10 November 1955

EXHIBIT VIA

Subject: Diated Javelin in Afghanistan

REFERENCE (Redacted)

1. We have no desire to interview [person or entity redacted] in reference 2. However, we are most anxious to receive the reported results of [report or data redacted] Pertaining to this, please list in reference 2.

2. We are unable to determine the nature and use of the observed object. Consequently, we are very much interested in any further details which may be acquired, any samples of any metallic or other debris remaining, after such objects located would be extremely valuable.

3. Your attention is invited to the very close similarity between the accompanying report attached to reference 2, and a related press article on flying objects in Afghanistan datelined from Kabul on 1 October 1955, attached hereto.

Attachments 1

1  Forward

1  TD/1

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2  TD

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Circular to 2 "inventor 1" cases, // to ILF, subject
U-boat attacks in Afghanistan.

Below is a copy of a US article on flying objects in Afghanistan.

Kabul, Afghanistan, October 19 \*

The witness reports reaching Kabul said today the Soviets are
building a revolutionary bottle-shaped aircraft at a secrete base in
the remote and mountains region of north Afghanistan.

More than 200 residents of the Afghan "corridor" - a flier
of land filling earth towards Kabul - reported seeing the
strange craft which they first said looked like a "flying saucer."

The description of the witnesses was almost identical.
They said it was a disc like a soft drink bottle about 20 feet long,
with "fins" extending down from the bottom; apparently
similar to the new United States flying platform.

The aircraft appeared to be shooting out of the top end from the
bottom and there was a "trip" which officials look to as the
downward thrust of the air at high speed. The craft has a blue
band around the middle and from below, witnesses said.

The aircraft was seen on two separate occasions. Each time
it apparently took off from the mountain cliff, flew along the cor-
rider at a low altitude, hovered, went up and down, and then sped
away to the north at high speed.

Officials said the natives of the region were familiar with
modern day jets, helicopters and aircrafts. They were questioned
when reports of "flying saucers" reached the nearest Afghanistan
town of Panshet three weeks ago.