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10 February 1970

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Trip Report [redacted]
3-6 February 1970 - IDEALIST

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1. Personnel involved:

[redacted]

Agency

[redacted]

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2. Business transacted:

Acceptance tests were conducted using the newly-packaged deployment kits in support of the U-2 flights.

3. Actions completed:

Three separate kits were tested during this period - [redacted] air-to-ground communications, and Staff Command communications. After an orientation and familiarization period, on-the-air tests were conducted. The Staff Command kit was employed to contact [redacted] and then radio teletype - all five-by-five. On Thursday, a U-2C fly-over was made [redacted] to test out [redacted] air-to-ground kits. Again the results were excellent.

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4. Actions outstanding:

a. The air-to-ground system was accepted with the following exceptions:

(1) The remote control unit is to have a muting relay added for both HF/UHF.

(2) A background noise is encountered through the RCU using the dynamic stand microphone. This will be fixed.

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b. In all systems, A/G and Staff Command, the control heads will be wired in to light the RF sensing light during tune-up. *OK Paul*

c. The Staff Command receiver/exciter unit, 671U-4A, temperature rises quite high. Some means of cooling will be devised. Otherwise, the Staff Command kit was accepted. *Paul*

d. All systems, including [redacted] and KW-7, will be shipped to [redacted] on 11 February 1970.

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