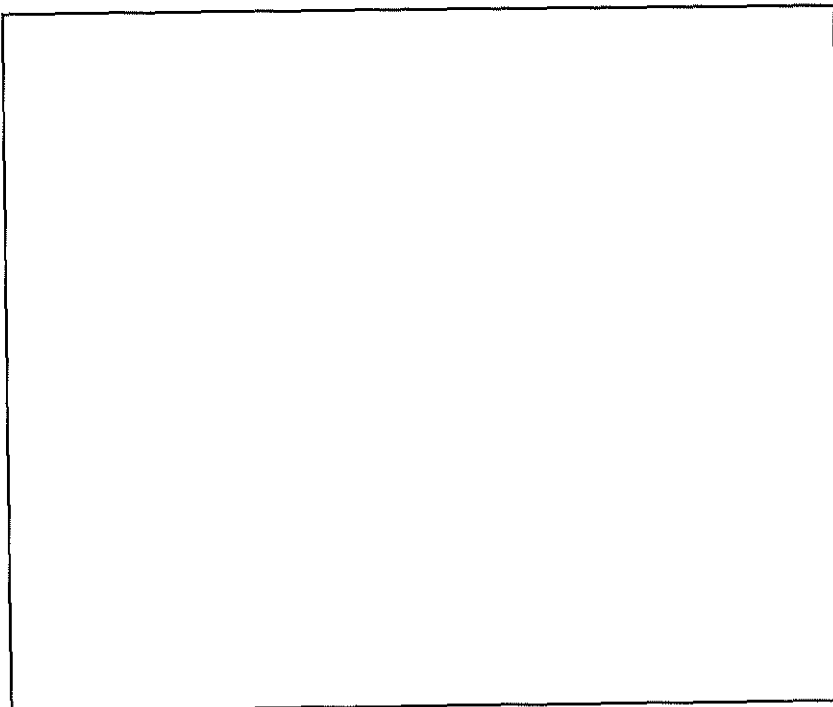
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◆ DMA Use of TA3/P1 at SMC

DMA-TC has expressed an interest in obtaining the use of the TA3/P1 stereocomparator, in Building E-1 during the third work shift from the fall of 1977 to June 1978.

Although DMA-TC presently has their own mensuration capability and is scheduled to receive a TA3/P1 in late 1978, their current workload is in excess of the current capacity. The use of the TA3/P1 at Building E-1 would provide a solution to this production problem. The CAC expressed some reluctance over the entry of classified imagery of foreign areas in Building E-1.

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It was noted that the materials would be used and controlled by DoD personnel. A final decision will be made at a later date.

9. Next Meeting

The next Civil Applications Committee meeting is scheduled for September 22, 1977, at 0930 hours, Special Mapping Center.

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ATTENDANCE

Members, Alternates and Observers

William A. Radlinski, Chairman

Roy E. Fordham, Executive Secretary

Harold L. Strickland, Agriculture

Wilmont N. Hess, Commerce

Theodore M. Albert, DOE

Albert C. Trakowski, EPA

James Morrison, NASA

Joseph A. Baclawski, COMIREX

Colonel Raymon Kazanjian, DMA

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Others

James Johnson, DMA

Robert Holmes, EPA

Clifton E. James, EPA

Ray Allison, FS

Frederick J. Doyle, GS

Malcolm J. Stephens, GS

Wilbur H. Eskite, NOAA

Cdr. James Collins, NOS

Lawrence Fritz, NOS

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1. Approval of Agenda

The proposed agenda was approved with the addition of the following items.

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- Status of New Security Manual
- Status of Proper Use Statements
- Large Format Camera

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2. Approval of Report of Meeting, May 10, 1977

The Report of Meeting on May 10 was approved as written.

3. Status of Legal Guidelines



Assistant General Council to the DCI,

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presented a briefing on the legal guidelines that are related to the acquisition and use of imagery from classified systems. He indicated that Executive Order 11905, United States Foreign Intelligence Activities, dated February 18, 1976, was the basic reference that provided the restrictions on collection and use of intelligence information (see attachment number one). This document is being revised but it is anticipated that the basic principles will remain unchanged.

The briefing identified the authorities that can approve the collection of satellite imagery of the United States as well as some of the restrictions related to these activities.

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2. National Defense	DOD
3. Foreign Intelligence	DCI
4. Civil Applications	President (delegated to DCI)

• Restrictions

1. Foreign intelligence agencies (CIA, NSA, and DIA) can not engage in physical surveillance directed against a United States person. It has been interpreted that this restriction does not apply to the use of satellite imagery because of the intermittent nature of the acquisition system.
2. Foreign intelligence agencies can not provide services, equipment, personnel or facilities to support law enforcement activities within the United States.

The members of the CAC have indicated that satellite information is not being used to support law enforcement activities.

4. National Policy Review

Fred Doyle presented a briefing on the historical and current events related to the development of a National Space Policy.

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The response to PRM-23--Coherent National Space Policy was published, but the report did not contain a definitive "policy statement" or include any recommendations. A draft of a Presidential Directive Reflecting the Outcome of PRM-23 is being circulated for review by the Policy Review Committee. Of immediate concern is the reluctance on the part of the Policy Review Committee to include civilian agencies as members on future committees. It was suggested that the civil agency position could be expressed through Secretary Andrus and through OSTP. Agriculture and Commerce would also, of course, work through appropriate representatives on the Committee.

5. Status of High Altitude Photography Request

Roy Fordham briefed the CAC on the status of the civil requirements for high altitude photography that would be acquired from DOD training missions of SR-71 and U-2 aircraft. He explained that the request had been submitted to DMAHQ and subsequently forwarded to John Schadeegg, Chairman, Imagery Collection and Requirements Staff (ICRS) because a majority of the requirements were for non-mapping applications. John Schadeegg reported that the request was recorded at ICRS and was forwarded to Air Force Headquarters. A graphic of the thirty-four civil agency project areas was shown, and it was noted that the "seasonal window" for all but four of the areas had passed. The members agreed that the HAP system should be envisioned as a mechanism for obtaining

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coverage to supplement the classified materials, and that members of the CAC Working Group should be instructed to submit updated requirements on a continuing basis. Mr. Fordham agreed to contact the DOD operations personnel involved in the scheduling of the training missions to establish a procedure for entering civil agency coverage requirements on a regular basis.

6. Working Group Report

Coverage requirements for Mission 1214 were submitted to the Committee for approval (attachment number two). Mr. Fordham explained that although the mission is not scheduled for launch until late next spring, the present version of the requirements had to be submitted by November 1 so that mission simulations could be run. It was noted that the present requirements file would be revised when information identifying usable coverage was obtained for Mission 1213. The Committee reviewed the individual agency submissions (accompanied by verbal statements regarding the intended uses of the imagery) and a composite graphic of the requirements and priorities that had been established by the Working Group.

Mr. Fordham recommended that, in view of the reported shortfall in area coverage from the current mission and the reduction in the number of missions to one per year, the Committee send a

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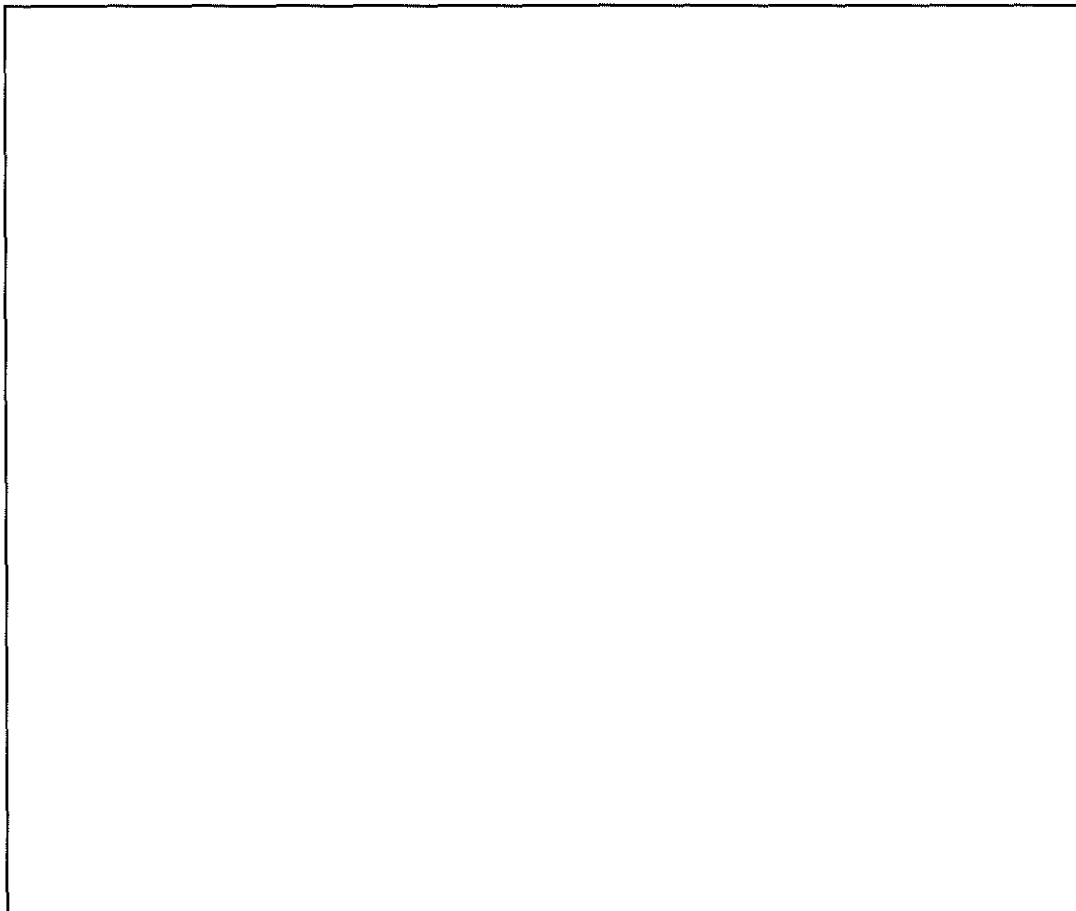
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memorandum to Chairman, COMIREX, requesting that the civil agencies be allocated more film on future missions. He also noted that the civil agencies had implemented the suggestion of the classified system operations personnel to submit "mono" requirements wherever possible to increase the "effective yield" of a given allocation of film. However, the indication is that the total mission coverage would fall short of the goal of 400,000 square nautical miles per year that was approved for the civilian agencies.

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8. Status of New Security Manual

The Chairman, CAC, asked Dr. Baclawski for a status report on the new Security Manual. Dr. Baclawski responded that the Manual was one of several items that had been forwarded to the new DCI for review. He also noted that a report on the historical development of non-military uses of classified imagery had been sent to the DCI for review. He added that in the final report the CIA had expanded the input from the CAC to include "other" non-military uses. He promised to provide a copy of the report as soon as it is published.

(Note: Copy of the report was delivered to SMC on December 7, 1977.)

9. Status of Proper Use Statements

There is an outstanding action for some members to submit a "Proper Use" statement before the CAC gives further consideration to and eventual approval of all the agency certification statements. Statements have not been received from Army - CE, DOE, and BLM. NASA is not considered a "user," and hence will not submit a statement.

10. Large Format Camera

Fred Doyle presented a briefing on the status of the large format camera proposed for inclusion in the Space Shuttle payload. Funding for development and first-flight of the camera system has been approved by NASA. The Geological Survey has agreed to

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budget funds for "re-flights" of the camera system; however, the selection of a specific mission for first-flight or re-flight has not been made. NASA intends to submit a request to the GS to form a user group. As soon as that request is received, GS will ask the members of the Civil Applications Committee to designate representatives.

11. Next Meeting

The next Civil Applications Committee meeting is scheduled for February 21, 1978, at 0930 hours, Special Mapping Center.

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Intelligence Activities

Executive Order 11905. February 18, 1976

By virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the United States, including the
d National Security Act of 1947, as amended, and as
n President of the United States of America, it is hereby
n ordered as follows:

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SECTION 1. Purpose. The purpose of this Order is to establish policies to improve the quality of intelligence needed for national security, to clarify the authority and responsibilities of the intelligence departments and agencies, and to establish effective oversight to assure compliance with law in the management and direction of intelligence agencies and departments of the national government.

SEC. 2. Definitions. For the purpose of this Order, unless otherwise indicated, the following terms shall have these meanings:

(a) *Intelligence* means:

(1) *Foreign intelligence* which means information, other than foreign counterintelligence, on the capabilities, intentions and activities of foreign powers, organizations or their agents; and

(2) *Foreign counterintelligence* which means activities conducted to protect the United States and United States citizens from foreign espionage, sabotage, subversion, assassination or terrorism.

(b) *Intelligence Community* refers to the following organizations:

- (1) Central Intelligence Agency;
- (2) National Security Agency;
- (3) Defense Intelligence Agency;
- (4) Special offices within the Department of Defense for the collection of specialized intelligence through reconnaissance programs;
- (5) Intelligence elements of the military services;
- (6) Intelligence element of the Federal Bureau of Investigation;

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(7) Intelligence element of the Department of State;
(8) Intelligence element of the Department of the Treasury; and

(9) Intelligence element of the Energy Research and Development Administration.

(c) *Special activities in support of national foreign policy objectives* means activities, other than the collection and production of intelligence and related support functions, designed to further official United States programs and policies abroad which are planned and executed so that the role of the United States Government is not apparent or publicly acknowledged.

(d) *National Foreign Intelligence Program* means the programs of the Central Intelligence Agency and the special offices within the Department of Defense for the collection of specialized intelligence through reconnaissance programs, the Consolidated Cryptologic Program, and those elements of the General Defense Intelligence Program and other programs of the departments and agencies, not including tactical intelligence, designated by the Committee on Foreign Intelligence as part of the Program.

SEC. 3. Control and Direction of National Intelligence Organizations.

(a) *National Security Council.*

(1) The National Security Council was established by the National Security Act of 1947 to advise the President with respect to the integration of domestic, foreign, and military policies relating to the national security. Statutory members of the National Security Council are the President, the Vice President, the Secretary of State, and the Secretary of Defense.

(2) Among its responsibilities, the National Security Council shall provide guidance and direction to the development and formulation of national intelligence activities.

(3) The National Security Council shall conduct a semi-annual review of intelligence policies and of ongoing special activities in support of national Foreign policy objectives. These reviews shall consider the needs of users of intelligence and the timeliness and quality of intelligence products and the continued appropriateness of special activities in support of national Foreign policy objectives. The National Security Council shall consult with the Secretary of the Treasury and such other users of intelligence as designated by the President as part of these reviews.

(b) *Committee on Foreign Intelligence.*

(1) There is established the Committee on Foreign Intelligence (hereinafter referred to as the CFI), which shall be composed of the Director of Central Intelligence, hereinafter referred to as the DCI, who shall be the Chairman; the Deputy Secretary of Defense for Intelligence; and the Deputy Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs. The CFI shall report directly to the National Security Council.

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C06888394 CFI shall (i) control budget preparation and resource allocation for the National Foreign Intelligence Program.

(A) The CFI shall, prior to submission to the Office of Management and Budget, review, and amend as it deems appropriate, the budget for the National Foreign Intelligence Program.

(B) The CFI shall also adopt rules governing the reprogramming of funds within this budget. Such rules may require that reprogrammings of certain types or amounts be given prior approval by the CFI.

(ii) Establish policy priorities for the collection and production of national intelligence.

(iii) Establish policy for the management of the National Foreign Intelligence Program.

(iv) Provide guidance on the relationship between tactical and national intelligence; however, neither the DCI nor the CFI shall have responsibility for tactical intelligence.

(v) Provide continuing guidance to the Intelligence Community in order to ensure compliance with policy directions of the NSC.

(3) The CFI shall be supported by the Intelligence Community staff headed by the Deputy to the Director of Central Intelligence for the Intelligence Community.

(4) The CFI shall establish such subcommittees as it deems appropriate to ensure consultation with members of the Intelligence Community on policies and guidance issued by the CFI.

(5) Decisions of the CFI may be reviewed by the National Security Council upon appeal by the Director of Central Intelligence or any member of the National Security Council.

(c) The Operations Advisory Group.

(1) There is established the Operations Advisory Group (hereinafter referred to as the Operations Group), which shall be composed of the Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs; the Secretaries of State and Defense; the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff; and the Director of Central Intelligence. The Chairman shall be designated by the President. The Attorney General and the Director of the Office of Management and Budget or their representatives, and others who may be designated by the President, shall attend all meetings as observers.

(2) The Operations Group shall (i) consider and develop a policy recommendation, including any dissents, for the President prior to his decision on each special activity in support of national foreign policy objectives.

(ii) Conduct periodic reviews of programs previously considered by the Operations Group.

(iii) Give approval for specific sensitive intelligence collection operations as designated by the Operations Group.

(iv) Conduct periodic reviews of ongoing sensitive intelligence collection operations.

(3) The Operations Group shall discharge the responsibilities assigned by subparagraphs (c)(2)(i) and (c)(2)(iii) of this section only after consideration in a formal meeting attended by all members and observers; or, in unusual circumstances when any member or observer is unavailable, when a designated representative of the member or observer attends.

(4) The staff of the National Security Council shall provide support to the Operations Group.

(d) Director of Central Intelligence.

(1) The Director of Central Intelligence, pursuant to the National Security Act of 1947, shall be responsible directly to the National Security Council and the President. He shall:

(i) Chair the CFI.

(ii) Act as executive head of the CIA and Intelligence Community staff.

(iii) Ensure the development and submission of a budget for the National Foreign Intelligence Program to the CFI.

(iv) Act as the President's primary adviser on foreign intelligence and provide him and other officials in the Executive branch with foreign intelligence, including National Intelligence Estimates; develop national intelligence requirements and priorities; and supervise production and dissemination of national intelligence.

(v) Ensure appropriate implementation of special activities in support of national foreign policy objectives.

(vi) Establish procedures to ensure the propriety of requests, and responses thereto, from the White House Staff or other Executive departments and agencies to the Intelligence Community.

(vii) Ensure that appropriate programs are developed which properly protect intelligence sources, methods and analytical procedures. His responsibility within the United States shall be limited to:

(A) Protection by lawful means against disclosure by present or former employees of the Central Intelligence Agency or persons, or employees of persons or organizations, presently or formerly under contract with the Agency;

(B) providing leadership, guidance and technical assistance to other government departments and agencies performing foreign intelligence activities; and

(C) in cases involving serious or continuing security violations, recommending to the Attorney General that the case be referred to the Federal Bureau of Investigation for further investigation.

(viii) Establish a vigorous program to downgrade and declassify foreign intelligence information as appropriate and consistent with Executive Order No. 11652.

(ix) Ensure the existence of strong Inspector General capabilities in all elements of the Intelligence Community

and that each Inspector General submits quarterly to the Intelligence Oversight Board a report which sets forth any questionable activities in which that intelligence organization has engaged or is engaged.

(x) Ensure the establishment, by the Intelligence Community, of common security standards for managing and handling foreign intelligence systems, information and products, and for granting access thereto.

(xi) Act as the principal spokesman to the Congress for the Intelligence Community and facilitate the use of foreign intelligence products by Congress.

(xii) Promote the development and maintenance by the Central Intelligence Agency of services of common concern to the Intelligence Community organizations, including multi-discipline analysis, national level intelligence products, and a national level current intelligence publication.

(xiii) Establish uniform criteria for the identification, selection, and designation of relative priorities for the transmission of critical intelligence, and provide the Secretary of Defense with continuing guidance as to the communications requirements of the Intelligence Community for the transmission of such intelligence.

(xiv) Establish such committees of collectors, producers and users of intelligence to assist in his conduct of his responsibilities as he deems appropriate.

(xv) Consult with users and producers of intelligence, including the Departments of State, Treasury, and Defense, the military services, the Federal Bureau of Investigation, the Energy Research and Development Administration, and the Council of Economic Advisors, to ensure the timeliness, relevancy and quality of the intelligence product.

(2) To assist the Director of Central Intelligence in the supervision and direction of the Intelligence Community, the position of Deputy to the Director of Central Intelligence for the Intelligence Community is hereby established (Committee on Foreign Intelligence).

(3) To assist the Director of Central Intelligence in the supervision and direction of the Central Intelligence Agency, the Director of Central Intelligence shall, to the extent consistent with his statutory responsibilities, delegate the day-to-day operation of the Central Intelligence Agency to the Deputy Director of Central Intelligence (50 U.S.C. 403(a)).

(4) To assist the DCI in the fulfillment of his responsibilities, the heads of all departments and agencies shall give him access to all information relevant to the foreign intelligence needs of the United States. Relevant information requested by the DCI shall be provided, and the DCI shall take appropriate steps to maintain its confidentiality.

Sec. 4. Responsibilities and Duties of the Intelligence Community. Purpose. The rules of operation prescribed by this section of the Order relate to the activities of our foreign intelligence agencies. In some instances, detailed

implementation of this Executive order will be contained in classified documents because of the sensitivity of the information and its relation to national security. All such classified instructions will be consistent with this Order. Unless otherwise specified within this section, its provisions apply to activities both inside and outside the United States, and all references to law are to applicable laws of the United States. Nothing in this section of this Order shall be construed to interfere with any law-enforcement responsibility of any department or agency.

(a) *Senior Officials of the Intelligence Community.* The senior officials of the CIA, Departments of State, Treasury and Defense, ERDA and the FBI shall ensure that, in discharging the duties and responsibilities enumerated for their organizations which relate to foreign intelligence, they are responsive to the needs of the President, the National Security Council and other elements of the Government. In carrying out their duties and responsibilities, senior officials shall ensure that all policies and directives relating to intelligence activities are carried out in accordance with law and this Order, including Section 5, and shall:

(1) Make appropriate use of the capabilities of the other elements of the Intelligence Community in order to achieve maximum efficiency.

(2) Contribute in areas of his responsibility to the national intelligence products produced under auspices of the Director of Central Intelligence.

(3) Establish internal policies and guidelines governing employee conduct and ensuring that such are made known to, and acknowledged by, each employee.

(4) Provide for a strong and independent organization for identification and inspection of, and reporting on, unauthorized activity.

(5) Report to the Attorney General that information which relates to detection or prevention of possible violations of law by any person, including an employee of the senior official's department or agency.

(6) Furnish to the Director of Central Intelligence, the CFI, the Operations Group, the President's Foreign Intelligence Advisory Board, and the Intelligence Oversight Board all of the information required for the performance of their respective duties.

(7) Participate, as appropriate, in the provision of services of common concern as directed by the Director of Central Intelligence and provide other departments and agencies with such mutual assistance as may be within his capabilities and as may be required in the interests of the Intelligence Community for reasons of economy, effectiveness, or operational necessity.

(8) Protect intelligence and intelligence sources and methods within his department or agency, consistent with policies and guidance of the Director of Central Intelligence.

(9) Conduct a continuing review of all classified material originating within his organization and promptly

declassifying such material consistent with Executive Order No. 11652, as amended.

(10) Provide administrative and support functions required by his department or agency.

(b) *The Central Intelligence Agency.* All duties and responsibilities of the Central Intelligence Agency shall be related to the foreign intelligence functions outlined below. As authorized by the National Security Act of 1947, as amended, the CIA Act of 1949, as amended, and other laws, regulations, and directives, the Central Intelligence Agency shall:

(1) Produce and disseminate foreign intelligence relating to the national security, including foreign political, economic, scientific, technical, military, sociological, and geographic intelligence, to meet the needs of the President, the National Security Council, and other elements of the United States Government.

(2) Develop and conduct programs to collect political, economic, scientific, technical, military, geographic, and sociological information, not otherwise obtainable, relating to foreign intelligence, in accordance with directives of the National Security Council.

(3) Collect and produce intelligence on foreign aspects of international terrorist activities and traffic in narcotics.

(4) Conduct foreign counterintelligence activities outside the United States and when in the United States in coordination with the FBI subject to the approval of the Attorney General.

(5) Carry out such other special activities in support of national foreign policy objectives as may be directed by the President or the National Security Council and which are within the limits of applicable law.

(6) Conduct, for the Intelligence Community, services of common concern as directed by the National Security Council, such as monitoring of foreign public radio and television broadcasts and foreign press services, collection of foreign intelligence information from cooperating sources in the United States, acquisition and translation of foreign publications and photographic interpretation.

(7) Carry out or contract for research, development and procurement of technical systems and devices relating to the functions authorized in this subsection.

(8) Protect the security of its installations, activities, information and personnel. In order to maintain this security, the CIA shall conduct such investigations of applicants, employees, and other persons with similar associations with the CIA as are necessary.

(9) Conduct administrative, technical and support activities in the United States or abroad as may be necessary to perform the functions described in paragraphs (1) through (8) above, including procurement, maintenance and transport; communications and data processing; recruitment and training; the provision of personnel, financial and medical services; development of essential cover and proprietary arrangements; entering into contracts and

arrangements with appropriate private companies and institutions to provide classified or unclassified research analytical and developmental services and specialized expertise; and entering into similar arrangements with academic institutions, provided CIA sponsorship is known to the appropriate senior officials of the academic institution and to senior project officials.

(c) *The Department of State.* The Secretary of State shall:

(1) Collect, overtly, foreign political, political-military, sociological, economic, scientific, technical and associated biographic information.

(2) Produce and disseminate foreign intelligence relating to United States foreign policy as required for the execution of his responsibilities and in support of policy makers involved in foreign relations within the United States Government.

(3) Disseminate within the United States Government as appropriate, reports received from United States diplomatic missions abroad.

(4) Coordinate with the Director of Central Intelligence to ensure that United States intelligence activities and programs are useful for and consistent with United States foreign policy.

(5) Transmit reporting requirements of the Intelligence Community to our Chiefs of Missions abroad and provide guidance for their collection effort.

(6) Contribute to the Intelligence Community guidance for its collection of intelligence based on the needs of those responsible for foreign policy decisions.

(7) Support Chiefs of Missions in discharging their responsibilities to direct and coordinate the activities of all elements of their missions.

(d) *The Department of the Treasury.* The Secretary of the Treasury shall:

(1) Collect, overtly, foreign financial and monetary information.

(2) Participate with the Department of State in the overt collection of general foreign economic information.

(3) Produce that intelligence required for the execution of the Secretary's interdepartmental responsibilities and the mission of the Department of the Treasury.

(4) Contribute intelligence and guidance required for the development of national intelligence.

(5) Disseminate within the United States Government, as appropriate, foreign intelligence information acquired.

(c) *Department of Defense.*

(1) The Secretary of Defense shall:

(i) Collect foreign military intelligence information as well as military-related foreign intelligence information, including scientific, technical, political and economic information as required for the execution of his responsibilities.

(ii) Produce and disseminate, as appropriate, intelligence emphasizing foreign military capabilities and in-

tentions and scientific, technical and economic developments pertinent to his responsibilities.

(iii) Conduct such programs and missions necessary to fulfill national intelligence requirements as determined by the CFI.

(iv) Direct, fund and operate the National Security Agency, and national, defense and military intelligence and reconnaissance entities as required.

(v) Conduct, as the executive agent of the United States Government, signals intelligence activities and communications security, except as otherwise approved by the CFI.

(vi) Provide for the timely transmission of critical intelligence, as defined by the Director of Central Intelligence, within the United States Government.

(2) In carrying out these assigned responsibilities, the Secretary of Defense is authorized to utilize the following:

(i) The Defense Intelligence Agency (whose functions, authorities and responsibilities are currently publicly assigned by Department of Defense Directive No. 5105.21) to:

(A) Produce or provide military intelligence for the Secretary of Defense, the Joint Chiefs of Staff, other Defense components, and, as appropriate, non-Defense agencies.

(B) Coordinate all Department of Defense intelligence collection requirements and manage the Defense Attache system.

(C) Establish substantive intelligence priority goals and objectives for the Department of Defense and provide guidance on substantive intelligence matters to all major Defense intelligence activities.

(D) Review and maintain cognizance over all plans, policies and procedures for noncryptologic intelligence functions of the Department of Defense.

(E) Provide intelligence staff support as directed by the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

(ii) The National Security Agency, whose functions, authorities and responsibilities shall include:

(A) Establishment and operation of an effective unified organization for the signals intelligence activities of the United States Government, except for certain operations which are normally exercised through appropriate elements of the military command structure, or by the CIA.

(B) Exercise control over signals intelligence collection and processing activities of the Government, delegating to an appropriate agent specified resources for such periods and tasks as required for the direct support of military commanders.

(C) Collection, processing and dissemination of signals intelligence in accordance with objectives, requirements, and priorities established by the Director of Central Intelligence.

(D) Dissemination of signals intelligence to all authorized elements of the Government, including the Armed Services, as requested.

(E) Serving under the Secretary of Defense as the central communications security authority of the United States Government.

(F) Conduct of research and development to meet the needs of the United States for signals intelligence and communications security.

(iii) Special offices for the collection of specialized intelligence through reconnaissance programs, whose functions, authorities, and responsibilities shall include:

(A) Carrying out consolidated programs for reconnaissance.

(B) Assigning responsibility to the various departments and agencies of the Government, according to their capabilities, for the research, development, procurement, operations and control of designated means of collection.

(iv) Such other offices within the Department of Defense as shall be deemed appropriate for conduct of the intelligence missions and responsibilities assigned to the Secretary of Defense.

(f) *Energy Research and Development Administration.* The Administrator of the Energy Research and Development Administration shall:

(1) Produce intelligence required for the execution of his responsibilities and the mission of the Energy Research and Development Administration, hereinafter referred to as ERDA, including the area of nuclear and atomic energy.

(2) Disseminate such intelligence and provide technical and analytical expertise to other Intelligence Community organizations and be responsive to the guidance of the Director of Central Intelligence and the Committee on Foreign Intelligence.

(3) Participate with other Intelligence Community agencies and departments in formulating collection requirements where its special technical expertise can contribute to such collection requirements.

(g) *The Federal Bureau of Investigation.* Under the supervision of the Attorney General and pursuant to such regulations as the Attorney General may establish, the Director of the FBI shall:

(1) Detect and prevent espionage, sabotage, subversion, and other unlawful activities by or on behalf of foreign powers through such lawful counterintelligence operations within the United States, including electronic surveillance, as are necessary or useful for such purposes.

(2) Conduct within the United States and its territories, when requested by officials of the Intelligence Community designated by the President, those lawful activities, including electronic surveillance, authorized by the President and specifically approved by the Attorney General, to be undertaken in support of foreign intelligence collection requirements of other intelligence agencies.

(3) Collect foreign intelligence by lawful means within the United States and its territories when requested

(4) Disseminate, as appropriate, foreign intelligence and counterintelligence information which it acquires to appropriate Federal agencies, State and local law enforcement agencies and cooperating foreign governments.

(5) Carry out or contract for research, development and procurement of technical systems and devices relating to the functions authorized above.

SEC. 5. Restrictions on Intelligence Activities. Information about the capabilities, intentions and activities of other governments is essential to informed decision-making in the field of national defense and foreign relations. The measures employed to acquire such information should be responsive to the legitimate needs of our Government and must be conducted in a manner which preserves and respects our established concepts of privacy and our civil liberties.

Recent events have clearly indicated the desirability of government-wide direction which will ensure a proper balancing of these interests. This section of this Order does not authorize any activity not previously authorized and does not provide exemption from any restrictions otherwise applicable. Unless otherwise specified, the provisions of this section apply to activities both inside and outside the United States. References to law are to applicable laws of the United States.

(a) *Definitions.* As used in this section of this Order, the following terms shall have the meanings ascribed to them below:

(1) "Collection" means any one or more of the gathering, analysis, dissemination or storage of non-publicly available information without the informed express consent of the subject of the information.

(2) "Counterintelligence" means information concerning the protection of foreign intelligence or of national security information and its collection from detection or disclosure.

(3) "Electronic surveillance" means acquisition of a non-public communication by electronic means, without the consent of a person who is a party to, or, in the case of a non-electronic communication, visibly present at, the communication.

(4) "Employee" means a person employed by, assigned or detailed to, or acting for a United States foreign intelligence agency.

(5) "Foreign intelligence" means information concerning the capabilities, intentions and activities of any foreign power, or of any non-United States person, whether within or outside the United States, or concerning areas outside the United States.

(6) "Foreign intelligence agency" means the Central Intelligence Agency, National Security Agency, and Defense Intelligence Agency; and further includes any other department or agency of the United States Government

or component thereof while it is engaged in the collection of foreign intelligence or counterintelligence, but shall not include any such department, agency or component thereof to the extent that it is engaged in its authorized civil or criminal law enforcement functions; nor shall it include in any case the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

(7) "National security information" has the meaning ascribed to it in Executive Order No. 11652, as amended.

(8) "Physical surveillance" means continuing visual observation by any means; or acquisition of a non-public communication by a person not a party thereto or visibly present thereat through any means which does not involve electronic surveillance.

(9) "United States person" means United States citizens, aliens admitted to the United States for permanent residence and corporations or other organizations incorporated or organized in the United States.

(b) *Restrictions on Collection.* Foreign intelligence agencies shall not engage in any of the following activities:

(1) Physical surveillance directed against a United States person, unless it is a lawful surveillance conducted pursuant to procedures approved by the head of the foreign intelligence agency and directed against any of the following:

(i) A present or former employee of such agency, its present or former contractors or their present or former employees, for the purpose of protecting foreign intelligence or counterintelligence sources or methods or national security information from unauthorized disclosure; or

(ii) a United States person, who is in contact with either such a present or former contractor or employee or with a non-United States person who is the subject of a foreign intelligence or counterintelligence inquiry, but only to the extent necessary to identify such United States person; or

(iii) a United States person outside the United States who is reasonably believed to be acting on behalf of a foreign power or engaging in international terrorist or narcotics activities or activities threatening the national security.

(2) Electronic surveillance to intercept a communication which is made from, or is intended by the sender to be received in, the United States, or directed against United States persons abroad, except lawful electronic surveillance under procedures approved by the Attorney General; *provided*, that the Central Intelligence Agency shall not perform electronic surveillance within the United States, except for the purpose of testing equipment under procedures approved by the Attorney General consistent with law.

(3) Unconsented physical searches within the United States; or unconsented physical searches directed against United States persons abroad, except lawful searches under procedures approved by the Attorney General.

(4) Opening of mail or examination of envelopes of mail in United States postal channels except in accordance with applicable statutes and regulations.

(5) Examination of Federal tax returns or tax information except in accordance with applicable statutes and regulations.

(6) Infiltration or undisclosed participation within the United States in any organization for the purpose of reporting on or influencing its activities or members; except such infiltration or participation with respect to an organization composed primarily of non-United States persons which is reasonably believed to be acting on behalf of a foreign power.

(7) Collection of information, however acquired, concerning the domestic activities of United States persons except:

(i) Information concerning corporations or other commercial organizations which constitutes foreign intelligence or counterintelligence.

(ii) Information concerning present or former employees, present or former contractors or their present or former employees, or applicants for any such employment or contracting, necessary to protect foreign intelligence or counterintelligence sources or methods or national security information from unauthorized disclosure; and the identity of persons in contact with the foregoing or with a non-United States person who is the subject of a foreign intelligence or counterintelligence inquiry.

(iii) Information concerning persons who are reasonably believed to be potential sources or contacts, but only for the purpose of determining the suitability or credibility of such persons.

(iv) Foreign intelligence or counterintelligence gathered abroad or from electronic surveillance conducted in compliance with Section 5(b)(2); or foreign intelligence acquired from cooperating sources in the United States.

(v) Information about a United States person who is reasonably believed to be acting on behalf of a foreign power or engaging in international terrorist or narcotics activities.

(vi) Information concerning persons or activities that pose a clear threat to foreign intelligence agency facilities or personnel, *provided*, that such information is retained only by the foreign intelligence agency threatened and that proper coordination with the Federal Bureau of Investigation is accomplished.

(c) *Dissemination and Storage.* Nothing in this section of this Order shall prohibit:

(1) Lawful dissemination to the appropriate law enforcement agencies of incidentally gathered information indicating involvement in activities which may be in violation of law.

(2) Storage of information required by law to be retained.

(3) Dissemination to foreign intelligence agencies of information of the subject matter types listed in Section 5(b)(7).

(d) *Restrictions on Experimentation.* Foreign intelligence agencies shall not engage in experimentation with drugs on human subjects, except with the informed consent, in writing and witnessed by a disinterested third party, of each such human subject and in accordance with the guidelines issued by the National Commission for the Protection of Human Subjects for Biomedical and Behavioral Research.

(c) *Assistance to Law Enforcement Authorities.*

(1) No foreign intelligence agency shall, except as expressly authorized by law (i) provide services, equipment, personnel or facilities to the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration or to State or local police organizations of the United States or (ii) participate in or fund any law enforcement activity within the United States.

(2) These prohibitions shall not, however, preclude: (i) cooperation between a foreign intelligence agency and appropriate law enforcement agencies for the purpose of protecting the personnel and facilities of the foreign intelligence agency or preventing espionage or other criminal activity related to foreign intelligence or counterintelligence or (ii) provision of specialized equipment or technical knowledge for use by any other Federal department or agency.

(f) *Assignment of Personnel.* An employee of a foreign intelligence agency detailed elsewhere within the Federal Government shall be responsible to the host agency and shall not report to such employee's parent agency on the affairs of the host agency, except as may be directed by the latter. The head of the host agency, and any successor, shall be informed of the detailee's association with the parent agency.

(g) *Prohibition of Assassination.* No employee of the United States Government shall engage in, or conspire to engage in, political assassination.

(h) *Implementation.*

(1) This section of this Order shall be effective on March 1, 1976. Each department and agency affected by this section of this Order shall promptly issue internal directives to implement this section with respect to its foreign intelligence and counterintelligence operations.

(2) The Attorney General shall, within ninety days of the effective date of this section of this Order, issue guidelines relating to activities of the Federal Bureau of Investigation in the areas of foreign intelligence and counterintelligence.

SEC. 6. Oversight of Intelligence Organizations.

(a) There is hereby established an Intelligence Oversight Board, hereinafter referred to as the Oversight Board.

(1) The Oversight Board shall have three members who shall be appointed by the President and who shall be from outside the Government and be qualified on the basis of ability, knowledge, diversity of background and

The members of the Oversight Board may also serve on the President's Foreign Intelligence Advisory Board (Executive Order No. 11460 of March 20, 1969). No member of the Oversight Board shall have any personal contractual relationship with any agency or department of the Intelligence Community.

(2) One member of the Oversight Board shall be designated by the President as its Chairman.

(3) The Oversight Board shall:

(i) Receive and consider reports by Inspectors General and General Counsels of the Intelligence Community concerning activities that raise questions of legality or propriety.

(ii) Review periodically the practices and procedures of the Inspectors General and General Counsels of the Intelligence Community designed to discover and report to the Oversight Board activities that raise questions of legality or propriety.

(iii) Review periodically with each member of the Intelligence Community their internal guidelines to ensure their adequacy.

(iv) Report periodically, at least quarterly, to the Attorney General and the President on its findings.

(v) Report in a timely manner to the Attorney General and to the President any activities that raise serious questions about legality.

(vi) Report in a timely manner to the President any activities that raise serious questions about propriety.

(b) Inspectors General and General Counsels within the Intelligence Community shall:

(1) Transmit to the Oversight Board reports of any activities that come to their attention that raise questions of legality or propriety.

(2) Report periodically, at least quarterly, to the Oversight Board on its findings concerning questionable activities, if any.

(3) Provide to the Oversight Board all information requested about activities within their respective departments or agencies.

(4) Report to the Oversight Board any occasion on which they were directed not to report any activity to the Oversight Board by their agency or department heads.

(5) Formulate practices and procedures designed to discover and report to the Oversight Board activities that raise questions of legality or propriety.

(c) Heads of intelligence agencies or departments shall:

(1) Report periodically to the Oversight Board on any activities of their organizations that raise questions of legality or propriety.

(2) Instruct their employees to cooperate fully with the Oversight Board.

(3) Ensure that Inspectors General and General Counsels of their agencies have access to any information necessary to perform their duties assigned by paragraph (4) of this section.

(d) The Attorney General shall:

(1) Receive and consider reports from the Oversight Board.

(2) Report periodically, at least quarterly, to the President with respect to activities of the Intelligence Community, if any, which raise questions of legality.

(e) The Oversight Board shall receive staff support. No person who serves on the staff of the Oversight Board shall have any contractual or employment relationship with any department or agency in the Intelligence Community.

(f) The President's Foreign Intelligence Advisory Board established by Executive Order No. 11460 of March 20, 1969, remains in effect.

SEC. 7. *Secrecy Protection.*

(a) In order to improve the protection of sources and methods of intelligence, all members of the Executive branch and its contractors given access to information containing sources or methods of intelligence shall, as a condition of obtaining access, sign an agreement that they will not disclose that information to persons not authorized to receive it.

(b) In the event of any unauthorized disclosure of information concerning sources or methods of intelligence, the names of any persons found to have made unauthorized disclosure shall be forwarded (1) to the head of applicable departments or agencies for appropriate disciplinary action; and (2) to the Attorney General for appropriate legal action.

(c) In the event of any threatened unauthorized disclosure of information concerning sources or methods of intelligence by a person who has agreed not to make such disclosure, the details of the threatened disclosure shall be transmitted to the Attorney General for appropriate legal action, including the seeking of a judicial order to prevent such disclosure.

(d) In further pursuit of the need to provide protection for other significant areas of intelligence, the Director of Central Intelligence is authorized to promulgate rules and regulations to expand the scope of agreements secured from those persons who, as an aspect of their relationship with the United States Government, have access to classified intelligence material.

SEC. 8. *Enabling Data.*

(a) The Committee on Foreign Intelligence and the Director of Central Intelligence shall provide for detailed implementation of this Order by issuing appropriate directives.

(b) All existing National Security Council and Director of Central Intelligence directives shall be amended to be consistent with this Order within ninety days of its effective date.

(c) This Order shall supersede the Presidential Memorandum of November 5, 1971, on the "Organization and Management of the U.S. Foreign Intelligence Community."

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(d) Heads of departments and agencies within the Intelligence Community shall issue supplementary directives to their organizations consistent with this Order within ninety days of its effective date.

(e) This Order will be implemented within current manning authorizations of the Intelligence Community. To this end, the Director of the Office of Management and Budget will facilitate the required realignment of personnel positions. The Director of the Office of Management and Budget will also assist in the allocation of appropriate facilities.

GERALD R. FORD

The White House,
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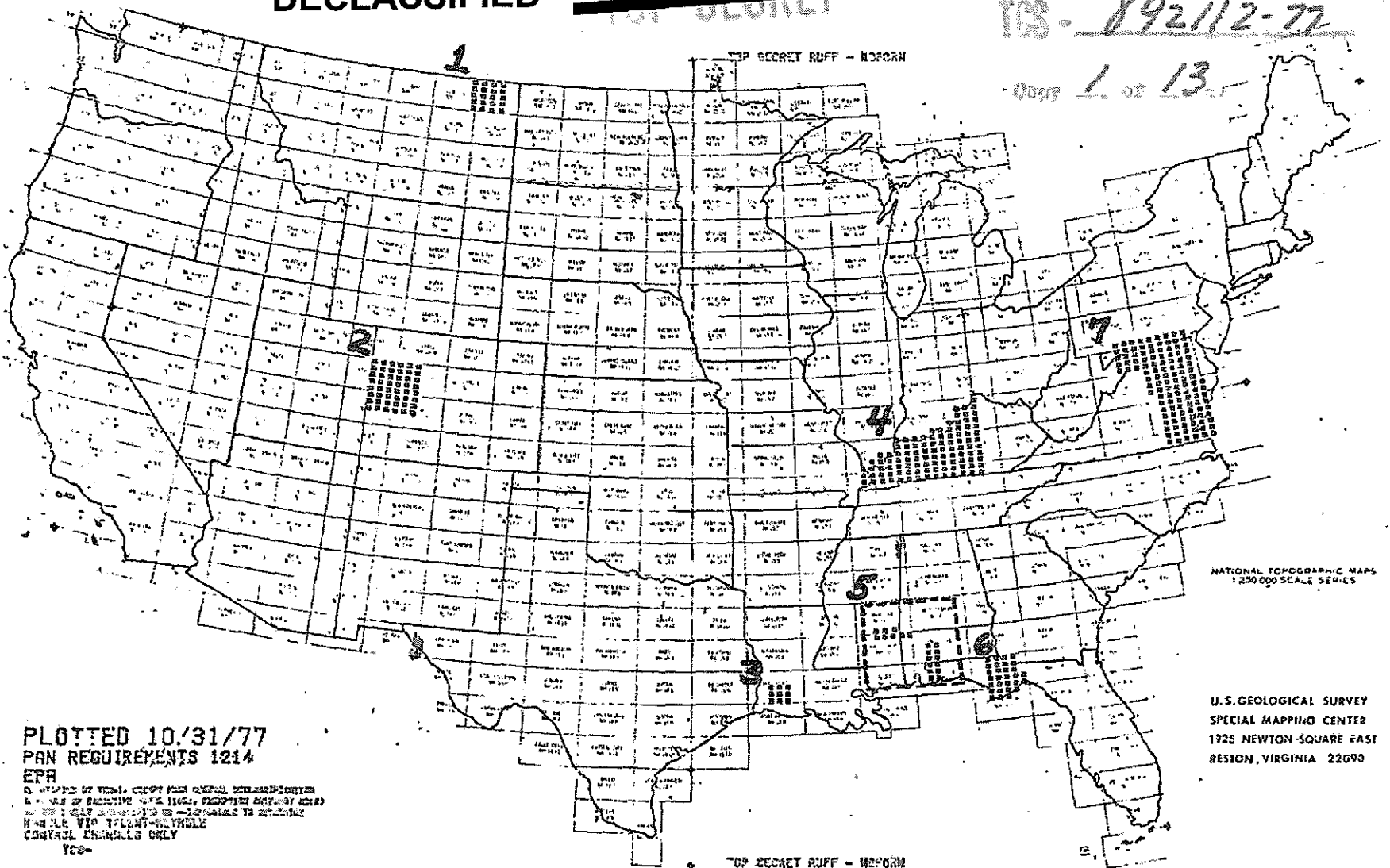
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| 1-3 | To develop base-line data from which to measure the impact of land-use on the local ecology. |
| 4 | To support the strip mine inventory program already underway in the Kentucky region. |
| 5 | To support oil field analysis and management. |
| 6 | To support an on-going study of the impact of land-use on water quality. |
| 7 | To support a study of the Chesapeake Drainage Basin for use in designing a program for monitoring pollution sources. |

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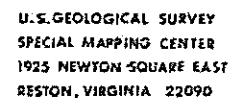
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| 1 | To support effort to develop methods to inventory and assess harvestability of standing dead timber. |
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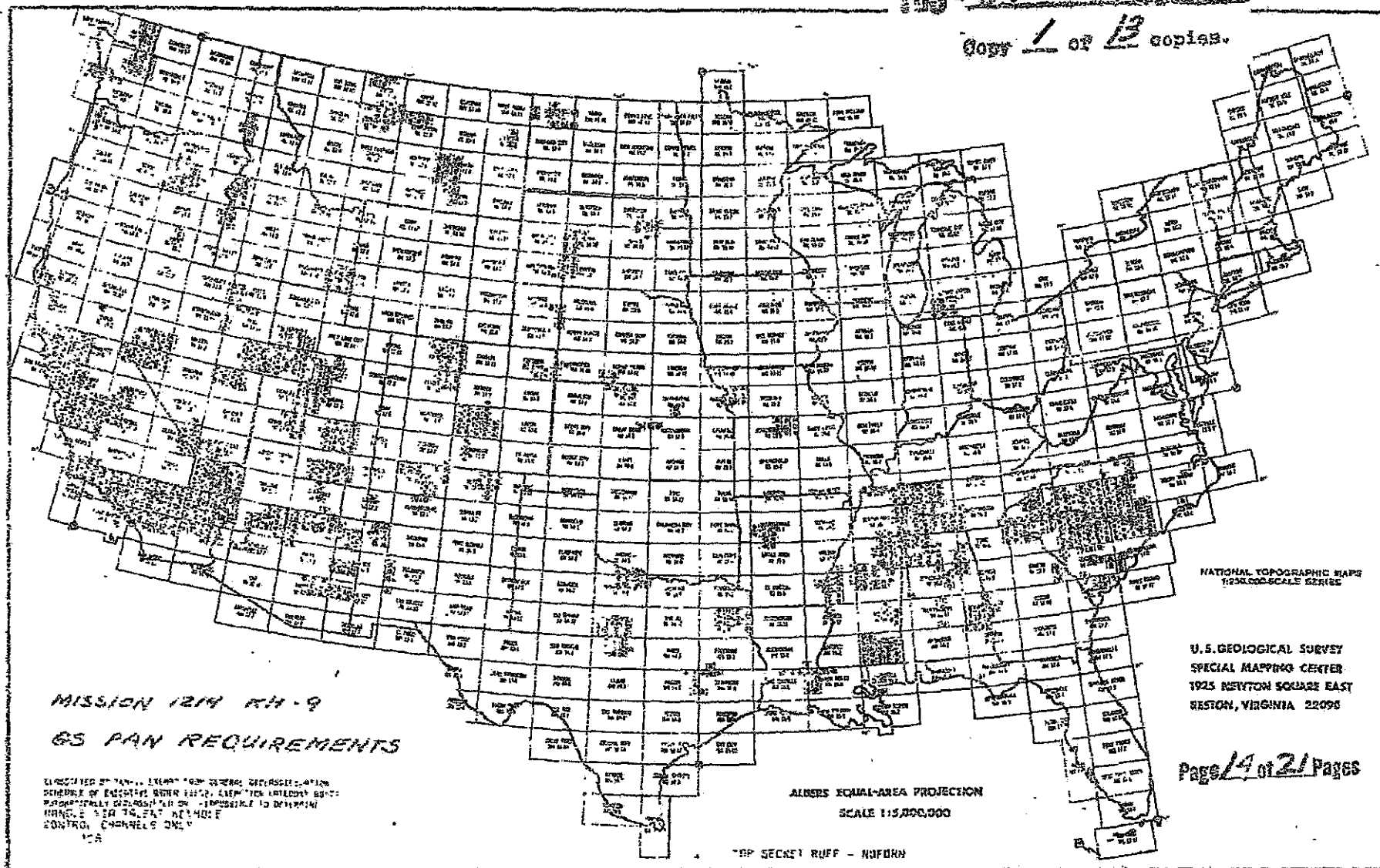
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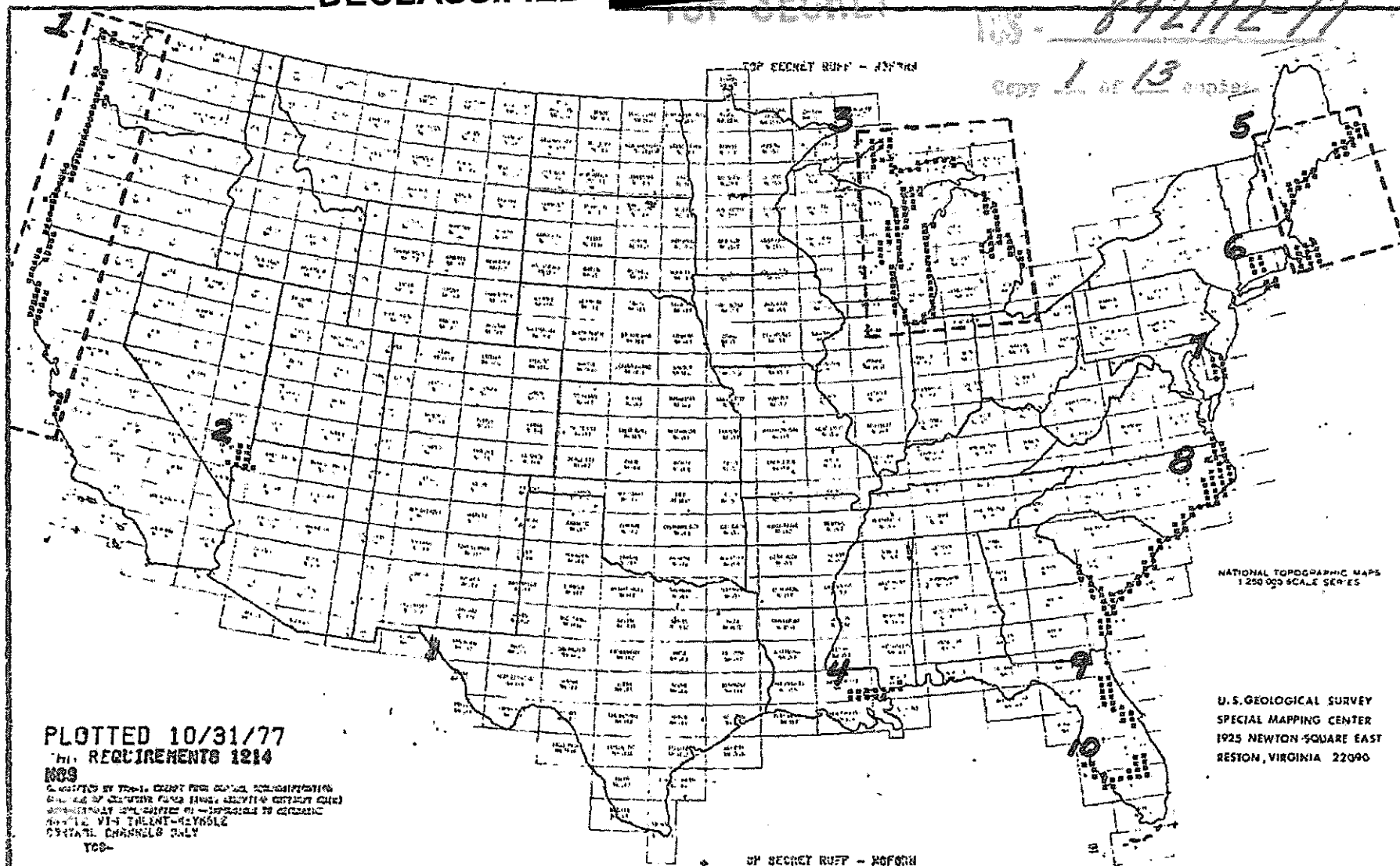
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The coverage requested by NOS will be utilized in the revision of aeronautical and nautical charts. Revisions on aeronautical charts are limited to changes on the planimetric base. Revisions on nautical charts include piers, marinas, roads, landmark features and selected nautical aids.

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Soil Conservation Service (SCS)

The SCS will utilize the panoramic imagery in these areas to determine changes occurring in the distribution and extent of tree stands making up the "Windbreak and Shelter Belt" of the midwest and plains States. Information on the pattern of tree stand removal, quantity of trees removed, reasons for removal, and whether or not the stands are being replanted is required for this study.

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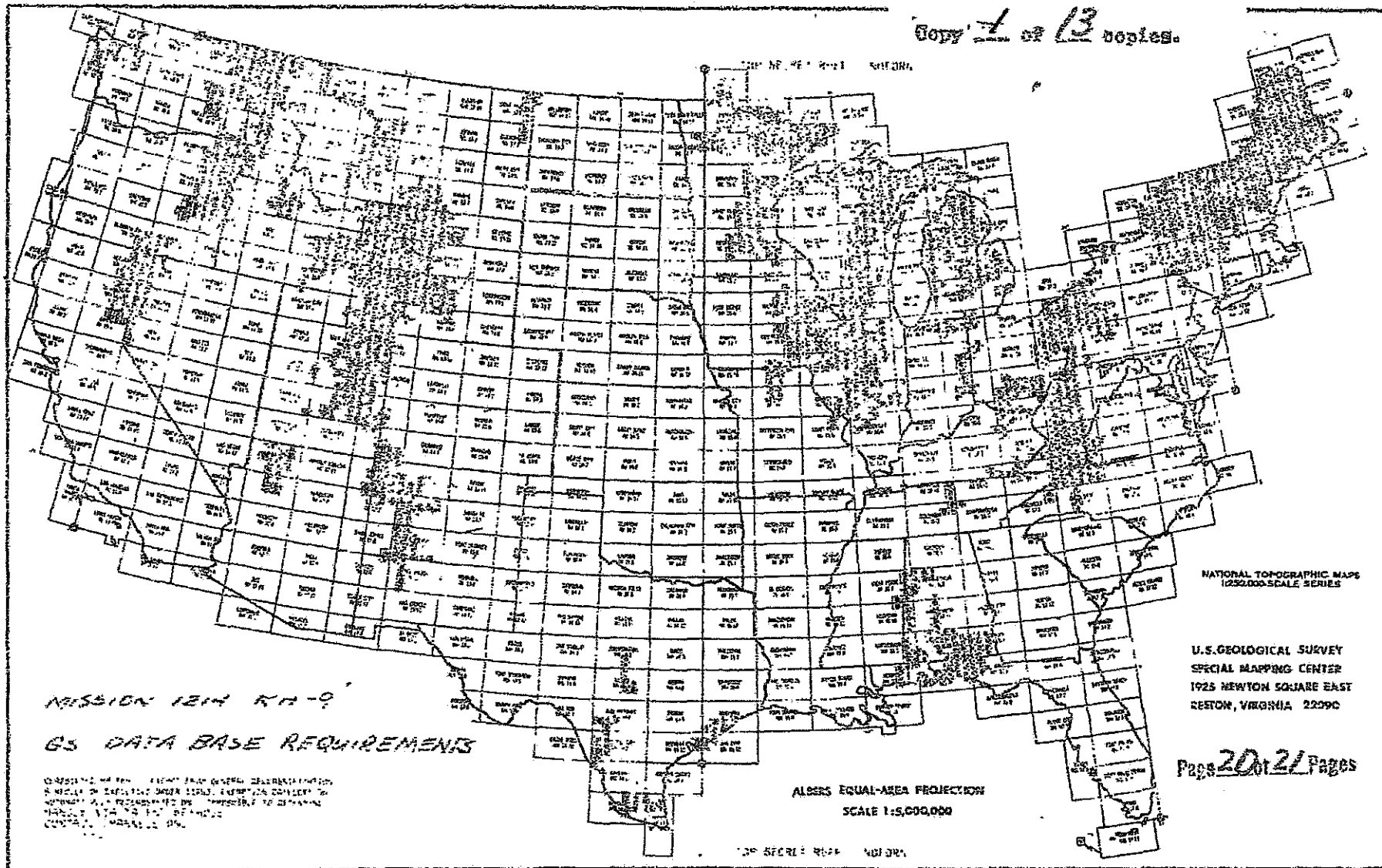
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The FMTF recommendation that there be a complete panoramic image data base for the conterminous United States requires acquisition of an additional 384,000 square nautical miles of "unique" coverage.

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Report of Meeting

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Civil Applications Committee

Held at the Special Mapping Center, USGS-Reston, Virginia
1330-1440 Hours, June 20, 1978

ATTENDANCE

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Members, Alternates and Observers

William A. Radlinski, Chairman
Roy E. Fordham, Executive Secretary
Harold L. Strickland, Agriculture
John W. Jarman, Army-CE
Wilbur H. Eskite, Commerce
Theodore M. Albert, Energy
H. Matthew Bills, EPA
Myron W. Krueger, NASA
Joseph A. Baclawski, COMIREX
Mark Macomber, DMA
Charles Murphy, NRO

Others

Walt Boge, Army/ETL
Robert Holmes, EPA
Clifton E. James, EPA
Frederick J. Doyle, GS
Malcolm J. Stephens, GS
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1. Approval of Agenda

The agenda was approved with the addition of the following item that was added by Agriculture.

- o Requirements vs. Coverage - a Program Problem

2. Approval of Report of Meeting of April 13, 1978

The report of the meeting on April 13 was approved as written.

3. Presidential Directive/NSC-37

The directive on National Space Policy was signed by the President on May 11, 1978. It establishes national policies which will guide the conduct of United States activities in and related to the space programs and activities of the intelligence, military and civil agencies. The Committee reviewed the sections of the directive that presented the basic principles, security policies, civil programs and mechanisms for coordinating space policy (see enclosures).

4. Unfinished Business

The following is a summary of the action items from the meeting on April 13.

- Letter to Frank Press reference future CAC role. A letter was delivered to Frank Press on June 19 from the Chairman. It recommended that there is a continuing need for a CAC and that it be reestablished as a subcommittee of the Space Policy Committee. No reply has been received as of July 18.

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- Determine if CAC comments should be prepared on the HERM Study. The Chairman contacted Frank Press' office in connection with this action and was told that no comments were required at this time.
- Letter to COMIREX - Request for panoramic photography in Antarctica. A letter was transmitted to COMIREX on May 10 to request approval for the collection of panoramic imagery from the KH-9 camera systems in Antarctica. With the reduction of KH-9 missions to one per year, there is very little hope of acquiring adequate coverage of Antarctica with only the Mapping Camera System. (Note: This request was approved by COMIREX.)
- Update requirements for High-Altitude Photography.
In coordinating these requirements with DMA and USAF, it was determined that the USAF would acquire high-altitude photography on a reimbursable basis.
Mr. Fordham will relate this information to the CAC Working Group members and coordinate any actions to establish a reimbursable program between the individual civil agency and USAF.

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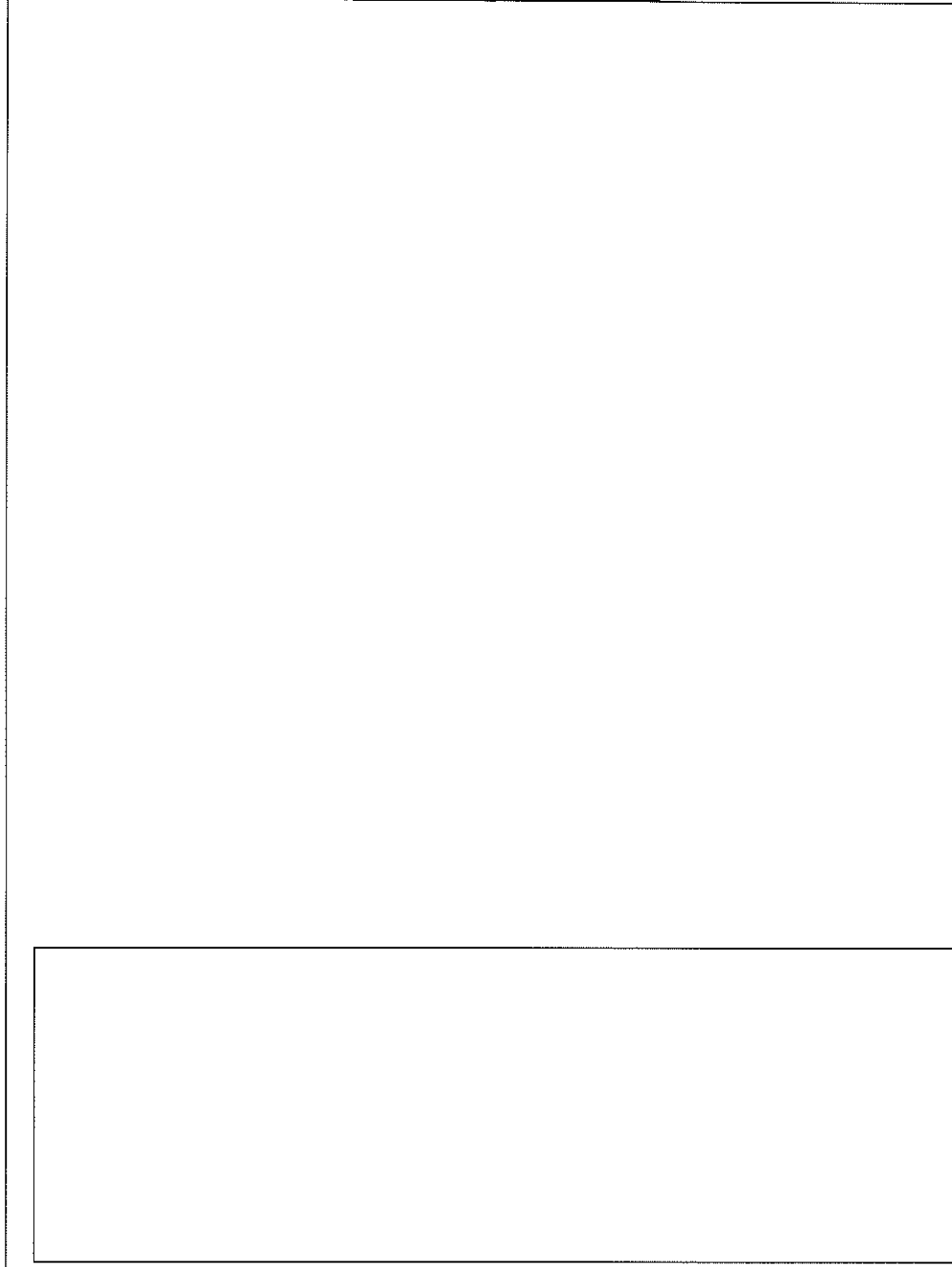
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through the Chairman (or Executive Secretary) of
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- Declassification decisions from COMIREX.



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5. Other Items

Mr. Strickland reviewed the status of the SCS - Windbreaks Project in the Great Plains area. He noted that complete coverage of the area with panoramic photography had not been accomplished even though the requirement area had been submitted a year ago (in time for two KH-9 missions). For planning and management purposes, Agriculture would like to receive an assessment of the chance to acquire coverage in an area at the time the requirement is submitted. An adverse assessment would then allow them to consider other acquisition systems. Mr. Fordham presented a general explanation on mission simulations, priorities, weighting of requirement areas, weather, film allocation, etc., that determine the amount and distribution of coverage that is collected on each mission. The CAC Working Group will discuss this in more detail at their next meeting.

6. Next Meeting

The next CAC meeting is scheduled for September 26, 1978, at 0930 hours, Special Mapping Center.

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National Space Policy

- Exploration and use of outer space for peaceful purposes by all nations. (C)
- Exploration and use of outer space for national well-being. (U)
- Rejection of any claims to sovereignty over outer space and no limitation on right to acquire data from space. (U)
- No limitation on operation of space systems in space. (U)
- U.S. will use space activities in support self-defense. (U)
- U.S. will maintain a national intelligence space program. (C)
- U.S. will pursue space activities to increase scientific knowledge, develop civil applications, and maintain leadership in space. (U)
- U.S. will conduct international cooperative space activities. (U)
- U.S. will develop and operate global active and passive remote sensing operations. (C)
- U.S. will maintain current responsibility and management relationships among sectors focused on civil, defense, and national intelligence objectives. (C)
- Close coordination, cooperation and information exchange will be maintained among sectors to avoid duplication and allow maximum cross-utilization. (U)

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National Space Policy

SECURITY

- The Fact of Satellite Reconnaissance is CONFIDENTIAL. (C)
- Special product controls will be used sparingly. (S)
- Strict control over public statements and background concerning space reconnaissance. (C)
- Changes to space intelligence security policy only by President. (C)

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National Space Policy

CIVIL EXPLOITATION

Space products and technology shall be made available to civil agencies within appropriate security constraints. The Intelligence Community may provide radio frequency mapping and surveys for the civil community under appropriate security controls.

U.S. shall conduct civil space programs

- U.S. shall encourage domestic commercial exploitation of space capabilities and systems. (U)
- Civil systems at or better than 10 meters resolution will be permitted under controls when justified. (C)
- Expanded civil use of intelligence space data and technology within appropriate security constraints is encouraged. (C)
- Data and results from civil programs will be provided the widest practical dissemination except for specific exceptions (Legislative, E.O. or directive). (U)
- Civil systems may be equipped by DOD for use in national emergencies. (C)
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- U.S. will develop, manage and operate the Shuttle-based Space Transportation System through NASA in cooperation with DOD to service all authorized space users - domestic and foreign, commercial and governmental. (C)

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National Space Policy

Space Policy Coordination

- The NSC Policy Review Committee shall meet when appropriate to provide a forum to all federal agencies for their policy views; to review and advise on proposed changes to national space policy; to resolve issues referred to the Committee; and to provide for orderly and rapid referral of open issues to the President for decision as necessary. The PRC will meet at the call of the Chairman for these purposes, and when so convened, will be chaired by the Director, Office of Science and Technology Policy. (U)
- Interagency coordinating mechanisms will be employed to review and coordinate pertinent issues and projects, make evaluations, and implement policy decisions where appropriate. Special areas of interest include security and political risks involved with technology transfer and federal and private space operations involving remote sensing and communication. Unresolved policy issues will be forwarded to the PRC for review and resolution. (C)

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1. Approval of Agenda

The proposed agenda was approved with the addition of the following item.

- o Civil Space Policy

2. Approval of Report of Meeting of June 20, 1978

The report of the meeting on June 20 was approved as written.

3. General

The Chairman announced the designation of Dr. Robert A. Summers as the new DOE member of the Civil Applications Committee.

Dr. Summers succeeds Mr. Ted Albert who has accepted a position with the Geological Survey.

Charles Murphy announced that he will retire from Federal Government service, and introduced his replacement,

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The Chairman invited the members of the CAC to participate in a briefing for Senator Adlai Stevenson, III on the classified activities being conducted in the E-1 facility. The briefing is scheduled for December 7, 1978, and is a follow-on to an earlier briefing presented by Mr. Fordham and Mr. Robinove (GS-EROS) for the Senator's Staff on the relationship between the Landsat program and the classified satellite program. Agencies that wish to participate should contact Mr. Fordham by November 24.

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4. Release of Image Products

The Chairman announced that on August 25, the DCI had conveyed formal authorization for the Geological Survey to use TALENT-KEYHOLE imagery of U.S. areas to produce unclassified photomaps. Along with the authorization, the Chairman, COMIREX forwarded specific guidelines to the Geological Survey to be used for these applications. A summary of these guidelines is provided as enclosures 1 and 2.

Mr. Fordham presented a briefing on the role of image products (orthophotoquads) in the National Mapping Program. The USGS has produced approximately 22,000 orthophotoquads from unclassified photography, and has a program objective to produce 4,000 quads per year. The DCI's authorization will allow the GS to augment the unclassified program with products that are produced from the KH-9 imagery.

Dr. Baclawski indicated that a similar authorization was being prepared for the Department of Commerce to permit the use of classified satellite photography in the revision of their image products (harbor charts).

5. Use of Decompartmented Photography

The Chairman announced that the GS proposal to establish a secure facility in the Mid-Continent Mapping Center in Rolla, Missouri,

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has been approved by the DCI, and the guidelines for the implementation and operation of the facility have been received. Mr. Fordham briefed the committee members on the guidelines (see enclosure 3) and explained the operational parameters within which the classified source materials could be used in the GS facility at Rolla. A copy of the subject guidelines, "Use of Decompartmented KH-9 Photography for Map Production Purposes" (TCS 5248-78) is available for review in the E-1 building at Reston, Virginia.

6. Civil Space Policy

There was a general discussion about a draft memorandum for the President from the Chairman, Policy Review Committee (PRC) (Dr. Frank Press), subject: Civil Space Policy. The members of the CAC agreed that it would be inappropriate for the Committee to provide comments to the PRC in connection with this document.

7. Next Meeting

The next CAC meeting is scheduled for November 28, 1978, at 0930 hours, Special Mapping Center.

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Product: Orthophotomaps of U.S. areas produced from
Panoramic or Strip photography

Classification: Unclassified

Source: Imagery from KH-4, KH-5, KH-7, KH-8, and KH-9
camera systems

Provided:

- Third generation or subsequent imagery with NIIRS 1-5 to be used as input.
- Published product must not exceed NIIRS-3
- Input imagery must be rectified to eliminate characteristics that would attribute satellite source better than 5 feet in ground resolution.
- Reproduction format will conform to standard products. Scale of published product will not exceed 1:10,000
- Decompartmentation will be accomplished in a TK secure area.

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UNCLASSIFIED PHOTOMAPS OF ALASKA

Product: Image Map of Alaska produced from KH-9
Mapping Camera Subsystem

Classification: Unclassified

Source: Photography from KH-9 Mapping Camera Subsystem

Provided:

- Reseau markings must be eliminated
- Reproduction format will conform to standard product
- Decompartmentation will be accomplished in a TK secure area.

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ROLLA USE OF DECOMPARTMENTED PHOTOGRAPHY

Subject: Use of Decompartmented KH-9 Photography for
Map Production Purposes

Where: Mid-Continent Mapping Center, USGS, Rolla, MO

Level of Security: SECRET - NO FOREIGN

Guidelines:

- Individuals who will work with SECRET-level materials must have had a full field investigation within past five years.
- Decompartmented materials will
 - be minimum third generation contact or rectified continuous tone imagery with NIIRS 1-5.
 - cover only areas specifically needed for mapping projects.
 - not include any system markings.
 - not be reproduced.
 - be transmitted to Rolla via ARFCOS or other secure courier.
- Access will be restricted to U.S. Government individuals.
- Security of materials will be protected by a
 - Personnel circulation control system (guard, cypher lock, etc.)
 - Proper storage facilities under continuous Federal surveillance on a 24-hour basis or be appropriately alarmed with a quick response capability.

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Report of Meeting

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Civil Applications Committee

Held at the Special Mapping Center, USGS-Reston, Virginia
0930-1215 Hours, October 25, 1979

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ATTENDANCE

Members, Alternates and Observers

Roy E. Fordham, Chairman

Harold L. Strickland, Agriculture

John W. Jarman, Army-CE

Wilbur H. Eskite, Commerce

Robert F. Holmes, EPA

William P. Raney, NASA

Joseph A. Baclawski, COMIREX

Gerald Gibson, DOE

Shirley A. Sostman, DMA

Others

Robert E. Rosenthal, DOE

Larry W. Fritz, NOS

Frederick J. Doyle, GS

Ray P. Allison, FS

Donald D. Loff, FS

Richard H. Gilbert, SCS

Malcolm J. Stephens, GS

John A. Nordberg, GS

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1. Approval of Agenda

The proposed agenda was approved as presented.

2. Approval of Report of Meeting of September 26, 1978

The report of the meeting on September 26 was approved as written.

3. Approval of Requirements

The requirement package for Mission 1216 was approved as briefed.

4. Review of Accomplishments

Accomplishments of Mission 1215 were presented. The group commented on the apparent low accomplishment of the pan system--138,000 SNM for expenditure of 6,000 feet of film. However, these figures may change as not all of the imagery from Mission 1215 has been received and analyzed. The return for the frame camera was excellent--598,000 SNM for 170 frames.

5. Review of Policy Issues

Dr. Baclawski reviewed the findings of the Policy Review Committee and Presidential Directives 37 and 42 concerning National Space Policy. The findings of the Task Force for Declassification were also discussed. Four volumes of studies have been released covering declassification, SALT monitoring, and release of information to the public in support of verification of compliance with SALT. With respect to the continuation of our allocation of film resource in

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the current system, [] stated that we could expect
the current level for the next few years.

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6. The Use of Decompartmented Photography

Mr. Roy Fordham reported on the use of decompartmented material
in the Rolla, Missouri facility. [] stated that
provisions for use of decompartmented imagery have been solidly
established and this type of use is to be encouraged in lieu of
declassification.

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7. Utilization of Large Format Camera

Mr. Fred Doyle provided a briefing on the Large Format Camera.
The first camera is scheduled to be flown on Space Shuttle (STS)
Mission 9 in 1981, or on Mission 23 in 1983. Because of Space
Shuttle delays it has been suggested that the camera be used
initially in conventional aircraft. However, this would require
additional funding for modifying the aircraft and also for re-
qualifying the camera for space. A discussion followed concerning
the pros, cons, and relative costs of space versus conventional
photography.

8. The next meeting will be scheduled for the Spring of 1980.

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