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SUBJECT: Project HOP RACK (U)

1. (S/NOFORN/WHINTEL) DIA, in conjunction with CIA, has launched a sensitive collection effort to acquire the following items of foreign materiel for CONUS exploitation. When acquired and delivered to CONUS, the following exploitation responsibilities will be initiated:

- a. Long Track Radar Air Force
- b. SU-20 Aircraft Air Force
- c. AS-5 Missile Air Force
- d. AS-6 Missile Air Force
- e. SA-6 Missile System Army
- f. STRAIGHT FLUSH Radar Army
- g. SCUD B Missile Army
- h. KRAB Mine Navy

2. (S/NOFORN/WHINTEL) The security classification for exploitation of those items will be SECRET/NOFORN/WHINTEL. Due to the political and military sensitivity of these projects, it is essential that strict security procedures be established. Each Service must determine which personnel within their organization will have the need-to-know to initiate priority planning for receipt of those items on or about 24 July 1978. All personnel made privy to the information must sign a security statement before being given access to information or the equipment.

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3. (U) The DIA OPI for the exploitation phase of these projects will be DIA/DT.

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