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1. (U) During recent conversation with the Secretary of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, the Chief of Naval Operations, the Deputy Chief of Staff, and the Joint Staff, the Secretary of the Joint Chiefs of Staff was very interested in the potential for using Diego Garcia as a fuel tender anchorage.

2. (U) It is to have this idea developed in order that additional information on the feasibility of such use on Diego Garcia can be presented to Deputy SECDEF.

3. (U) It is requested that an examination of such use be made by the Joint Staff in the form of a memorandum for the Secretary of the Joint Chiefs of Staff. It would be appreciated if this information could be provided by the close of business Wednesday, 1 November, in order that if it gets the Secretary's approval it may be included in the JCS report Friday next week.

Very respectfully,

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