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SUBJECT
Value Engineering Techniques in Quality Control

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TO
Mr. J. H. Martin
General Electric Company
10C Plastics Avenue
Pittsfield, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Martin

1. I have just reviewed the technical report prepared by the AIA Special Committee on Value Engineering.

2. I was particularly impressed by your article entitled "Measuring the Value Program." Specifically, I was interested in your goal of integrating value engineering techniques in the quality control area. I would appreciate any additional information you could furnish on this subject.

3. I had the pleasure of visiting Pittsfield a couple of years ago and speaking to the local section of the American Society for Quality Control. Unfortunately, I recently had to decline a very kind invitation from Norm Cheever largely because of the manifold increase in the tempo of our value engineering activities.

Sincerely

C. C. Griffin, Colonel, USAF
Chief, Quality & Production Management Branch
Contract Management Division
Directorate of Procurement Policy

Copy to:
Dr. Van Vechten
Maj Gen Mechling

I am - I thought
you would be interested
in the attached.

Henry Martin

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