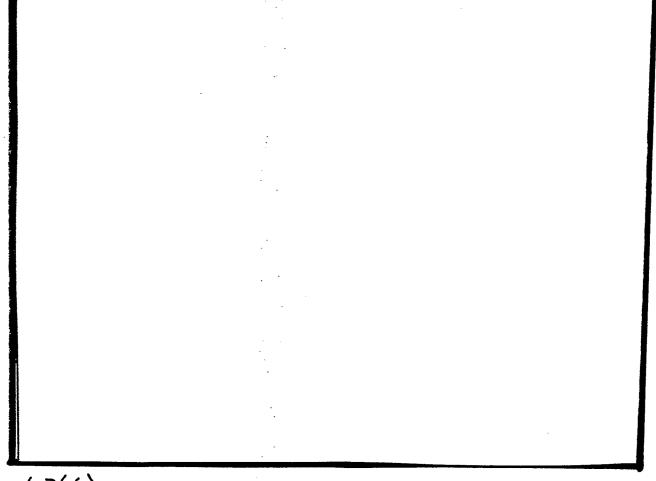
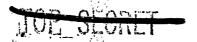


## RESUME OF US - FOREIGN NUCLEAR AGREEMENTS (Current as of October 8, 1968)

- 1. There are two major types of agreements influencing potential nuclear operations. The first type of agreement, the Stockpile Agreement, encompasses the NATO countries. Within the Stockpile Agreements, the United States has concluded third party clauses to provide atomic support for those countries' forces assigned to NATO and stationed in West Germany. In the second case, our rights to store nuclear weapons accrue from Base Rights Agreements which have provisions for the introduction of forces and equipment but do not specifically mention nuclear weapons.
- 2. Agreements are in force with the following countries, with restrictions as enumerated below:



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6.2(a) 3.3(b)(5)(6)<sup>2</sup>

The Southeast Asian Collective Defense
Treaty provides that signatories will act in accordance with their constitutional processes in the event of armed attack, but stipulates that no

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action may be taken on the territory of any State except at the invitation, or with the consent, of the government concerned. However, the USmeet the common danger in accordance with its constitutional processes in the event of an armed attack in the Pacific area. An armed attack on either party is deemed to include an armed attack on the metropolitan area of either, island territories under its jurisdiction in the Pacific, or its armed forces, public vessels or aircraft in the Pacific. Under these circumstances, prior consultation is not required by the Treaty.

6.2(a)

k. UNITED KINGDOM - Stockpile Agreement in effect. In addition, the President and Prime Minister have agreed to reach a joint decision, by personal discussion of the situation in question, prior to authorizing the use of US nuclear weapons by either US or UK forces operating from UK bases. This includes POLARIS submarines within British territorial waters. This mutual consent agreement has no bearing on the decision to employ US or UK forces located elsewhere.

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3. Agreements are in force with the following countries with no restrictions prevailing relative to the employment of US forces from their respective territories.

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