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AD HOC ESQUIREMENTS CONSTITUE ON PROJECT AQUATORS (ARC)

Minutes of Meeting Held in Room 21h
Administration Building, Central Intelligence Agency
at 2:30 p.m., 16 December 1957

PRESERT

James C. Reber Chairman

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- 1. The Navy proposed, by memorandum of 10 December 1957 (Ser HT 000402-57), amplified in a memorandum of 13 December 1957 (880/000299), the addition of PETROPAVLOVSK as a Highest Priority Target.
- 2. After some exploratory discussions, it was agreed that final consideration of this proposal would be held on Friday, 20 December 1957, time and place to be confirmed by the Chairman.

Pargets Related to Launch of Quided Missiles

3. The Chairman called the attention of the Committee to a memorandum he had received from the Office of Scientific Intelligence alerting to the probability of launch for ICBM as possible Highest Priority Targets for the spring of 1958. The Project Director had

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indicated his belief that this question should be thoroughly examined with the possibility in mind of collection in the spring of 1958. It was agreed that the Office of Scientific Intelligence would prepare a draft paper outlining the possible launch points for ICEM, the draft to be discussed with representatives of the participating agencies, locking toward a preliminary discussion of the matter in an Ad Noc Requirements Committee meeting on 15 January 1958.

4. The Chairman requested the Mavy to prepare a similar study reviewing all possible targets which would bear upon launch of guided missiles from submarines, for consideration stimultaneously with the foregoing paper.

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