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NATIONAL SECURITY ACTION MEMORANDUM NO. 302

MEMORANDUM TO: The Secretary of State
The Secretary of Defense

SUBJECT: Dispersal Plan for NORAD Air Defense Service

1. This will approve discussion of a plan for dispersal of US air defense aircraft and associated nuclear weapons to Canadian bases as an agenda item in the US-Canada Ministerial Joint Committee on Defense on June 25. It is understood that the Government of Canada has no objection to consideration of this item at this time.

2. The prohibition against initiating discussion of this subject with Canada contained in NSAM 248 of June 3, 1963, is accordingly withdrawn.

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NLJ 92-397
By cb, NARA, Date 10-5-95

McGeorge Bundy

cc: Chairman, JCS
Secretary of the Treasury

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Mr. Brubeck
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