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8 November 1962

**LIEMPTY Project Renewal Request**

1. It is requested that the LIEMPTY Project be renewed for the period 1 December 1962 thru 30 November 1963 for a total of \$49,900; \$30,400 for FY 1963 and \$19,500 for FY 1964. Funds in this amount have been programmed for this Project for the period requested above.

2. It is not anticipated that any training will be required during the next project year.

3. Emergency recontact instructions for Raymond H. GERENDE and Oliver G. SCANTLING are on file at Headquarters.

4. This project is primarily a support asset and is not designed to provide positive intelligence.

5. The first LIEMPTY field project outline was approved for the period 1 December 1958 thru 30 November 1959 and provided for the development of operational information through physical and photo surveillance, and support of other Mexico City operations, particularly those targetted against Soviet intelligence personnel and installations. The LIEMPTY project has continued since its original approval with a few changes in personnel and objectives. The personnel in this project man three basehouses and one photo truck designed to do full surveillance of the LIMERICK installation in Mexico City.

6. This project has been rated in the past as covering some of the most valuable investigative assets available to the Mexico City Station. A review of the project request for renewal indicates the continued efficiency of this project.

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7. The Station considers that the project is now operating at its optimum size and does not plan to expand during the coming year.

8. WH Division requests renewal of this project in accordance with the project renewal request attached hereto.

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PROJECT ACTION				PROJECT DESCRIPTION			
				LIEMPTY			
TYPE OF ACTION		X		FI-CE		CA	
NEW PROJECT APPROVAL	DIVISION WH Division						
AMENDMENT NO.	FIELD STATION Mexico City						
X GENERAL FY 1963	BRANCH WH/3		DESK Mexico				
EXTENSION	[ 03 ]						
TERMINATION	ROOM NO. 3 B 0003	BUILDING HQ	EXTENSION 5940				
CONCURRENCES OF DIVISION							
ORGANIZATIONAL ELEMENT	TYPED NAME (And signature)			DATE	COPY NO.	MEMORANDUM ATTACHED	
						YES	NO
CWH/3/Mexico	[ 26 ]			8 Nov 62			
CWH/3	[ 03 ]			8 NOV 1962			
WH/B&F	[ 03 ]			6 NOV 1962			
CWH/Support	Paul E. Arneson <i>Paul Arneson</i>			11/19/62			
WH/PO/A	- <i>apudtz</i> -			11/24/62			
CWHD	J. C. King <i>R. W. Herbert</i>			11/30/62			
CONCURRENCES OF OTHER COMPONENTS							
FI Staff	-3/ [ 03 ]			21 Dec 62	X		21 Dec 62
CI Staff	-3/ [ 03 ]			5 Dec 62			
CONCUR:							
Chief, DDP/PG	<i>S. M. Jones</i>			4 Jan 63			
APPROVAL							
PERIOD		TOTAL AMOUNT		FY	AMOUNT		
FROM	TO			1963	\$30,400		
1 Dec 62	30 Nov 63	\$49,900		1964	\$19,500		
APPROVING AUTHORITY Assistant Deputy Director (Plans)				SIGNATURE <i>Y. Karam</i>		DATE 4 Jan 63	