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MEMORANDUM For Staff,

Subject: Organizational changes within the Engine Research Division.

1. The anticipated operation of the Propulsion Sciences Laboratory early in 1952 requires that leadership and an organizational framework be established at this time for operations and research in these facilities. Accordingly, the following organization changes are made within the Engine Research Division to be effective immediately.

2. The activities of the Propulsion Sciences Laboratory are to be combined with those of the Altitude Wind Tunnel. To perform the operations functions for these two facilities, a new branch is created under the leadership of Mr. A. W. Young to parallel the existing Operations Branch under Mr. A. E. Biermann. The group under Mr. Biermann will be responsible for operations in the Altitude Test Chambers and the remaining facilities of the Engine Research Division. Similarly, the research activities in the Propulsion Sciences Laboratory and Altitude Wind Tunnel will be combined into a branch headed by Mr. D. S. Gabriel to parallel the existing Altitude Test Chambers Branch under Mr. W. A. Fleming, whose responsibilities are unchanged.

3. As a result of these changes, the organization of the Engine Research Division will be as follows:

Division Chief -- Eugene W. Wasielewski
Acting Division Chief - Bruce T. Lundin
Staff Assistant - Fred Voss
Assistant to Division Chief - Richard P. Kreba

Engines Branch I

Branch Chief - David S. Gabriel
Assistant Chief - Martin J. Saari
Head, Section A - E. William Conrad
Head, Section B - Carl Meyer
Head, Section C - Reece V. Hensley

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Operations Branch I

Branch Chief - Alfred W. Young

Head, Section A - W. E. Riewaldt, Jr.

Head, Section B - J. Elmo Farmer

Engines Branch II

Branch Chief - William A. Fleming

Head, Section A - Thomas B. Shillito

Head, Section B - H. Dean Wilsted

Head, Section C - Eldon W. Hall

Operations Branch II

Branch Chief - A. E. Biermann

Head, Section A - Lester C. Corrington

Controls Branch

Branch Chief - John G. Sanders

Technical Consultant - Harold Gold

Head, Section A - George J. Pack

Head, Section B - Aaron S. Boksenbom

Eugene W. Wasilewski
Chief, Engine Research Division

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