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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Defensive Systems Division, OSI

ATTENTION: [REDACTED] 25X1A

THROUGH: Chief, Requirements Branch, Reconnaissance Group, CGS

FROM: Chief, CIA/PID (NPIC)

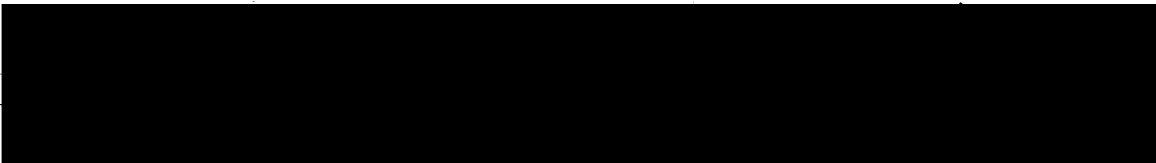
SUBJECT: Comparison of Missile Checkout and Assembly Facilities,
Sary Shagan Antimissile Test Center, and Leningrad, USSR

REFERENCES: (a) Requirement C-SI-4-81,103
(b) PID Project C 402-64
(c) NPIC Report R-141/64, dated February 1964

1. This memorandum is in response to your requirement dated 26 February 1964, requesting a comparison of the missile assembly and checkout facility at Launch Complex A, Sary Shagan Antimissile Test Center, USSR, with the four SAM assembly and support facilities located at Leningrad, USSR, and search of the Leningrad Area for any additional SAM-type support facilities.

2. Similarities exist between these facilities, but only in a general sense. That is, both areas are characterized by drive-through buildings, buildings with large parking aprons adjacent, roads with wide-radius turns, and other features which denote missile checkout and assembly activity.

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4. [REDACTED] were searched for evidence of additional SAM support facilities in the Leningrad Area. No such facilities were observed. It is probable that the SAM assembly and support facilities at Leningrad are capable of supporting several missile systems, inasmuch as there are apparently no other supporting facilities in this area, and there are at least two known surface-to-air missile systems deployed around Leningrad.

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5. The photo analyst on this project is [REDACTED] who may
be contacted on extension 2079 should you have any further questions concerning
this project.

6. This project is considered to be complete.

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