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TO : Chief, Language and Area School

DATE: 5 March 1959

FROM : Deputy for Language Training

SUBJECT: Weekly Activities Report

A. SIGNIFICANT ITEMS

None to report.

B. OTHER ACTIVITIES

1. The following part-time courses began during the current week:

1. Russian Basic Reading, Speaking, Writing II
2. Russian Integrated (Language-Area) II
3. Polish Basic Reading I
4. German Basic Reading, Speaking, Writing I and II

2. [redacted] met with the following Training Officers as our part of the OTR Orientation arranged by [redacted]

1. [redacted] - PIC
2. [redacted] - EE Div.
3. [redacted] - Med. Staff
4. [redacted] - O/DDS

3. Two students of the Chinese Basic FT course and four students of the Chinese Advanced FT course spent the past week at [redacted]

4. The FT Persian course (three Agency and one dependent student) has come to its end. One of the students will continue instruction on a part-time basis until the end of May concentrating on Persian-English translation, which will be his main activity overseas.

5. We have met with our first case of refusal to accept a proposed external training activity. The reason is understandable and may also be encountered from others in the future. It is a strong objection to attending FT language courses at NSA (Fort Meade), which means a daily drive of extreme length, especially for Virginia residents. This may deprive us of NSA's courses in many cases when they would otherwise be the most suitable.

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