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▮▮▮▮Photo-Satellite Planning for Mid-East, 25 October 1973

1.   The attached graphic illustrates the planned operations for the 25 October 1973 Mid-East pass of ▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮ These operations have been planned on the assumption that there will be a GIANT REACH mission at approximately the same time. ▮▮▮▮camera actions will occur Thursday morning at approximately 0600 EDT or 1200 local time.

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     a.   In Syria, coverage of Allepo and Tiyas Airfields is to assess air re-supply activities, and coverage of other airfields (Dumayr, Marj Ruhayyil, T-4, and Khalkhalah) is to assess possible Israeli strike damage and current AOB. If the GIANT REACH does not fly, these latter operations will be shifted to strip coverage along the zone of ▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮

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     b.   Priority coverage of ▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮
▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮is to assess state of readiness and missile-related activities.

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     c.   ▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮is for AOB/ readiness assessment.

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     d.   Coverage of ▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮
▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮is for AOB/capabilities assessment.

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     e.   Coverage of Egyptian Airfields Hurghada, Wadi Abut Shihyat, Luxor, Daraw, and Aswan is for AOB, ▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮ and indications of re-supply activity.

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2.   The above plan has been coordinated with the DIA and CIA Middle East Crisis Task Forces through their respective ICRS members and the NRO for operational feasibility. Special arrangements have been made with the CIA Middle East Crisis Task Force, DIA, and the NRO to coordinate any last minute changes to tonight's operations up to the final cut-off time--approximately 0230 25 October.

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MEMORANDUM FOR: DDI

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Attached are ███ Middle East operations
planned for tomorrow morning, 25 October.
They are based on the assumption of a concurrent
GIANT REACH mission.

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