Netref

The main use I see, for Netref, is for quick reference, for relatively experienced users. It would contain no (or very little) descriptive material -- more on the order of the type of info given by <esc> and "?" on Tenex (a bit more verbose). I'd like to be able to have a portable terminal and Netref and not need anything else to do work (assuming I had read the conceptual material previously).

Conceivably, Netref would merely be a catalogue, if sites produced adequate documentation. I like the idea of COLLECTING it in one place (document), though. For one thing, it is then possible to keep ONE distribution list (rather than one per site) and easier for a new person to get a complete set of documentation.

If we could get the material online, we could have a program collect the updates. That is why our defining a format would be so helpful. Probably, we should define a set of acceptible formats, off of current ones, to keep from requiring (and therefore not getting) heavy changes.

The New Users packet seems to me to be more general and introductory. If anything, we are talking about and Old Users Packet.

Sorry to hear you have been sick. Hope it's all better now....by the way, looks like the Great Sigma Power-down will be the 28th. (There is talk of getting 2001's Hal saying goodbye to Dave (but that is not public info). Dave.

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20657 Distribution Nancy J. Neigus,

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Netref

(J20657) 30-NOV-73 17:31; Title: Author(s): David H. Crocker/DHC; Distribution: /NJN; Sub-Collections: NIC; Clerk: DHC;

DHC 30-NOV-73 17:39 20658

Sysgd and Proclist

Deann --thanks for the comments and info (and other good things). I'll try the file manipulation in a while.

I would like a copy of my index program's output of Sysgd. I didn't do it myself as per your request on OP use.

Procs without comments are carefully deleted, since it is assumed that the user won't know what the proc is for, unless there are comments to explain.

I.E., my index assumes a fairly naive user, rather than (as sysgd assumes) a fairly knowledgeable one. (Think about what the user has to index on).

I think that both indices are needed, but for different uses. Keeping my Proclist pgm around makes updating easy (could even be the tailend of your Sysgd-generating pgm.

Dave.

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20658 Distribution N. Dean Meyer, Sysgd and Proclist

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(J20658) 30-NOV-73 17:39; Title: Author(s): David H. Crocker/DHC; Distribution: /NDM; Sub-Collections: NIC; Clerk: DHC;

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Newsletter Group

Jean -- dince since there is a fiar amount of mail being generating concerning the Newletter, and there are a fair number of people involved, it might be convenient to create a NEWS (or somesuch) group. Would make note passing simpler.

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20659 Distribution Jean Iseli, Newsletter Group

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(J20659) 30-NOV-73 17:44; Title: Author(s): David H. Crocker/DHC; Distribution: /JI; Sub-Collections: NIC; Clerk: DHC;

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Jean - I just perused the beginning of the December Arpanetnews. Suggest you change the participants list to read

the womenof the nic ... rather than the girls of the nic.

Unless they like chauvenism. Dave.



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20660 Distribution Jean Iseli, (J20660) 30-NOV-73 17:51; Title: Author(s): David H. Crocker/DHC; Distribution: /JI; Sub-Collections: NIC; Clerk: DHC;

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A new NLS

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Hello, the new NLS (RNLS) is up. Just trying out the journal.

20661 Distribution

Charles H. Irby, Donald C. (Smokey) Wallace, Diana S. Kaye, Elizabeth K. Michael,

A new NLS

(J20661) 1-DEC-73 00:08; Title: Author(s): J. D. Hopper/JDH; Distribution: /CHI DCW DSK EKM; Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC; Clerk: JDH;

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This version was issued in Hardcopy as 19862

Cost Estimate:

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> COST ESTIMATE FOR FIRST YEAR WORKSHOP UTILITY SERVICE ( total facility)

Personnel Costs

Senior Prof	4087	hrs.		
Prof	4799	hrs.		
Clerical	1600	hrs.		
Total Di	rect L	abor	5	84,246
Payroll Burden @ 26%				21,904
Total La	bor an	d Burden	1	106,150
Overhead	@ 105	5%		111,458
Total Pe	rsonne	l Costs	1	217,608

Direct Costs	
Travel	14,160
30 trips East @ \$318 = \$ 9,540	
120 Days Subsistence @ \$31 = 3,720	
Auto Rental 60 days @ \$15 = 900	
Communications	3,000
Materials and Supplies (tape, paper)	1,500
Utility Computer Support Subcontract	535,080
Documentation Costs	4,648
Total Direct Costs	558,388
Total Estimated Cost	775,996
Fixed Fee	46,560
Total Estimated Cost Plus Fixed Fee \$	322,556
ARPA CONTRACT SHARE: 60% = \$	493,534

These costs are further explained in the Schedules that follow.

Cost Schedules:

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# SCHEDULE A

### DIRECT LABOR

Direct labor charges are based on the actual salaries for the staff members contemplated for the project work plus a judgmental factor applied to base salary for merit increases during the contract period of performance. Frequency of salary reviews and level of merit increases are in accordance with the Institute's Salary and Wage Payment Policy as published in Topic No. 505 of the SRI Administration Manual and as approved by the Defense Contract Administration Services Region.

#### SCHEDULE B

#### OVERHEAD AND PAYROLL BURDEN

Based on projected 1973 budget data, higher overhead and payroll burden rates were formerly negotiated. However, these have been adjusted downward (with the concurrence of the Resident Government Auditor) to reflect more favorable cost experience through the first six accounting periods.

Rather than setting forth these specific rates, it is requested that contracts provide for reimbursement at billing rates acceptable to the Contracting Officer subject to retroactive adjustment to fixed rates negotiated on the basis of historical cost data. Included in payroll burden are such costs as vacation, holiday, and sick leave pay, social security taxes, and contributions to employee benefit plans.

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#### SCHEDULE C

#### TRAVEL COSTS

Air fare is based on prices for travel to Washington, D.C., at \$318 round-trip tourist established in the Official Airline Guide dated 1 October 1973.

Domestic subsistence rates and travel by private autonobile are established standards based on cost data submitted to and approved by DCAA.

#### SCHEDULE D

#### DOCUMENTATION COSTS

Report costs are estimated on the basis of the number of pages of text and illustrations and the number of copies of reports to be produced, in accordance with the following rates per page which have been reviewed by DCAA:

The following is a breakdown of the estimated cost of report production:

Printing, 507 pages at \$ 6.06 per page = \$	\$ 3,072
(including editing, composition, report coord	tination,
proofreading)	
Press and bindery at \$ .021 per printed page =	1,176
(for 180 printed pages - 200 copies,	
and 200 printed pages - 100 copies)	
Mailing Costs =	400
Total Estimated Documentation Costs	4,648

# SCHEDULE E

UTILITY COMPUTER SUPPORT SUBCONTRACT COSTS See previously furnished (to ARPA) subcontract bid by Tymshare, Inc., Cupertino, California, dated 12 October 1972, updated 24 October 1973.



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(J20662) 1-DEC-73 07:54; Title: Author(s): Stanford Research Institute /SSRI-ARC ; Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC; Clerk: JCN ; Origin: <NORTON>UTILARPACOSTS.NLS;1, 1-NOV-73 07:44 JCN ;

JCN 1-DEC-73 08:03 20663

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A Name For The Workshop Utility: KWCS1

After considering several alternative names for the Workshop Utility PDP-10 computer facility to be operated by TYMSHARE, we have chosen "KWCS1" as the facility designation to be used in the TENEX herald message and in documentation relating to the initial Workshop Utility Service computer facility.

KWCS1 stands for "Knowledge Workshop Computer Service Number One", implying extension to numbers two, three, etc. as the service expands to additional machines.

The term KWCS1 may well cause some users to ask thenselves (or us) "but what does it stand for?". We feel that this question will aid us (a bit) in getting the "knowledge workshop" concept across to our users.

If one HAS to say KWCS1, it might sound like "quicks one" (?), although most people will probably refer to the service as "the workshop", the "utility" or such, rather than KWCS1.

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We assume that the TIP will be named: TYMSHARE-TIP.

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#### 20663 Distribution

Donald C. (Smokey) Wallace, Richard W. Watson, Don I. Andrews, Michael L. Marrah, A. Jim Blum, Duane L. Stone, Lawrence H. Day, Michael T. Bedford, Connie K. McLindon, John S. Perry, Robert N. Lieberman,

James H. Bair, A. Jim Blum, Meredith(Reddy) E. Dively, Jeanne M. Leavitt, Rodney A. Bondurant, Jeanne M. Beck, Mark Alexander Beach, Judy D. Cooke, Marcia Lynn Keeney, Carol B. Guilbault, Susan R. Lee, Elizabeth K. Michael, Charles F. Dornbush, Elizabeth J. (Jake) Feinler, Kirk E. Kelley, N. Dean Meyer, James E. (Jim) White, Diane S. Kaye, Paul Rech, Michael D. Kudlick, Ferg R. Ferguson, Douglas C. Engelbart, Beauregard A. Hardeman, Martin E. Hardy, J. D. Hopper, Charles H. Irby, Mil E. Jernigan, Harvey G. Lehtman, Jeanne B. North, James C. Norton, Jeffrey C. Peters, Jake Ratliff, Edwin K. Van De Riet, Dirk H. Van Nouhuys, Kenneth E. (Ken) Victor 1b

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A Name For The Workshop Utility: KWCS1

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(J20663) 1-DEC-73 08:03; Title: Author(s): James C. Norton/JCN ; Distribution: /SRI-ARC MLM JIMB DLS LHD MIKE CKM JSP RLL ; Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC; Clerk: JCN ;

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# Change of address: JJ Regan

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I received a letter from Lee Norton, of the Navy Personnel Research and Development Center in San Diego. She is secretary to Dr. James J. Regan, and requests that Dr. Regan's mailing address be changed to read as follows:

Dr. James J. Regan

Technical Director

Navy Personnel Research and Development Center

San Diego, California 92152

It used to be Naval Training Equipment Center, Orlando, Florida. I assume you are in a better position to pass this on to whoever it should go to than I. Thanks. Don't know why they sent it to "Dr. N. Dean Meyer" See you soon. --Dean



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20664 Distribution James C. Norton, 1 1 a Change of address: JJ Regan

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(J20664) 1-DEC-73 13:56; Title: Author(s): N. Dean Meyer/NDM; Distribution: /JCN; Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC; Clerk: NDM;

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After reading (20637,), I assume you will be using the User Program INMES. Let me know if you have any problems. --Dean

# 20655 Distribution

Susan R. Lee,

1 1a (J20665) 1-DEC-73 14:04; Title: Author(s): N. Dean Meyer/NDM; Distribution: /SRL; Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC; Clerk: NDM; Note

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# Mike,

I made it back in one piece. Sharon met me and wisked me off to the Spinners and Weavers Guild show. As usual they had some very very beautiful stuff.

But to more mundane things. I forgot to ask you for details on what a slot on the new utility provides to the in terms of disk space, cpu time, etc. We (ANTS) are going to have and have quite a bit of on-line documentation. I personally wouldnt mind seeing a large portion of it at NIC for the obvious reasons of being able to view it thru NLS, etc. So I would like to know what a slot gets you and how much additional disk space is and all those sorts of things adminstrators talk about.

Once again I would like to thank you and Elaine for a most wonderful evenning and hospitality. I think I have Sharon convinced to come out for the USING meeting.

John

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20666 Distribution Michael D. Kudlick, 1 1a Note

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'(J20666) 1-DEC-73 15:35; Title: Author(s): John D. Day/DAY; Distribution: /MDK; Sub-Collections: NIC; Clerk: DAY; Origin: <ILLINOIS>NOTETOMDK.NLS;1, 1-DEC-73 15:13 DAY; Request for Thls Guide

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Marcia,

Could you have the new TNLS users guide sent to me. I would prefer this technique since our locally printing facilities are less than adequate. Thank you, John Day



20667 Distribution

Marcia Lynn Keeney,

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(J20667) 1-DEC-73 15:39; Title: Author(s): John D. Day/DAY; Distribution: /MLK; Sub-Collections: NIC; Clerk: DAY;

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Dialog with KTP

#### Response to Pogran

Ken, the enclosed is a copy of the index I promised to send; in NLS, to see and of them, simply type to the prompt "\*", (##,) and then after it finds it, will type the first part, and a <LF> will print sugsequent parts; if you want to print back up, use, †. Hope you find these interesting and continue your interest and response to user needs especially relative to improving NLS from a netusers point of view. Looking forward to more dialog...take care ken,.....Jean

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Dialog with KTP

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Answered RWW 7 Nov 73 (20090) - Agreement for help on Structured File Transfer Protocol Development	1a5a1
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20668 Distribution Kenneth T. Pogran, Jonathan B. Postel,

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(J20668) 2-DEC-73 07:29; Title: Author(s): Jean Iseli/JI; Distribution: /KTP JBP; Keywords: nls-netuser-improvements; Sub-Collections: NIC SRI-ARC; Clerk: JI;

J1 2-DEC-73 07:45 20669

· Suggested NLS/NIC Query enhancements [ ADO suggestion ]

Buz: Your recent suggestions concerning tR and tW are well taken, I would very much invite you to initiate a dialog through the Journal relative to netuser point-of-view improvements that should be considered both for NLS and for NIC Query. We have begun doing this and title them NLS Suggestions, or whatever, and circulate them to the following distribution list: RWW, JCN, CHI, MDK, DCEHGL, [and if you like, buz, we are interested; ie: Ident=I]. If you would like a list of links to some of the suggestions we have made, please let me know and I can send you the list [index.] Also, some others that we have been considering include the use of (ESC) in both NLS and NIC Query to unambiguously specify files easily [ this type of human engineering consistency with TENEX I believe is neded], another is the use of †0 in reading your journal mail - I find that two †0's stops the current item and allows reading of the next and that three 10's does finally stop printing Journal Mail ..... Sonshoe, one would think that one \$0 should stop it.

I think the kind of interest you express Buz, if directed through a Journal Dialog to the list above mentioned, would be another positive step towards ensuing NLS and NIC Query evolution in the interests of the greater network community of users, both sophisticated and otherwise relative to network usage.

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Thanks Buz.....please let me know what you decide, ..... Jean

20669 Distribution

A. D. (Buz) Owen, Kenneth T. Pogran, Al J. Rosenfeld, David M. Grothe, John D. Day, Alan R. Hill, Clayton A. Greer, Jean Iseli, Jim J. Calvin, Mil E. Jernigan,



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JI 2-DEC-73 07:45 20669

Suggested NLS/NIC Query enhancements [ ADO suggestion ]

(J20669) 2-DEC-73 07:46; Title: Author(s): Jean Iseli/JI; Distribution: /ADO KTP I; Keywords: nic-query-journal-dialog-enhancements; Sub-Collections: NIC SRI-ARC MITRE-TIP I; Clerk: JI;

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Re (,20650)--Names in the HELP syntax branch

Good idea, let's consider it when we go through HELP to build links and change names when necessary, ok?....by the way, we should be making plans for that project--like when to get together, etc. --Jeanne



20670 Distribution Kirk E. Kelley, Re (,20650)--Names in the HELP syntax branch

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(J20670) 2-DEC-73 12:18; Title: Author(s): Jeanne M. Beck/JMB; Distribution: /KIRK; Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC; Clerk: JMB; DLD2 Problem rec, Journal Mail

Marsha, Would you check into this please? Thanks, Jim

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DLD2 Problem rec, Journal Mail

DLD2 30-NOV-73 06:54 20646 DAUGHTRY's Directory....RADC

Message: Jim I talked to you here earlier about my initials file. The problem is two-fold. First, I lost all the information in Bethke's old file and I need it for guidance in some work I was doing (I refer to bethke's initials file)...Secondly, since creation of the directory in my name I have not recieved any JOURNAK mail at all. AKW experts here think that I may not be in the RADC group. Please fix the two problems for me as soon as you can. Thanks ... Dave Daughtry

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20671 Distribution Marcia Lynn Keeney, Dirk H. Van Nouhuys, David L. Daughtry,

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DLD2 Problem rec, Journal Mail

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(J20671) 2-DEC-73 16:15; Title: Author(s): Janes H. Bair/JHB; Distribution: /MLK DVN DLD2; Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC; Clerk: JHB; UK Problems with Sendprint

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Re: "Problems with SENDPRINT" Stephen R. Wilbur/SRW; UK-ICS (IJJURNAL, 20594,)

Smokey: This seems to be a problem on the programming level. Realizing that Sendprint is a tentative program at best, could we still offer some help across the ocean until our new system comes up? Jim



## 20672 Distribution

Stephen R. Wilbur, Donald C. (Smokey) Wallace, Janes C. Norton, Kirk E. Kelley,





UK Problems with Sendprint

(J20672) 2-DEC-73 16:48; Title: Author(s): James H. Bair/JHB; Distribution: /SRW DCW JCN(info) KIRK; Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC; Clerk: JHB; Goings on at BBN and SADPR

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Jim, I noticed that you werent on the distribution for this, so in case you didnt get it some other way, here is the link and some of the questions it raised. I would like to go back ther and talk to then about training at some time,

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Goings on at BBN and SADPR

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DLS 29-NOV-73 10:25 20625 Trip to SADPR, ESD Location: (IJOURNAL, 20625, 1:w)

NOTES: What Primer? .. What and when is anything going to be done with the Scholar teaching system? Expand the coverage to whom? (Should coordinate on policy) .

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20673 Distribution

James C. Norton, Dirk H. Van Nouhuys, Nancy J. Neigus, Nancy J. Neigus,



Goings on at BBN and SADPR

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(J20673) 2-DEC-73 17:28; Title: Author(s): James H. Bair/JHB; Distribution: /JCN DVN(info) NJN NJN(please send latest version primer); Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC; Clerk: JHB;

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MESSAGE FROM UK RE DAVIS MCCARN.

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MESSAGE FROM SYLVIA KENNEY, UKICS-TIP HELLO, JEAN, PETER KIRSTEIN ASKED ME TO CONTACT YOU RE DAVIS MCCARN'S VISIT TO BRITISH MUSEUM. I AM SORRY I WAS NOT ABLE TO MAIL THE TIPDIAL-UP NO. YOU REQUESTED, DUE TO NETWORK TROUBLE. HOWEVER, I CONTACTED DR. HARVEY, WHO IS INVOLVED WITH MR. MCCARN'S VISIT AT THIS END, SO ALL WILLBE WELL. I AM MAILING THIS THRU THE JOURNALAS I DO NOT KNOWWHERE YOU HAVE MAILING BOXES. COULD YOU PLEASEME A MESSAGE AT ISI (KIRSTEIN ACC.) OR THRU JOURNAL SYSTEM(ID=SK) LISTING YOUR MAILBOXES IN CASE I NEED TO CONTACT YOU IN FUTURE? THANKS, BEST WISHES, SYLVIA KENNEY(LIAISON) P.S. SORRY ABOUT BAD TYFING1



20674 Distribution Jean Iseli,

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MESSAGE FROM UK RE DAVIS MCCARN.

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(J2067h) 3-DEC-73 04:35; Title: Author(s): Sylvia Kenney/SK; Distribution: /JI; Sub-Collections: NIC; Clerk: SK; WWMCCS status report (November 30, 1973)

# WWMCCS OPERATING SYSTEM STUDY GROUP

The next WWMCCS operating system release that will be studied at the RADC ficillity will be release 4.0. This version of the WWMCCS O/S includes several enhancements such as the extended memory, new security features, the ANSI 68 COBOL compiler, and WWDMS B.2 corrections. The WWDMS of this release is to satisfy 315 of the 698 operational capabilities requirements.

The RADC/IS team that will attempt to load the operating system and other software on our H635 computer includes:

> Trad, David team leader Walker, Robert team co-leader Wingfield, Michael Lamonica, Frank

Robinson, Richard

WWMCCS TASKS IN RADC/IS

A summary of on-going work in RADC/IS will be submitted at a later date.

AABNCP REMOTE TERMINAL SYSTEM STUDY

A general work plan has been given to IS (Al Barnum) for review. ISI personnnel will prepare a more detailed work plan to use during the Remote Terminal Study. Also, the AABNCP SPO will be formally notified of our plan which calls for work to start in February 197h and to complete in March 1975. WWMCCS status report (November 30, 1973)

### WWMCCS TRAINING

The training program to date is not fixed to include a scheduled program. The objective now is to have several engineers complete a series of Honeywell sponsored courses related to the GCOS software. The course include: 1) 601 Introduction to series 6000 (2 days), 2) 602 6000 Utilities and Job Control Language (3 days) 3) 605 General Macro Assembly Programming (10 days), 4) 607 Disk Management (4 days) 5) 620 System Software (5 days), 6) 630 GCOS analysis (10 days). The rest of the training involve the establishment of study teams to load and run the WWMCCS software and programs on the H635 computer. As shown above the teams will consist of fourr to five people from throughtout IS and will include at least two who have completed Honeywell course 630 (item 6).

The following individuals have completed the course series to course #630:

Walker, Robert

Kalynycz, John

Wingfield, Michael

Other individuals who have not completed the courses but are considered knowledgeable of the GCOS software include: Mclean, Liuzzi, Van Alstine, Trad, Robinson, Mark, and Falzarano. 20675 Distribution Richard H. Thayer, Rocco F. Iuorno, Frank J. Tomaini,

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WWMCCS status report (November 30, 1973)

(J20675) 3-DEC-73 05:38; Title: Author(s): David L. Daughtry/DLD2; Distribution: /RHT2 RFI FJT; Sub-Collections: NIC; Clerk: DLD2; Origin: <DAUGHTRY>WWMCCS-STATUS.NLS;1, 30-NOV-73 08:00 DLD2;

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ISI data base update (3 dec 73)

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Donna hopefully we can begin using the guide that I prepared to update the datta base. If you have any problems then see me. we can agree that others can review some of the records if it appears that there are too many for ypou to handle alone. I'll be glad to help if needed. Otherwise,, I will assume that all is well. good luck....dave 20676 Distribution Donna R. Robilotta, Roger B. Panara, ISI data base update (3 dec 73)

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(J20676) 3-DEC-73 05:47; Title: Author(s): David L. Daughtry/DLD2; Distribution: /DRR2 RBP; Sub-Collections: NIC; Clerk: DLD2;

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#### NETREF, and sundry topics re USING mtg

#### Dave --

It sounds like okay reasons to me, but I still have some doubts about how many people would use this sort of thing. (I have had my doubts all along.) Many sites are proprietary about their documentation as well. But I guess we should at least bring it up at the meeting and get some more opinion on it.

Beginning list of topics for agenda: CCL, TAMAL, NETREF, documentation in general, progress report on New Users Packet. I'll get to it later this week and send you a pointer to what I have come up with.

By the way, Bob Thomas stopped in to see me the other day about the old issue of why there is no Tenex person in USING. I said I would remedy that if he told me who the person should be. He said to put him down; so would you please switch him (RHT) from USERS to USING. He should also be invited to the January meeting, though I have unoffcially done that already. He said someone (meaning he or Paul Johnson) would probably come....but not definitely. So we all carry on. See ya soon. Nancy





20677 Distribution David H. Crocker,

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NETREF, and sundry topics re USING mtg

(J20677) 3-DEC-73 06:39; Title: Author(s): Nancy J. Neigus/NJN; Distribution: /DHC; Sub-Collections: NIC; Clerk: NJN; BBN Contacts for NLS-SCHOLAR

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Mario and Laura - the reference is (IJOURNAL, 20673, 1:w)

## BBN Contacts for NLS-SCHOLAR

Jim--

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I'm not the appropriate contact at BBN for the NLS-SCHOLAR project. I suggest you get in touch with Mario Grignetti (ident = MCG) or Laura Gould (ident = LEG). Nancy 20678 Distribution James H. Bair, Mario C. Grignetti, Laura E. Gould,

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BBN Contacts for NLS-SCHOLAR

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(J20678) 3-DEC-73 06:57; Title: Author(s): Nancy J. Neigus/NJN; Distribution: /JHB MCG LEG; Sub-Collections: NIC; Clerk: NJN; NEW TNLS USERS' GUIDE

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PLEASE SEND US A COPY OF THE NEW THLS USER'S GUIDE.

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20679 Distribution Marcia Lynn Keeney,

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NEW TNLS USERS' GUIDE

(J20679) 3-DEC-73 07:48; Title: Author(s): Laura E. Gould/LEG; Distribution: /MLK; Sub-Collections: NIC; Clerk: LEG;



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Utility Name suggestion

Jim, I think "Ul" or "Wl" would be a better and simpler name for the Utility computer. -- Charles.

20680 Distribution James C. Norton,

Utility Name suggestion

(J20680) 3-DEC-73 10:06; Title: Author(s): Charles H. Irby/CHI; Distribution: /JCN; Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC; Clerk: CHI;

JMB 3-DEC-73 10:31 20681

Updating SYNTAX, FUNCTION & EXAMPLE branches of HELP

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# Re SYNTAX, FUNCTION, & EXAMPLE branches of HELP (3-DEC-73):

SYNTAX branch is no longer frozen! It will be the first of the three branches to reflect the newest changes in the workings of commands (I'm reading the <NLS>SYNTAX every week & translating changes into our syntax). In some cases I will simultaneously correlate the branch under EXAMPLE & FUNCTION; if I do NOT check the other branches, I will still make notes of what is yet to be done in (userguides, changes, database: xbbmG).

Note: Dean is finished with examples for Editor; I will update Editor examples; Kirk will do examples for Programs.

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### 20681 Distribution

Edwin K. Van De Riet, Susan R. Lee, Douglas C. Engelbart, James H. Bair, Elizabeth K. Michael, Richard W. Watson, Elizabeth J. (Jake) Feinler, Harvey G. Lehtman, Kirk E. Kelley, Laura E. Gould, N. Dean Meyer, Jeanne M. Beck, Charles F. Dornbush, Dirk H. Van Nouhuys, Michael D. Kudlick, James C. Norton, Updating SYNTAX, FUNCTION & EXAMPLE branches of HELP

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(J20681) 3-DEC-73 10:31; Title: Author(s): Jeanne M. Beck/JMB; Distribution: /DIRT; Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC DIRT; Clerk: JMB;

#### Response to JONS (20663,)

For the record, I think 'KWCSL' is a remarkably poor name for the Utility. Some comments and questions:

> Who is 'we' in 'we have chosen'?

> Is this to be the machine's Standard Host Name? Fortunately, its numeric host address will be more easily pronounced and remembered.

> I can't employ the term 'Knowledge Workshop' with a straight face. I resent having to use it as often as explaining the Utility's name will require.

> How about leaving room for expansion -- 'KWCSOOL'?

20682 Distribution

Donald C. (Smokey) Wallace, Richard W. Watson, Don I. Andrews, Michael L. Marrah, A. Jim Blum, Duane L. Stone, Lawrence H. Day, Michael T. Bedford, Connie K. McLindon, John S. Perry, Robert N. Lieberman,

James H. Bair, A. Jim Blum, Meredith(Reddy) E. Dively, Jeanne M. Leavitt, Rodney A. Bondurant, Jeanne M. Beck, Mark Alexander Beach, Judy D. Cooke, Marcia Lynn Keeney, Carol B. Guilbault, Susan R. Lee, Elizabeth K. Michael, Charles F. Dornbush, Elizabeth J. (Jake) Feinler, Kirk E. Kelley, N. Dean Meyer, James E. (Jim) White, Diane S. Kaye, Paul Rech, Michael D. Kudlick, Ferg R. Ferguson, Douglas C. Engelbart, Beauregard A. Hardeman, Martin E. Hardy, J. D. Hopper, Charles H. Irby, Mil E. Jernigan, Harvey G. Lehtman, Jeanne B. North, James C. Norton, Jeffrey C. Peters, Jake Ratliff, Edwin K. Van De Riet, Dirk H. Van Nouhuys, Kenneth E. (Ken) Victor Response to JCNs (20663,)

(J20682) 3-DEC-73 13:34; Title: Author(s): James E. (Jim) White/JEW; Distribution: /SRI-ARC MLM JIMB DLS LHD MIKE CKM JSP RLL; Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC; Clerk: JEW;

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Rand Status

#### Donna

I have a few questions about the status of various people at your site.

Awhile ago someone at your site sent Jake Feinler (the resource notebook person here) the latest Rand site write-up. It contained some information contradictory to things we have on record here.

Your list has Lynne van Driest as Station Agent -- has she replaced Jacquie Priest??

Your own ident is listed on the Rand write-up as DRC -- it is really DRC2 -- this is important as people may send a journal message to the wrong person if the wrong ident is listed.

The ident for Bill Myers is listed on the write-up as WPM -- he's known as BPM in our system.

Similarly, Bob Rapp is listed in the write-up as RRR. In our system he is RAPP.

So, let me know about the status of Jacquie . I t would be a good idea to update the write-up to include the correct idents which I have listed above.

Please let me know if you have any staff changes, as I'm responsible for maintaining an up-to-date directory of network participants.

Thanks,

Marcia

20683 Distribution Donna R. Cooper, Marcia Lynn Keeney,



Rand Status

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(J20683) 3-DEC-73 14:09; Title: Author(s): Marcia Lynn Keeney/MLK; Distribution: /DRC2 MLK; Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC; Clerk: MLK; Origin: <KEENEY>RAND.NLS;2, 3-DEC-73 14:05 MLK;

#### coordination: nlm/mitre-tip/ul-ics

Sylvia: Thank you for your response. I hade also left Davis the telephone number there in case we did not recieve a response in time. You may direct sndmsg mail to me to any of the following network addresses: ISELI@ISI, HELP@NIC, and POH@CASE=10. Also, POH@BBN works, but this account is employed less frequently. Thank you for your help, ...Jean 20684 Distribution Sylvia Kenney,

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coordination: nlm/mitre-tip/ul-ics

(J20684) 3-DEC=73 14:13; Title: Author(s): Jean Iseli/JI; Distribution: /SK; Sub-Collections: NIC; Clerk: JI;

The enclosed statement, when run thru the OP, causes a printout of...gton, D(AC 202... Clearly the wrong thing.

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5031 V Street, N.W. Washington, D(AC 202) 333-6573 20685 Distribution Bgs Bugs, Diane S. Kaye, Harvey G. Lehtman, Charles H. Irby, N. Dean Meyer,

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(J20685) 3-DEC-73 lh:L2; Title: Author(s): David H. Crocker/DHC; Distribution: /BUGS NDM; Sub-Collections: NIC BUGS; Clerk: LYNN; NIC message

Dear Mr. Maras,

We have recently discovered that our mailings to your site have exceeded the number permitted. Through an oversight on our part we have continued your weekly mailing as an Associate while adding two new mailings to Norsar's newly appointed Liason (P. Tveitane) and Station Agent (O.A. Hansen).

Since we are allowed to send only two mailings to each network Site, We must ask one of your recipients to discontinue his mailing. Since Norsar has graduated from Associate to full Site status, we thought it most logical to ask you if you would mind discontinuing your Weekly mailing from us.

We are sorry for the mix-up. Let us know whether the above solution is amenable.

Thank you, Judy Cooke

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(J20686) 3-DEC-73 14:50; Title: Author(s): Marcia Lynn Keeney/MLK; Distribution: /NM; Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC; Clerk: MLK; Origin: <KEENEY>MARAS-MESSAGE.NLS;1, 3-DEC-73 14:14 MLK; 20686 Distribution Nils Maras,

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John ... I've checked briefly with Jim Bair at ARC about the mechanisms for distributing the resources of the new Utility among the "slots". One slot costs \$40,000 for one year, and entails a continual (i.e., 16-hour-per-day) login privilege for one user at a time, along with roughly one-twentieth of the system's resources at all times.

Distribution of the other resources, such as

number of directories, number of idents, number of disk pages per directory, amount of CPU time, extent of Journal, Output Processor, and other Subsystem usage, etc.,

remains flexible, which I think at the present means "negotiable, depending on need". To get a better answer than what I'm able to give you, John, I suggest that you pose your questions directly eitner to Jim Bair or to his manager, Jim Norton ( I am not directly concerned with the Utility at this time ):

Jim Norton (JCN) NORTON@SRI-ARC Jim Bair (JHB) BAIR@SRI-ARC

PS: One point that I think you missed: The Utility will have a duplicate of the NLS software that is currently at the NLC. The Utility's software will be updated every few months to reflect advances and changes to NLS made at ARC.

PPS: was really good to see you again. Thanks for the reference to 30 Nov Science article on environment and econ, ... Elaine and I enjoyed very much our evening together; glad you did too. And very glad Sharon is coming to USING. Bring raincoats. January's wet here.

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20687 Distribution John D. Day, James H. Bair,

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(J20687) 3-DEC-73 15:18; Title: Author(s): Michael D. Kudlick/MDK; Distribution: /DAY JHB( A copy of what I sent to John Day at Ill-ANTS project); Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC; Clerk: MDK; Origin: <KUDLICK>JDAY.NLS;3, 3-DEC-73 15:16 MDK ;

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Case-10 Mailing list update

Yes, I'm the person who should know about personnel changes at your site. You said that you had updated the journal master file -- do you mean the identfile?? Let me know what the changes are and I'll make them on this end.

Regards,

Marcia

20688 Distribution Jim O. Calvin,

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Case-10 Mailing list update

(J20688) 3-DEC-73 16:29; Title: Author(s): Marcia Lynn Keeney/MLK; Distribution: /JOC; Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC; Clerk: MLK; Origin: <COOKE>JOC.NLS;2, 3-DEC-73 16:27 JDC;



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DLD2 Problem

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Jim, Dave Daughtry IS in the RADC-TIP group@already. Better check with Jeff on this problem. Marcia 20689 Distribution James H. Bair,

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DLD2 Problem

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(J20689) 3-DEC-73 16:34; Title: Author(s): Marcia Lynn Keeney/MLK; Distribution: /JHB; Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC; Clerk: MLK; Hostname information

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I am about to put out a list of hostnames and related information.	T
Could you verify or complete the following information for me at your earliest convenience so that I can include it in the list?	2
(UKICS-360)?	2a
(WHERE)	2a1
University of London	2ala
Computation Center	2alb
44 Gordon Square	2alc
London, W.C.l ENGLAND	2ald
(IMP-HOST-NO.) 42/0	222
(HOST-ADDR) 42	283
(SITE-STATUS) SERVER	224
(DATE-UP) Up now	2a5
(CONTACT) ?	226
(COMPUTER) PDP-9 to an IBM 360/195	227
(OPERATING=SYSTEM) ?	228
(COMMENTS) !What will primary function be?!	2a9
(UKICS-?)	20
(WHERE)	201
University of London	2bla
Institute of Computer Science	2010
44 Gordon Square	2blc
London, W.C.l	2bld
England	2ble
(IMP-HOST-NO.) 42/1	202



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Hostname information

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(HOST-ADDR) 106	203
(SITE-STATUS)	204
(DATE-UP) ?	205
(CONTACT) ?	206
(COMPUTER) ?	207
(OPERATING-SYSTEM) ?	208
(COMMENTS)	209
(UKICS-TIP)	2c
(WHERE)	201
University of London	2cla
Institute of Computer science	2clb
44 Gordon Square	2clc
London, W.C.l	2cld
England	2cle
(IMP-HOST-NO.) 42/2	202
(HOST-ADDR) 170	203
(SITE-STATUS) TIP	2c4
(DATE-UP) Up now	205
(CONTACT)	206
Adrian V. Stokes (Liaison) Ol 387-3421 ext 360	2c6a
(COMMENTS)	207
Are there any other hosts planned for your IMP? If so, please include similar data for any I have missed. Thanks for your help.	3
Sincerely,	4
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20690 Distribution Peter Kirstein,

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# Hostname information

(J20690) 3-DEC-73 18:57; Title: Author(s): Elizabeth J. (Jake) Feinler/JAKE; Distribution: /PK; Sub-Collections: SRI-ARC; Clerk: JAKE; Origin: <FEINLER>UKICS-NOTE.NLS;2, 3-DEC-73 18:48 JAKE;

Marcia,

Yes i did mean the ident file, sorry. At any rate, AJR (Al Rosenfeld)

is now our coordinator, JPB (John Barden) is the station agent, and JOC (jim calvin) is the liasion. If there is any further information i can give you please let me know.

> thanks, jim calvin

20691 Distribution Marcia Lynn Keeney,

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(J20691) 3-DEC-73 21:01; Title: Author(s): Jim O. Calvin/JOC; Distribution: /MLK; Sub-Collections: NIC; Clerk: JOC;

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## more about utilities

## Mike,

I hate to keep bugging you but I still dont really understand what \$40,000 buys you. One twientieth of what? And what happens if we lay 4,000,000 bytes of documents on the system? Will the Utility cover distribution, printing, etc.? The point being that most places (those other than ARPA ) are generally much more careful about their money. We really do need much more detailed information. John

20692 Distribution Michael D. Kudlick,

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more about utilities

(J20692) 3-DEC-73 21:25; Title: Author(s): John D. Day/DAY; Distribution: /MDK; Sub-Collections: NIC; Clerk: DAY; Origin: <ILLINOIS>NOTETOMDK.NLS;1, 3-DEC-73 21:18 DAY;



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## ARPANET News Article

### Jean:

My sincerest apologies. I have not been able to do work on the ARPANET News article again until this morning. I was immensely busy last week and SRI was down or the net was down whenever I tried to get on with it. It looks now as if it will have to go into next month's issue, although I have got the majority of my thoughts down now. They still need tidying up, and Peter (K) would obviously like to see it first.

Peter is at present in the states. If I can get his comments tomorrow it should be finished by the weekend,

Cheers .. Steve

20693 Distribution Jean Iseli, ARPANET News Article

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(J20693) 4-DEC-73 01:22; Title: Author(s): Stephen R. Wilbur/SRW; Distribution: /JI; Sub-Collections: NIC; Clerk: SRW;

## ARPANET News Article

#### Steve:

No problem about how soon the article, we well understand the pressures of site work and can easily accomodate your schedule. Incidentally, I gave Davis McCarn of the National Library of Medicine here in the states your telephone number. He may need access to your TIP to demonstrate Medline to the British Museum. I hope you do not mind my having taken this liberty.

Very much look forward to your article and appreciate the interest and consideration you are according us.

With warmest regards, ....Jean





ARPANET News Article

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(J20694) 4-DEC-73 05:26; Title: Author(s): Jean Iseli/JI; Distribution: /SRW MEJ; Keywords: srw-arpanetnews-article; Sub-Collections: MITRE-TIP NIC; Clerk: JI;

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### Possible ARPANET News Article ; March '74

Mr. Jean Iseli The MITRE Corporation NSDD,W185 Westgate Research Park McLean, Virginia 22101 U.S.A. (703) 893-3500 Ext. 2373

Mr. Joe B. Wyatt Director, Office for Information Technology Harvard University 1730 Cambridge Street Cambridge, Massachusetts 02138

3 December 1973

Dear Joe:

Thank you for your kind response to my prior request. I would be very pleased to have you consider submitting further information for the ARPANET News in March of \*74. The work you have undertaken is indeed of substantial interest and potential benefit to the ARPANET community.

As you may recall, the USING Working Group has indicated appreciable interest overlapping your own area. May I suggest that you consider attending its forthcomming meeting at SRI-ARC the 3rd and 4th of January 1974. There are probably many ways in which an active interface between the USING group and your efforts could be mutually beneficial.

As a step towards achieving the objectives of USING (which have been recorded in several recent issues of the ARPANET News), the December issue of the News provides a brief discussion, by Mike Padlipsky, of several implementations of a common text editor on a collection of heterogeneous hosts. Also, work is progressing in the area of a network level help facility to which all hosts may attach. Recently, a new network information subsystem, <jedir>rex.sav@case=10, has neared completion, and a paper is to be given at the forthcomming conference in Hawaii by Dr. Jack Benoit of MITRE. I believe these steps, as well as your own, are highly important to the further evolution of networking, especially, as you indicate, in providing services to a broad and diverse community of users at all levels of

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sophistication.

More recently, an informal group of network collaborators has been formed and are known as the I-Colony group. Areas in which this group is expending effort coincide more than a small amount with those of USING and those indicated in your recent letter. The group is exploring Team-Building and Organizational Structures Optimized to achieve specified objectives through distributed collaboration. Many of the members of I-Colony will also be at the USING meeting.

If you are considering attending the USING meeting, please feel free to contact Mil Jernigan at SRI-ARC [(415) 326-6200 Ext 4775] who has offered to assist in making local arrangements.

Thank you for your interest and most gracious response to our recent request.

Warmest regards,

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(J20695) 4-DEC-73 05:34; Title: Author(s): Jean Iseli/JI; Distribution: /JBW DHC I; Keywords: harvard-News-article-using; Sub-Collections: I MITRE-TIP NIC; Clerk: JI; Origin: <HELP>HARVARD.NLS;1, 3-DEC-73 08:32 JI;

#### Name for the Utility

I'm inclined to agree with JEW (20682) that KWCS1 is perhaps a silly-sounding name for a rather serious facility. Once I started pronouncing it "quicksy" to rhyme with "Trixie" all was lost. An alternate approach is suggested to me by the example of a theatre owner in Seattle who thought he'd open up a place next door to his theatre as a coffee shop. After an open competition to select a suitable name, he just called it "The Place Next Door" and it was a resounding success. By analogy, we want to create an office or a secretary, so why not just call it that? That is, just call it "OFFICE1"?

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Name for the Utility

(J20696) 4-DEC-73 06:53; Title: Author(s): John S. Perry/JSP; Distribution: /JCN JEW RWW JSP; Sub-Collections: NIC; Clerk: JSP;