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FIELD ENGINEERING REPORT MISSION A-2009

Conf. A-2	S.FR.#2	Pilot:	Dunaway	A/C 53-174	flo	m 2July'56
Camera Shutter Lens Magazine Cycles Footage Filter	R6 32 1714 1381 66 6 0 90 Red	₹7 27 2999 1417 09 60 90 RED	<u>L8</u> 24 1381 1450 ■ 64 60 90 Red	F	racker: ootage: ilter:	Ser. #7 650' Yellow

RESULTS: IMC motor jammed or burned out after 20 minutes of operation. This stopped configuration.

Discussion: There was no evidence of any binding in the IMC cam shaft or cam assembly. Also no evidence of any bind in the conf. in the A/C.

Motor was not taken apart to determine actual cause as special tools are needed.

No film clips were taken due to the short length of film used. All other equipment worked properly. Except the film counter on L8 was 10 cycles less than the other two.

Magazine # 64 has been removed from service until we can determine wether the counter or film indicating switch was at fault. Very heavy condensation was found in the hatch and on all equipment on postflight check. Very light moisture was found on the other A/C that flew a similar mission at the same time. During the critique we found that the pilot had made a quick decent. This will be stopped in the future and explains similar condition that occured at the ranch.

Motor and IMC unit will be returned to the factory thru channels.

Conclusion: It was impossible for the field maintainance men to have forseen this difficulty as it is a new failure and not one you can detect ahead of time.

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