24 June 1969

MEMORANDUM FOR:

Chief, CA Projects Missions & Programs Staff, Budget Group

SUBJECT

: Project AERODYNAMIC Renewal (FY 1970)

1. The project mentions the anticipated change in its funding procedures which, among other things, will enable the New York based PROLOG office to withstand questioning by New York authorities vis-a-vis its fiscal status. Heretofore, money was deposited by Office of Finance first to one bank and then to another, the latter to the account of PROLOG. PROLOG then drew the money it needed. In this instance, if questioned, PROLOG could not have documented its income beyond revealing that it came from a bank. The new system will supply attribution of funds.

The interesting thing here is that both notionals are fictional in address as well as in name, and will be backstopped by post office boxes only. The addresses will be existing large office buildings or dwellings selected expressly for the purpose of precluding successful cursory traces or checks on them. Return correspondence to both will be requested to be made via post office box rather than by street address, and the miling instruction will be so stated on the notionals' letterhead. Funds passed to PROLOG (New York office only) on a quarterly basis will be arranged by the Office of Finance via banks located in the respective cities mentioned, and appropriate receipts furnished PROLOG showing fund origin.

3. The  $\preceq$   $\exists$  bank account in the name of PROLOG will be eliminated, but funding of the Munich branch of

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**PROLOG** will continue via  $\mathcal{L}$  dank transfers as arranged by the Office of Finance (Note: This will not be a PROLOG account as interpreted from paragraph <u>B (2)</u> Changes of the project renewal, although PROLOG will be cited for attribution by the Munich recipients).

4. The project incorrectly states that Munich personnel of the project are not witting of U.S. Government involvement. For a fact, AECASSOWARY/6 knows of our support, and it would be safe to assume most if not all others, especially the older hands, either know or have speculated along these lines.

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