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24 July 1959

MEMORANDUM FOR : Deputy Director, Plans

SUBJECT : Program Approvals

REFERENCE : DD/P 4-7864 dtd 20 July 1959, Subject:  
"Program Approvals"

1. Pursuant to the referenced memorandum and discussions at the Staff Meeting on 21 July, the following action has been taken:

a. Attachment "A" lists the "meaningful" sections requested which, when taken together, constitute the entire DPD budget. Within some projects (i.e., GUSTO) several branches will make contributions: Development, under Section 3, and Materiel, under Section 10 (Attachment "A"). Accordingly, a summary sheet to indicate totals for programs or projects would also be helpful and is being prepared.

b. The budget support for the sections mentioned in Attachment "A" is being assembled.

2. When the budget has been approved action will be taken within the approved funding without further reference to you. Program Approvals will be submitted for increases in excess of the amounts approved, major changes within approved funding, or new projects or programs.

3. Brief explanations in support of the budget will be furnished as soon as possible. In the interim, however, there are several items which are included in the budget and on which urgent action is needed to meet operational requirements. The following falls into this category:

a. NEW FLOATS - The Helio Courier Aircraft requires new floats to meet requirements for the September [redacted] Operation. The present 2840 float does not give sufficient margin to ensure the operation in case of adverse winds during landing and take-off phases - [redacted]

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b. N-1 COMPASS SYSTEM FOR C-118 AIRCRAFT - The DDCI directed [REDACTED] to investigate the possibility of improving navigating equipment aboard the C-118's - [REDACTED] This, you will remember, was the item you requested be returned for your approval. 25X1A1a

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[REDACTED]  
Acting Chief, DPD-DD/P

**ATTACHMENT**


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**Distribution:**

- 1 - DD/P
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- 1 - Ch/OPS/DPD
- 1 - Ch/Mat/DPD
- 1 - Ch/Contracts/DPD
- 1 - Ch/R&D/DPD
- 1 - Ch/Admin/DPD
- 1 - Comptroller,DPD
- 1 - Chrono/DPD

ATTACHMENT "A"

<u>Meaningful Section No.</u>	<u>Program or Project</u>
1	CHALICE DEVELOPMENT
2	AIR OPERATIONS DEVELOPMENT
3	GUSTO
4	 25X1A2d1
5	CORONA
6	ARGON
7	REQUIREMENTS AND SPECIAL RESEARCH
8	CHALICE OPERATIONS
9	AIR OPERATIONS
10	MATERIAL
11	ADMINISTRATION