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Deputy Assistant Director (Production)

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Acting Chief, Collection Staff, SI

Request from Mr. Weaver, Office of Assistant Secretary of Defense (R&D)

1. Mr. Weaver has requested that OSI prepare for Mr. Furnas' office a brief paper, 2 to 4 pages in length, outlining Soviet intentions in this regard. This paper is needed in connection with an overall study now being prepared on the present status of the US earth satellite vehicle program. EO 13526 3.3(b)(1)>25Yrs
2. Mr. Paul Smith, [redacted] is charged with preparing this study. Your office should contact him in regard to details concerning scope of this study, date of availability, etc. Mr. Smith is cleared through Top Secret.
3. Please inform me of any further support required of the Collection Staff and of the action you propose to take regarding this request.

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