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MANNED SPACECRAFT CENTER
HOUSTON, TEXAS 77058

REPLY TO
ATTN OF: CB

March 22, 1972

MEMORANDUM

TO: SKYKING
FROM: THE SMEATERS
SUBJECT: Weekly SMEAT Bleat

No significant training occurred this week, due to slips in the chamber buildup schedule. We have published a new training schedule which reflects the slips. This is the latest on SMEAT:

1. We have selected books and tapes for use with the Off Duty Activity Equipment. Some problems were incurred with getting the correct items. It is suggested that a more favorable way to obtain these for Skylab would be to find a means whereby the crews could purchase them directly.

2. We have once more expressed concern regarding the CAPCOMM support for SMEAT to T. McElmurry. We currently have 2 men to cover 12 hours a day, 7 days a week for 56 days.

3. We had a meeting with those people responsible for SMEAT food on 21 March. Some problems still exist regarding menus. We are currently working these problems.

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