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(FOR DI). FROM NATIONAL PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION CENTER.

1. CAMERA B 8 WAS USED IN MISSION 3713 FLOWN ON 6 SEPT 63;
PROCESSING WAS ACCOMPLISHED BY BARKSDALE.

2. ORIGINAL NEGATIVE:

- A. THE EXPOSURE WAS ADEQUATE AND THE RESOLUTION GOOD.
- B. 9R SIDE: BEGINNING WITH A MANUFACTURING SPLICE ON FRAME 162, AND EXTENDING THROUGH FRAME 174 THE FILM IS DEGRADED BY CREASES, STATIC, A WAVY MINUS DENSITY STREAK, PINHOLES, AND A SMALL TEAR. EDGE STATIC IS PRESENT ON THE FIRST 129 FRAMES AND ROLLER CHATTER OCCURRED ON THE FIRST 161 FRAMES. THREE INSTANCES OF FOGGING OCCURRED: THE FIRST ON FRAME 510, THE SECOND ON FRAME 538, AND THE LAST ON FRAME 1631. THESE CONSIST OF TRANSVERSE PLUS DENSITY BARS 0.65" WIDE AND EXTENDING EDGE TO EDGE (INCLUDING THE

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TITLED EDGE) ACROSS THE FORMAT AREA. THE ONE ON FRAME 538 IS SUPERIMPOSED UPON A LESS DENSE FOG PATCH WHICH IS TRIANGULAR IN SHAPE AND HAS BEEN DESCRIBED IN DETAIL ON MISSION 3699. FINALLY, THERE IS A MINUS DENSITY STREAK 0.5" FROM THE INBOARD EDGE ON FRAMES 2378 THROUGH 2403.

C. 9L SIDE: EDGE STATIC ON BOTH THE INBOARD AND THE OUTBOARD EDGES: ROLLER CHATTER ON THE INBOARD EDGE; AND FOG ON THE OUTBOARD EDGE CAN BE FOUND THROUGHOUT THE ENTIRE MISSION. THERE ARE ALSO TWO SERIES OF MINUS DENSITY DOTS WHICH RUN FROM HEAD TO TAIL THROUGHOUT THIS SIDE. ONE IS 1.05" AND THE OTHER 7.65" FROM THE OUTBOARD EDGE AND BOTH ARE SPACED 1.55" BETWEEN SUCCESSIVE DOTS.

D. BOTH SIDES: PROCESSING STREAKS WERE NOTED THROUGHOUT.

E. THERE WERE NO PROCESSING PROBLEMS OTHER THAN THE THREE LIGHT LEAKS MENTIONED ABOVE. THE CAMERA OPERATED WELL. THE TOTAL NUMBER OF TITLED FRAMES IS 2699.

3. POSITIVE:

A. THE PI SUITABILITY IS GOOD AND THE PRINTING AND PROCESSING ARE GOOD.

B. CLOUDS COVERED 40 PERCENT OF THE TAKE.

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END OF MESSAGE

(ABOVE MESSAGE ALSO PASSED TO CIA WATCH (CGS))