

DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE  
HEADQUARTERS UNITED STATES AIR FORCE  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

SAB FULL BOARD MEETING

20-22 April 1960

Air Force Academy

AGENDA

Wednesday - 20 April

0900 Lt General D. L. Putt - Welcome and Introduction  
0905 M/G W. S. Stone, Air Force Academy - Welcome and General Remarks.  
0910 Gen T. D. White - Aerospace Defense in our deterrent posture.  
0940 Rear Admiral F. T. Connolly - The submarine-launched threat; present and future Navy counteraction capabilities.  
  
1010 Coffee Break  
1025 M/Gen F. T. Pachler - Army capability in an all-out attack; Army role in the field in the defense of North America  
1055 \*Panel Question and Discussion - Dr. H. Skifter, Chairman  
1130 Gen L. S. Kuter - Present capabilities of NorAD; future requirements.  
1200 Discussion  
1215 Depart for Luncheon  
1400 Mr. Raymond A. Hare, Deputy Under Sec. of State for Political Affairs  
Aerospace defense/international posture relationship.  
1445 Discussion  
1500 Coffee Break  
1515 Mr. Robert Amory, CIA - USSR Intentions and Capabilities.  
1545 Discussion  
1600 B/Gen R. F. McDermott - Briefing on AF Academy Complex  
1700 Discussion  
Adjourn  
1830 Reception and Buffet

Thursday - 21 April

0900 Dr. H. G. Stever - Opening Remarks  
0905 M/Gen K. Bergquist - Classical Air Defense  
0915 Mr. P. Schenk - Ground Environment  
0935 Dr. M. Schilling - Ground-to-Air Missiles  
0955 Mr. E. J. Barlow - Interceptors - BOMARC  
1015 Coffee Break

\* Panel to consist of Gen White, Rear Adm Connolly and M/Gen Pachler

\*USAF Declass/Release Instructions On File\*

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Thursday - 21 April (Continued)

1030 AICBM  
Dr. H. Skifter (and one other speaker)  
BMEWS  
Nike Zeus  
Midas  
ICBM Defense and Decoys

1200 Depart for Luncheon

1315 Discussion

1330 Lt Gen B. A. Schriever & Mr. A. Donovan - Defense in the Aerospace Age.

1430 Coffee Break

1445 Defense in the Aerospace Age continuation

1515 Mr. Herman Kahn - Civil Defense Aspects

1600 Mr. J. H. Doolittle (Chairman) - Round Table Discussion  
Adjourn

1730 Press Conference

2015 Executive Committee Meeting

Friday - 22 April

0900 Lt Gen D. L. Putt - Opening Remarks

0915 Group meetings

1015 Coffee Break

1030 Group Meetings continued

1200 Depart for Luncheon

1315 Group Presentations

1500 Coffee Break

1515 M/Gen J. McCormack - Over-all Summarization  
Adjourn

SAB SPRING MEETING ON AIR, MISSILE AND SPACE DEFENSE

1. BACKGROUND:

The last decade has been seen tremendous strides in the concepts of the defense of North America against manned air attack. The present generation of equipment which has brought about these advancements has introduced great complexity, large integration problems, and tremendous costs. Even before this improved system has been completed or become fully operational, rapid strides in the science and technology of offensive weapons have tended to outflank the Air Defense System. This places before us not only the difficulty of continued effort in conventional Air Defense but also of providing for new defense weapons and, in addition, an orderly transition as well as balance. In addition, we expect, in the not too distant future, that potential enemies will bring to bear the most recent advances in science and technology - namely: the use of satellites and other space related weapons.

2. OBJECTIVES:

The objectives of the spring meeting of the SAB are:

a. To describe and review critically the technological and military capabilities of the present air defense system of North America;

b. To describe and evaluate the present and future threat of ballistic missiles to North America, and in light of these evaluation to survey critically our programs and capabilities for defense against ballistic missiles;

c. To estimate the time scale and importance of space related offensive weapons (other than ballistic missiles) and to evaluate possible concepts of defense against such threats;

d. To review our international political aspirations in order to lay the basis for military policies on North American defense; and, to formulate opinions about the role of the defense of North America in our total military posture;

e. To review the problems of civil defense and disaster control;

f. To consider the effects of National Civilian attitudes on military defense tactics and policies;

g. To estimate the economic effect of providing adequate defense of North America and relate this to possible future military budgets.

3. The entire proceedings will be published under the auspices of the SAB for record and distribution to appropriate agencies.