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DISPATCH NO. STDA-0278

13 November 1956

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TO : [redacted]

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FROM : Chief of Station, [redacted]

SUBJECT: GENERAL - OPERATIONS

25X1A Specific: [redacted] (Commander's Report)

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1. This is Commander's Report on Mission No. 1324, [redacted] flown on 12 November 1956, [redacted] No. 353.

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2. [redacted] Performance: Excellent.

3. Weather: More cloud and haze than forecast. Combination of light haze and low sun angle restricted visibility of mission near end.

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4. [redacted] successful, [redacted]-5 failure scan motor burned out after 280 feet.

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5. [redacted] "S" recorder malfunction after four and one half hours capstan drive motor failure.

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6. [redacted] Performance: Excellent.

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7. Summary: [redacted] is experiencing considerably more scan motor failure than anticipated. Separate action will be originated on this subject. This mission and 1323 have presented the trickiest winds to date and resulted in more off course flight than is desired.

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