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AF Civil Engineering Ctr. Site Selection Team, Engineering Survey of Farq. Atoll  
1 Apr 1970 (Conduct 11-25 Oct 1969), PRO: F60 32/720.

Based on need for stepping  $\rightarrow$  for long-range cargo aircraft to  
more supplies to islands. logs/av supply

USAF w/ B- want - loc. in I<sup>II</sup> for airbase. DIO<sup>II</sup> as "promising".

Mid. plan abandoned b/c of Royal Sec. app.

Farq. decided by 2 jets as next to survey.

2 "false starts" in '67 + '68

then 11-25 Oct '69 survey

Team called "Concrete Digger"