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Letter from R. C. Treweeks, Defense Intelligence Staff, to Alan C. Goodison, Eastern Department of the Foreign Office

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Summary:
In his letter to Goodison, Treweeks declares that the Defense Intelligence Staff agreed with J. Koop's conclusion that Dimona was capable of pursuing a nuclear weapons program. Goodison's previous letter to Treweeks is attached.

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FOREIGN OFFICE, S.W.1.
November 27, 1964.

I enclose a copy of Hellas's letter 1242/64G of October 8 to me, about the Canadian DSI report Number 1/64, "Possible Israeli Military Nuclear Program," of which you were good enough to let us have a copy.

2. I should be grateful for any comment you can, without trouble, provide on this paper, which we could pass to Tel Aviv. We have not yet committed ourselves to the view in the fourth sentence of the summary prefixed to the paper. What do you think?

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Dear Gaddum,


The Canadian DSI paper 1/64 is, in our opinion, extremely well organised, makes the most of the basic material available and, as far as we can see, leaves none outstanding. We agree with what is said and with the conclusions.

I hope you will find that this answers the query in para. 2 of your letter. Such differences as there may be between ourselves and the Canadians would only be in shade and not in matter or conclusions and therefore are not worth dwelling upon.

Though your letter to me did not deal with any material from the report and was therefore graded SECRET we should be grateful if you would make it clear to A.D. that it (and any correspondence drawing on material from it) must, for the time being at any rate, be restricted to CANADIAN/UK EYES ONLY.

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