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NATIONAL SECURITY ACTION MEMORANDUM NO. 172

TO: Secretary of State  
Administrator, National Aeronautics and  
Space Administration

SUBJECT: Bilateral Talks Concerning US-USSR Cooperation  
in Outer Space Activities

The President has reviewed the report on the current state of these conversations sent to him by the Under Secretary of State on July 5, 1962.

The President concurs in the general approach described in the report and has requested that the responsible agencies proceed to carry out the steps described in paragraphs one through seven of pages three and four.

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cc: Secretary of Defense  
Director of the Office of  
Science and Technology  
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