



27 August 1963

NRO Review Completed

MEMORANDUM FOR: Acting Director of Central Intelligence

SUBJECT: Evaluation of the Adequacy of Satellite
Photography in Meeting USIB Requirements

1. This memorandum is for your information.

2. I was advised by the Office of the DDI on ^{26 Aug.} ~~27 March~~ of your desire that COMOR should prepare for the consideration of the USIB at its meeting on ^{Aug.} ~~28 March~~ an evaluation of the adequacy of satellite photography in meeting USIB requirements.

3. On Tuesday, 27 August, the COMOR met in special session to consider this problem. That examination quickly revealed to the Committee that the preparation of an adequate response to your request could not be done in time for the Board meeting tomorrow. It is our intent to proceed to prepare for the Board consideration at its 3 October meeting this response. The agencies represented on COMOR will, of course, in the preparation of our reply consult fully with the analysts and estimators for whom much of the information is collected as well as other users. NPIC is represented at COMOR and the paper will include its input.

4. If this matter is discussed at the Board meeting on 28 August, I would appreciate notification so that on behalf of COMOR I can be present.

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