Suggestions for Disposing of X-System Equipment.

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## MEMORANDUM

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- 1. Inventory and store six SIGSALY terminals complete except for mechanical key which should be salvaged. These terminals need not be placed in operating condition before storing, but it should be ascertained that all components called for in the specification are on hand and in good physical condition.
- 2. Inventory and store three record producing equipments on same basis as above.
- 3. Inventory and store all OPEPS and LOPEPS equip- 3 to the store basis as above.
- 4. In the event of an emergency, Bell Laboratories might contract to:
  - (a) Place required number of terminals in operating condition.
  - (b) Train Army personnel to operate and maintain System.
  - (c) Undertake development of improved System utilizing the principles of the Junior-X System to reduce volume of equipment and amount of maintenance effort required.
- 5. If desired by the Army, Bell Laboratories might take on a small contract (say, \$15,000) in the next year or two to explore in a general way and block out a design pattern for the improved System mentioned in 4(c).

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