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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Concurrence in Task Order No. 5 to Contract No. BB-425 with IPEK Corporation, Project CORONA

1. This memorandum contains a recommendation submitted for concurrence of the undersigned. Such recommendation is contained in Paragraph 6.

2. Task Order No. 5 covers a design study and the furnishing of a report and a design plan for a Transforming Printer for Photographic Exploitation. This design study is to last six (6) weeks, after which time the Contractor is to recommend a firm design plan for the manufacture of either the GAMMA I or GAMMA II Printers as defined in Contractor's Proposal SHC62-3014-150 dated 18 May. The total estimated cost and fixed fee for this effort is [] and [] respectively.

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3. Task Order No. 5 obligates a sum of [] chargeable in Fiscal Year 1962 to NPIC funds, Account No. 2155-1010-7000-730, Obligation Reference No. 13. By concurrence to this memorandum the Comptroller signifies that sufficient funds are available for this obligation.

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4. The services and equipment being procured by this Task Order No. 5 are in furtherance of the CORONA Program, the nature of which cannot be publicly disclosed for security reasons. The undersigned Contracting Officer therefore determines that this procurement must be accomplished by negotiations pursuant to the authority of Section 3(a) of PL 81-110 and Class Determination and Finding, OXC-2122, signed by the DDCI on 25 October 1961.

5. Certification of funds for this contract will be handled under the procedure approved by the Director of Central Intelligence on 15 December 1956 which, in effect, results in all covert expenses involving issuance of Treasury Checks being accumulated in a separate account within the Finance Division. The amounts in this account will be periodically scheduled for certification of the vouchers by the

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Director. This procedure eliminates the necessity for a separate certification of authority under Section 8(b) of Public Law 110, 81st Congress (formerly 10(b) - see 85-507 dated 7/7/58) for each contract.

6. Concurrence in Task Order No. 5 to Contract No. BB-425 is recommended.

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