MEMO FROM A. SILVERSTEIN

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JAN 15 1976

VODN; / AM ENCLOSING A COPY OF THE LETTER / SENT MRIGHT ON TOUR NYDROGEN HISTORY - / THINK YOU CAPTURED BOTH THE FACT AND THE SITUATION IN YORR STUDY AND / CANNOTED READING IT. IT WAS ALMOST LIKE RELIVING IT.

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## January 15, 1976

Mr. Monte D. Wright Director of History Office NASA Washington, DC 20546

Dear Mr. Wright:

I have reviewed Mr. Sloop's history of liquid hydrogen and found it to be an engrossing and accurate account of historical developments leading to the use of liquid hydrogen in the Appollo mission. It is also the only accurate existing history of propulsion and vehicle developments in the early years of NASA.

I enthusiastically endorse the publication of this history which has been prepared by John Sloop and suggest that he be commended for his dedication and diligence in searching out the facts and presenting them in such an interesting way.

The quotes attributed to me on pages 634 and 636 of the manuscript are approved for release. I have not attempted any detail editing of the document but I believe the essential activities in which I participated are accurately portrayed.

Sincerely,

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