

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

LTR

NOV 5 - 1956

SUBJECT: Information Pertaining to WS 117L

TO: Director of Research and Development
HQ. USAF
Attn: AFORD-SS
Washington 25, D. C.

1. Reference is made to the request contained in your TMX AFORD-SS, 29 October 1956, for certain TOP SECRET information presented by representatives of the Western Development Division to the Coordinating Committee on Guided Missiles, QASD (R & D) on 26 October 1956.

2. Two (2) TOP SECRET charts were used during the presentation:

a. One of those is that found on page 8 of the TOP SECRET Supplement to the WS 117L Development Plan, 2 April 1956 which has been previously furnished to your headquarters. You are authorized to reproduce four (4) copies of this specific chart.

b. In accordance with your request referred to in Paragraph 1 above, four (4) copies of the other TOP SECRET charts used in the presentation are being forwarded to you under separate cover.

3. It is requested that the Secretary of the Coordinating Committee on Guided Missiles be advised in writing that the information contained on the two (2) TOP SECRET charts in question is only tentative due to the present uncertain status of the Development Schedule for WS 117L.

DOWNGRADED AT 12 YEAR
INTERVALS. AUTOMATICALLY
DECLASSIFIED. DOD DIR 5200.10

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

4. It is further requested that the Western Development Division, Attn: WDTK, be furnished a list of those personnel and their official positions who attended both the dry run of the WS 117L presentation on 25 October 1956 and the actual presentation to CCGM on 26 October 1956.

FOR THE COMMANDER:

HAROLD W. NORTON
Colonel, USAF

Asst Deputy Commander

CHARLES H. TERHUNE, JR.
Colonel, USAF
Deputy Commander
Technical Operations

WDTK
Lt. Col. Oder

dh

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~