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FROM:

*S M DOB*

NO.

DATE

*28 Mar 1954*

*Doc.*

	TO	ROOM NO	DATE		OFFICER'S INITIALS
			REC'D	FWD'D	
1.	<i>C/DOB</i>				
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*Hand Carry*

*This is on staff personnel only. I think the contract figures are self explanatory but if you need more info I will get it [ ]*

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SOURCE METHOD EXEMPTION 3B2B  
NAZI WAR CRIMES DISCLOSURE ACT  
DATE 2007

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A. Staff Personnel

For budget purposes, the proposed AEACRE T/O of approximately 60 slots was extended (14 military considered PM and therefore not chargeable as per SR Division list of 6 Jan 54 having been deducted). Slotted values rather than grade values of incumbents were used but no provision was made for overtime payments. The figure arrived at was [ ] for a full year. The same extension done on the actual grade of incumbents and eliminating provision for those slots which will probably not be filled works out at approximately [ ] Actual expenditures for the first 6 months of FY 1954 were [ ] as of about 15 Jan 54 including overtime payments. The figure used is therefore twice the first 6 months figure with an addition of about 10% to cover promotions, additions to our complement, the heavier overtime of the operational season, and costs resulting from separation of personnel and consequent payment of accrued leave.

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Special allowances including demolition, subsistence and civilian clothing allowances for certain military personnel

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FROM:

*SR/DOB*

NO.

DATE

*27 Mar 54*

*WJ*

TO	ROOM NO.	DATE		OFFICER'S INITIALS	COMMENTS
		REC'D	FWD'D		
1. <i>SR/DOB/Room</i>			<i>24 MAR</i>	<i>WJ</i>	<i>Please attach copy of report</i>
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3. <i>C/SR</i>					
4. <i>C/DOB</i>					<i>for AFACRE file</i>
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24 March 1954

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, SR Division

REFERENCE : Inspector General Interest in Project AEACRE

1. On 18 March 1954 a meeting was held in the office of the Director of Training to discuss concurrence by that office on Project AEACRE amended, as approved by C/SR on 17 March 1954. In attendance were [ ] and [ ] of OTR and [ ] and [ ] of DOB. In addition to coordination on the project as a whole, specific concurrence was being sought on that part of AEACRE comprising SAOP.

2. While [ ] indicated general approval of SAOP and a desire to assist this program and the other activities of DOB within the limitation of his resources, he stated that he could not sign off on AEACRE at this time. He further explained that a report on the Office of Training was being prepared by the Inspector General, which he hoped would clarify his responsibilities in regard to activities such as DOB and SAOP. Until this report was published, he preferred to delay any concurrence by OTR on training activities not under its direct control.

3. [ ] had to leave during the meeting for an appointment on the hill but [ ] continued the discussion and pointed out that if OTR did sign off on Project AEACRE, very little tangible support or staff supervision would actually be possible. OTR simply did not have the language and area qualified personnel necessary to participate actively in the type of training envisaged under SAOP. C/DOB assured [ ] that DOB was in a position to carry on the activities described in AEACRE without calling on OTR for special support and that, as presently conceived, coordination would consist largely of DOB keeping OTR fully informed on its progress. DOB of course would welcome any staff guidance OTR felt it was in a position to furnish. [ ] agreed with this concept but reiterated that formal concurrence on the project would have to await clarification of the scope of the impending Inspector General report.

4. A telephone conversation with [ ] the following day, 19 March, confirmed [ ] decision to wait for the IG report. He had apparently spoken to the Inspector General, [ ] after seeing the undersigned on 18 March. [ ] was stated to have agreed that OTR should await the IG report before signing off on Project AEACRE. [ ] was reported to have further stated that he would make specific reference to Project AEACRE

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in his report on the Office of Training. [ ] did not say whether this reference would be to AEACRE as a whole or to SAOP in particular, but the impression was created that OTR would not have signed off on any part of the project (inclusive or exclusive of SAOP) until the IG report was made available.

5. At [ ] suggestion, we have continued processing the project through the FI Staffs and will return it for consideration by OTR at a later date. In view however of the above developments C/SR may wish to take further action as outlined below.

6. We are assuming that if the Inspector General is going to make a statement about DOE in a report on OTR, his statement will be based on some specific knowledge of AEACRE. We further assume that such knowledge would very likely be based on the Inspection and Review report on AEACRE made by [ ]

7. Since the time of [ ] findings, Project AEACRE has undergone certain changes and the scope of its plans in particular for SAOP have changed considerably. This program is now thought of as interim training and not a full time and continuing activity requiring assets of its own. All such changes are reflected in the current version of Project AEACRE approved by C/SR on 17 March.

8. We recommend that the Inspector General be brought up to date on AEACRE by being furnished a copy of the project as attached. Any recommendation he makes in his report on OTR, which will affect SR/DOB, will then be based on DOB's current status and not that existing several months ago.

[ ]  
Chief, SR/DOB

Attachment:

Project AEACRE dated 17 March 1954.

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