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MEMORANDUM FOR: Executive Officer, DDS&T

SUBJECT

Extension of Contract JG-1969

Electro-Mechanics Company

The Office of Research and Development, through the OSA contracting mechanism, has been funding a contract with Electro-Mechanics Company (EMCO), Austin, Texas. The original EMCO contract was written by the OSA Contract Management Division because the product, was initially of interest (b)(1) OSA in relation to Project CHIGOE. First the Navy, t later the Air Force became interested in the sensor a(b)(3) 10 USC 130 additional funding was channeled to EMCO through the original contracting procedures. OSA also retained security cognizance of the contract during these changes.

Since NRO funds are not involved and OSA has no further operational interest in the product, the security responsibility of this contract appears to fit more properly within the framework of the Office of Logistics Security Staff. It is recommended that the contracting procedures and the security responsibilities related to this contract be transferred to the Office of Logistics as of 1 July 1968.

Handled as requested by OSA see DD St 15/6-68

Itd 6 May 68 to ORD
requesting ORD to comply.

PAUL N. BACALIS Brigadier General, USAF Director of Special Activities

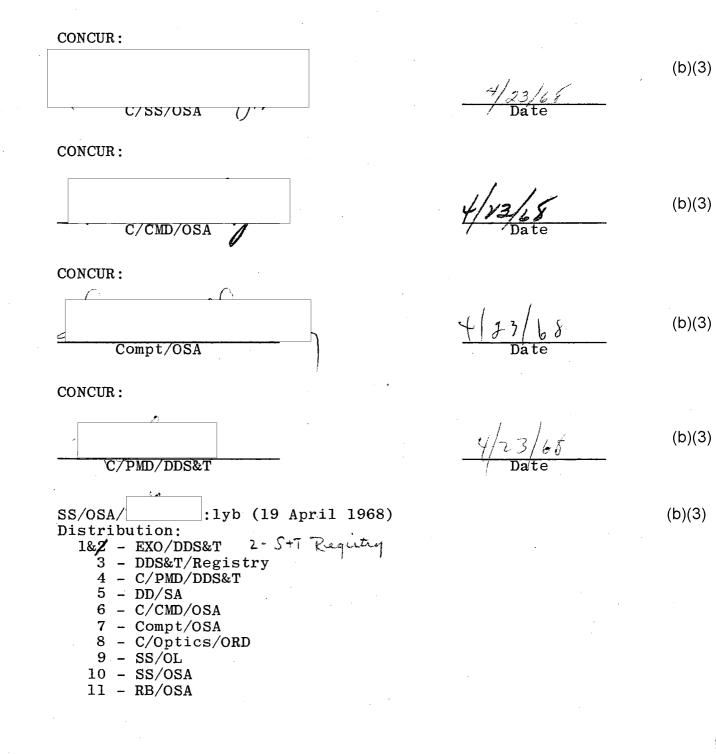
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