STATUS OF PROJECTS AS OF MONDAY, 22 APRIL, AT 1200

Note by the Secretary

The enclosed status of Central Intelligence Group projects is circulated for the information of the National Intelligence Authority, the Intelligence Advisory Board, and Assistant Directors of the C.I.G.

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STATUS OF C.I.G. PROJECTS AS OF MONDAY, 22 APRIL, AT 1200

1. PROJECTS COMPLETED SINCE 15 APRIL

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<tr>
<th>Reference</th>
<th>(Date)</th>
<th>Project Description</th>
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<td>CIG Admin Ord #4</td>
<td>16 Apr</td>
<td>Activation of the Administrative Division, by order of the Director CIG, 16 April.</td>
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<td>CIG Admin Ord #3 (Rev)</td>
<td>19 Apr</td>
<td>Activation of the Central Reports Staff. Revision of the order 4 March, by order of the Director CIG, 19 April.</td>
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<td>CIG 6</td>
<td>12 Apr</td>
<td>Proposed Survey of Joint Intelligence Study Publishing Board (JISPB). CIG 6 approved by informal action of Intelligence Advisory Board, 19 April. Enclosure to CIG 6 accordingly issued, same date, as CIG Directive #7 (For present status of survey, see Section 4 of this report).</td>
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2. PROJECTS AWAITING N.I.A. ACTION

None.

3. PROJECTS AWAITING I.A.B. ACTION

None.

4. PROJECTS IN PREPARATION

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<th>Cognizance</th>
<th>Initiation</th>
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<td>Central Planning Staff (CPS) (PRIORITY)</td>
<td>14 Feb</td>
<td>Coordination of Intelligence Research. Recommendation from ONI (Capt. Gregory) referred to Central Planning Staff. Assigned to Intelligence Branch.</td>
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<td>CPS</td>
<td>20 Feb</td>
<td>Census Bureau. Offer of Studies. CPS and representatives of IAB members have explored services offered by the Bureau. Information Branch sponsoring examination by other interested departments of Bureau facilities.</td>
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<td>CPS</td>
<td>26 Feb</td>
<td>Disposition of Files of United States Strategic Bombing Survey (USBSB). Request from USBSB for CIG views. Referred to CPS. Under study by Intelligence Branch.</td>
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CIG Status of Projects - 1 - Enclosure
Development of Intelligence on USSR. Plan initiated by MIS. Proposed CIG action, as drafted by CPS, under consideration by the Director.

Proposed Permanent Interdepartmental Committee for Acquisition of Foreign Publications. Memo from State (Mr. McCormack) referred to CPS. Study prepared by Information Branch now under consideration by Chief, CPS.

Liquidation of Security Advisory Board, OWT. CPS studying SWNCC 252/1, which contains proposal that new board contemplated in SWNCC 252 be placed under NIA. Under study by Security Branch.

Censorship Planning. Study being undertaken by CPS in anticipation of formal request. Assigned to Security Branch.

The Essential Elements of Information. CPS initiating a plan of development. Assigned to Policy & Review Branch.


Intelligence on Foreign Industrial Establishments. Recommendations from State, 14 March (Mr. McCormack) referred to CPS.

Coordination of Scientific Intelligence. Dr. H. F. Robertson has been appointed senior scientific consultant to Director CIG. Initial coordination meeting being arranged with representatives of IAB.


Survey of the Function of Monitoring Press and Propaganda Broadcasts of Foreign Powers. Survey and recommendations of Ad Hoc Committee referred to CPS. Draft of NIA action has been prepared and is under review in CPS.
Intelligence on Foreign Petroleum Developments. Memorandum from State (Mr. McCormack) referred to CPS for recommendation.

CPS 15 Apr

CPS 18 Apr

Coordination of Geographic and Related Intelligence. Recommendations from State (Mr. McCormack) referred to CPS.

CPS 19 Apr

Publication's Review Subcommittee (of Joint Intelligence Committee) Recommendations of Joint Intelligence Committee in JIC 86/9 referred to CPS.

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5. PROJECTS IN DEFERRED STATUS

CPS 6 Mar

Interior Department: Services of Proposed Minerals Attache. CPS to undertake report and recommendations when-and-as Departmental program receives Congressional approval.

CPS 8 Mar

Intelligence Terminology. CPS initiating survey of usages, with recommendations. Further action awaiting activation of Support Branch.

CPS 18 Mar

Resources Potential Program. Under study in CPS on own initiative. Assigned to Intelligence Branch with support from Information Branch. Initial report submitted shows problem must be deferred pending solution of two broader problems under study.