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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Briefing for Mr. Doug Olin (U)

1. (FOUO) On 5 April 1982, from 1000-1300 hours. Mr. Doug Olin, Office Management and Budget (OMB) was briefed on the INSCOM GRILL FLAME Program at Building T-2561, Fort Meade. Briefing was arranged by LTC Jordan. Attending were:

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COL BILLY MILLER - ADCSOPS-HUMINT, INSCOM
[REDACTED] IC STAFF
LTC CARL JORDAN - OACSI (ISH)
MR. CRAIG MILLER - OACSI (ISH)

2. (U) Briefing covered the topics listed below:

a. (U) Brief overview of INSCOM's organizational structure and where GRILL FLAME fits in (COL Miller).

b. (U) History of the INSCOM program (LTC Jachim).

c. (U) Differences in DIA and INSCOM role in the program (LTC Jachim).

d. (U) Presentation of evaluated projects (CW2 McMoneagle).

e. (C) Presentation of completed but unevaluated projects (CPT's Cowart and McNear).

3. (S/NOFORN) During the presentations specifics concerning R&D into parapsychology, methodology targeting and interview techniques were addressed to CPT Atwater.

4. (FOUO) Mr. Olin can be classified as an honest skeptic. He indicated he had no problem with the subject matter or INSCOM's involvement. Mr. Olin did state some of his associates did think that an R&D effort was a more appropriate approach. Mr. Olin stated that while he could not do much in the current (FY83) problem, he would provide support for FY 84 and beyond. He considered the level of activity "appropriate" as it now existed and in the projections for FY83 and beyond. Mr. Olin offered his recommendation to LTC Jordan that in the current reclama to Congressional action, some senior Army personnel should get involved.

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2. INSCOM Hstry
3. DIA/INSCOM Roles

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