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National Intelligence Council

MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director for Intelligence

FROM:

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Assistant NIO for Economics

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SUBJECT:

Release of Draft SOVA Paper on Impact of US Embargo on Siberian Pipeline to Department of State Policy Planning Staff for Background Use

1. On 20 January 1982, Lou Pugliaresi of State's Policy Planning Staff called A/NIO/Econ to request material on impact of US embargo on Siberian Pipeline and on price competitiveness of Siberian gas. Request was referred to SOVA, but to date, no material has been released to PPS as SOVA has been in process of preparing attached draft.

2. The attached draft, which was prepared for release today, must yet have additional material added in order to correspond to TOR issued for SIG meeting scheduled for Thursday, 5 February 1982.

3. In the interim, would it be possible to release this version to Pugliaresi today for his background? Pugliaresi understands this would be for his use only.

4. AD/SOVA, with your concurrence, does not believe release of draft to Pugliaresi would present a problem.

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Attachment,  
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