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National Security Agency, Fort George G. Meade, Maryland

TO: Assistant Chief of Staff, Intelligence, United States Air Force, The Pentagon, Washington 25, D. C., ATTN: AFCIN

The office of Security Services, this Agency, will continue to administer control of Projects 4661 and AN/GIR-4 areas until completion of your manning actions.

> L. H. FROST Vice Admiral, USN Director

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M/R: On 6 Jan 61, a conference was held with representatives of the Air Force and they were verbally advised that SEC would be turning over security responsibility for Project 466L and its sub-projects to the Air Force. During this conference, it was agreed that SEC would provide the Air Force with written confirmation of this fact. Said confirmation was provided by NSA ltr Serial No. 0296, dtd 17 Jan 61. On 24 Jan 61, SEC transferred to Maj James Johnson, AFCIN-1C, the security clearance forms for all pending Air Force contractor clearances relating to Project 466L and its sub-projects. On 21 Feb 61, SEC turned over to Maj Johnson the Standard Practice Procedures for the IBM facility, Bethesda, Md and for Project AN/GLR-1, Stromberg-Carlson Co, Rochester, N. Y. Representatives of SEC have been in frequent contact with AFCIN and SPO representatives in an effort to effect an efficient, orderly and rapid security transition of these projects. The Air Force presently estimates that SSO's (one for Washington, D. C. and one for Calif.) can be made available on/about 15 Jun 61. SEC will take action before that date to debrief those contractor personnel who are presently indoctrinated. The Air Force will re-indoctrinate these people immediately following the SEC debriefing. As soon as the SSO's are made available, the required document transfer will be accomplished. SEC will attempt to effect the document transfer as soon as possible. Close liaison will be maintained with the Air Force in an effort to complete the transfer/adtion as rapidly and efficiently as possible. HANDLE VIA COMINI CHIMANLES CALY Monald J. Cook, STC-1, 3037, 2MAR61, jch