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PROJECT STAR GATE

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PURPOSE

TO PROVIDE AN UPDATE ON
STAR GATE MISSION ACTIVITIES

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- MISSION AREAS
- BACKGROUND
- FOREIGN ASSESSMENTS
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MISSION AREAS

- FOREIGN ASSESSMENT
- EXTERNAL RESEARCH
- IN-HOUSE INVESTIGATIONS (LIMDIS PORTION)

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TOPIC

- PARAPSYCHOLOGICAL PHENOMENA
 - INFORMATION ACCESS
 - REMOTE VIEWING, ESP
- ENERGETIC EFFECTS
 - MIND/MATTER INTERACTIONS

DIA'S APPROACH

- ASSESS FOREIGN ACTIVITIES
- UNDERSTAND PHENOMENA
- UNDERSTAND APPLICATIONS
- BASED ON:
 - PROPER METHODOLOGY
 - THOROUGH DOCUMENTATION
 - INDEPENDENT REVIEW AND EVALUATION
 - SCIENTIFIC OVERSIGHT

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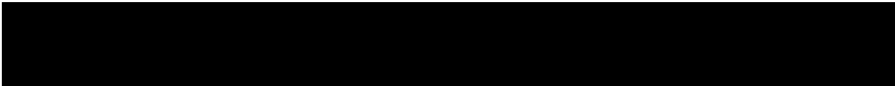
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BASIS FOR DIA ACTIVITY

- FY 1991: INTELLIGENCE AUTHORIZATION COMMITTEES REPORT
- FY 1992: INTELLIGENCE APPROPRIATION COMMITTEES REPORT
- FY 1993: HOUSE/SENATE DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION CONFERENCE REPORT

FY 92 APPROPRIATIONS ACT

- \$2 MILLION R&D FUNDS PROVIDED TO CONTINUE RESEARCH
- DIA TO REALIGN TEN CIVILIAN BILLETS FOR PROJECT
- EVEN BALANCE WITH FOREIGN ASSESSMENTS, OPERATIONAL ACTIVITIES AND RESEARCH:
 - FOREIGN ASSESSMENTS TO:

 - OPERATIONAL ACTIVITY TO:
 - IDENTIFY USERS, USER INTEREST
 - INCLUDE DOD SPECIAL OPERATIONS COMMAND, OTHERS
- 2 YEAR ARCHITECTURE REPORT WITHIN 120 DAY OF ENACTMENT

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FY 93 DIRECTION

HOUSE/SENATE DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION CONFERENCE REPORT:

SENATE:

- AUTHORIZES 0.6 MILLION FOR STAR GATE
- DIRECTS DIA/DR TO TRANSFER PROJECT TO AFMIC

HOUSE:

- DIRECTS DIA TO STUDY AFMIC
TRANSFER ISSUE
- TRANSFER IF AFMIC IS A MORE
APPROPRIATE SETTING

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CURRENT STAFF

- TEN AUTHORIZED CIVILIAN BILLETS
- EIGHT FILLED
 - ONE GS-15 (UNIT CHIEF)
 - TWO GS-14'S (OPS/COLLECTON; INTEL OFFICER)
 - ONE GS-13 (SPECIALIST)
 - TWO GS-12'S (SPECIALISTS)
 - ONE GS-7 (TECH AID)
 - ONE GS-7 (ADMIN)
- VACANCIES
 - TWO GS-12'S
 - ONE PENDING
 - ONE IN EARLY STAGES

FACILITIES

- TWO BUILDINGS AT FT. MEADE, MD.
- BOTH ON "HIT-LIST" FOR OUT-YEARS
 - NO IMMEDIATE PROBLEM
- MAY MOVE TO FT. DETRICK, MD.
 - TRANSITION PLAN SUBMITTED

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EXTERNAL RESEARCH

- FY 91 ALLOCATION:
 - FINAL REPORT COMPLETED
 - SCIENTIFIC OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE REVIEWED
- FY 92 ALLOCATION:
 - INITIAL FUNDS ON-LINE AUGUST 1992
 - REMAINING PORTION ON-LINE DECEMBER 1992

FY 91 RESEARCH RESULTS

- MEG MEASUREMENTS:
 - NEW METHODOLOGY LOWERED RESULTS
 - IDENTIFIED IMPROVED APPROACH FOR FY 93
- RV EXPERIMENTS:
 - NATURE OF TARGET IS IMPORTANT
 - USEFUL FOR OPERATIONAL CONSTRAINTS/
TARGET OR TASK SELECTION
 - IMPLICATIONS FOR THEORY
 - "KNOWLEDGE" OF TARGET (BY BEACON PERSON) IS NOT IMPORTANT
 - IMPROVES CONFIDENCE THAT RV DATA IS NOT
FROM LOCAL SOURCES
 - RV COMMUNICATION TECHNIQUES ARE VIABLE
 - ENHANCEMENT METHOD IDENTIFIED

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FY 91 RESULTS

- **ENERGETICS:**
 - **POTENTIAL BREAKTHROUGH MAY HAVE BEEN ACHIEVED**
 - **NEW "MECHANISM"**
 - **DISCRETE SPECTRAL LINES OBSERVED**
 - **PATTERNS SUGGEST A PULSE TRAIN**
 - **SIGNIFICANT APPLICATION IMPLICATIONS**
 - **SHED LIGHT ON SOME FOREIGN ACTIVITIES**

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EXTERNAL RESEARCH ACTIVITY

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- BIOPHYSICAL/PSYCHOPHYSIOLOGICAL MEASUREMENTS
 - ELECTROENCEPHALOGRAM (EEG)
- PARAMETER EXAMINATION
- COMMUNICATION POTENTIAL
- PATTERN/IMAGE RECOGNITION MODELS
- ENERGETICS EXPERIMENTS
- APPLICATION INVESTIGATIONS
- FOREIGN DATA SUPPORT

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ACTIVITY AREAS

- APPLICATION INVESTIGATIONS
- PROFICIENCY PROJECTS

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APPLICATION INVESTIGATIONS

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- PRACTICE/DEVELOPMENT
- TRACK RECORD/TREND EVALUATION
- EXTERNAL RESEARCH SUPPORT

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PROFICIENCY PROJECTS

- GEOGRAPHIC AREAS
- STRUCTURES
- PERSONALITIES
- DOCUMENTS
- CODES/MATRIX
- TOPICAL SEARCH/PREDICTIONS
- MULTI-PURPOSE
- OTHER

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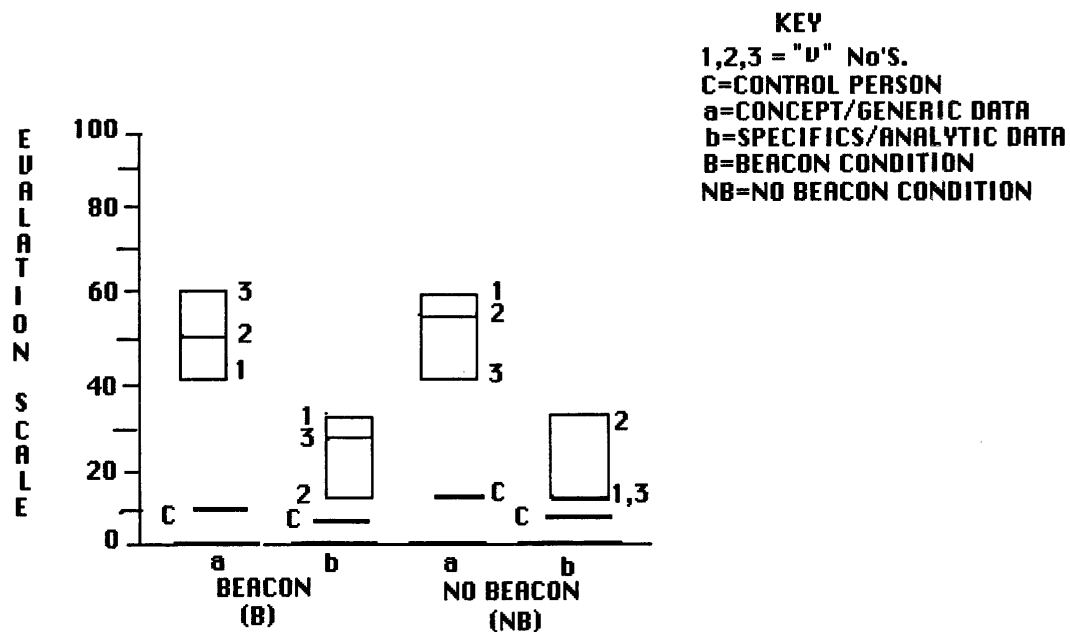
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TREND EVALUATION

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**PROFICIENCY "A" SERIES
GENERAL AREA/OBJECT TARGETS**

**INDIVIDUAL AVERAGES
ALL TARGETS**



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COMMUNICATION PROJECT

- EXPLORE RV COMMUNICATION OF SIMPLE MESSAGES
- UTILIZE RV STRONG POINTS
- BASED ON PRE-ESTABLISHED CODEBOOK WITH MESSAGE-PHOTO ASSOCIATIONS
- MESSAGE SELECTION VIA MAJORITY VOTE TECHNIQUE
- OF HIGH INTEREST WITH SPECIAL OPERATIONAL PROJECT PERSONNEL

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COMMUNICATION PROJECT RESULTS

- CORRECT TARGET PHOTO/MESSAGE SELECTED VIA MAJORITY VOTE TECHNIQUE
- THE MESSAGE: "ALL IS WELL. I AM IN GOOD PHYSICAL AND MENTAL SHAPE."

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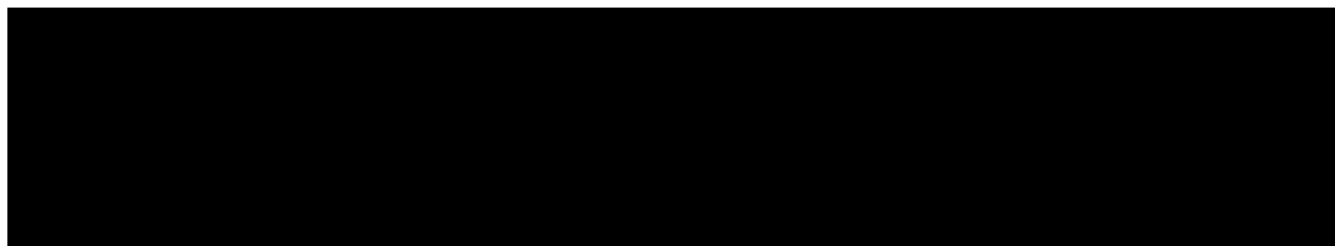
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ON-GOING ACTIVITIES

- COLLECTION EFFORTS
 - WORLDWIDE
 - RESEARCH
 - APPLICATIONS
 - DEVICE DEVELOPMENT

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- IN-HOUSE INVESTIGATIONS
 - EXPANDED APPLICATIONS
 - CONTINUED PROFICIENCY

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- AFMIC LINK EMERGING
 - SCIENTIFIC, R&D SUPPORT INCREASED
 - DATA BASE ENHANCED
 - MISSION EXPANSION CONSIDERED
 - HUMAN FACTORS RESEARCH

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- EXTERNAL RESEARCH
 - SHIFT FROM MEG TO EEG
 - FOUND MEASURABLE TARGET PARAMETERS
 - FOUND ENHANCEMENT METHOD
 - FOUND INTERACTION EVIDENCE

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SUMMARY

- IN-HOUSE ACTIVITIES
 - APPLICATION INVESTIGATIONS
 - RECENT GOOD RESULTS FOR SOME PROJECTS
 - WIDE RANGE OF PROJECTS EMERGING
 - PROFICIENCY PROJECTS
 - RECENT "COMMUNICATION" SUCCESS
 - IMPORTANT TRENDS IDENTIFIED FROM OTHERS
 - FACILITATES SKILL DEVELOPMENT,
APPLICATION MATCHING

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