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SUBJECT

- : Projected 1964 Training, SR/DGB
- 1. Following is a general break-down of the training to be conducted by the Training Staff, SE/DOS, during fiscal 1964. More detailed information will be furnished at your request.
 - 2. Training Programs:
 - A. SWIFT STRIKE III

SWIFT STRIKE III is an Army-Air Forces War Game in which SR/BGB assets will be employed during the development of the unconventional warfare phase.

- 1. Sixteen to Righteen AEDEPOT essets will be called-up for the exercise.
- 2. Assets will receive refresher training at Fort Heade 1 7 July.
 - 3. Assets will be in the field 7 19 July.
- 4. Assets will be debriefed, paid, etc., during the period 19 22 July at Fort Meads.

b. SEA BELLER

SEA RULER is an European version of SWIFF STRIKE III. ARDEFOT and CHWEIFFER assets will be employed in the development of the unconventional warfare phase.

- 1. Twenty to twenty-four AEDEPOP assets and eight OKWHIPPER assets will be called-up for this exercise.
- 2. Assets will receive refresher training in preparation for the field exercise at Fort Meads 18 25 August.
- 3. Assets will be dispatched to Europe 25 August and will actually be in the field 13 14 days.
- 4. Assets will depart Frankfort for Fort Meade approximately 10 September.

5. Assets will turn in equipment, be debriefed, paid, etc., 11 - 13 September.

c. APPEPOT Class No. 13

AEDEPOT Class No. 13 is the regular sixteen week basic course of the AEDEFOT Program. The basic course includes SR, EE and NE assets.

- 1. It is anticipated that Class 13 will be made up of twenty trainers (9 SR, 9 RE and 2 RE).
- 2. The class will be in session from 25 August to 14 December. There will be trips as follows:

Cump Fickett - Basic Field Training - 27 August - 13 September.

ISOTROPIC - Demolitions and Sabotage - 1 - 10 October.

Fort Bregg - : Parachute Training - Commo Air field emercise 29 October - ? Hovember.

Camp Fickett - Comprehensive Exercise - 3 - 12 December.

d. Besic Perschute Training and Refresher Program

This course will be a part of the regular call-up and retraining program for calendar 1963. The assets will be refreshed in communication and field activities and in addition will be taught parachute jumping.

- 1. It is anticipated that the class will consist of 20 to 30 SR, KE and NE assets who have not completed the basic jump program or taken part in other 1963 call-up training (A and B above).
- 2. The program will last three weeks. The approximate dates are 13 October to 3 November.

e. AEDEPOT Class No. 14

AEDEFOT Class No. 14 vill begin a series of basic courses which will run for a minimum of 18 weeks. Current studies indicate the need for additional time and it is probably that the basic course will be extended to 20 weeks in Class No. 15 if not earlier.

- 1. The size and composition of Class No. 14 should be approximately the same as Class No. 13.
- 2. The class will be in session for 18 weeks, 19 January 1964 23 May 1964. The trips to training sites out of the Washington area will be much the same as are

indicated for Class 13. Dates will be established after the basic program has been sketched out.

f. Summer Befresher Training (June 1964)

At this time we can only predict that the Training Staff will be involved with the training of one or two 2-week call-up groups. This activity has not been scheduled at this time.

- 3. The dates and numbers of students cited above are only estimates at this time. The dates will be resolved as the use of training areas is agreed upon. The numbers of trainees involved in any one activity depend upon a number of variables.
 - 4. Your questions or comments on any of the above items is velcomed.

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