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14 August 1956

MEMORANDUM FOR: Acting Project Director of Operations,

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[Redacted]

SUBJECT: HACA Interest and Participation in AQUATONE;
Discussion with me on 14 August 1956

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1. As I have already informed you, [Redacted] met with me this date to discuss some HACA/AQUATONE problems. Ordinarily, he would have met with [Redacted] Project [Redacted] Officer, who is absent from Headquarters this week. [Redacted] points for discussion were administrative and operational [Redacted] I have discussed the administrative problems with Mr. Cunningham who is taking action, and submit the operational ones to you for whatever action you wish to take.

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2. [Redacted] of HACA plans to leave on Tuesday, 21 August, for Los Angeles to spend two days with Lockheed, then proceed to the Ranch for a week. Mr. Press asked, and I agreed, that we would make the reservation for the Statesman on that date, get the ticket, to be picked up by [Redacted] on Tuesday, and pay for it plus per diem. [Redacted] will reconfirm [Redacted] trip to us by telephone on Thursday, 16 August.

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3. [Redacted] stated that the development of files in the field is not progressing satisfactorily. I did not pursue the subject further with him but suggested he discuss it further with [Redacted]

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4. A last item on [Redacted] notes was whether we still wanted [Redacted] to go [Redacted] I told him we would let him know by tomorrow. I received the impression that [Redacted] thought he was doing us quite a favor by sending [Redacted] Incidentally, [Redacted] I understand, is going [Redacted]

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- Orig - Addressee
- 2 - Admin
- 3 - R/Proj Director
- 4 - Proj [Redacted] Offr
- 5 - [Redacted]
- 6 - Travel/Fin
- 7 - AM
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