

- e. Forward Operating Locations (FOLs) and Dispersed Operating Bases (DOBs) for AWACS and fighter aircraft at existing airfields in Canada; and
- f. communications and other equipment necessary to provide connectivity with, and interoperability of, the above noted system components, and to ensure adequate command and control of intercepts in the surveillance areas.

GENERAL RESPONSIBILITIES

3. This Section details procurement and program arrangements and provides the basis for negotiations for those components of the system which require further definition and funding appropriations.

4. *North Warning System*

- a. Canada and the United States have decided to replace the DEW line with an upgraded system to be called the North Warning System (NWS). This system will be composed of Long Range Radar (LRR) and Short Range Radar (SRR) stations. Eleven LRRs will be located in Canada (eight at existing DEW line sites). Two LRRs will be located in Alaska at existing DEW line sites. 36 SRRs will be located in Canada. Three SRRs will be located in Alaska.
- b. Principles for sharing NWS program acquisition and installation responsibilities and costs are contained in the "North Warning System Acquisition Proposal" attached hereto.

5. *Over-the-Horizon-Backscatter (OTH-B) Radar System*

- a. The United States intends to acquire, install and operate an OTH-B system. The system will be located in the United States and will consist of East Coast, West Coast, Central United States, and Alaska radars with associated communications. The United States will fund all costs of acquisition, installation, operations and support of the system, except as identified in item b. below. Ownership of all aspects of the system will rest with the United States.
- b. As agreed by the parties, Canada will jointly man those sites with coverage and command and control implications for the North American Air Defence mission in Canada. Details of the joint manning will be determined by the respective air staffs in consultation with CINCNORAD.