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MEMORANDUM FOR THE STUDY GROUP, PILOT STUDY ON NATIONAL INTELLIGENCE  
SUPPORT TO FIELD COMMANDERS

SUBJECT: Review of Draft Pilot Study Report

1. The attached draft pilot study report is forwarded for your review and comment. During your review, please pay particular attention to:

- a. Compliance with study group decisions and guidance. Does the study do the job?
- b. Conclusions and recommendations. Are they valid and comprehensive?
- c. Clarity, accuracy and completeness. What more is needed? What can we drop out?
- d. Classification of paragraphs and subparagraphs. Are classifications and component indicators correct? What changes can be made to hold down classification without sacrificing completeness?
- e. Definitions and Abbreviations. Are they correct? Are there any other terms that should be defined or abbreviations that should be spelled out in Annex I?
- f. Related studies. Are the data correct and complete? Are there any others?

2. Annex K will include four sets of computer matrices prepared by the Theater Working Group and two sets prepared by the National Working Group. These computer matrices were distributed to you by the working group chairmen through your representatives on the working groups.

3. Annex L is yet to be prepared. It will assess the support capabilities of a [redacted] system now under development. At its next meeting, the study group will be asked to comment on whether this should be a part of the pilot study, or an IC Staff paper to be considered with the pilot study.

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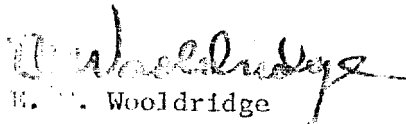
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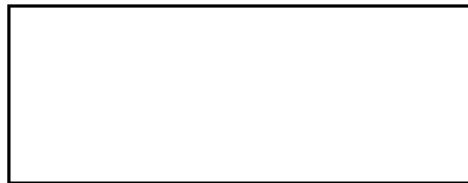
4. The Executive Summary will be written after your comments have been received. It will be available at the next meeting of the study group. Appendix 3, Annex G, has been distributed only to those members cleared for access to the program.

5. Please give your comments to us by Wednesday, 24 September 1975. You may make them by annotating and returning the attached draft. DoD members of the study group should give their comments to Captain E.T. Wooldridge, USN, Joint Staff study group executive officer, Room 1D964A, The Pentagon (extension 52379). IC Staff and CIA members can pass their comments to [redacted] 6E0701, CIA Headquarters [redacted]. We will contact you individually on any major problems or differences that have to be worked out.

6. For your information, [redacted] USAF, has replaced [redacted] as IC Staff Study Group Co-chairman. Captain Wooldridge has replaced Captain Dyer as Joint Staff Study Group Executive Officer.

7. A study group meeting will be scheduled as soon as possible after your comments have been received. Tentatively, the agenda will be limited to the pilot study report and final plans for its completion and approval by the study group.

  
E. T. Wooldridge  
Capt., USN



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