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TO : Chief, Language and Area School

DATE: 17 June 1959

FROM : Deputy Chief, Plans, Research and Administration

SUBJECT: Weekly Activities Report

A. SIGNIFICANT ITEMS

None to report.

B. OTHER ACTIVITIES

1. The security aspects of the employment of contract instructors by LAS was discussed at a meeting with DTR, [redacted] DDP/TO, SO/TR, [redacted]. It was generally agreed that, if and when the contract instructors are cleared, no serious problem exists other than to make DDP components fully aware of the way in which these instructors are to be used at the time members of the CS are detailed for language or area instruction. It was further agreed that in those cases where there is a requirement for training in unusual or little used languages and an unclearable instructor (or one who is not a citizen) must be used, special arrangements such as utilization of FSI must be made. It was suggested that consideration might be given to separating LAS from all physical association with the Agency as a means of providing the most effective protection for the training of CS personnel. ?

2. During the course of [redacted] attendance at his 30th Law School Reunion [redacted] he explored with Professor [redacted] of the Law School, the possibility of the University making a contribution to support of the new program on Personal Effectiveness Overseas. [redacted] who has long worked in related fields and on associated subjects was most interested in further exploring the matter.

3. Eighty-one people reported for written proficiency tests last week in Arabic, Croatian, French, German, Greek, Italian, Japanese, Russian and Spanish.

4. Ninety-eight Certifications for Language Award certificates were sent to the Registrar last week.



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