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FOR DI, BRASS KNOB, DOCR, DM 4, DIM, SAC HOS, OMAHA. FROM NATIONAL PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION CENTER.

- CAMERA B 15 WAS USED IN MISSION 3673 FLOWN ON 24 JULY 1963; PROCESSING WAS ACCOMPLISHED BY BARKSDALE.
  - 2. ORIGINAL NEGATIVE:
    - A. THE EXPOSURE IS ADEQUATE AND THE RESOLUTION IS GOOD.
- B. 9R SIDE: FRAMES Ø969, Ø97Ø, 1285 THROUGH 13Ø9 AND 1393 CONTAINS INNUMERABLE PINHOLES. THERE ARE RECURRENT MINUS DENSITY SPOTS 1.6" APART AND Ø.4" FROM THE INBOAGD EDGE STARTING IN FRAME 1309 AND CONTINUING TO THE END OF THE MISSION. ANOTHER SERIES OF SPOTS WITH IDENTICAL SPACING AND 4.9" FROM THE INBOARD EDGE ARE LOCATED IN FRAMES 1527 THROUGH 1542. THERE IS

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A REPAIRED TEAR FROM FRAME 1601 TO 1609 AND A LONGITUDINAL CREASE FROM FRAME 2156 TO 2185. FOLLOWING MANUFACTURER'S SPLICE IN FRAME 2151 THERE IS A MINUS DENSITY STREAK 0.5" FROM THE INBOARD EDGE. THIS STREAK VARIES IN WIDTH AND DENSITY AND BREAKS UP INTO ELONGATED DIAGONAL DOTS IN FRAMES 2374 THROUGH 2378 AND BECOMES A SOLID LINE AGAIN TO FRAME 2469. THE STREAK APPEARS AGAIN IN FRAME 2491 AND CONTINUES TO THE END OF THE MISSION.

- C. 9L SIDE: THERE ARE SMALL CIRCULAR DROPLET TYPE STAINS IN FRAMES 0270 THROUGH 0305. A CREASE WAS NOTED IN FRAMES 1827-1830 WHERE A HEAT SPLICE HAS BEEN APPLIED. MINOR INBOARD EDGE CRIMPING WAS NOTED FROM FRAME 2159 THROUGH FRAME 2202.
- D. MAJOR CAMERA MALFUNCTIONS WERE NOTED ON THIS MISSION, HOWEVER THERE ARE MINOR PROCESSING STREAKS THROUGHOUT.
  - 3. POSITIVE:
- A. THE PI SUITABILITY IS GOOD ALTHOUGH THE TRANSPARENCIES ARE SLIGHTLY DENSE.
- B. CLOUDS COVER APPROXIMATELY 20-25 PERCENT OF THE MISSION.

END OF MESSAGE