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4 February 1966

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: CHIGOE

1. [redacted] secretary called to advise that [redacted] had met with Dr. Wheelon today and that the CHIGOE contract will be awarded to LTV. Also the Navy will be included in the support operations for the CHIGOE development.

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2. A position paper from OSA will be required regarding the first P2V system and another position paper will be required with plans for OSA follow-on aircraft. What this apparently means is that we will be required to come up with a plan to provide support for the first P2V aircraft. Sometime before the development of the first system is completed, we will need a plan for full OSA utilization of this capability in an appropriate aircraft. As part of this plan, OSA should decide what kind of aircraft will be the most efficient for our use.

3. I was also requested to contact Commander Richard Warren and advise him of the following facts:

a. We will use JCS/US Navy channels for support of CHIGOE.

b. [redacted] will call Cmdr. Warren on Monday and advise him of the details of the proposed Navy agreement procedure.

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c. Cmdr. Warren should prepare to get involved in the CHIGOE program.

d. Cmdr. Warren should immediately identify key US Navy people whom we can contact to arrange support.

e. [redacted] would like to meet with the Navy during the week 14-18 February if possible.

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f. Cmdr. Warren should check with [redacted] if he has any doubts about procedures. This apparently refers to the necessary clearance procedures before we proceed with CHIGOE.

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4. I contacted Cmdr. Warren and relayed this data on Friday, 4 February 1966.

Dr. Brewer's secretary called to advise that Mr. Brewer had met with Mr. Whelan today and that the CHIGOE contract will be awarded to USN. Also the Navy will be included in the support operations for the CHIGOE development.

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A position paper from the Programs Staff regarding the first CHIGOE system and a plan will be required with plans for the development of the system.

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Distribution: Aircraft. Sometime before the development of the system is completed, we will need a plan for calibration of this capability in an approach. As part of this plan, OSA should decide aircraft will be the most efficient for our use.
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1 - CD/OSA
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3. I was also requested to contact Commander Richard Warren and advise him of the following factors:

a. We will use COMUS Navy channels for support of CHIGOE.

b. Mr. Brewer will send Cmdr. Warren a memo and advise him of the details of the proposed test execution procedure.

c. Cmdr. Warren should prepare to get involved in the CHIGOE program.

d. Cmdr. Warren should immediately identify key US Navy people whom we can contact to arrange support.

e. Mr. Brewer would like to meet with the Navy staff on week 14-16 February if possible.

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