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4. In light of the foregoing, I feel that it is not only appropriate but essential at this time, to request a reconsideration of this problem by the NRO with a view toward making recommendations to the Ad Hoc Cover Committee and higher authorities as to whether we should continue with the currently approved contingency plan or take action to implement the proposed LRI surfacing. I would appreciate your comments at your earliest convenience.

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