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The attached is a LIVE OAK status report which summarizes the measures connected with LIVE OAK contingency plans showing the present tripartite position together with individual governmental positions and readiness action taken. The report was submitted as of September 22, 1961,

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1. Interference with air access imminent.	e. Men JACK PINE CP on minimum basis.	General Norstad	Agree	Agree	Agree	Implemented 12 Sept. 61
	b. Use JACK PINE CP to control air corridor movements.	General Norstad (in emergency)	Agree	Agree	Agree	Warning Order issued 12 Sept. 61.
	c. Bring JACK PINE forces to state of readiness.	General Norstad	Agree	Agree	Agree	Ordered 12 Sept. 61.
2. Deny access by minor threats/actions.	a. Take action to prevent Hi-Jack tactics.	Awaiting authority	Under consideration	Under consideration	Under consideration	None
	b. Move sensitive passengers by military air. Air- craft not to land in East Germany under any circum- stances.	Awaiting authority	Under consideration	Under consideration	Under consideration	None
	c. Plan for retalia- tory measures against USSR/GDR Civil Aircraft	Awaiting authority	Under consideration	Under consideration	Under consideration	None
3. Threats by USSR/GDR to:-						
A. Withdraw controller	Agreed action at BASC (BERCON TRI D-11)	BASC/POLADS	Agree	Agree	Agree	None

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B. Refuse to guarantee safety of flight for civil aircraft.	Civil aircraft continue to fly as long as possible.	Now up to decision of companies and pilots.	Under consideration	Under consideration	Under consideration	LIVE OAK has requested pre- agreement on civil flight safety condition
C. Deny civil access by administrative harass-ment.	(1) Continue some civil flights under military arrangements.	Agreement in principle. General Norstad.	Not yet agreed	Agree	Agree	5 UK crews ready. 5 US crews ready.
	(2) Launch military transport probe.	General Norstad.	Agree. Alert status only.	Agree	Agree	Warning order issued 12 Sept. 61.
through by USSRIGDR to	(3) Substitute mili- tary for civil aircraft.	General Norstad	Only with governmental authority.	Agree	Agree	Warning order issued 12 Sept. 61.
D. Deny civil access by military action resulting in shooting or forcing down of an Allied aircraft.	(1) Dispatch military transport probe with minimum crew and without passen- gers.	General Norstad	Agree	Agree	Agree	Probes alerted 12 Sept. 61.
	(2) Bring JACK PINE forces to a state of alert.	General Norstad	Agree	Agree	Agree	Alert issued 12 Sept. 61.
	(3) Implement plan to substitute military for civil aircraft.	General Norstad	Only with governmental authority.	Agree	Agree	Warning order issued 12 Sept. 61.
	(4) Place fighters on airborne alert at corridor entrances.	Awaiting tripartite authority	Only with governmental authority.	Agree	Agree	None

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