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# ACTION MEMORANDUM

## OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

Action Memorandum No. A-108

Date 15 November 1962

TO : Deputy Director (Intelligence)

SUBJECT : Supersonic Transports: Soviet and Non-Communist Efforts

REFERENCE:

The DCI noted the Scientific Intelligence Memorandum on "Supersonic Transport Aircraft Development in the USSR" and asked that a brief memorandum be prepared for external distribution setting forth Soviet and non-Communist efforts in the field of supersonic transports. It would appear that what he wants is a balance sheet so that he can call the attention of the policy makers to the fact that there is a horse race in this field. Could he have a memorandum on this by 27 November.

Lyman B. Kirkpatrick  
Executive Director

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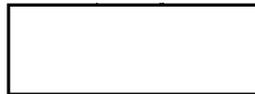
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MEMORANDUM FOR: ~~General Carter~~ <sup>11/12/62</sup>  
Mr. Kirkpatrick *LAM*

Mr. McCone has noted the attached. He requests a brief memorandum be prepared for external distribution setting forth Soviet and non-Communist (especially American) efforts in the field of supersonic transports.

Suggest DDI be assigned action.



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