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Charlottesville, Virginia

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MEMORANDUM

TO: J. Findlay J. Payne  
M. Gordon B. Peery  
B. Horne

FROM: H. Hvatum

SUBJECT: 12-M Telescope Working Group (36-Foot Upgrading)

I wish to set up a working group to look into a possible upgrading of the 36-foot reflector. I hope you will be able to participate in this group. We should start by getting together for a planning meeting soon. I suggest 24 March 1981, 1330 EST, and I have set up a teleconference for that time. The number to call is 203-797-1305.

John Findlay has written a nice proposed "way of doing it" and I feel it could be a starting point for our discussions. Please read it carefully before the meeting.

I suggest that we establish a numbered memo series for this project similar to what we have for the 25-m. Cathy Burgess, Electronics Division, Ivy Road office, will handle this. The two first memos in the series, no. 11 and 12, are included. (I have reserved numbers 10 and below for "old" memos that might turn up and which we want incorporated. Don't laugh, it has proven useful in other projects.)

cc: M. Balister  
M. Roberts

Attachments