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Memorandum

To: [REDACTED]  
Chairman, EDIC

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From: *[Signature]* Forrest D. Hockersmith  
Commerce Member, EDIC

Subject: Request for EDIC Action - Petrochemical plants  
for U.S.S.R.

The Department of Commerce (BFC) has received export license applications for the sale and export to the U.S.S.R. of nine various types of petrochemical plants. These applications are currently under study in BFC and are in the process of being documented for consideration by the Advisory Committee on Export Policy. In connection with this documentation, BFC has indicated appropriate intelligence information would be very helpful.

Accordingly, it would be appreciated if EDIC could provide the BFC with whatever information is available relative to these plants and the commodities which they produce. Specific information about these applications and technical material already gathered by a Technical Task Group can be obtained from Mr. Leon Kelston, BFC, Code 112, Extension 2614.

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