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MEMORANDUM FOR : Deputy Director of Data Processing

FROM :  Chief, Operations Support Segment/CSPO/ODP

SUBJECT : HQS Office Space Requirements for SAFE Early Capability Development and Maintenance Activities

REFERENCE : Memo for D/ODP (SAF-E348-82),  
dtd - 19 August 1982, subject - Impact of Not Obtaining GH-62 Office Space for Project SAFE

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1. PURPOSE AND SCOPE - This memorandum requests that Headquarters office space be provided to support development and maintenance of the CIA and DIA SAFE Early Capability systems which are housed within the Northside (SAFE) Computer Center, Room GE-40.

2. BACKGROUND INFORMATION - The referenced memorandum (attached) presented the history of our original request for office space in June 1981 and the subsequent actions that resulted in the allocation of temporary space in Room GE-64. Room GE-64, however, is located within the Northside Computer Center's Phase II construction area and must be vacated in March 1983.

3. STAFF POSITION - Headquarters office space is required to support development and maintenance activities of the CIA and DIA Early Capability systems. Terminal connectivity to each system is required to support these activities. However, terminal connectivity from external CIA buildings to both systems is not currently provided or planned because of security concerns.

During March 1983, testing activities are scheduled for the CIA Early Capability system leading to the initial operating capability on 28 March 1983. This testing activity will involve personnel from Chase, Rosen and Wallace, Office of Central Reference, CSPO and Processing/ODP. During March, April and May 1983, development and testing activities are scheduled for the DIA Early Capability system. DIA personnel will be involved in these activities in addition to the personnel involved in the CIA system testing activities. Following the production operation of the DIA initial operating capability on 30 May 1983, maintenance support for the DIA system is planned. The office space required will facilitate daily interactions between the responsible DIA and CIA maintenance personnel.

4. REQUESTED ACTION - Approximately 2,000 square feet of Headquarters office space is requested to support SAFE Early Capability development, testing and maintenance activities. Failure to obtain this space by 15 March will impact the testing activities required for the CIA system and development, testing and maintenance activities required for the DIA system and the production operating date for the DIA system, 30 May 1983.



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Attachment: Referenced Memo (SAF-E348-82)

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