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DD/P PROJECT APPROVAL SHEET

Project Cryptonym: AEVIRGIL Amendment No. 4

Originating Division: SR/3

~~Approved-Disapproved~~

[Signature]
Deputy Director (Plans) 5 Aug '55
Date

COMMENTS: *Approval of Amendment No. 4, authorizing additional vehicles does not affect the project's FY 1956 authorization of [redacted]

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SENIOR STAFF PROJECT CLEARANCE SHEET

1. Identifications:

a. Project Cryptonym: **AEVIRGIL**

d. Division: **SR**

b. Sub-Project Cryptonym:

e. Branch: **3**

c. Amendment No. **4**

f. Desk:

2. STAFF COORDINATION

Element	Signature	Copy#	Date	Memo	NO Memo	Date of Memorandum
a. Budget Div.	[Signature]	2	1 Aug 55			
b. SSA-DD/S	[Signature]	2	4 Aug 55			
c. PP/OPS/PR	[Signature]	3	aug 3-55			
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e. C-PP/OPS	[Signature]	1	5 Aug 55			
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3. Concurred in and forwarded to DD/P by:

[Signature] 5 Aug 55
Date

Conditions: (This space reserved for _____ and SSA-DD/S)

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7 July 1955

MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director, Plans

VIA: C/PP

SUBJECT: Increase of Project AEVIRGIL Table of Vehicular Allowance (TVA) *Amendment #1*

1. It is requested that Project AEVIRGIL TVA be increased from the present allowance of one passenger sedan and two trucks to two passenger sedans and three trucks. Justification for the two additional vehicles is prepared and submitted in compliance with paragraphs 6 a, b and c of R 45-1565.

2. Justification for Additional Truck

a. Project is AEVIRGIL and station furnishing administrative support is Berlin, in EE Division area.

b. General Justification

(1) Project AEVIRGIL, a PP subsidy project approved on 30 December 1954, is concerned chiefly with the production and distribution of anti-Soviet literature in the form of leaflets, brochures and journals, all designed to increase disaffection and induce defection of Soviet personnel. One of the vital distribution assets of AEVIRGIL is AECACATOL, a Berlin-based net engaged in leaflet distribution by rocket and by hand in the East Zone of Germany. To increase the effectiveness and the coverage capabilities of this asset, a balloon team has been organized with the AECACATOL complex. In order to engage in such operations, a truck to carry hydrogen cylinders and other associated balloon equipment must be made available to the AECACATOL team. The two trucks presently allotted in the project TVA are being utilized by the AEVIRGIL balloon team in Bavaria.

(2) The vehicle will be registered in the name of AEVIRGIL and the appropriate deed of trust will be executed. Frankfurt supply has informed Headquarters of the availability

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of a near new vehicle of the type required which can be shipped to Berlin for transfer to AECACATOL through (U. S.) Property Disposal Service. The transfer technique can be worked out to cover U. S. interest in AEVIRGIL. Control over the vehicle will be effected through the principal agent.

(3) The transportation needs of AECACATOL cannot be met through the use of rented commercial facilities because of cost and security factors. Other government vehicles, including those assigned to the station, cannot be utilized because of operational security factors.

3. Justification for Additional Passenger Sedan

a. Project is AEVIRGIL and station furnishing administrative support is Munich, in EE Division area.

b. General Justification

(1) The passenger sedan slot in the present project TVA is occupied by a sedan used by an AEVIRGIL contract agent. This vehicle, previously held in accountability to MOB, has been transferred to SR Division Headquarters' accountability under Project AEVIRGIL. The scope of the project's activity has increased to the point where original vehicle requirements authorized do not satisfy the present needs for transportation. A fourth vehicle, a used Mercedes sedan, is on loan to the project from MOB. This sedan is used by AEVIRGILS 6 and 8, the editor-in-chief and administrative officer of the AEVIRGIL staff respectively. This vehicle is used daily for operational purposes in connection with the publishing and printing activity of AEVIRGIL.

(2) This sedan is primarily used in the Munich area. It is also utilized in connection with the periodic AEVIRGIL organizational tours throughout West Germany. Information pertaining to the average monthly mileage is not available to Headquarters.

(3) The vehicle will be registered in the name of AEVIRGIL and a deed of trust will be executed if this has not already been done during the loan period. The vehicle is on hand and is being used on a loan basis. The nature of the AEVIRGIL cover precludes the use of official government vehicles, including those assigned to the station.

4. The approval to the request to include an additional truck and sedan on the AEVIRGIL TVA will not require additional funds. It is recommended that Project AEVIRGIL TVA be amended to permit the addition of the requested vehicles.

for  Chief, SR Division

Distribution:

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SECURITY INFORMATION

PROJECT FINANCIAL DATA	PROJECT CRYPTONYM KEVIRGIL
	FISCAL PERIOD COVERED 1 July 195⁵ THRU 30 JUNE 195⁶

RESPONSIBLE STAFF OR DIVISION SR Division	CASE OFFICER <div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 100px; height: 20px; margin: 0 auto;"></div>
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A. PERSONNEL REQUIREMENTS

Indicate number and type of personnel required and estimated total compensation for salary, allowances, travel and related employee benefits. Include everyone paid from project.

TYPE	NUMBER		ESTIMATED COMPENSATION		
	U. S. PERSONNEL	FOREIGN NATIONAL	BASE SALARY	ALL OTHER	TOTAL
STAFF EMPLOYEES				TRAVEL	
STAFF AGENTS					
CAREER AGENTS			[]	[]	[]
CONTRACT AGENTS	3		[]	[]	[]
CONTRACT CONSULTANTS					
DETAILED PERSONNEL					
FIELD AGENTS					
MILITARY					
ALL OTHER					
TOTAL A.					[]

B. SUPPLIES, MATERIEL AND EQUIPMENT

Indicate amount required in applicable spaces. Attach complete supporting list for each.

COMMO	CHEMICAL	QUARTERMASTER SUPPLIES	OTHER SUPPLIES
\$	\$	\$	\$
ADJUTANT GENERAL	ORDNANCE	SPECIAL DEVICES	OTHER EQUIPMENT
\$	\$	\$ 62,160	\$
TOTAL B.			62,160

C. OTHER OPERATIONAL EXPENSES

Indicate volume and nature of expenses such as (1) maintenance of two operational houses abroad (2) spot purchase of information, etc.

Operational entertainment

TOTAL C. **300**

D. SUBSIDY OR PROPRIETARY PAYMENTS

If funds are to be turned over to individuals or groups in large lump sums to be expended by the individuals or groups at their discretion to accomplish an agreed-upon objective, explain the type of financial accounts, factual verification or statements, if any, other than a receipt for the lump sum, which will be obtained.

Accountings are made in accordance with Administrative Plan approved 30 Nov. 1954, and the amendment approved 10 May 1955.

Provision for additional vehicles will be made from subsidy funds amounting to \$174,700.

TOTAL D. **174,700**

TOTAL FUND REQUIREMENTS (A + B + C + D) \$ []

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E. FUNDING REQUIREMENTS

APPROXIMATE DATES AND AMOUNTS OF MONEY REQUIRED

FORM REQUIRED

U. S. DOLLARS.

FOREIGN (SPECIFY)

NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS (SPECIFY)

SPECIAL SECURITY REQUIREMENTS OR METHODS OF TRANSMISSION

F. SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

(Within security limitations, list any other facts or circumstances which will enable Special Support Staff to lend adequate logistical support to this project. Indicate specifically the "RUSH" or "TIME" factors involved.)

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