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The Honorable W. Averell Harriman United States Special Representative in Europe Economic Cooperation Administration Paris, France

Deer Mr. Harriman:

Your letter of 2 September was apparently delayed in transit and did not arrive here until 21 September. In reply, we are herewith forwarding eleven items of various types selected from CIA production which will serve, in general, to acquaint you with the scope and nature of our intelligence production.

Intelligence Memorandum No. 70, included in the material forwarded, refers to the problem outlined in your letter, and illustrates the manner in which CIA can sceply with specific spot requests, by dispatch if necessary. The memorandum on East-West trade written some time ago in response to a request by Mr. Forrestal is a similar example though necessarily treated more fully.

It would be helpful to us if you would indicate which of the enclosures were applicable to your problems and which were not, in order that the reports sent you in the future will be those most helpful to you.

Sincerely,

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