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OTHER POLICY QUESTIONS

1. If reconnaissance is to be permitted, should it be by AQUATONE or by SAC? Original justification for AQUATONE:

Civilian sponsorship which permits disclaimer by military establishment;

Tighter security and better cover; and,

Maintenance of aircraft and equipment by highly skilled civilian technicians.

AQUATONE has ample aircraft and trained pilots for anything short of continuing massive operations. AQUATONE has RAINBOW protection on two aircraft.

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