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X1A REFERENCE OUR _____ DATED 25 MAY 1972. AFTER

CONSIDERING THE OFFICIAL U.S. DISCLOSURE POLICY ON THE USE OF RECONNAISSANCE SATELLITES AS A MEANS OF MONITOR-ING STRATEGIC ARMS LIMITATION AGREEMENTS, THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT DATED 17 JUNE 1972 HAS BEEN MADE BY HIGHER AUTHORITY. QUOTE: IT HAS BEEN DECIDED NOT TO REVEAL THE "FACT OF" THE TYPE OF VERIFICATION SYSTEMS THAT WILL BE USED TO MONITOR THE SALT AGREEMENTS. UNQUOTE. THEREFORE, THE DISCLOSURE POLICY OF NOT ACKNOWLEDGING OR

DISCUSSING RECONNAISSANCE SATELLITES REMAINS IN EFFECT.

THE PROVISIONS AND CONCEPTS OF THE ______ AND OTHER

CONTROL SYSTEMS REMAIN VALID. THIS MESSAGE MAY BE

LOCALLY REWORDED TO MEET SECURITY RESTRICTIONS

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