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WASHINGTON, D.C.

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY DIRECTOR

MEMORANDUM FOR THE DIRECTOR, PROGRAM A
DIRECTOR, PROGRAM B
CHAIRMAN, COMIREX

SUBJECT: Domestic Imagery

The attached proposed statement of policy and proposed procedures regarding the requirements, acquisition and exploitation of domestic imagery with NRP systems is forwarded for your coordination. It ~~is~~ intended that these documents formalize current practice, not change it. Such formal statements ~~are~~ required in response to the recent Omnibus Executive Order.

the OSD may be and have been directed by the OMB.

As a response to the Attorney General is due 1 June 1976, request your coordination or comments by 15 April 1976.

Charles W. Cook

Attachments

Action officer: Lt Col. [REDACTED]

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NRO POLICY WITH RESPECT TO DOMESTIC IMAGERY

Imagery of the United States, its possessions, or territories obtained with NRP resources should be minimized and obtained only in response to formal, documented requirements of the Committee on Imagery Collection and Exploitation, Committee for Civil Application of Classified Photography of the United States, or in response to the bona fide and documented engineering requirements of the NRO, necessary for the successful operation, evaluation or improvement of NRP systems. All such imagery will be obtained and exploited in accordance with public law.

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