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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Domestic Operations Division ✓  
Chief, Special Operations Division ✓  
Chief, War Plans Staff ✓  
Chief, DDP/PG ✓

SUBJECT: Project WUDEPOT  
Current and Future Status

REFERENCE: Agenda for Discussion  
Monday, 1 March 1965, 2:30 P. M.  
Room 3-C-28

1. Referenced agenda has been prepared in order that representatives of appropriate components may come prepared to discuss the problem of Project WUDEPOT.
2. I know that a concerted endeavor is being made to utilize the roster of trained assets of WUDEPOT in a response to C. S. PM-type contingency requirements. My immediate concern is to focus attention upon the WUDEPOT basic facility, which I understand accounts for 48 staff or military detail positions, 21 staff vehicles, one helio aircraft, and an annual cost to the Agency of approximately \$685,000.
3. This activity must either be reoriented and reorganized quickly and effectively in response to the current C. S. posture on C. S. PM contingency requirements, or terminated. Please come prepared to assist in reaching a decision in this matter.

  
Thomas H. Karamessines  
Assistant Deputy Director for Plans

Attachment:  
Agenda

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Project WUDEPOT

Meeting - Room 3-C-28

Monday, 1 March 1965, 2:30 P.M.

A G E N D A

1. War Plans Staff

Status report and estimate of the probable acceptable limits of future responsibilities of the Clandestine Services for JCS (hot war) PM contingency requirements.

2. SOD

Estimate of the probable scope and nature of requirements for qualified PM-type stand-by contract personnel to cope with C.S. contingencies:

- a. U.S. nationals
- b. Foreign nationals
- c. Categories
  - (1) Air
  - (2) Ground
  - (3) Maritime

3. SOD

Summary commentary on the relative effectiveness of headquarters-controlled projects dealing with the recruitment, training and/or holding

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of unilateral contract personnel for C.S. PM-type contingencies, such as:

- a. [ ]
- b. [ ]
- c. [ ]
- d. [ ]
- e. WUDEPOT
- f. Other.

4. SOD

Summary commentary on the probable value of foreign (area division) operations as a potential source of personnel for unilateral recruitment as a ready reserve of qualified contract personnel for C.S. PM-type contingencies, such as:

	<u>Country</u>	<u>Project</u>	<u>FY 1965 Funds</u> <u>(\$ thousands)</u>
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5. SOD

General commentary on the need, effectiveness and/or deficiencies of the current inventory of approved projects addressed in whole or in part to the PM contingencies problem.

6. DO

Commentary in depth (exclusive of the stand-by roster of contract agents) on the current facilities, personnel and capabilities of the basic WUDEPOT complex (including direct overhead not formally included in the approved project) to outline the potential of the facilities in the absence of any JCS-type requirements:

a. Facilities

- (1) Washington Area
- (2) Fort Meade
- (3) Camp Pickett.

b. Personnel

- (1) Staff

(2) Medical Detail

(3) Military Detail

(4) Contract

(5) Total.

c. Equipment

(1) Vehicles

(2) Aircraft

(3) Other.

7. Open discussion and recommendations to either

a. Revitalize WUDEPOT (give it a new charter, direction and clearly defined responsibilities);

b. Effect objective utilization or integration of WUDEPOT salvageable assets with related activities; or

c. Liquidate the WUDEPOT complex.

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