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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Defensive Systems Division, OSI

ATTENTION:

Anti-Ballistic Missiles Branch

THROUGH:

Chief, Requirements Branch, Reconnaissance Group, CGS

FROM:

Chief, Photographic Intelligence Division, CIA

SUBJECT:

Unidentified Antenna Array - Moscow Area, USSR

REFERENCE

- (a) Requirement C-SI5-82,213
- (b) CIA/PID Project 30162-5
- 1. This memorandum is far response to your requirement dated 18 January 1965 which requests a detailed analysis of the unidentified antenna array within the pentagon-shaped wall, located in the Moscow area.
- 2. The antenna array is located at 55-22N 037-27E, approximately 24 nautical miles south-seuthwest of Moscow and approximately 6 nautical miles southwest of Podolsk. The analysis was conducted utilizing several KEYHOLE missions from May 1962 through 26 February 1965. The attached line drawing and perspective and all mensuration was accomplished using All measurements have been made by the NPIC Technical Intelligence Division, with the exception of distances measured outside the walled area, and the height of Tower F which were made by the CIA/PID project analyst. The NPIC/TID measurements are considered to be accurate within + 10 feet or + 10%, whichever is greater, for all horizontal measurements, and + 15 feet for all height. The measurements made by the analyst should be considered as approximate and must not be taken as official NPIC mensuration data.
- 3. The antenna site contains three self-supporting lattice-type towers (Attachment 1, Items A,B,C) each 130 feet high, with fourteen thinner masts, also 130 feet high, uniformly spaced 65 feet apart between the lattice towers. There are also footings for a fourth tower (Attachment 1, Item D). Two other lattice towers, both 100 feet high, are located just west of the center mast between Towers B and C, and just north of the center of a line between Towers A and B (Attachment 1, Items E and F). The calculated ratio of Towers E and F to the radius of the arc formed by the masts between Tower A and B and C, is approximately 46 units to 100 units or 46 per cent (See Attachment 1 inset). The purpose of Towers E and F is undetermined at this time, however they probably have the capability of movement along the probable track as annotated on Attachments 1 and 3. Also located immediately west of a line between Towers B and C, is a concrete pad measuring 90 feet by 70 feet. A probable control building, 120 feet by 35 feet, is located in the approximate center of the site (Attachment 1, Probable Control Building "B").

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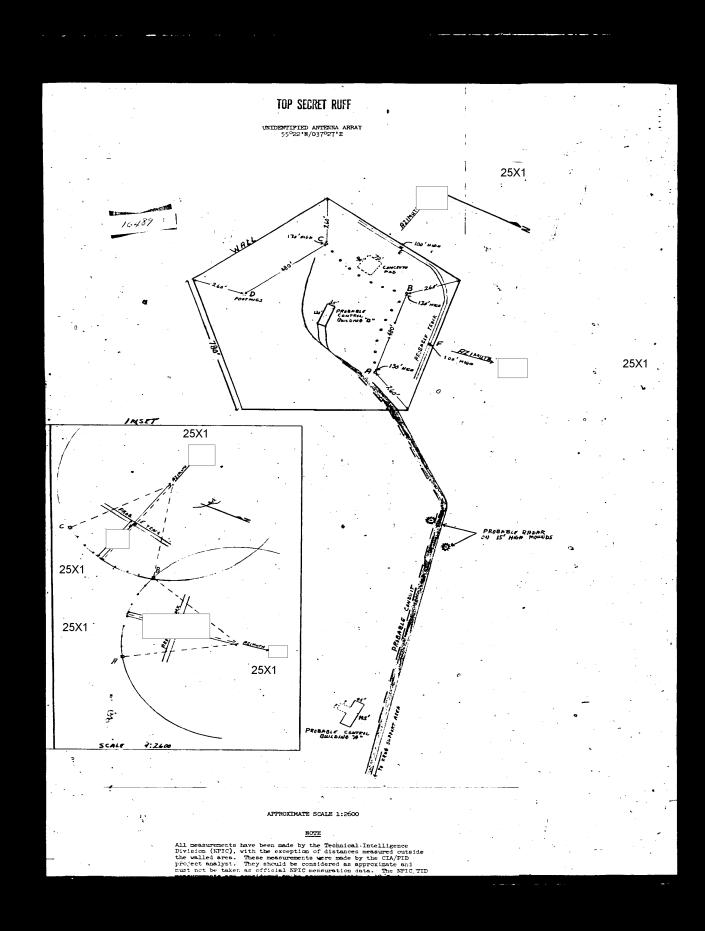
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