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SUBJECT: Proposal for and initial specifications of
         Project SUN STREAK bibliographic database. (U)

re: Memorandum, "Database programming for SUN STREAK bibliography (U)",
01 NOV 90

1.   (U) In accordance with verbal tasking received on 31 OCT 90, the
following design for a bibliographic database has been generated and
requires approval before programming can continue.

2.   (U) PURPOSE: To provide Operation SUN STREAK with a bibliographic
database which will allow timely retrieval of information about books,
articles, papers, etc. in print on subjects related to SUN STREAK
theories, principles, and SUN STREAK.

3.   (U) EQUIPMENT: The database programming will use DATABASE III+ as a
database vehicle, working on a Zenith 248 stand-alone system (IBM
compatible).

4.   (U) PROGRAM SPECIFICATIONS: In-house generated programming will
handle input/output operations, set up of data fields, input of data, and
backup and maintenance of the data files.

     a.   DATA INPUT:

          1)   Programming will include a specialized user interface
program which will allow simple input, editing, and deletion of records
by more than one user.

          2)   Provision is made for bulk entry, typed in from
bibliographic lists, or by single entry, as any one Project Officer finds
a new book or magazine article and wants it added to the database.

          3)   Programming will allow for merging of data records which
have been input by several different users on different machines.

     b.   INFORMATION RETRIEVAL: The database fields will be
specifically designed to meet the following retrieval requirements:

          1)   Find an entry according to title (or from input of only a
part of the title, if that is all the requestor can remember).

          2)   Find an entry according to author.

3)   Find an entry according to exact or approximate date.

4)   Generate a list of books/articles/papers dealing with any one selected subject matter (see Item 4.c., below).

5)   Generate a list of books/articles/papers which have been published by any one publisher, author, magazine, college press, or other publishing source.

6)   The database should also indicate whether or not the material is in our library.

c.   Subject matter fields which will be tracked are as follows (in alphabetic order):

1)   Animal ESP

2)   Automatic writing

3)   Bilocation

4)   Biological aspects of ESP

5)   Channeling/ mediumship

6)   Clairvoyancy

7)   Dowsing

8)   ESP aids (use of hypnosis, drugs, etc.)

9)   Evaluation techniques

10)   Governmental (foreign & domestic) involvement

11)   History of ESP

12)   Levitation

13)   Out-of-body experiences

14)   Personalities

15)   Psychokinesis

16)   Poltergeist phenomena

17)   Predictive methodologies

18)   Reincarnation

19)   Research

20)   Search

21)   Techniques used in ESP

22)   Telepathy / mental transference

23)   Terminology

24)   Theories of ESP

25)   Viewing (remote viewing)

   d.   FORMAT: Both data entry and information retrieval will be
accomplished using the an input screen similar to the following (new
fields may be added as the program is finalized):

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+-------------------------------------------------------------------+
!     TITLE: _____           !
!                                                                   !
!    AUTHOR: _____  DATE: _____            !
!                                                                   !
!PUBLISHER: _____  IN OUR LIBRARY:    _          !
+-------------------------------------------------------------------+
!ENTRY DEALS WITH: (Place an X in every category which applies!
!                                                                   !
! Animal ESP _    Auto.Writing _   Bilocation _  Biological _       !
! Channeling _    Clairvoyance _     Dowsing _    ESP aids _        !
! Evaluation _         History _  Levitation _       OOBE _         !
!    Persons _              PK _ Poltergeist _  Prediction _        !
! Reincarnat _        Research _      Search _  Techniques _        !
!  Telepathy _     Terminology _      Theory _     Viewing _        !
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        1)   Data entry will be accomplished by filling out the blanks
with the appropriate data and appending the record to the database.

        2)   Information retrieval will be accomplished by filling in
those fields which are desired or known and pressing a request button for
the record, the list of records, or for a notice that no such record
exists.

5. PROJECTED WORK SCHEDULE: The following proposed time schedule should
allow for unforseen interruptions:

TASK	PROPOSED COMPLETION DATE	STATUS
PHASE I		
Initial DB programming	01 NOV 90	Done
Request for desired OUTPUT sent	01 NOV 90	Done
Receipt of desired OUTPUT info	09 NOV 90	-----
Completion of DB programming	14 NOV 90	-----
Input of data begins	14 NOV 90	-----
Completion of Phase I input	21 NOV 90	-----
Final test of Database retrieval	22 NOV 90	-----
Report of Phase I completion	23 NOV 90	-----
PHASE II		
Input of data begins	26 NOV 90	-----
Status reports	Monthly	

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