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Historical Collections  
Division  
HR 70-14  
Date: 2 May 2012

Noted by D DCI  
8/30/51  
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DAILY STAFF MEETING

Wednesday, 29 August 1951

[Redacted] brought to the attention of those present the necessity for first checking with the Director prior to firmly committing him to any appointments either here or outside the Agency. HR70-14

Mr. Reber reported that in his opinion the meeting of the Interdepartmental Priorities Committee, held on Monday, 27 August, was most successful. The main issue concerned how soon contributions and/or requirements could be furnished in order that a determination might be made as to collection priorities. Mr. Reber noted that both G-2 and the Navy were fully cooperating, and that G-2 was taking the lead in making helpful suggestions on this problem. Mr. Reber also indicated that after all requirements were received the Committee would then determine: (a) What, in fact, was required and needed; and (b) The priority of the geographic areas involved. This approach to the problem will then be considered in terms of [Redacted] capabilities.

Mr. Harvey noted that the purchase of the [Redacted] had been approved. [Redacted] questioned the word "purchased" and stated it was their understanding that the building was to be leased. Mr. Harvey will check this with Mr. Wolf.

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[Redacted] noted that:

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c. The briefing for Admiral Fechteler will be held in the Conference Room on Friday, 31 August.

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