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STATUS OF C.I.G. PROJECTS AS OF MONDAY, 3 JUNE, AT 1200

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1. PROJECTS COMPLETED SINCE 27 MAY.

(Reference)	(Date)	<u>Index of United States Residents of</u>
CIG Dir	31 May	<u>Foreign Intelligence Potential. Directive</u>
#10		for a survey issued by Director of Central Intelligence (For status of survey, see Section 4 of this report).

2. PROJECTS AWAITING N.I.A. ACTION.

None.

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(Reference)	(Date)	<u>Provision for Monitoring Press and</u>
CIG 1/1	26 Apr	<u>Propaganda Broadcasts of Foreign Powers.</u>
		IAB defers final action on CIG 1/1 and 1/2 in 4th Mtg., pending further study. Central Planning Staff charged with study and recommendations to DCI (See Section 4 of this report for status of CPS action).

CIG 9	31 May	<u>Provision for Coordinating the Acquisition of Foreign Publications.</u> Memorandum from the Director of Central Intelligence (CIG 9) submitted to IAB for informal consideration.
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4. PROJECTS IN PREPARATION.

(Cognizance)(Initiated)

Central Planning Staff (CPS) PRIORITY	14 Feb	<u>Coordination of Intelligence Research.</u> Preliminary CPS studies completed. CIG action on that phase of problem relating to allocation of research responsibilities now in preparation by Intelligence Branch, CPS.
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CPS	26 Feb	<u>Disposition of Files of United States Strategic Bombing Survey (USSBS).</u> Revised recommendations pursuant oral instructions of DCI under review by Chief, CPS.
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CPS	7 Mar	<u>Censorship Planning.</u> General problem, together with ONI views on subject, under study by CPS.
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CPS	8 Mar	<u>Intelligence Terminology.</u> CPS initiating survey of usages, with recommendations. Assigned to Support Branch.
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CPS 15 Mar The Essential Elements of Information.
(PRIORITY) CPS initiating a plan of development.
Under study by Policy & Review Branch.

CPS 18 Mar Resources Potential Program. Two planning
problems assigned; intelligence produc-
tion problems to Intelligence Branch,
and collecting problem to Information
Branch; under joint study.

CPS 19 Mar Application of Sampling Technique to
Intelligence. Under study by CPS committee
headed by Support Branch.

CPS 21 Mar Survey of Facilities for Collecting Foreign
(PRIORITY) Intelligence Information by Clandestine
Methods. Survey pursuant to CIG Directive
#3 in progress.

CPS 22 Mar Intelligence on Foreign Industrial
(PRIORITY) Establishments. Recommendations from
State, 14 March (Mr. McCormack) referred
to CPS. Two planning problems assigned;
intelligence production problem to
Intelligence Branch, and collecting prob-
lem to Information Branch; under joint
study.

CPS 28 Mar Coordination of Scientific Intelligence.
(PRIORITY) Two planning problems assigned; intelli-
gence production problem to Intelligence
Branch, and collecting problem to Informa-
tion Branch. Drafts of systems for co-
ordinating research and collection
respectively now under review by Chief,
CPS.

CPS 28 Mar Survey of Coverage of the Foreign
Language Press in the United States.
Survey completed by Information Branch
pursuant CIG Directive #4. Draft under
review by Chief, CPS.

CPS 29 Mar Interim Study of the Collection of Intel-
(PRIORITY) ligence Information in China. Draft of
CIG action completed and under review by
Chief, CPS.

CPS 5 Apr Intelligence on Foreign Petroleum
Developments. Two planning problems
assigned; intelligence production problem
to Intelligence Branch, and collecting
problem to Information Branch under joint
study. These problems are subsidiary to
those under "Intelligence on Foreign
Industrial Establishments", above.

CPS 15 Apr  e
(Mr. McCormack) assigned to Information
Branch for study. Draft of CIG action
completed and under review by Chief, CPS.

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CPS 18 Apr Coordination of Geographic and Related Intelligence. Assigned to Intelligence Branch to study in connection with JISPB survey. Study in progress.

CPS 19 Apr Publication Review Subcommittee (of Joint Intelligence Committee). Proposed CIG action on recommendations in JIC 86/9 now under review by Chief, CPS.

CPS 22 Apr Survey of the Joint Intelligence Study Publishing Board (JISPB). Survey in progress by Intelligence Branch pursuant CIG Directive #7. Preliminary findings under review by Chief, CPS.

CPS 22 Apr Photographic Intelligence File in the Department of State. Recommendations of Mr. McCormack under study by CPS committee headed by Support Branch.

CPS 23 Apr (PRIORITY) Central Register of Intelligence Information. Under study in Central Planning Staff on CPS initiative. Under study by Intelligence Branch with assistance of Support Branch.

CPS 9 May (PRIORITY) Provision for Monitoring of Press and Propaganda Broadcasts of Foreign Powers. CPS further recommendations to Director CIG as to problems raised in CIG 1/1 and 1/2 awaiting information from State Department.

CPS 13 May Coordinated Utilization of Private Research in the Social Sciences. Memorandum from State (Mr. Langer) referred to CPS for recommendation and comment.

CPS 31 May Index of United States Residents of Foreign Intelligence Potential. Information Branch, CPS, conducting survey pursuant to CIG Directive #10.

5. PROJECTS IN DEFERRED STATUS

CPS 4 Mar Liquidation of Security Advisory Board;

CPS 4 Mar Liquidation of Security Advisory Board, OWI. Board contemplated in SWNCC 252 reestablished on 3 April as SWNCC Subcommittee for Security Control. DCI has designated CIG liaison officers thereto. Ultimate placing of Board under NIA to be studied by Security Branch.

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