

RE: AVROCAR SECURITY

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TO ALL SPECIAL PROJECTS GROUP PERSONNEL

All members of the Special Projects Group are reminded that efforts will probably be made in the near future by members of the press and other interested parties outside the Company to obtain confirmation or otherwise, of unofficial fragmentary information (press conjecture etc.) which may assist them in ascertaining technical data about the internal configuration and performance of the Avrocar.

As you know, the 'Avrocar' is being developed under United States Military contracts and strict adherence to the U.S. Armed Services Security Regulations is one of the basic conditions of these contracts, and any compromise of these regulations would, without doubt, produce serious consequences which may lead to termination of our contract.

Our record during the past five or six years has been so successful in maintaining security on this project that not even a single item of technical information has been divulged for public dissemination.

No doubt you will agree that this is a very enviable record. You can help us to keep it by your unwillingness to co-operate with parties whose motives are not fully understood.

However, when an official release is about to be made by the Company and the U.S. Armed Services, you will be advised of the context so that you may regulate your actions to conform to the limits of the information officially released.

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