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MEMORANDUM FOR: Colonel Howard P. Persons, Jr.
Chief, Technical Division, ACSI
Department of the Army

ATTENTION : Mr. Baxter Wood

SUBJECT : Supplementary Information on Military
Cost Study

1. The attachment is in response to Mr. Baxter Wood's telephone call of 16 December 1957 for detail to supplement our response to your request of 7 October 1957.

2. Should you or your staff have further questions please feel free to contact us.

Assistant Director

Attachment:

Table on Estimated Soviet Expenditures
for Guided Missiles (TS)

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Estimated Soviet Expenditures for Guided Missiles ^{a/}
(Billion 1955 US Dollars)

Year	Procurement		Support			Research and Development
	Major Equipment	Organizational Equipment	Spares for Major Equipment	Training Missiles	Other	
1950						0.3
1951						0.5
1952						0.7
1953	neg.	neg.				1.0
1954	0.2	neg.	neg.	neg.	neg.	1.1
1955	0.4	neg.	neg.	neg.	neg.	1.4
1956	1.0	0.1	0.1	neg.	neg.	1.6
1957	1.2	0.1	0.2	neg.	neg.	1.7
1958	1.6	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.1	1.8
1959	2.5	0.2	0.5	0.1	0.1	1.9
1960	3.0	0.4	0.8	0.2	0.2	2.1
1961	3.7	0.5	1.1	0.3	0.2	2.2
1962	3.1	0.2	1.3	0.3	0.3	2.3

^{a/} Negligible indicates that estimated expenditures are less than 50 million dollars.

Expenditures for construction are not included, nor are the outlays for personnel, transportation, and elements of support. The estimates herein presented are consistent with those in NIE 11-5-57, Top Secret, and were derived from material used in preparing that study.

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