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2 February 1965

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

THROUGH: Deputy Director of Central Intelligence

SUBJECT: CIA Reconnaissance Programs in FY66

1. The attached letter from McMillan defines the FY66 budget for the CIA portion of the National Reconnaissance Program. It indicates rather clearly that DOD sees CIA only in the U-2 and OXCART role. We presume this is the budget which McMillan proposes to describe to Congress through our cleared committees. In any case, it is now binding on DD/S&T. This letter gives us three alternatives:

- a. Accept CIA exclusion from the satellite portion of the NRP.
- b. Back McMillan down, which has proven difficult in the past.
- c. Scrap the NRO arrangement and either divide the present funds available or go to Congress for additional funds.
- 2. We are not urging any particular course of action at this time, but do call attention to the fact that the budget will be locked up in the next month in Congress and our opportunity to go directly to them effectively closed off.

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MEMORANDUM FOR COLONEL JACK LEDFORD, DIRECTOR, PROGRAM B

SUBJECT: F.Y. 1966 President's Budget

The F.Y. 1966 President's Budget for your directorate as approved by OSD and the Bureau of the Budget, and compared with your initial and revised submissions, is as follows:

Dir. B Included in Submission FY66 Budget Oxcart (Excluding Engine R&D) 50X1 Initial Revised Airframe Support Initial Revised Considerations and details were included in BYE 23685-64, dated 17 Dec 64. Engine Support 50X1 Initial Revised Considerations and details were included in BYE 23685-64, dated 17 Dec 64. Cameras 50X1 Initial Revised Radar Initial Revised Guidance Initial Revised Construction Initial Revised

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Dir. B Included in Submission FY66 Budget Operations and Maintenance 50X1 Initial Revised Airborne Electronic Equipment Initial Revised Other Initial Revised Idealist Initial (U-2L Basis) Initial (Convert SAC A/C Basis) The procurement of U-2L's was not approved for the FY1966 budget. Against the conversion basis, the primary reduction is for 8 Delta II cameras specifically 50X1 related in the submission to U-2L, which should not have been included. ST SPIN 50X1 Initial The ST SPIN requirement was not approved, on the basis that this would be a spare aircraft, and in consideration of the FY1965 availability of an additional P2V not anticipated at the time of estimate preparation. Airborne Collection/Countermeasures 50X1 Initial This is a general, rather than specific reduction at this time. Isinglass 50X1 Initial This item was not approved for the raison budget as such. Advanced aircraft study proposals will be considered under a succeeding Advanced Studies and Miscellaneous account. Fulcrum 50X1 Initial Note The over-all budget estimate includes 50X1 New General Search System, not specifically identified by type of system at this time.

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will be subject to rejustification or revision, review and approval in connection with the F.Y. 1966 funding program in the May-June 1965 time period. Accordingly, no contractual, procurement, or other government-committing actions can be taken against these budgeted programs and amounts.

BROCKWAY MCMILLAN

DIRECTOR

National Reconnaissance Office

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