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TO: MSC/Manager, Apollo Spacecraft Program Office  
MSFC/Director, Saturn V Project Office

FROM: OMSF, MA/Deputy Director, Apollo Program

SUBJECT: Saturn V/Apollo Spacecraft Guidance Computer Conference

I would like to express my appreciation for your contribution to the discussions of May 7, 1964, concerning our spacecraft and launch vehicle computer development programs. As a result, I believe all participants have a much better understanding of our joint problems. I would encourage continued inter-Center information cross-flow including participation in each other's design reviews.

The following is a summary of actions resulting from the meeting:

1. The Procurement Plan for the Apollo G&N system backup computer (TMR) is withdrawn from consideration.
2. MSC will prepare a plan calling for a one-year study effort leading to a detailed design of a modification of the Saturn guidance computer for spacecraft use.
3. MSC, MSFC, and Bellcomm will jointly explore the feasibility of and program ramifications involved in conducting an effort, similar to 2 above, but directed toward the use of the spacecraft computer in the Saturn vehicles. A joint report on this subject should be presented to Headquarters on or about June 1, 1964.
4. MSC will reexamine the present Block II computer concept as a part of the Guidance and Control Integration Study now in progress.

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No formal invitation, a list of those in attendance at the  
meeting is attached.

Original signed by  
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APOLLO GUIDANCE COMPUTER CONFERENCE  
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