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TERMS OF REFERENCE FOR PHASE "B", ESCAPEE-DEFECTOR STUDY

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I. The Problem:

To prepare a national psychological strategy plan prescribing specific courses of action with respect to defectors, escapees, refugees, and potential guerrillas from and in the Soviet orbit.

II. The Objectives:

A. To reduce the power of the U.S.S.R. by application of psychological and other pressures to the above designated segments of population resources under its control.

B. To enhance the power of the United States and the pro-democratic world by selective acquisition, and utilization of the human resources of the Soviet orbit.

III. The Tasks:

This plan will:

A. Provide for coordinated United States Government action, establish departmental and agency roles and coordinating arrangements, and designate priorities to insure an integrated psychological program.

B. Review pertinent U.S. policy, formulate strategic guidance concerning the scope, magnitude and direction of the desired effort, consider existing programs not previously covered in Phase A, consider new programs in furtherance of national strategic objectives, provide for fiscal support, and, where necessary, recommend new legislation.

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