CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE GROUP

STATUS OF PROJECTS AS OF MONDAY, 29 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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Secretary, N.I.A.
ENCLOSURE

STATUS OF C.I.G. PROJECTS AS OF MONDAY, 29 APRIL, AT 1200

1. PROJECTS COMPLETED SINCE 22 APRIL
None.

2. PROJECTS AWAITING N.I.A. ACTION
None.

3. PROJECTS AWAITING I.A.B. ACTION

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<td>CIG 7</td>
<td>24 Apr</td>
<td>Policy on Clearance of Personnel for Duties with Central Intelligence Group. CIG 7, a memorandum by the Director of Central Intelligence, under informal consideration of the Intelligence Advisory Board.</td>
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<td>CIG 1/1</td>
<td>26 Apr</td>
<td>Provision for Monitoring of Press and Propaganda Broadcasts of Foreign Powers. Proposed recommendations to National Intelligence Authority under informal consideration of IAB.</td>
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<td>CIG 8</td>
<td>29 Apr</td>
<td>Development of Intelligence on USSR. CIG 8, a memorandum by the Director CIG, being circulated to IAB for consideration.</td>
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4. PROJECTS IN PREPARATION

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<th>(Cognizance)</th>
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<td>Central Planning Staff (CPS)</td>
<td>14 Feb</td>
<td>Coordination of Intelligence Research. Recommendation from ONI (Capt. Gregory) referred to Central Planning Staff. Study in progress by Intelligence Branch.</td>
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<td>CPS</td>
<td>20 Feb</td>
<td>Census Bureau: Offer of Studies. CPS and representatives of IAS members have explored services offered by the Bureau. Further recommendations of CPS awaiting Director's consideration.</td>
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<td>CPS</td>
<td>25 Feb</td>
<td>Disposition of Files of United States Strategic Bombing Survey (USSBS). Request from USSBS for CIG views. Referred to CPS. Under study by Intelligence Branch.</td>
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Proposed Permanent Interdepartmental Committee for Acquisition of Foreign Publications. Memo from State (Mr. McCormack) referred to CPS. Action being given further study by Information Branch.

Liquidation of Security Advisory Board. New board contemplated in SWGOC 252 was reestablished on 3 April as SWGOC Subcommittee for Security Control. CPS designating liaison officer thereto. Ultimate placing of Board under NIA under study by Security Branch.

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

Intelligence Terminology. CPS initiating survey of usages, with recommendations. Assigned to Support Branch.

The Essential Elements of Information. CPS initiating a plan of development. Under study by Policy & Review Branch.

Resources Potential Program. Under study in CPS on own initiative. Assigned to Intelligence Branch with support from Information Branch. Study now in progress.

Survey of Facilities for Collecting Foreign Intelligence Information by Clandestine Methods. Survey in progress by Information Branch.

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

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


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29 Mar
CPS (PRIORITY)

5 Apr
CPS
Intelligence on Foreign Petroleum Developments. Memorandum from State (Mr. McCormack) referred to CPS for recommendation.

15 Apr
CPS
Memorandum from State (Mr. McCormack) referred to Central Planning Staff.

18 Apr
CPS
Coordination of Geographic and Related Intelligence. Recommendations from State (Mr. McCormack) under study by CPS.

19 Apr
CPS
Publications Review Subcommittee (of Joint Intelligence Committee) Recommendations of Joint Intelligence Committee in JIC 85/9 referred to CPS.

22 Apr
CPS

22 Apr
CPS
Photographic Intelligence File in the Department of State. Recommendations of Mr. McCormack referred to CPS.

23 Apr
CPS
Central Register of Intelligence Information. Under study in Central Planning Staff on CPS initiative. Assigned to Intelligence Branch with assistance of Support Branch.

5. PROJECTS IN DEFERRED STATUS

6 Mar
CPS
Interior Department; Services of Proposed Minerals Attaches. CPS to undertake report and recommendations when-and-as Departmental program receives Congressional approval.

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