

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

EP 66-212  
DATE: 23 September 1966

TO : The Files: Contract No. 4165-14(3626)66P

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FROM : Mr. [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT: Inspection Report No. 1 - BC/B-24 [REDACTED]

1. Project Description:

The BC/B-24 is a battery charger which is designed to fully charge the Union Carbide Y5183 or equivalent Sonotone and Eveready 1.25 volt AA size nickel-cadmium batteries from a 90 to 240 V, 50/60 cycle source in 14 to 16 hours. The case is designed to be plugged directly into European or American style wall sockets through the use of reversible plug pins. The case measurements are 3.5 X 1.6 X .87 inches. The charger weighs approximately 3.5 ozs.

2. Contractual Information:

- a. Initial Cost: [REDACTED]
- b. Request for Procurement Action: 6 April 1966
- c. Initiation Date: 13 June 1966
- d. Completion Date: 30 September 1966
- e. Deliverable Items: 100 battery chargers

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3. Date of Meeting: 15 September 1966

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4. Place of Meeting: [REDACTED]

5. Persons Attending:

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Agency  
Mr. [REDACTED]

Non-Agency  
Mr. [REDACTED]

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6. Contractor's Performance:

- a. On schedule and expected to remain so: Yes
- b. Within obligated funds and expected to remain so: Yes
- c. Satisfactory technical progress: Yes

7. Project Status:

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7. Project Status:

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[REDACTED] has all parts available except a diode which is used in the charging circuit. Approximately twenty diodes were located at another [REDACTED] plant and are being sent in. The diode is unavailable from the usual distributors and efforts are being made to locate an additional eighty. The diode manufacturer is also out of stock but has a production run scheduled for the first part of October. All chargers are in subassembly form and can be completed within days after receipt of the diode.

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Distribution:

R&D Subject File  
OL/PD/PCB/CAS  
R&D Lab  
OC-OS  
ESB  
Monthly (3)  
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