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L. Fletcher Prouty

why verry  
recall  
need-to-know

in either Dec 59 or Jan 60 may Feb 60 -  
working Tibet, Cuba, Laos, Vietnam, Congo

Agency came to Prouty - <sup>in Pentagon</sup> past him no  
Agency ID

year before had selected Eglin as air site - for  
good chunk of air paramilitary capacity -  
had plenty of briefing up Air Division in  
Helms' Shop - / of Covert Action Staff <sup>McCafferty</sup>  
Mike Mitchell, personnel, or successor would  
have records - <sup>Bob Kahn</sup>

among missions were drops into Cuba

on this one occasion, special job, wanted  
L-28 - Agency owned, but AF cover - helio could  
wanted pilot to take two men to road near Havana

necessity was to stand down the Defense Com.  
change in insignia

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interpretation of faces -  
1-1-49 Dulles & Jackson & ~~Kennedy~~ <sup>Kennedy</sup> report -  
philosophy changed, NSC role changed from  
direction to approval --

(P) says (4) & (5) restricted by coordination  
role of preamble

protection of sources & methods req.  
of DCI, not CIA -

10/2 - on margin of original 54/12 - DDE's  
writing grafted, but that if ever necessary to  
perform clandestine ops, so small it could be  
plausibly denied -

Agency's hardware came from French force  
concept

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