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Illustrative Deployment Program

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General

The following program illustrates how the US might initially approach the Allies to gain their agreement to specific forms of participation. It is an ambitious approach which would almost certainly have to be scaled-back or altered during negotiations.

Before initiating contact we would have to be able to make clear to each country:

- where we suggest the forces should be deployed;
- the approximate number of personnel involved (military, civilian and dependents);
- the cost to the host government;
- the facilities construction required;
- the peacetime pattern of deployments (both within and outside military installations);
- how the force might deploy in crises.

25X5, 25X6

The
best opportunity for cost-sharing is in the construction and maintenance of installations, either through host-nation support or NATO Infrastructure funding. The latter is preferable because it brings all countries into the program, but the former is probably easier to obtain in a short period of time. Host nations might also be asked to provide security forces.

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This illustrative program is based on permanent basing only. We should also be prepared to discuss alternatives, such as semi-permanent basing schemes, if some Allies refuse to accept basing. We should also be prepared to deal with the desiderata of some countries -- e.g., FRD

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Illustrative Specific Program

This illustrative program contains 108 Pershing II launchers 25X5
25X5 and 112 GLCM TELs 25X5 Assuming ..
retirement of UK Vulcan bombers, this would be a 25X5
25X5 -- the upper end of the HLG recommendation.

West Germany

- Upgrading of existing US Pershing I to Pershing II (108 launchers, 200 missiles).

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These two bases are close together and could probably share some support.

UK

- Deployment of a squadron (8 flights) of US GLCM on a US airbase in Britain -- 32 TEL, 128 missiles and about 750 US military personnel.
- Offer the British the purchase of a squadron of GLCM to operate themselves as a Vulcan replacement, 25X5
25X5

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- Statements that GLCM or Pershing could be deployed in those countries in a crisis or wartime.

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- Statements that long-range TNF could be based there some time in the future.