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2. [redacted] Talked with Mr. Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, per Colonel White's request, briefing him on the origins and general operations of the executive dining room. I delivered to him cost figures which Mr. Clarke had prepared and which were attached to a proposed memorandum to Mr. Michaels. Mr. Michaels understood thoroughly why salaries were not included in these cost figures. He indicated this explanation was enough for his purposes and we need do nothing further.

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3. [redacted] NSA, called advising that the DOD report on S. 1035 has in fact been approved in DOD and sent forward to the Bureau of the Budget for their approval. It was suggested that [redacted] should be in direct touch with Mr. Maury.

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4. (Internal Use Only - GLC) Attempted to reach Mr. Stanley Fike, Administrative Assistant to Senator Symington, regarding his conversations with Mr. Warner on a Navy Professor who was under the impression that his trip to Africa was being funded by the Navy. Mr. Fike's secretary informed me that he would be out of town until Tuesday. She added, however, that [redacted] situation still had not been resolved.

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5. [redacted] Scott Cohen, on the staff of Senator Percy, called to say that the Senator had received another letter from a foreign organization which they would like to pass on to us as a matter of information. I told Mr. Cohen that we would pick the letter up on Monday.

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1. [ ] At the Director's suggestion, called William Darden, Senate Armed Services Committee staff, regarding the request of Scott Cohen, office of Senator Charles Percy, and William Miller, office of Senator John Sherman Cooper, for a briefing on the Soviet ABM system. Darden shares our feeling that such a briefing would establish an undesirable precedent, but in this case would be awkward to turn down. We therefore agreed the best course was to offer Cohen and Miller a general "one-shot" briefing, explaining we are making an exception to our general policy, that we hope this will not establish a precedent, and that we would appreciate their treating the briefing as "background only" and not advertising it around the Hill.

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2. [ ] Reported to the Director the above conversation with Mr. Darden regarding the handling of the Scott Cohen request for a briefing on the Soviet ABM program and, with the Director's approval, called Cohen and told him that: (a) we normally are reluctant to provide briefings on such complex and sensitive matters as the Soviet ABM system outside of the normal channels to our Agency Subcommittees; (b) we are, therefore, reluctant to establish a precedent to making exceptions to this policy; (c) however, in this case we are prepared to make an exception on a one-time basis provided it is not considered a precedent; and (d) we would appreciate it if Messrs. Cohen and Miller would treat our briefing as "background only" and not advertise the fact that we had provided it. Cohen expressed his appreciation, indicated he would observe the above conditions, and said he would like us to give the briefing to him and Miller in Senator Percy's office at 2:00 p. m., Tuesday, 4 June 1968.

Later, I discussed the matter with the DD/I who designated Bruce Clarke to provide the briefing. The DD/I pointed out the difficulties of providing the briefing on a Secret level and emphasized if Cohen and Miller attempted to probe into such matters as the effectiveness of the Soviet ABM system against our delivery capabilities or anything regarding our sources, we would have to avoid specific answers.

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3. [ ] Called Philip Kelleher, House Armed Services Committee staff, regarding possible timing of the Subcommittee hearing on our proposed cost-of-living adjustments for retirees (H. R. 13705). Kelleher said that many Subcommittee members would be out of town on Monday, that they would be tied up Tuesday and Thursday with Navy hearings, many would visit South Carolina Wednesday to pay homage to Chairman Rivers at some sort of gathering there, and would again probably be out of town on Friday. Thus, Kelleher is confident we will not be called on next week. This was reported to Colonel White.

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4. [ ] Reed Martin, Legislative Aid to Senator Yarborough, called to see if we have any idea as to the timing of the Rusk Committee's recommendations. Martin is interested in this in connection with the release of the Yarborough Subcommittee's initial hearings on S. 1779. I told Martin I had no information on this bill and suggested he contact James Clark, in the Bureau of the Budget.

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5. [ ] CI Staff, called to alert us to the fact that Senator Fulbright's book, Arrogance of Power, has been translated into Russian in ten thousand copies. CI is making a comparison of the Russian and English texts and will keep us advised of their findings.

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6. [ ] In the absence of Roy Elson, I talked with Dick Greenwood, on the staff of Senator Carl Hayden, to tell him that we had seen the insertion of Jeanette Sofokidis' article in the Congressional Record. I told Greenwood that this had been called to the Director's attention and that we were all most appreciative of the Senator's placing the item in the Record.

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25X1 7. [ ] Met with Representative Lipscomb and scheduled  
25X1 a meeting for 2:00 p.m. Monday, 3 June, for Mr. Proctor, Mr. Brammell  
and [ ] to discuss the NIS program with Mr. Lipscomb. This  
is by way of follow up to a request made in the CIA Appropriations Sub-  
committee briefing of 17 May. Mr. Proctor and Mr. Brammell have been  
advised.

25X1 8. [ ] Attempted to meet with Mr. John  
Sullivan, Administrative Assistant to Senator Brewster, several times  
during the day but he was away from his office.

25X1 9. [ ] Met with Mr. Bun Bray, House Subcommittee  
on Manpower and Civil Service staff. Mr. Bray advised that at the present  
no further hearings have been scheduled by Chairman Henderson. The  
Subcommittee will meet again in executive session on Wednesday, 5 June,  
after which it is anticipated that announcement will be made concerning  
hearings on the wage board bill. It is possible that consideration will be  
given during that meeting to scheduling of hearings on other bills such as  
S. 1035.

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25X1 11. [ ] Met with Mr. J. R. Blandford, House Armed  
Services Committee staff, and provided him with a blind memorandum  
entitled "Franco-Soviet Military Cooperation". Also reviewed with Mr.  
Blandford the previous conversation with him, for the Chairman's benefit,  
on this subject. Mr. Blandford indicated that he would pass the information  
on to the Chairman. He also noted that he thought this would be an item of  
interest to the Chairman.

25X1 12. [ ] Spoke with Mr. Charles Havens,  
Special Assistant to Secretary Warnke, concerning legislation to update the  
War Crimes Act of 1948 to include the "Vietnam conflict." Mr. Havens  
explained that the bill, H. R. 15545, would not be acted upon this Congress, but  
reviewed with me certain language justifications they have proposed. Mr.  
Havens then arranged for me to speak with Captain John Thornton, USN, who  
is following this legislation in detail and Captain Thornton is sending us  
material of interest from his files.

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13. [redacted] Colonel Hussey, in James Lay's office, called Mr. Houston as to whether or not it was appropriate for a representative of Air Force before a congressional committee to refer to an NIE by number. At Mr. Houston's request, I talked further with Colonel Hussey who indicated the query was from Secretary Brown of the Air Force and the committee concerned was the Senate Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee. Hussey stated he had advised he would recommend against citing the NIE by title and number. I indicated to Hussey that this appeared to be good general advice but there was no law or regulation that I knew of covering the matter. I further indicated that because of the safeguards arrangements under the Nuclear Test Ban Treaty we did have special arrangements with that particular Subcommittee and we did in fact furnish them some Estimates.

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14. [redacted] In the absence of Mr. Maury, talked with Stanley Fike, in the office of Senator Stuart Symington. Mr. Fike had a distraught college professor on his hands who was literally on his way abroad under the assumption that the U. S. Government was going to pay for his trip to Africa. The individual's name was

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[redacted] Fike furnished the name of John J. Porosky of the Air Force at Belvoir. After checking with Porosky [redacted] it became apparent that there was obviously a garble somewhere, probably occurring at the Navy contact level with [redacted] made it clear their role was simply one of a coordination point for Air Force for a contact on a basis of no prebriefing and no sponsorship. Mr. Fike asked for suggestions as to what he could do as he had a very unhappy professor with his family in a hotel room in Washington on his way to Africa but with no tickets or funds. I suggested to Fike that since the contacts with [redacted] had been through the Navy that Fike ought to hit the Navy hard for assistance in coping with the situation. Fike later advised that Navy now tells him that all they had promised [redacted] was travel on a space-available basis which is [redacted] prerogative as a retired Naval officer. I emphasized to Fike that if this were so, again the Agency would truly have no role in the matter and was sorry I could not be more helpful to Fike.

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15. [redacted] At the request of Colonel White, attempted to make arrangements to see Mr. Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, today. In accordance with his schedule, we will get together on 31 May.

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1. [redacted] Accompanied Mr. Lloyd Lauderdale, Acting, DD/S&T, to a briefing of Senator Milton Young in response to his request for information on Foxbat. The briefing was a friendly one and lasted about 45 minutes. In addition to Foxbat, the discussion covered Soviet aircraft generally, further discussion of the sensitive project which is being terminated and related matters. At the close of the meeting Senator Young said that there were a number of other topics that he would like to talk with us about if we do not have a Subcommittee meeting soon. I told the Senator that we were anxious to meet with the Subcommittee at the earliest possible date but that we would be happy to talk with him separately on any item he desires.

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2. [redacted] Had a conversation with Jay Sourwine, Senate Internal Security Subcommittee staff, regarding the [redacted] case. (See Memo for the Record) In essence, Sourwine is pressing for a meeting to discuss the merits of the case with the admitted purpose of trying to learn the reasons for our doubts regarding [redacted]

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3. [redacted] Talked to Jay Sourwine, Chief Counsel, Senate Special Subcommittee on Internal Security, and provided him with [redacted] for which Sourwine had previously asked. I noted that this identification had been made possible by one of the Subcommittee's publications. Sourwine was most pleased to receive this information.

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4. [redacted] Miss McKenna, Senate Foreign Relations Committee staff, called in connection with the FBIS Supplements on Czechoslovakia to the Eastern European Daily Reports. Arrangements were made through FBIS to send all issues of the Supplement on Czechoslovakia to the Committee.

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5. [redacted] Mr. Scott Cohen, in the office of Senator Charles Percy (R., Ill.), called to set up a briefing for himself and William G. Miller, of Senator Cooper's staff, on the Soviet ABM System. Mr. Cohen said that he and Miller were working on this as legmen for their Senators and that the information is needed in connection with the consideration of the Defense Appropriation bill. I told Mr. Cohen that we would relay his request and be back in touch.

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6. [redacted] Met with Representative F. Edward Hebert, of the Hardy National Defense Posture Subcommittee, who advised that on the strong recommendation of the Embassy in Stockholm he had not attempted to meet with the military deserter who is a son of one of his Louisiana constituents. The Embassy had advised that the lad is a very tough character and that previous attempts by the Embassy in a similar case had resulted in virtual entrapment of an Embassy officer.

I advised Mr. Hebert in general terms, concerning the ASA military deserter, information that was passed to the Chairman of Armed Services through Mr. Blandford on last Friday.

Mr. Hebert noted that the Subcommittee trip had been a very busy and trying one. He also made mention of Committee meetings with various ambassadors and others. It is his feeling that the overall Committee effort was well worth while.

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7. [redacted] Met with Mr. Carleton Hovey and Mrs. Olga Watkins, in the office of Representative William Bates, concerning the news releases this week by the Republican Policy Committee Task Force on national security. It was noted that in addition to the 37-page report published in the Congressional Record by Senator Tower on Wednesday, an additional report on the National Security Council and national security would probably be forthcoming today.

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8. [redacted] Met with Mr. Vincent Augliere, Chief, Foreign Operations, Subcommittee on Foreign Operations and Government Information, in response to his call. Mr. Augliere is preparing a final letter for Representative John Moss to the law firm, Bradford, Cross, Dahl and Hefner, of Sacramento, California concerning the claim of one

[redacted] I provided Mr. Augliere with the details of the items of various correspondence and confirmed his recollection on various details of the correspondence. Mr. Augliere advised that the response will be brief restating only the referral of the matter to the Managing Director of Air America and Air America's direct response of 17 May. He also noted that he would be recommending to Mr. Moss that the letter be signed by Paul Hinkle rather than by Representative Moss since the original correspondence was addressed to Mr. Hinkle as Administrative Assistant.

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9. [redacted] Representative Roman Pucinski called and inquired about the status of the application of [redacted]

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[redacted] a constituent of Mr. Pucinski.

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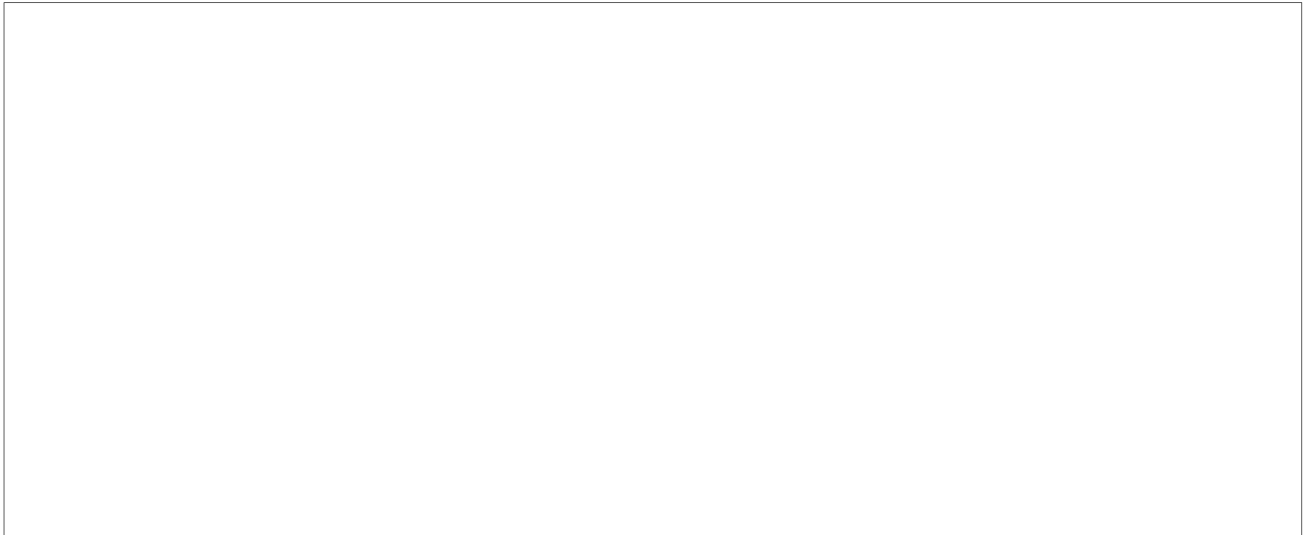
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2. [redacted] Discussed with the Director and drafted a response to a letter from Chairman L. Mendel Rivers, House Armed Services Committee, requesting comment on two press items: (a) Saturday Evening Post article by William J. Lederer on graft and corruption in Vietnam and (b) Philadelphia Inquirer item of 22 May 1968 by David Kraslow regarding alleged differences between CIA and military estimates of enemy potential in Vietnam.

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3. [redacted] Delivered to Mr. Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, a copy of the letter to Representative Lipscomb from Colonel White relating to "full time equivalent" positions.

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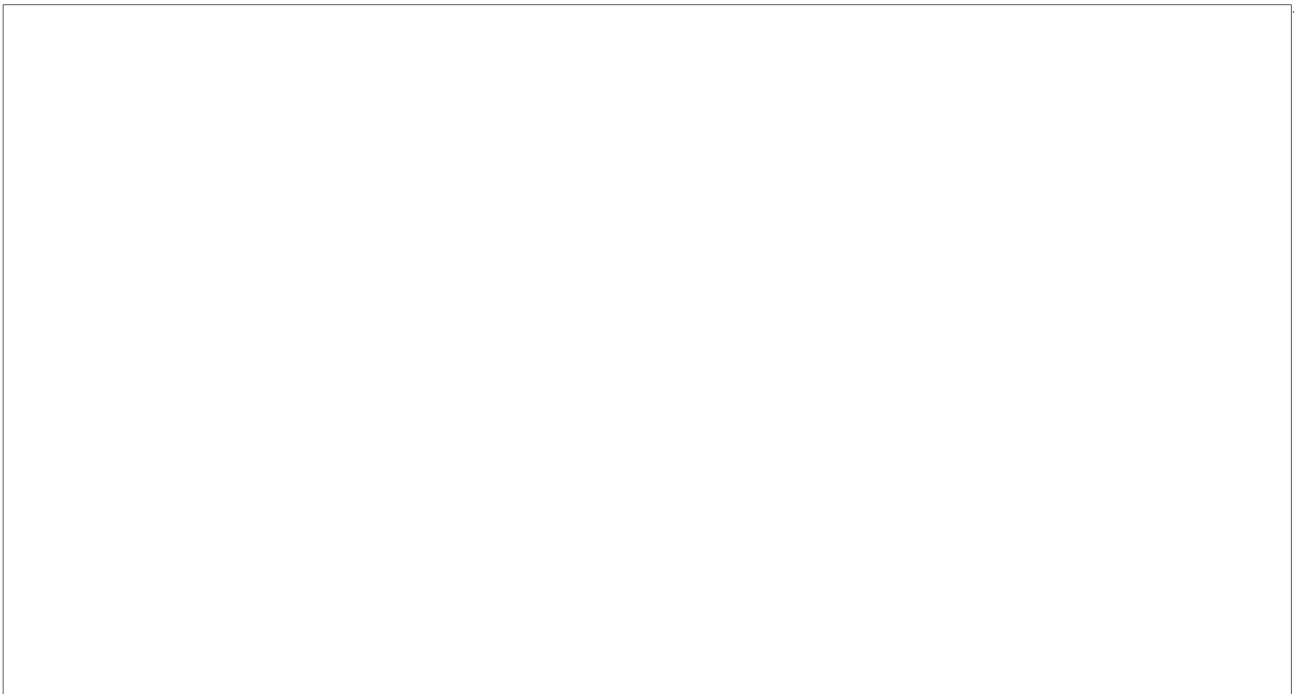
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4.  Called Russ Blandford, House Armed Services Committee staff, to tell him the Director's response to Chairman Rivers' letter was on the way, that the Director would be glad to brief the Committee on the Philadelphia Inquirer item, but this was a complex subject and detailed discussion would be time consuming. Meanwhile, I said I would be glad to give the problem a general once over with Blandford if he so desired. Blandford replied that there was no need to meet on the question now, and there was no urgency regarding a response, but the Director should be prepared to discuss the Kraslow allegations at his next appearance before the Subcommittee. Blandford could give no estimate as to when this would be other than to remark it might be during July or August.

The above was reported to the Director, and it was explained that apparently the queries had been triggered on Blandford's initiative, and did not necessarily reflect any particular concern by Chairman Rivers.

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6.  Met with Mr. J. R. Blandford, Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, and reviewed with him in some detail the papers furnished on Friday for the Chairman relating to termination of an Agency project, the U-2 publicity and comments on the Wilson Washington Post article of 23 May. Mr. Blandford indicated that the responses were quite complete and satisfactory. He noted in passing that he had advised the Chairman that the responses had been received on Friday.

Met later in the morning with Mr. Blandford who advised that he had prepared the Chairman's letter to the Director concerning the Kraslow Philadelphia Inquirer item of 22 May relating to the estimates of North Vietnamese strength and the Lederer Saturday Evening Post article concerning the black market in Vietnam. Mr. Blandford furnished me a copy of the letter. I advised Mr. Blandford that I had talked with Mr. Maury and indicated that we would be responding, at least in part, during the day. Inquired whether the calendar is looking any better for scheduling of a Subcommittee meeting. He advised that the Chairman is occupying himself strongly with his renomination in South Carolina from now until 12 June so he does not feel there is much that can be done in the way of additional meetings between now and that time.

Met again with Mr. Blandford late in the afternoon and delivered the Director's response to the Chairman's letter of 24 May mentioned above. Mr. Blandford noted his approval of the Director's response and said he would deliver it to the Chairman. He commented in passing, that in the final analysis, the Committee is interested in whether there was a difference in the Agency and community estimates of North Vietnamese strength.

I delivered to Mr. Blandford the requested copy of Nagel's Encyclopedia Guide to China. Mr. Blandford thanked me and after reviewing it asked if we could advise where it can be purchased and the price. The copy that had been furnished was returned for delivery back to the Agency library.

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7.  In the absence of Representative Frank T. Bow, delivered to Mr. Gilbert LeKander, Administrative Assistant to Representative Bow, a memorandum from the Director relating to the Atlantic Council for the United States and the American Council for Young Political Leaders. After review Mr. LeKander expressed his appreciation. Mr. LeKander also noted in passing that the office had been able to find employment for the young man that Mr. Bow had called me about last week, in the office of one of the Committee members.

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8. [redacted] Delivered to Representative Lipscomb a letter from Colonel White enclosing the schedule of "full time equivalent" positions which was requested at the Appropriations Committee hearings of 17 May. Mr. Lipscomb inquired whether a copy had been furnished to Mr. Michaels. With regard to the question raised by Mr. Lipscomb regarding NIS's, Mr. Lipscomb noted that that question had given him an opportunity to request release by the Chairman, to the Director, of a copy of the investigative report of the military component which Mr. Lipscomb felt should be made available to the Director. I advised it was my understanding that it was given to the Director before the close of the hearing.

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1. [redacted] Mentioned to Senator John Stennis at a social gathering last evening that an accumulation of items, including the cancellation of a sensitive Agency program might make an early meeting of our Armed Services Subcommittee desirable in order to bring everyone up to date. He said this sounded like a good idea but we should take the matter up with Chairman Russell.

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2. [redacted] Had dinner last evening with Senator William B. Spong at which I briefly explained our concern over certain provisions of the Ervin bill (S. 1035, to protect the constitutional rights and privacy of Federal employees--Spong had been one of the sponsors of the original bill). Our conversation was in a light vein and I got no concrete reaction from him.

3. [redacted] and I called briefly on Senator Harry F. Byrd, reminding him of our interest in the highway problem on the west end of Chain Bridge, and chatted briefly about Greece and other general subjects.

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6. [ ] Mr. Maury and [ ] met with Representative Richard Poff and provided him with the aide-memoire he had requested regarding the language which we had inserted in the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1967. Present during our discussion was Mr. Bryan Gettings, a member of a House task force, which has been established to deal with this legislation. We discussed with Mr. Poff the various alternatives available to the House on this bill: referral to the Judiciary Committee, recession on the part of the House with acceptance of the Senate language, or appointment of conferees. Mr. Poff is reasonably certain that he will be one of the House conferees if that course is followed. He was most understanding and cooperative and said he would do everything he could to see that the language which we had inserted in the bill in the Senate would remain.

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7. [ ] Mrs. Olga Watkins, on the staff of Representative William Bates, referred to us a newspaper, Circulo Internacional de Cultura, which had been sent to the Congressman from Guatamala in an unstamped envelope. Mrs. Watkins was interested in any information we might be able to give the Congressman regarding the newspaper. She also thought it might be of interest to us.

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Mr. Maury and [ ] took advantage of the opportunity to talk further with Mr. Bates on the follow-up information he had requested concerning a sensitive Agency program which is being terminated. Mr. Bates had previously expressed some confusion regarding the distinctions between this program and others similar to it. Mr. Bates expressed deep concern over the growing problems in this country and somewhat in this connection, expressed concern over the lack of frequent CIA Subcommittee meetings. He felt that in the present atmosphere the Agency and the Committee were subject to severe criticism for lack of adequate congressional oversight. We also discussed with Mr. Bates ways and means for keeping the Chairman and himself informed on matters of interest to them. He indicated that the best procedure was to keep in touch with Russ Blandford, of the Armed Services Committee staff, and also be certain Mr. Blandford kept Mr. Bates informed.

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9. [redacted] Mr. Maury and [redacted] met with William Darden, Senate Armed Services Subcommittee staff, and showed him an intelligence memorandum (SR IM 67/13) on the subject of Soviet helicopter carriers. This was in response to Darden's request for assistance in responding to an inquiry from Senator Symington. (See Journal item of 23 May 1968.)

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We talked with Mr. Darden as to the timing for our budget meeting with the Senate Subcommittee. He said that Appropriations hoped to wind up their hearings on the DOD budget some time next week and therefore our meeting would not take place until after the first of June. Mr. Darden mentioned that Senator Russell had expressed a desire to have the Agency budget reviewed by a group smaller than combined CIA Subcommittees.

Charles Kirbow, of Armed Services Committee staff, has talked with Bill Darden regarding the hearings before Senator Inouye's Subcommittee on Military Deserters, and the possibility of the Agency's appearing before that group. Darden plans to be in touch with Senator Inouye on this, suggesting that he discuss the matter with Chairman Russell.

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10. [redacted] In the absence of Miss Linda Robinson, met with Miss Hollingly, in the office of Senator Robert Kennedy, and reviewed the correspondence received from [redacted] [redacted] concerning the activities, budget, number of employees and organization of the Central Intelligence Agency. I provided a copy of the unclassified booklet, The Central Intelligence Agency, which the Senator's office will use in responding to [redacted] on the portion of his letter relating to the Agency. No written response or further action by the Agency is desired.

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11. [redacted] Met with Mr. J. R. Blandford, House Armed Services Committee, and provided written responses to his request relating to (a) termination of an Agency project, (b) the U-2 publicity and (c) specific comments on the Wilson Post article of 23 May 1968. Due to the press of other business Mr. Blandford requested that I meet with him the first thing Monday when he will have had time to review the responses.

Advised Mr. Blandford that Representative Bates had also raised separate question regarding the termination of an Agency project and had been briefed by Mr. Maury earlier in the day. Mr. Blandford had no comment other than that he was glad that Representative Bates is up to date.

I noted in passing that the information previously provided regarding the Pueblo had included the fact that a technical study of the equipment was indicated by the removal of antenna housing and other similar portions of the vessel. Mr. Blandford had no comment on this item.

I also briefed him concerning a particular military deserter who is at present residing overseas and the fact that this case had been discussed in a Committee hearing in the Senate during the week. Mr. Blandford expressed his appreciation for this information.

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12. [redacted] Met with Mr. Philip Kelleher, House Armed Services Committee, who reaffirmed that he had not been able to schedule a time with Mr. Philbin for hearings next week. Due to the tenuous nature of the full Committee it will be necessary to wait until next week to see what the schedule holds beyond then.

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13. [redacted] Met with Mrs. Mary McLaughlin, Assistant Clerk, Senate Foreign Relations Committee staff, who advised that the complete background available at present on S. J. Res. 173, introduced by Senator Fulbright on 22 May, is set forth in his remarks in the Congressional Record of that date. The Resolution provides for establishment of a commission on organizational reforms in the Department of State, the Agency for International Development and the United States Information Agency.

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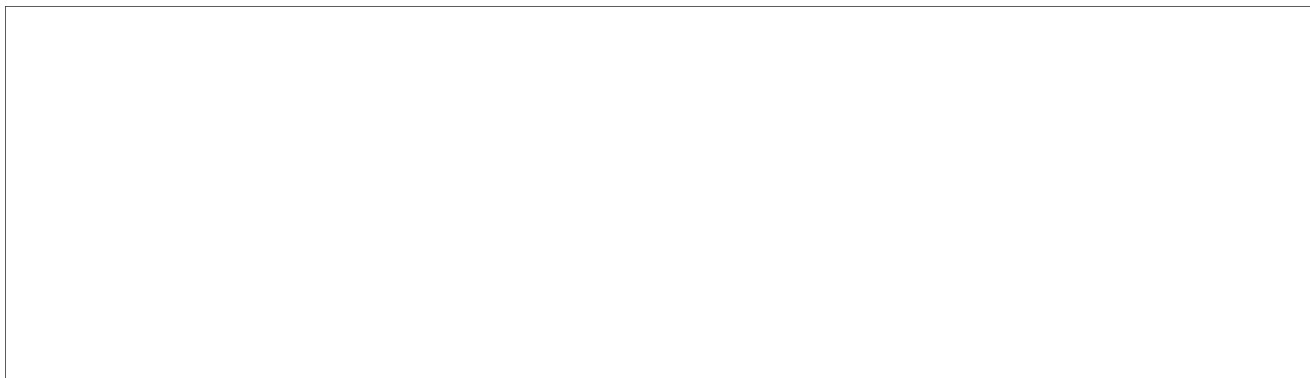
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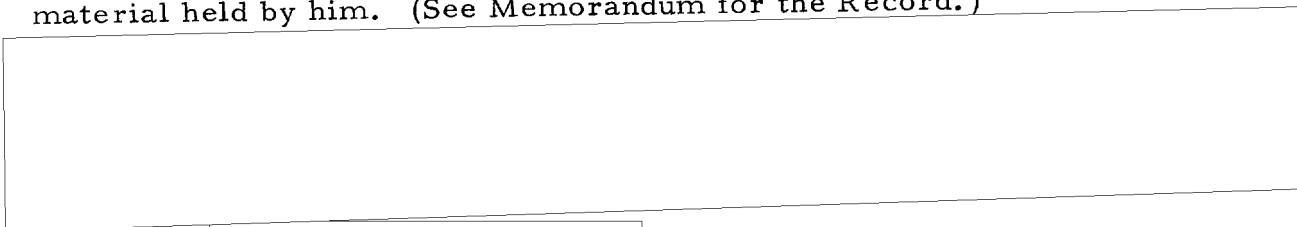
2. [redacted] Called Miss Julia Neef, in the office of Senator Holland, and informed her that [redacted] had been interviewed and advised that he is now interested in remaining in Florida. Miss Neef thanked me and advised that she would close out their file.

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3. [redacted] Met with Mr. Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, and received from him a copy of the Department of Commerce Appropriations hearings. Mr. Michaels indicated that although he had not reviewed the hearings, he would guess that it might have been either Representative Bow or Representative Lipscomb who raised the questions of NIS's during the hearings. In passing, Mr. Michaels noted that he had reviewed classified material held by him. (See Memorandum for the Record.)

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4. [redacted] Met with Harry C. Cromer, House Foreign Affairs Committee staff, who advised that the Committee had received an undated mimeographed letter from [redacted] and noted that it had been rather widely read on the staff. Although no assistance was required, he merely wanted to advise that they had received the letter. No action is intended by the Committee.

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5. [ ] Met with Mr. J. R. Blandford, Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, as a follow up to our conversation of yesterday afternoon. I advised him that the proposition of a State Department prohibition on release of information to the Armed Services Committee on the movement of the Pueblo had been relayed. I advised that none of our people, including the Director, had any knowledge of such a prohibition. I requested Mr. Blandford's assistance insofar as he is able in determining the source of the statement. He advised that he did not know and that frankly he is not sure that it can be determined, that it came to his attention on his return, but he does not remember who said it. In any event, he will correct this misinformation with the Chairman.

Discussed briefly with Mr. Blandford the Wilson item from this morning's Post. He had no specific questions himself.

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6. [ ] Had a couple of conversations with Philip Kelleher, House Armed Services Committee staff, regarding hearings on the bill to increase cost of living allowances for Agency retirees. According to Kelleher, Representative Philbin will find it difficult to get a quorum next week so hearings will not be before the week of 3 June. Kelleher said that it is impossible to predict whether the Committee will prefer to handle the problem with a clean bill or an amendment to the old one (H.R. 13705) and our presentation should be geared to cope with either contingency. In fact the Committee probably will not decide which course it wants to follow until they hear our presentation. Colonel White was informed of the above.

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7. [ ] Russ Blandford, Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, called to ask if the George Wilson article in today's Washington Post regarding the SR-71 had been "authorized." I said certainly not by us. Blandford asked where it came from and I said I could only speculate that it may have been concocted by some published information supplanted by leaks in Saigon. Blandford said Committee members may ask for comments and we should be prepared. I notified Lloyd Lauderdale, A/DDS&T, who is preparing a written comment for Blandford.

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25X1 8. [redacted] Dropped by the office of Representative  
Herbert Tenzer (D., N. Y.) and saw his Administrative Assistant, Michael  
25X1 Bromberg. Showed him a suggested draft reply in connection with a constituent,  
[redacted] inquiry regarding Agency activities, budget,  
number of employees, and organization. Mr. Bromberg said the suggested  
reply was fully responsive to the inquiry and satisfied their interest. He  
thanked us for our efforts.

25X1 9. [redacted] Met with William Darden, Senate Armed  
Services Committee staff, and advised him that the decision which had  
been made by the Secretary of Defense with regard to a sensitive Agency  
program has been concurred in by the President. I told Darden we had no  
present plans to have further contact with our Subcommittee members on  
this but wished to keep him informed.

Darden showed me a note he had received from Senator  
Symington asking for information about an article written by General  
James D. Hittle (recently appointed as a consultant to the Armed Services  
Committee staff to assist the Subcommittee on military deserters) which  
appeared in the St. Louis Globe Democrat of Wednesday, 15 May 1968.  
The article deals with the subject of Soviet helicopter carriers (alleged  
to be in the Mediterranean) and the capability of US forces to meet this  
threat. Darden asked for our assistance with respect to the Soviet  
carriers. (Bruce Clarke is assisting us on this.)

I raised again with Darden the subject of a budget hearing.  
He said Senator Russell was anxious to do this as soon as possible, but  
had not set a date as yet. In this connection, Darden said the Senator  
had mentioned to him the possibility that he would have the CIA budget  
considered by a group of members somewhat smaller than the combined  
membership of the CIA Subcommittees of Appropriations and Armed  
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10. [redacted] Hand carried to George Murphy, on the staff of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, selected FBIS items having to do with official statements from Rumanian sources regarding the United States and North Vietnam. I advised Murphy that the material he had requested on Rumanian aid to North Vietnam should be available by Friday.

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11. [redacted] Met briefly with Bill Lewis, Executive Assistant to Senator Margaret Chase Smith, by way of follow up to the Senator's question about the Pueblo in my meeting with her 17 May. I told Lewis the term dismantling which has been used with reference to North Korean activity on the Pueblo was misleading. Actually it appears that they are disassembling the antenna and certain other equipment on the ship for technical inspection.

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1. [redacted] Met with the DDCI who provided guidance on types of intelligence items to be passed to Chairman Rivers, of House Armed Services Committee, in response to his desire to be kept "fully informed." See Memo for the Record.

The DDCI also explained high-level sensitivity regarding revelation of detailed info of shipping into North Vietnam, which should not be revealed outside Agency Subcommittee circles on the Hill.

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2. [redacted] Mrs. Dorothy Stahl, in the office of Representative Charles Mathias (R., Md.), asked if someone from the Agency could brief Mr. Mathias on communist activities in connection with the U.S. racial situation. I explained that this was outside of our field and the Congressman could get a more satisfactory answer from the FBI.

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3. [redacted] Called Bob Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, to say we were ready to brief him in response to his request for information on heat resistance metals such as titanium in the construction of high performance aircraft. Michaels said that Mr. Duckett's remarks at the recent Agency budget briefing satisfactorily answered his questions and the requirement could be scratched. See Journal of 10 May 1968.

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4. [redacted] Mr. Joseph Winslow, Staff Assistant, Subcommittee on Position Classification, House Post Office and Civil Service Committee, visited the Agency for briefing on the Agency application of the Civil Service classification and standards. (See Memorandum for the Record.)

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25X1 5. [ ] Met with Mr. Philip Kelleher, House Armed Services Committee staff, who advised that he is requesting time for hearings on H. R. 13705 for next week. He advised the schedule of the Committee business is quite unsettled at the moment, but that he is making the attempt through Chairman Philbin.

25X1 6. [ ] Met with Mr. J. R. Blandford, Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, and reviewed with him Agency efforts to push H. R. 13705. He noted that Phil Kelleher is working on the matter and would do everything possible.

Advised Mr. Blandford that the Clifford decision to affirm the December 1966 Presidential approval of cutback on an Agency project has been reviewed with the President who concurred on the position taken by Mr. Clifford. Mr. Blandford reaffirmed that the Chairman is upset about this matter and intends, at least at present, to make a real fuss about it.

In conversation Mr. Blandford noted that they have been advised that the State Department had put a hold on transmittal of information to the Armed Services Committee concerning the Pueblo. I noted that this was news to me, but was unable to ascertain the source of the report. Mr. Blandford advised that, in any event, in his opinion the system of keeping him advised has worked, and is still working satisfactorily, and that he does not feel that this single incident of the Pueblo should cause any change in the system.

25X1 7. [ ] Mrs. Gwendolyn Lewis, Executive Secretary to Senator Len B. Jordan (R., Idaho), called to check on the status of the application of [ ] Mrs. Lewis said that [ ] has received another employment offer but does not want to accept it if there were a good chance she would be accepted by the Agency. After checking with the Office of Personnel, I advised Mrs. Lewis that while [ ] had made a very favorable impression on our people, we were about to inform her that we did not have an opening for her at this time. Miss Lewis thanked me for this information and said she would pass it on to [ ] so that she could pursue the other job opportunity.

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- 25X1 8. [ ] In response to his request, provided Admiral Taylor with four Journal items covering our contacts with Representative Chamberlain in late 1967 and early 1968 regarding his trip to the Far East and the briefings which we provided him.
- 25X1 9. [ ] Talked with William Woodruff, on the staff of Senate Appropriations Committee, and advised him that the decision made by Secretary Clifford several days ago to terminate a sensitive Agency program has been concurred in by the President. I told Woodruff we did not plan to contact all Subcommittee members on this, but wished to keep him informed.
- 25X1 10. [ ] Made arrangements to meet with Senator Milton Young next Tuesday at 3:00 p. m. to give him a briefing which he had requested on the Foxbat program.
- 25X1 11. [ ] George Murphy, on the staff of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, called and asked for information on [ ]  
[ ] Murphy is interested in [ ] since his company has something to do with atomic energy materials. When it was determined [ ] is an American citizen, I informed Murphy that this Agency did not provide information on U. S. citizens and suggested that he direct his inquiry to the FBI.
- 25X1 12. [ ] Met with Mr. John S. Leahy, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, who advised that during the testimony this morning by Mr. Frederick Smith, Jr., Assistant Legal Adviser for Security and Consular Affairs, Department of State, before Senator Inouye's Special Subcommittee on Deserters, Senate Armed Services Committee, several references were made to "another agency." It was Mr. Leahy's impression at the close of the hearing that our Agency might be receiving a call from Don Hittle, the Chief Counsel. I thanked Mr. Leahy for this information.
- 25X1 13. [ ] Miss Doris Scott, House Armed Services Committee staff, called and asked if the Agency could provide a copy of Nagel's Encyclopedia Guide to China on a loan basis for Mr. Blandford's use.

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14. [redacted] Received a call from Miss Julia Neef, in the office of Senator Spessard L. Holland. Miss Neef would like advice on the current status of the employment application of [redacted] so that they may close out their file, if appropriate. I advised I would check the matter and be back in touch.

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Tuesday - 21 May 1968

25X1 1. [ ] Met with Chairman Rivers and Chief Counsel John Blandford, of House Armed Services Committee, to brief them on the cancellation of a sensitive project. See Memorandum for the Record. Briefed DDCI on highlights and he in turn briefed the Director. I also reported the highlights to Colonel White.

25X1 2. [ ] Representative Charles S. Gubser (R., Calif.) called me and when I returned his call I talked to his Administrative Assistant, Jean Gordon, who said that Mr. Gubser had two constituents from California who were anxious to convey some information of significance to the Agency. I arranged for [ ] to meet them. See his Journal note.

25X1 3. [ ] DDP told me that Sam Papich, of the FBI, commented on the FBI concern over some of the provisions of S. 1035, the Ervin bill, and wondered what the Agency was doing in this regard. I told DDP that [ ] was on the Hill this afternoon to talk to Bun Bray, Director, House Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service. 25X1

25X1 4. [ ] Hand carried to William Woodruff, on the staff of Senate Appropriations Committee, a letter from the Director concerning a withdrawal from the reserves regarding [ ] 25X1  
 25X1 [ ] Woodruff inquired whether this was a new [ ] or was a replacement for an existing one. I told him I would check on this and be back in touch. This completely satisfied Woodruff and he has no further requirements for information at this time. He said he would discuss this with Senator Russell at a later date and if anything was required he would contact us at that time. 25X1

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5. [redacted] Talked to Chief/OC about a problem raised by Bill Woodruff, Senate Appropriations Committee staff, regarding withdrawal from reserves [redacted]

Upon learning of this problem, Colonel White called Bill Woodruff directly and reminded him of the history of this project.

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6. [redacted] At Chairman Rivers' request, I met with the Chairman, Russ Blandford and [redacted] of DIA, a few minutes before 8:00 a.m. During the meeting the Chairman's remarks were addressed principally to [redacted] and related to the seriousness of the present Vietcong and North Vietnamese actions in South Vietnam.

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[redacted] responded primarily from information contained in what appeared to be a daily intelligence bulletin put out by DIA, although his responses were handled in a conversational manner. The Chairman was quite concerned that an offensive is going on "during a period when we have stopped bombing again." The Chairman also noted in passing the statements made by Governor Reagan yesterday on the conduct of the war, and indicated that he was almost of a mind to endorse the Governor's statements. [redacted] indicated, in effect, that although pressure is being applied, the offensive is not in any way comparable to the Tet offensive. It appears that the Chairman's only purpose in inviting me into the discussion was a desire to "talk to his intelligence people who were available." After the meeting [redacted] affirmed my understanding that he meets daily the first thing in the morning with Mr. Blandford and reviews the DIA intelligence bulletin with him.

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7. [redacted] Met with Mrs. Gerry Myers, House Post Office and Civil Service Committee staff, and confirmed tomorrow's meeting at Headquarters with [redacted]

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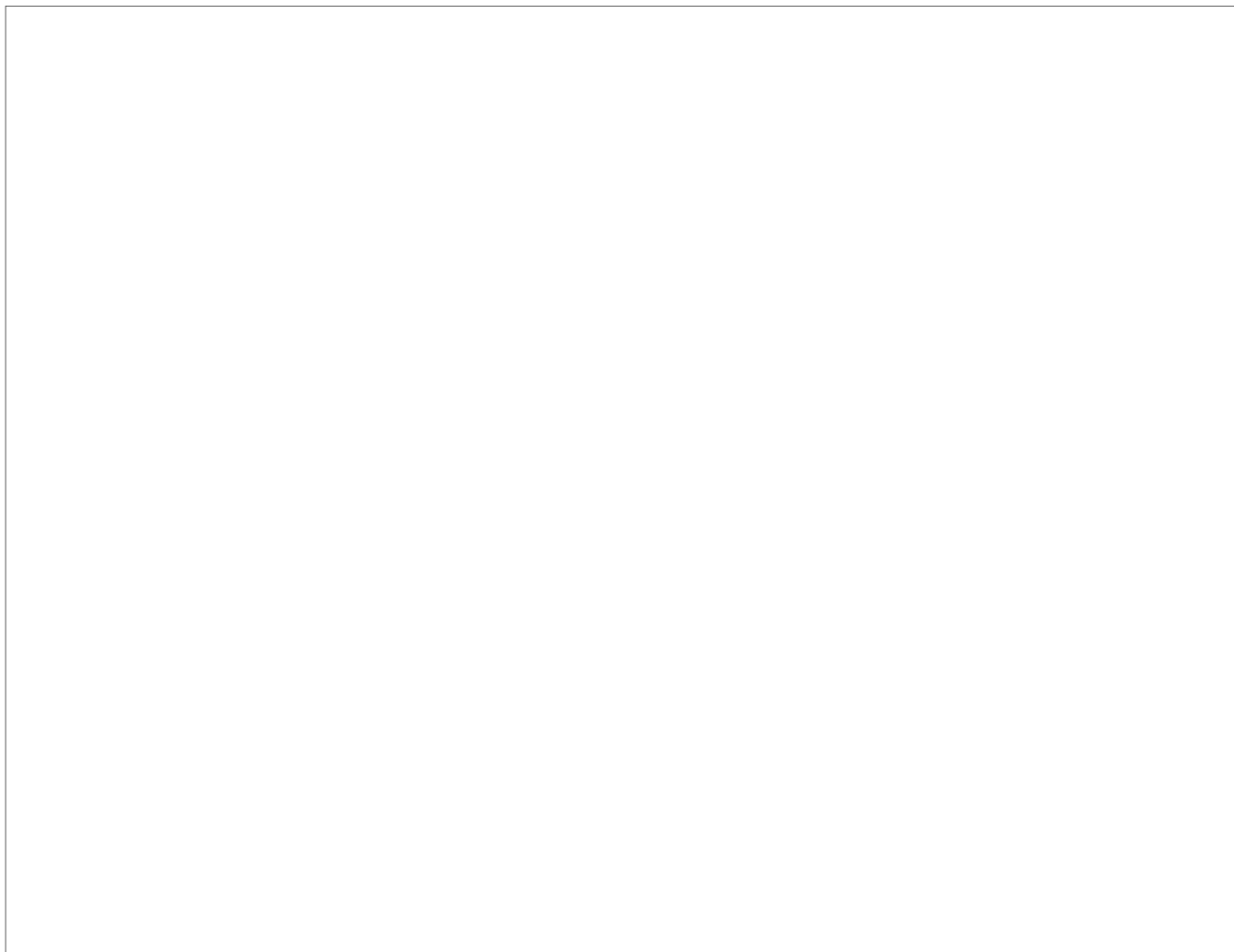
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10. [redacted] In response to his inquiry I briefed Dr. Martin Sweig, on the staff of Speaker McCormack, on the application of [redacted]. I advised Dr. Sweig that [redacted] was of interest to us in a specific occupational speciality, but unfortunately we had been unable to proceed with our original employment plans in view of limitations on our ceiling. Dr. Sweig said he understood the problem but asked that we keep him informed if there should be any future action regarding this applicant.

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11. [redacted] Discussed with the Acting DDS&T a paper desired by Chairman Rivers on cancellation of a sensitive Agency project.

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1. [redacted] Discussed with Mr. Lauderdale, Acting DDS&T, details regarding cancellation of a sensitive project in preparation for a meeting tomorrow with Mr. Blandford, Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, and possibly Chairman Rivers.

Was informed by the Director of his conversation with Mr. Darden, Chief of Staff, Senate Armed Services Committee, regarding briefing of Chairman Russell 20 May on cancellation of a sensitive project. According to Darden, Chairman Russell does not desire to pursue the matter further at this time but may wish it brought up at an early meeting of the Agency's Subcommittee.

Discussed with Mr. Lauderdale, DDS&T, Senator Milton Young's interest in briefing on the SU-9. Lauderdale will pull together appropriate material in coordination with OSR and hopes to have results by the end of the week.

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2. [redacted] Made a date with Chief Counsel John Blandford, House Armed Services Committee, for 0715 tomorrow to discuss cancellation of a sensitive project and plans for briefing Chairman Rivers.

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3. [redacted] Talked to Mr. Philip Kelleher, Counsel, House Armed Services Committee staff, regarding allegations in the British press that we are stockpiling BW materials in Thailand. In view of his interest, I said we would check to see if this appears to be part of a general communist propaganda ploy. Have asked CI Staff, CA Staff, and OSI for comment.

4. (Confidential - GLC) Helen Connor, in the Office of Personnel, called to alert us to the fact that [redacted] an Agency employee in [redacted] has apparently become disenchanted and gone to his Congressman (name unknown). Miss Connor was merely alerting us to the possibility of a call from the Hill regarding [redacted]

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5. [redacted] Talked with Bill Darden, Senate Armed Services Committee staff, about a possible meeting between Senator Russell and the Director today on a special project which is being terminated. Darden said he talked with the Senator about this on Friday using a background paper which he already had. He said while the Senator was not refusing to see Mr. Helms, he felt there was no need for a meeting at this time. He said the Senator commented that in view of the background of the individual who made this decision, there was not much point in trying to fight it at this time. The Senator added, however, that it would be taken up at a budget session with the CIA Subcommittee, which he hoped to hold at an early date. Mr. Darden said he advised Mrs. Warren on the Senator's staff of this conversation. (Later in the morning the Director had a conversation with Mr. Darden along these same lines.)

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6. [redacted] Martin Sweig, Legislative Assistant to Speaker McCormack, called and asked the status of the application of [redacted] The Office of Personnel is getting this file for us.

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7. [redacted] Picked up from Scott Cohen, Special Assistant to Senator Charles Percy, several letters from the French Peace Committee to the Senator on the subject of US action in Vietnam. These are being forwarded to the DD/P for their information.

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1. [redacted] Met with Mr. Vincent Augliere, House Foreign Operations and Government Information Subcommittee staff, and advised him that [redacted] of Air Asia Company, Limited, was furnished a copy of the letter to Mr. Paul Hinkle, and has advised that he will be pleased to respond directly concerning the claim of [redacted]. A letter had been received from Air Asia from [redacted] attorneys in April but it had been necessary to go to the field for information on which to base a response. Mr. Augliere later advised that this was most satisfactory. Representative Moss' office is responding to the law firm by telephone and will confirm their call with a later letter. Mr. Augliere was most appreciative of the Agency assistance in placing the Congressman's office in touch with the proper people. Mr. Houston has been advised.

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2. [redacted] Received a call from Representative Frank Bow (R., Ohio) concerning the possibility of summer only employment of a young college student constituent. I reviewed the Agency summer employment program with him. Mr. Bow noted in passing that he had apparently misconstrued statements made "in the briefing" to the effect that we could utilize such individuals in unclassified work. Mr. Bow was most understanding and had no questions about our program.

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3. [redacted] In response to his request of Friday, I confirmed for Mr. Austin Smith, Defense Appropriations Subcommittee staff, the pages included in the transcript of the Director's testimony of 7 February.

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4. [redacted] Attempted again to see Mr. Bun Bray, on the staff of the Manpower Subcommittee of House Post Office and Civil Service, but he had not returned to the city.

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5. [redacted] Met with Mr. Robert Michaels, Staff Assistant, House Appropriations Committee staff, and left with him an unclassified blind memorandum commenting on the John Hughes item entitled, "New Cong Attack" which appeared in the 7 May issue of the Christian Science Monitor. Mr. Michaels appreciated the response to his request and agreed that it would be handled without attribution to the Agency.

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6. [redacted] Met with Mr. Charles Johnson, Chief Counsel-Staff Director, House Post Office and Civil Service Committee. In essence, Mr. Johnson advised that in his opinion some pressure may be building up in the Manpower Subcommittee on the question of exemption of CIA, NSA and FBI from S. 1035, or similar legislation, tentatively scheduled for hearing later this year by the Subcommittee. It is Mr. Johnson's desire that we be alerted as early as possible, although he does not feel that any action should be contemplated prior to the actual scheduling of hearings on S. 1035 by the Subcommittee. (See Memorandum for the Record for details.)

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Saturday - 18 May 1968

[redacted] Mr. George Murphy, Joint  
 Committee on Atomic Energy staff, called and requested information from FBIS intercepts concerning the official position taken by the Government of Rumania on the United States-North Vietnam war, together with statements made by Rumania during 1967 and 1968 concerning this support of North Vietnam. If available, he would also appreciate a rundown on the actual assistance: i. e. trucks, armament, foodstuffs, or whatever, furnished to the North Vietnamese. I thanked Mr. Murphy for his call and advised that I would relay his request.

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During the afternoon met with Mr. Blandford, Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, who advised that he had talked to Mr. Kelleher concerning Secretary Clifford's determination regarding phasing out of an Agency project. Mr. Blandford asked that I remind him the first thing on Monday and refresh his memory on details so that he may discuss the matter with the Chairman who will be back on Monday. He mentioned that "they" had discussed this matter with Secretary Clifford, but did not feel that the discussion had had any real effect.

I also mentioned Chairman Rivers' conversation with the Director and Mr. Maury's later meeting with the Chairman concerning the Pueblo. Mr. Blandford appeared to be up-to-date on the conversations and not greatly concerned. I also advised him of Mr. Warner's and Mr. Maury's meeting with Representative Philbin concerning the cost-of-living amendment to the Agency Retirement Act.

Mr. Blandford does not see time for a meeting of the CIA Subcommittee. It is necessary for the Armed Services Committee to get back to the Military Procurement Authorization hearings, which are not even scheduled at the moment.

Mr. Blandford noted in passing that the Hardy trip is progressing satisfactorily, but provided no details about it.

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1. [redacted] As a follow-up to Mr. Houston's conversation of last evening, I talked to Mr. George Doole concerning correspondence received by Representative John Moss relating to a claim of [redacted] against his former employer, Air Asia. Mr. Doole advised that although an original letter from [redacted] attorneys had been received in April, it was necessary to go to the field for information on which to base a response. The answer to the attorneys is now being drafted.

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I attempted several times during the afternoon to see or talk to Mr. Vincent Augliere of Representative Moss' Committee staff, but he was away from his desk. I will see him on Monday and close out this matter.

2. [redacted] Delivered a personal note and enclosure, from Mr. Maury, to Senator Mike Mansfield's and Senator Everett Dirksen's offices.

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3. [redacted] During the afternoon I met with Mr. Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, who advised (in his opinion) that the meeting of the Subcommittee had gone very well. As to follow-ups, Mr. Michaels noted that John Clarke had had a problem relating to certain contract types, but that the response would be in writing and he did not think that the Committee is in any hurry for it.

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4. [redacted] Met with Mr. Austin Smith, House Appropriations Committee staff, who requested identification and verification of the page numbers of the transcript of the 7 February meeting of the Defense Subcommittee. (The Agency is providing safekeeping for the transcript.)

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5. [redacted] In response to her call, picked up from Miss Doris Scott, House Armed Services Committee staff, an envelope addressed to Mr. Maury from Mr. Kelleher.

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25X1 6. [ ] Met briefly with Miss Martha  
25X1 Weisz, in the office of Senator Robert Kennedy, concerning the undated  
mimeograph letter from [ ] received by the Senator's office  
on 13 May. Miss Weisz advised that the letter had been forwarded as  
a matter of information to us and that no response to the Senator is  
25X1 necessary. Miss Weisz noted that this is the fourth letter from Mr.  
[ ] that has been received in three months and that someone should  
probably try to assist him, but that the medical assistance which  
appears to be needed is not within the province of either the Agency  
or the Senator's office. The Senator's office is filing the letter without  
response.

25X1 7. [ ] Attempted to see Mr. Bun Bray, Manpower  
Subcommittee, House Post Office and Civil Service, but he was away  
from the office until Monday.

25X1 8. [ ] Met with Mr. Philip Kelleher, Counsel,  
House Armed Services Committee, and briefed him on yesterday's  
determination concerning the phasing-out of an Agency program. In  
the light of his knowledge of the program and the companion military  
program, Mr. Kelleher noted his personal concern about the present  
action. In the absence of the Chairman, Mr. Rivers, Mr. Kelleher  
advised that he will pass the information to Mr. Blandford when he  
meets with him later in the morning.

25X1 9. [ ] Accompanied the Director and Messrs. White,  
25X1 Duckett, Clarke and [ ] to a briefing of the CIA House Appropriations  
Subcommittee on the Agency budget. [ ] will do a draft memo  
covering substantive aspects which we will coordinate. 25X1

The only specific follow-up request concerns contract personnel in,  
or supporting operations in, Vietnam--how many, what kind, where and  
what they are doing. Mr. Clarke's office will prepare a written response.

In addition, the Director wishes an Agency expert to brief Representa-  
tive Glenard P. Lipscomb on the NIS program, and Mr. Duckett or one of  
his staff to cover with Representative Lipscomb our external research  
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10. [ ] During the course of the day, met the following persons to brief them on the termination of a special Agency project: Messrs. Darden and Woodruff, of the Senate Armed Services and Appropriations Committees staffs, Senators Milton Young, Margaret Chase Smith, Stennis, Jackson and Symington, and Representative William Bates. (See Memorandum for the Record for details.)

During our briefing of Senator Young, the Senator requested a briefing on the new Soviet fighter aircraft which he described as the "successor of the MIG-23". The Senator said that he had asked a high level Air Force officer about this aircraft during a recent Appropriations briefing but the officer was unable to provide him with any information of substance. The Senator was advised that we would look into this and be in touch with him early next week.

Following my briefing of Senator Margaret Chase Smith, the Senator asked if there was any new information regarding the Puëblo. I told her that I was not aware of anything except for the movement of the ship from Wonsan to Najin and the reported dismantling of it. The Senator expressed considerable interest in the dismantling and asked if we could provide her with our judgment as to the significance of this North Korean action.

Representative Bates expressed deep interest in many of the technical aspects of the program being terminated. It was agreed that we would meet with him again next week and provide someone who could discuss these technical aspects with him.

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11. [ ] Attempted to contact Chairman Russell to brief him on the cancellation of a sensitive Agency project in which he is interested. The Senator was unavailable and [ ] briefed William Woodruff, Senate Appropriations Committee staff, who later reported to Senator Russell.

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After lunch, [ ] and I checked with Mr. Woodruff who had briefly reported the matter to Senator Russell. Woodruff quoted the Senator as expressing interest in several follow-up questions. (These have been passed to the Director and to Mr. Duckett who will provide the Director with material for answering these questions when the Director sees the Senator personally the first of the week.) For further details regarding the cancellation of the above mentioned special project, see Memorandum for the Record.

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12. [redacted] Attended a meeting in the Director's office with Colonel White, Messrs. Bross, Duckett and Clarke in which this morning's briefing was reviewed and in which the Director gave general guidance for handling certain community problems, including congressional aspects thereof.

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13. [redacted] Per the Director's instructions, we attempted to contact Chairman Rivers for a briefing on the cancellation of a special project but he is out of town until the first of next week. (Messrs. Blandford and Kelleher, House Armed Services Committee staff, were briefed by [redacted]

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1. [redacted] Met with [redacted] of the [redacted] who had been referred to us by Mr. Charles Kirbow, on the staff of the Senate Armed Services, and received from him a brochure, for transmittal to our scientific people, indicating the various capabilities of the [redacted]. This is being passed to [redacted] DD/S&T, who previously met with [redacted].

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2. [redacted] John O'Keefe, Legislative Assistant to Senator George Smathers, contacted us regarding the case of [redacted]

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[redacted] O'Keefe explained that they have made several inquiries to the Department of State about the [redacted] case over the years and have never received a full response from the Department. (The [redacted] family alleges that their son was in some way associated with CIA and that this association had something to do with his death.) I advised O'Keefe that State Department had queried us again on this case within the past few days and for his information we had informed the Department that [redacted] had no connection with this Agency. In response to his urgings, I told O'Keefe that I would ask our people if they would ask the Department to expedite their response to the Senator on this. I also suggested to O'Keefe that he take the initiative in direct contact with the Office of Congressional Relations, State Department.

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4. [redacted] Met with Messrs. Karamessines, [redacted] to discuss procedures for handling of significant operational "nuggets" for use in briefing congressional committees. See Memo for the Record for details.

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5. [redacted] Robert Michaels, Staff Assistant, House Appropriations Committee, called to say that a member of the full Committee (but not a member of the CIA Subcommittee) had shown particular interest in an article in the 7 May issue of the Christian Science Monitor by John Hughes entitled "New Cong Attack." Michaels said the Director might be asked to comment on this article at tomorrow's briefing.

Michaels also said he would like to have by the end of next week an unclassified comment on this article which could be used without attribution in the event the issues therein raised were brought up for discussion on the floor.

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The Director's office and [redacted] were informed of the above and [redacted] is preparing a comment on the article for the Director's possible use should he be questioned concerning it at tomorrow's hearing. [redacted] will also prepare the unclassified comment requested for next week.

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6. [redacted] Met with Vincent Augliere, House Foreign Operations and Government Information Subcommittee staff, who provided a copy of a letter of 13 May addressed to Mr. Moss' Administrative Assistant, Paul Hinkle, concerning a claim of [redacted] for some \$3,000 against Air Asia Company Limited, and complaining that correspondence to Air Asia had not been answered. I advised Augliere that I would check to see whether the Agency had any interest in the matter and be back in touch with him during the day tomorrow. Mr. Houston has been advised.

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7. [redacted] EA/DDP, called and advised that Mr. Karamessines had talked with Mr. Trueheart, Department of State, this evening and advised him that Senator George Smathers is concerned over the delay in response by the Department relating to his queries on the [redacted] case. Mr. Trueheart advised he would get on the matter right away.

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8. [redacted] After checking with the Office of Security and the DD/P Office, advised Mr. Gaucher, Administrative Assistant to Representative Philip Philbin, that Georgiy M. Shapkin, Second Secretary of the Soviet Embassy, is an accredited diplomat who, like many another in Washington, appears to concern himself rather completely with affairs on Capitol Hill. Mr. Gaucher thanked me for the advice and indicated he was only interested in checking due to the number of times that Shapkin had been by their office.

Mr. Gaucher furnished for our information a copy of a news item of 14 May from the Evening Gazette, Worcester, Massachusetts, relating to an interview with Henry A. Prunier, formerly of OSS, whose remarks concerning Vietnam appear to be highlighted by Prunier's belief that Ho Chi Minh is first and foremost a patriot. I thanked Mr. Gaucher for the item.

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- 25X1 1. [redacted] Delivered the Director's letter personally to Chairman Rivers, House Armed Services Committee, and explained the situation regarding the Pueblo. See Memo for the Record.
- 25X1 2. [redacted] Maureen McKenna, Senate Foreign Relations Committee staff, called to request a subscription to the Eastern Europe FBIS Daily Report for Mr. James G. Lowenstein, Committee Consultant, 4229 New Senate Office Building. Arrangements have been made to send copies direct from FBIS liaison office starting tomorrow.
- 25X1 3. [redacted] Jay DeWitt, in the office of Representative Clarence Brown, Jr. (R., Ohio), called to request the availability of an Agency representative to appear on a 15 minute radio tape with the Congressman. I explained the general policy against such appearances and Mr. DeWitt appeared to appreciate the underlying problems and withdrew his request.
- 25X1 4. [redacted] Talked to Representative John Rarick (D., La.) concerning his recent request for information about an Agency ad in the "Underground Digest." I explained that this had been lifted from a legitimate ad in the "College Placement Annual" and was in no way authorized or paid for by the Agency. I noted that we had trouble in this regard with other underground publications put out by the "hippy" movement in an apparent effort to embarrass the Agency. Rarick thoroughly understood the situation and accepted this reply. See Memorandum for the Record.
- 25X11 6. [redacted] Hand carried to the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy two blind memoranda containing information on [redacted] as requested by George [redacted] Murphy of the Joint Committee staff.

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25X1 7. [ ] Talked with John Conway, Staff Director,  
25X1 Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, about his letter to the Director  
requesting information in connection with the [ ] case. I asked  
Conway whether he felt it necessary to provide a written response to his  
letter in view of his conversations with Admiral Taylor and Tom Parrott  
on this subject during their luncheon here last week. Conway said he  
wanted to talk further with Chairman Holifield on this subject. He said  
if they desire anything in writing he would let us know.

25X1 8. [ ] Talked with Roy Elson, Administrative  
Assistant to Senator Carl Hayden, about the possibility of Hayden's putting  
in the Congressional Record the story entitled "A Close Look at the CIA"  
by Jeanette H. Sofokidis which appeared in the May edition of American  
Education. Elson said Senator Hayden did not often put items like this in  
the Congressional Record but said he thought the Senator would be inter-  
ested in inserting this one. I am to provide Elson with some background  
information on Mrs. Sofokidis, who happens to be a graduate of Arizona  
State University.

25X1 9. [ ] Met with Bob Harris, Counsel for the  
Labor Subcommittee of the Senate Labor and Public Welfare Committee,  
about Senator Yarborough's bill (S. 1779) and our suggested revision of  
section 7 of that bill. Mr. Harris said that they have no plans regarding  
further action on the bill at this time but appreciated my providing him  
with this draft language for his use at the appropriate time. (See Memorandum  
for the Record.)

25X1 10. [ ] Met with Mr. Robert Michaels, Staff  
Assistant, House Appropriations Committee staff, and confirmed the  
25X1 arrangements of Friday's briefing. Mr. Michaels feels that the agenda and  
possible questions were detailed sufficiently in the meeting with Mr. Maury  
and Mr. Clarke. No further questions have been raised by the Chairman.

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11. [redacted] Met with Philip Kelleher, Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, who noted in passing that the Committee's schedule could provide time for hearings on the Agency cost-of-living amendment to the Retirement Bill. Determination, of course, rests with Mr. Philbin in calling a hearing.

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Tuesday - 14 May 1968

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1. [redacted] Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, reported he still has no information on when our budget hearings will be scheduled--he will let us know as soon as he does.

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2. [redacted] Made an appointment to meet with Chairman L. Mendel Rivers, House Armed Services Committee, at 0830 tomorrow morning to deliver a letter from the Director and orally provide additional background details regarding the Pueblo matter.

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4. [redacted] In response to his question of yesterday, I advised Mr. Kelleher, Counsel, House Armed Services, that TAGBOARD Project [redacted]

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5. [redacted] Tried to see Representative John Rarick (D., La.), but he was unavailable for the entire day. I made an appointment to see him at 3 o'clock tomorrow.

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Monday - 13 May 1968

25X1 1. [redacted] The Director called to tell me of Chairman Rivers' (House Armed Services Committee) concern over not being kept up to date on the situation of the Pueblo. After checking with Mr. Warner and OLC officers, I advised Mrs. Dunlevy that Mr. Warner and I shared the recollection that certain staff members had been informed of the Pueblo situation some weeks ago, but we could not recall precisely whom and when.

25X1 2. [redacted] Advised the Director that Senator Eastland had been briefed by the FBI regarding certain derogatory information concerning [redacted]

25X1 [redacted] I pointed out that some of this derogatory information had been provided by the Agency. I suggested that the Director should be aware of this in case Senator Eastland should raise the matter with him. The Director foresaw no problem in dealing with any inquiries from the Senator.

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25X1 4. [redacted] Met with Mr. Robert Michaels, Staff Assistant, House Appropriations Committee, and discussed with him the scheduling of the Agency budget hearings. Mr. Michaels advised that Armed Services appeared to be delayed in forwarding authorization legislation and as a result may provide breathing room in the Chairman's schedule for the coming week. He has no further information as yet from the Chairman, however, as to the date of the meeting.

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5. [redacted] Met with Mr. Joseph Winslow, Consultant, Subcommittee on Classification, House Post Office and Civil Service, and invited him to visit Headquarters on Wednesday, 22 May, for an informal briefing on the Agency experience with the Civil Service position classification system. I also reviewed with Mr. Winslow the general Committee procedures being utilized in study of Federal classification systems. Mr. Winslow is looking forward to visiting the Agency and renewing his acquaintance with Colonel White.

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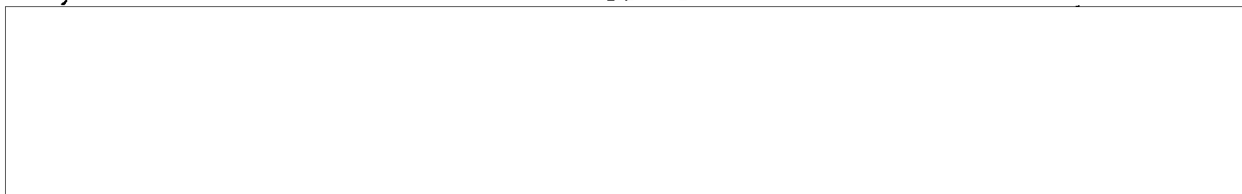
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Friday - 10 May 1968

25X1 1. [redacted] John Clarke and I met with Bob Michaels, Staff Assistant, House CIA Subcommittee on Appropriations, to review plans for Agency budget briefing. See Memorandum for the Record.

25X1 During the discussion with Michaels he said he would appreciate our providing a technician to run a security check on the new telephone system in the office of the House Appropriations Committee staff.



25X1 2. [redacted] Don Shasteen, Executive Assistant to Senator Carl Curtis, called and asked if the Agency was in the position to provide a speaker for a religious retreat which the Lutheran Church will be having at Myrtle Ridge Lodge in Jefferson, Maryland next weekend. Shasteen said he had heard from some friends of a very impressive talk given by an Agency officer to a group of [redacted] executives and wondered if a speaker could be provided for their purposes. I told Mr. Shasteen that the talk with the [redacted] executives was an unusual thing which the Agency occasionally does for groups of that sort. I told him, however, that unlike many other agencies, we did not have a speaker's bureau and regretted that we could not be of assistance to him. Shasteen was very pleasant and seemed to understand the situation completely. He said he had thought this might have been the case but felt it wouldn't hurt to check.

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3. [redacted] Spoke with [redacted] Personnel, and made arrangements for an employee interview of [redacted] [redacted] who had been recommended by John Merriam, Legislative Assistant to Senator Kuchel. [redacted] [redacted] For the time being this case should not be considered as a congressional referral.

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5. [redacted] Mike Finley, Executive Assistant to Representative Dante Fascell, called to say that a reporter in Key West, Florida for the Miami Herald had been in touch with their office regarding what the reporter referred to as increasing numbers of boats of armed Cubans being picked up on the Florida coast. According to the reporter, these boats have been taken into custody by the Coast Guard but no action has been taken with regard to the individuals involved. The reporter wanted to know how he could contact the Agency with regard to this. I told Finley that this was a matter for joint responsibility on the part of the Coast Guard, the Immigration and Naturalization Service and the FBI, and not an Agency problem.

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Finley also mentioned that an individual by the name of [redacted] [redacted] had told Wright Langley, of the Miami Herald, that two boats were operating out of Marathon, Florida and he [redacted] thinks these boats are owned by CIA. After discussing this with [redacted] Deputy Chief, WH Division, I advised Finley that Congressman Fascell was well informed regarding our activities and was aware that the Agency was not engaging in operations of this sort. Finley said this caused him no problems and thanked me for my response.

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6. [redacted] Received from Colonel White a tentative date of Wednesday 22 May for meeting with Mr. John Winslow, Consultant to the Job Classification Subcommittee of House Post Office and Civil Service. Mr. Winslow, his assistant and secretary were all away from the office, however, during the day.

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7. [redacted] In response to his call, met with Representative F. Edward Hebert (D., La.) concerning the son of a constituent who is a deserter from the American military in Stockholm. In keeping with advice received from the Office of DDP, I advised Mr. Hebert that it would not be advisable to attempt to contact the lad without getting a proper reading from the Department of State, and suggested he contact Mr. William Macomber.

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8. [redacted] In the absence of Mr. John M. Martin, Chief Counsel, House Ways and Means Committee, I ascertained from his office that the exemptions set forth in the Conference Report on H. R. 15414 are accurately reflected in the summary of section 2 related in the "Summary of the Discussions of the Conferees on H. R. 15414." Specific exemption of CIA is no longer contained therein. It was noted, however, that the limitations on Government employees is now stated in Government-wide terms rather than agency by agency, as in the Senate version. The limitation on numbers has been reduced from one in two to one in four.

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Thursday - 9 May 1968

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1. [ ] Met with Mr. Charles Johnson, Chief Counsel and Staff Director of the House Post Office and Civil Service Committee with regard to S. 1035, the Ervin bill. Mr. Johnson noted that it will be scheduled for hearing by Mr. Henderson. The schedule is such that if the decks were cleared on other matters, hearings could be set as early as the last week of the month, but there is more likelihood that they will be scheduled for a later date.

With regard to the Federal pay raise, Mr. Johnson noted in essence that present information would indicate that the White House is not going to assent to delaying the pay raise.

I also discussed with Mr. Johnson the study being conducted by the Subcommittee on Position Classification. Mr. Joseph Winslow, Consultant to the Subcommittee, is away from the office for the week due to death in the family, and his assistant is absent due to illness. I advised Mr. Johnson that the meeting with Agency representatives will be scheduled upon Mr. Winslow's return.

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2. [ ] Met with Mr. William Woodruff, Assistant Chief Clerk, Senate Appropriations Committee staff, concerning the McNamara-Tidemand agreement of January 1968. Mr. Woodruff advised that the matter had been reviewed with Senator Russell and Senator Young and approved by them late last week. (See Memorandum for the Record.)

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3. [ ] Met with Mr. Robert Michaels, Staff Assistant, House Committee on Appropriations, who advised that the McNamara-Tidemand agreement of 1968 had been reviewed with representatives of the Department of Defense. Although certain questions were raised, no objection was taken by Chairman Mahon. (See Memorandum for the Record.)

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25X1 4. [redacted] Met with Mr. Clifford Goucher,  
25X1 Administrative Assistant to Representative Philip J. Philbin. Mr.  
25X1 Goucher requested such information as might be appropriate concerning  
25X1 [redacted] has been by  
25X1 the office several times and appears to concern himself primarily  
25X1 with matters relating to our national elections. Mr. Goucher noted  
25X1 that [redacted] appeared somewhat concerned, particularly at his  
25X1 inability to get a handle on the outcome of the conventions or the  
25X1 elections.

25X1 5. [redacted] Informed James Billey, in the office  
25X1 of Senator Milton Young, that an applicant in whom the Senator had a  
25X1 personal interest, [redacted] had written to tell us he had  
25X1 obtained another position and was withdrawing his application.

25X1 6. [redacted] Duff Reed, in the office of Senator  
25X1 Thruston Morton, called to say he wanted us to know he was having  
25X1 lunch today with [redacted]. I expressed our  
25X1 appreciation but suggested he inform the FBI.

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25X1 8. [redacted] Explained to [redacted] CI  
25X1 Staff, the request of Messrs. Conway and Murphy, of the Joint Committee  
25X1 on Atomic Energy staff, that they be alerted to any indications of  
25X1 security compromise of sensitive atomic information.

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25X1 [redacted] confirmed that the FBI had briefed Senator James O.  
25X1 Eastland a couple of days ago on the [redacted] case.

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25X1 9. [ ] Talked with Mr. Woodruff about the expenditure and NOA cuts contemplated in the conference on the tax bill. As he explained it, there will be an over-all ceiling on expenditures for fiscal 1969 plus a reduction in the President's budget for NOA for 1969. In addition, there will be a recommendation that the President forward in his January 1969 budget message for fiscal 1970 recommendations for [ ] recision in old obligation authority. Mr. Woodruff indicated that he did not see how there would be any legislative impairment on our reserve although possible we would have to bear some Bureau of the Budget allocation of cuts in the fiscal 1969 expenditure limitations and NOA cuts. 25X1

25X1 10. [ ] Talked with Duff Reed, in Senator Thruston Morton's office, after his luncheon with [ ] Reed 25X1 merely wanted to pass his observation that [ ] was very nervous when 25X1 any of the discussion got around to Eastern Europe. Reed himself speculated that this nervousness might be traced to some ticker items of today referring to Soviet troop movements. Reed speculated that 25X1 if they were true, [ ] knew something about it. I thanked Reed for passing these observations on and said I would transmit them to appropriate people.

25X1 11. [ ] Scott Cohen, Staff Assistant to Senator Charles Percy, called regarding a report which had come to their attention to the effect that Francisco Alberto Caamano Deno has taken the place of Che Guevara. After checking with [ ] I advised 25X1 Mr. Cohen that to the best of our knowledge the reports which Mr. Cohen referred to were not accurate, but were in effect an exaggeration of a newspaper story. I provided Mr. Cohen with some additional information about Caamano including the fact that in 1965 he had been sent to London as Military Attache and was last seen in October 1967 in The Hague. Circumstantial evidence would indicate, however, that he is indeed in Cuba at the present time. I added that we would doubt that Caamano had been appointed to this position by Castro since he has little support in his own country and is not considered to be a fighter.

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25X1 12. [redacted] In connection with a message on the Military Committee of NATO which he had asked that we pass to Admiral Taylor, I advised Mr. Murphy, of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy staff, that his message was essentially what was agreed to at our luncheon but that Admiral Taylor pointed out that the fact remains that [redacted] are present and have access to information through the NATO Military Staff.

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25X1 13. [redacted] Hand carried to Mr. James T. Kendall, Chief Counsel, Subcommittee on Preparedness Investigation, an intelligence memorandum entitled, "Communist China: Strategic Imports of the Free World" prepared by OER in response to the request which was passed to us by Kendall on behalf of Senator Stennis. Mr. Kendall was most grateful for this comprehensive report.

25X1 14. [redacted] Met with Harriet Robnett, in the office of Senator Stuart Symington, and reviewed with her a response concerning [redacted] a co-op student [redacted] who was interested in intelligence service. Miss Robnett said that our response on this was completely satisfactory.

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25X1 15. [redacted] Dropped by the office of Senator Ellender. in connection with a request for a subscription to the FBIS White Book for Professor Ellis Sandoz of Louisiana Polytechnic Institute. I indicated that this material was available through the documents expediting service and the Depository Library system as well. This appeared to be all that was needed and I was informed that the Senator would not want us to supply the report directly as this would be an unnecessary burden.

25X1 16. [redacted] Met with John Merriam, in the office of Senator Thomas Kuchel, and was able to close out an outstanding item concerning North Korea without discussing classified information. Merriam also recommended [redacted] a candidate for Agency employment. I said I would be glad to arrange for an interview and would be back in touch with him on this.

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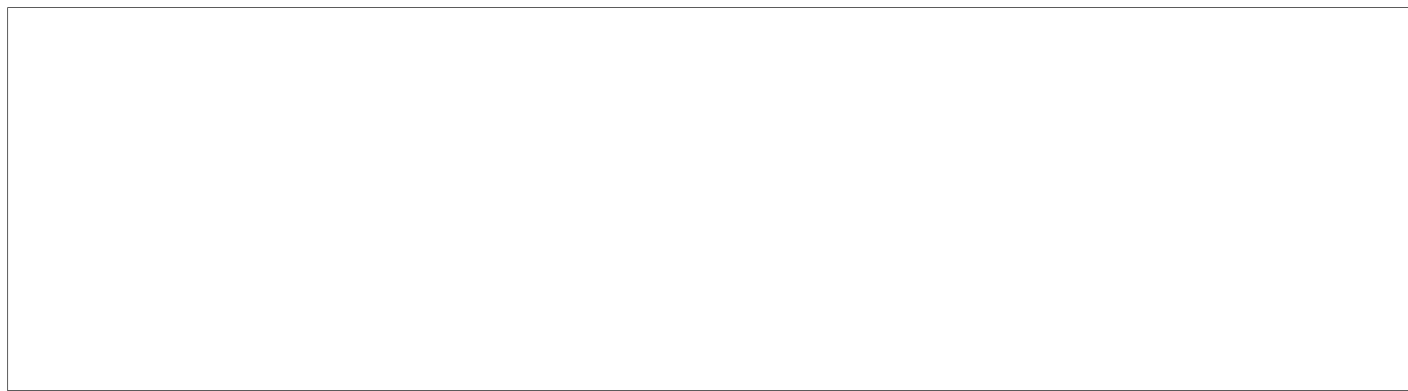
OFFICE OF LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL

Wednesday - 8 May 1968

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1. [redacted] Arranged meeting between Bob Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, and John Clarke for 10 May at 11:30 a.m., Room H 144, Capitol Building, to discuss plans for upcoming Agency budget briefing.

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3. [redacted] Delivered a sealed letter from the Director to the office of Senator Hayden.

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4. [redacted] Met with various members of the Hardy Defense Posture Subcommittee, including Representatives Rivers, Bates and Hebert, to ascertain who will be travelling with the Committee to Europe and the Middle East.

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5. [redacted] Sharon Larrison, in the office of Representative William St. Onge (D., Conn.), called to inquire whether the FBIS Daily Reports on Eastern Europe, Soviet Union, and Latin America could be sent to a professor at Wesleyan College. I pointed out the problems involved with copyright material contained in these reports and that current policy is that they can not be furnished to anyone not connected with the Federal Government. Miss Larrison thanked me and indicated they will so inform the professor.

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2.  Mr. Warner and Mr. Maury met with Representative Philip Philbin (D., Mass.) to introduce Mr. Maury and to ask Mr. Philbin to push legislation on cost-of-living adjustments for retirees (omitting other and controversial provisions of H. R. 13705). We explained that Senator Russell was amenable, and Philbin foresaw no major problem. He suggested that it might be better to handle the matter as a clean bill rather than amendments to the old version. 25X1

3.  Mr. Warner and Mr. Maury met with Philip Kelleher, House Armed Services Committee staff, to remind him of our interest in the cost-of-living adjustments for retirees and request his assistance in pushing the matter. 25X1

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- 25X1 4. [ ] Met with Mr. Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff. Mr. Michaels advised that Mr. Mahon would not be able to call a meeting of the CIA Subcommittee before Friday, 17 May at the earliest. It is possible that meeting of the Subcommittee could even go over to the week of 20 May. Mr. John Clarke has been advised.
- 25X1 5. [ ] In response to the Office of the DD/I request, reviewed the Senate Foreign Relations' transcript of the nomination hearings of the Honorable Frank McKinney, Ambassador-Designate to Spain. Reviewed portions of Mr. McKinney's statement were dictated by telephone for OCI use in responding to the field inquiry.
- 25X1 6. [ ] Met with Miss Rugito, in the office of Representative John Dent, and reviewed with her the correspondence dated 16 May 1968 from [ ] Miss Rugito was most appreciative and advised that their office would in all probability file the correspondence without answer. No further action by the Agency is desired.
- 25X1 7. [ ] In the absence of John Reddan, met with Miss Phyllis Seymour, on the staff of the Hardy National Defense Posture Subcommittee, and delivered to her a blind memo dated 3 May titled, "Warsaw Pact." This is the final follow-up to the Director's briefing of the Hardy Subcommittee on 1 May 1968.
- 25X1 8. [ ] At his request, met with Mr. Richard Spears, Special Research Assistant to Senator George Murphy, and discussed with him the legislative committees and executive agencies involved in what might be generally termed review and coordination of CIA activities. Mr. Spears was interested in additional guidance in handling routine correspondence to their office concerning the CIA.
- 25X1 9. [ ] Met with [ ] and arranged a personnel interview for him with [ ] for Thursday morning at 9:00 a.m. in the Ames Building. (See Journal item of 6 May.)

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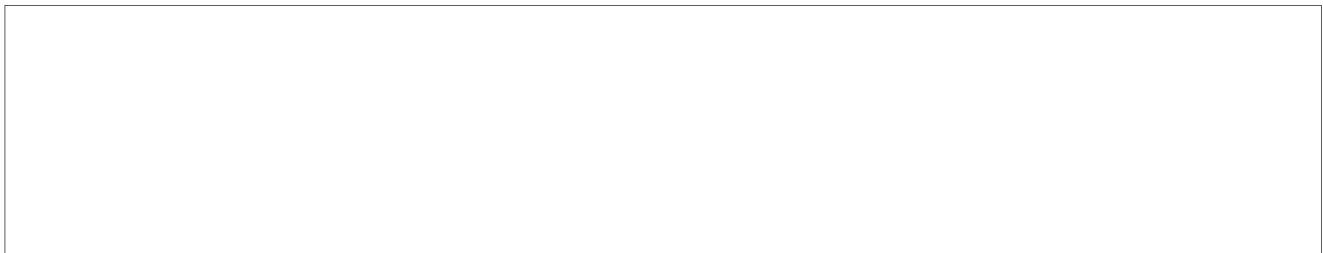
10. [redacted] Met with Mr. Charles Johnson, Staff Director, House Post Office and Civil Service Committee, and discussed with him current newspaper reports concerning possible hearings by the Henderson Subcommittee on S. 1035, the Ervin Bill, "Invasion of Privacy of Federal Employees." In effect, Mr. Johnson advised that there has not been particular interest in the Committee. No Committee members are pushing for hearings and there has been a minimum of interest in the bill by the union. Of course, Senator Ervin and Joe Young, the columnist, are pushing. Review will be undertaken on Wednesday morning by Mr. Henderson's Subcommittee of their legislative program for the remainder of the year. I am to meet with Mr. Johnson again at the conclusion of the executive meeting.

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11. [redacted] Met with Mr. Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, to discuss the upcoming meeting of the Rusk Committee and to refresh his memory on the fact that Radio Free Europe and Radio Liberty were excluded from that Committee's considerations. I also briefed Michaels on the status of Senator Yarborough's bill, S. 1779. Michaels was aware of the upcoming meeting and said he planned to discuss it with Mr. Mahon tomorrow. The distinction applied to Radio Free Europe and Radio Liberty were clear in his mind and he appreciated the information I gave him regarding Senator Yarborough's bill.

Also discussed with Michaels the Ways and Means (Herlong) resolution on the tax bill, H. R. 15414. Michaels went into some of the ramifications of the resolution but pointed out that, as such, the resolution had no legislative effect, that it merely constituted an expression of the feeling of the Ways and Means Committee. He pointed out that until some action is taken by the conferees on H. R. 15414, it would be difficult to venture any opinion as to what the outcome will be, particularly since the bill, in the form in which it is before the conferees, has not been acted upon by the House as a body.

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13. [redacted] Met with Mr. William Woodruff, on the staff of the Senate Appropriations Committee, to discuss the upcoming meeting of the Rusk Committee and to refresh his memory on the fact that Radio Free Europe and Radio Liberty were excluded from that Committee's considerations. I also briefed Woodruff on the status of Senator Yarborough's bill, S. 1779. Woodruff appreciated our seeing him on this even though he was aware that the meeting has been scheduled for Thursday evening. He added that he did not believe that either Senator Hayden or Senator Young would be attending.

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14. [redacted] Met with Mr. Philip Kelleher, Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, to discuss the upcoming meeting of the Rusk Committee and to refresh his memory on the fact that Radio Free Europe and Radio Liberty were excluded from that Committee's considerations. I also briefed Kelleher on the status of Senator Yarborough's bill, S. 1779. Kelleher was aware that the Committee had scheduled a meeting for this Thursday but had not seen the draft which is to be discussed at that meeting. He appreciated very much being alerted to this, although he has no idea what Representative Rivers plans to do on this. He said he would be in touch with the Congressman's office on it, however. He was appreciative for the briefing on the status of Radio Free Europe and Radio Liberty and to have the information on the Yarborough bill.

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15. [redacted] Mr. Macomber, Assistant Secretary of State for Congressional Affairs, called advising he had a request originating from Representative John Monagan, of the Europe Subcommittee of House Foreign Affairs, for the Department to brief the Subcommittee on the [redacted] matter. He wanted our thoughts on this and I explained to him the earlier similar request from the Subcommittee and the subsequent discussions with Chairman Morgan, Boyd Crawford and the fact that the Chairman did take this up with Monagan. Macomber was most appreciative adding that he was going to attempt to get out of the request.

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Subsequently, I called Boyd Crawford to advise him of this and he indicated Mr. Macomber had been in touch with him attempting to get out of the request. Crawford stated he was going to take up the entire matter with the Chairman and he thought the request would not be pursued.

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1. [redacted] In the absence of Representative Donald Riegle, provided Carl Blake, his Administrative Assistant, with the answers to the questions which Riegle had asked during his recent briefing. Blake was satisfied with these answers and said he would pass them on to the Congressman.

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2. [redacted] Miss Laura Elder, in the office of Representative John Monagan (D., Conn.), called for a status report on the application of [redacted] After checking, I advised her that a suitable vacancy did not exist and that a letter to this effect was being sent to Representative Monagan.

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3. [redacted] Talked with Boyd Crawford, House Foreign Affairs Committee staff, advising that we had received the papers on [redacted] [redacted] He is being sent a letter of acknowledgment. I cautioned Crawford that things were tight budgetwise and certainly it would be a considerable length of time before any final favorable decision. He thanked me indicating he would attempt to caution [redacted] on this. Crawford would like to be advised as the case goes on.

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4. [redacted] Made an appointment in Representative Philip Philbin's office to meet with him at noon tomorrow.

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5. [redacted] Met with Mr. James Kendall, Senate Preparedness Committee staff, and gave him a copy of Weekly Survey, Special Report, "Implications of the 1968 Soviet Military Budget" which was referenced by General Furgeson in his testimony last week. (See Journal item of 2 May.) Mr. Kendall expressed his appreciation, and noted in passing, that Senator Thurmond had expressed a personal interest on this subject.

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- 25X1 6. [redacted] Met with Senator Miller as a follow-up to his Headquarters visit last week. I thanked the Senator for his kind letter of commendation for the Agency personnel he had met on his South American tour. The Senator again was complimentary about his visit to Headquarters and restated his desire to spend part of a day with us, when the work load slacks off a bit, to learn a bit about the Agency.
- 25X1 7. [redacted] Met with Senator Claiborne Pell (D., R.I.). The Senator inquired whether Agency policy would allow a personal briefing on Czechoslovakia or whether he would need to go through the Department of State and have us furnish whatever we felt appropriate to the Department of State. I advised that a briefing on Czechoslovakia could be arranged at such time as he might desire. No time was set as his plans for such a trip are quite indefinite at this time.
- 25X1 8. [redacted] In response to his call to Mr. Maury, I met with Mr. Richard McIntosh, Legislative Assistant to Senator Daniel Brewster, [redacted]
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- 25X1 9. [redacted] Mr. John Conway and Mr. George Murphy, on the staff of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, visited the Agency for lunch. Present from the Agency were Admiral Taylor, Mr. Parrott, Mr. Maury and [redacted] The Director had planned to host the lunch but was called to a White House meeting. He greeted Conway and Murphy, however, and talked with them briefly. The luncheon conversation dealt mainly with the Joint Committee's interest in the security of atomic energy information, particularly within the NATO structure. This included discussion of a number of recent defect or cases. (See Mr. Parrott's Memorandum for the Record.)

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10. [redacted] Hand carried to Mr. William Woodruff, Senate Committee on Appropriations staff, the three papers which he had requested on the Soviet bomber threat, the Tallinn system and FOBS.

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11. [redacted] Bill Darden, on the staff of the Senate Armed Services Committee, called. He referred to the fact that the Rusk Committee is meeting this Thursday evening in an attempt to finalize its paper. Darden said he had met with Jim Clarke, of the Bureau of the Budget, and John Richardson in times past, but was still a little unclear regarding the relationship of Richardson's organization to the others. He asked if we could arrange to have someone brief him on this. Later in the day I accompanied Mr. Cord Meyer and [redacted] to a meeting with Darden. Darden readily grasped the significance for distinction with respect to Radio Free Europe and Radio Liberty. Mr. Meyer pointed out that these organizations would have to be dealt with separately probably after the first of the year. I also reminded Darden on the status of Senator Yarborough's bill, S. 1779, as a matter of information for him. Darden said he had lost sight of this and was glad to have this information. Darden said he was quite certain Senator Russell would indicate that his duties in the Senate had limited his participation in the Committee; however, he had not been dissatisfied with the way the organization had been funded through the Agency.

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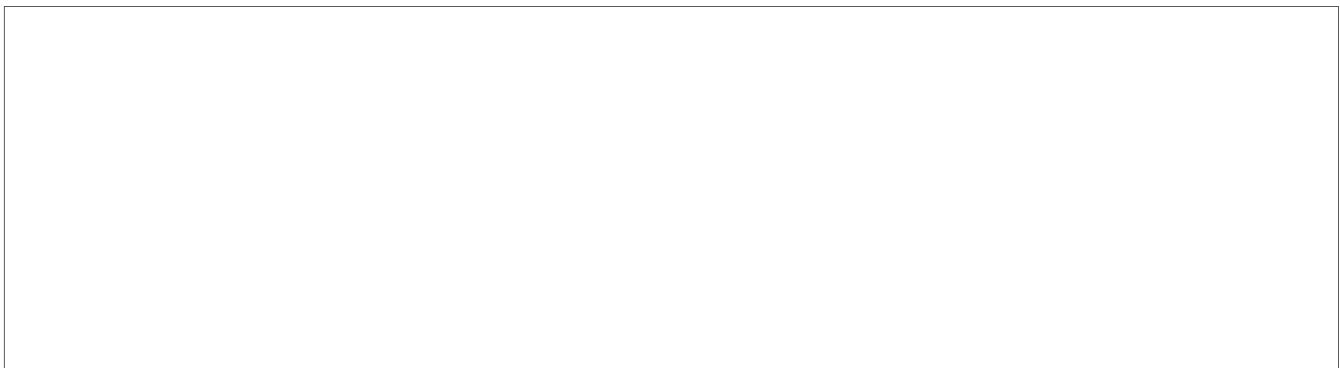
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2.  Mr. Warner and Mr. Maury called on Representative Glenard P. Lipscomb (R., Calif.) in response to a rather irate phone call from him yesterday regarding information we provided him on the Soviet whaler, Druzhnyy, visiting Los Angeles. Mr. Lipscomb apologized for his sharp needling yesterday, but made clear his continued concern over the possibility that the Druzhnyy was on a technical intelligence mission. We conceded that any vessels, delegations or other Soviet groups visiting the U.S. presumably included individuals briefed for intelligence collection, but said that neither the configuration of the Druzhnyy nor the pattern of her travels indicated that she was primarily on an intelligence mission. We added that it seemed unlikely that the Soviets would expose a sophisticated intelligence collection vessel to close U.S. observation, and particularly let its crew ashore in a U.S. port. Mr. Lipscomb was also interested in how the U.S. community functioned in coping with such a possible threat, and we spoke briefly of the various roles of the Navy, Coast Guard, FBI, State Department, the Agency and the Inter-Departmental Security Committee. Mr. Lipscomb was critical of the State Department's policy of encouraging such "exchanges." He also complained sharply that our rather bland earlier memorandum to him on the subject of the Druzhnyy had been stamped "Secret" since, he said, virtually all of its contents could have been gleaned from the press. In conclusion, however, he was most cordial and slightly apologetic for stirring up a rumpus.

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25X1 3. [ ] Mr. Warner introduced Mr. Maury to Mr. Scott Cohen, in the office of Senator Charles Percy. (The Senator was out of town.)

25X1 4. [ ] Mr. Warner and Mr. Maury called on Peggy MacDonald, in the office of Senator Henry M. Jackson, to say that  
25X1 [ ] an applicant in whom the Senator had expressed personal  
25X1 interest, had never submitted her application forms. Miss MacDonald appreciated our interest and said she understood [ ] had  
25X1 decided to apply instead to the Interior Department.

25X1 5. [ ] Mr. Maury and Mr. Warner met with Philip Kelleher, House Armed Services Committee staff, on the question of cost-of-living increases for Agency retirees. We told him of Senator Russell's letter to the Director favoring legislation for this purpose (providing other provisions of the old House bill, H. R. 13705, are omitted). We explained that we planned to approach Representative Philbin on the matter at the first opportunity. Kelleher suggested that the best procedure would be an amendment to the old bill, dropping the more controversial provisions, rather than introducing a new bill. He believes that at least brief Subcommittee hearings on the matter will be necessary.

25X1 6. [ ] Talked with Cord Meyer pursuant to the Director's suggestion that we coordinate with the A/DDP in responding to Senator Stennis' request, relayed by Jim Kendall, of the Senate Preparedness Subcommittee staff, for information on sources of strategic commercial equipment, such as computers, being obtained by the Chinese Communists. Mr. Meyer said all relevant DD/P information should be available to Dr. Ed Allen, OER, and we should deal with him.

25X1 7. [ ] Received a call from Miss Maholage, in the office of Representative Daniel Button (R., N. Y.), about two young men soon to be released from the military who wished to talk with someone this afternoon, if possible, regarding employment opportunities with the Agency. An appointment was made for 3:30 p. m., with [ ] in Personnel.

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8. [ ] Tried to contact Jay Sourwine, Senate Internal Security Subcommittee staff, but he was not available until this afternoon when he explained his problem over the phone. [ ]

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[ ] Sourwine was advised I would check and call him back the first of next week.

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9. [ ] Met with Mr. Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, who requested, if possible, that further information be developed on the [ ] item and the relationship to similar Agency programming.

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Mr. Michaels also reviewed the pending Committee schedule and advised that the middle part of the week of 13 May looks good for scheduling the Agency annual budget presentation. He will discuss the scheduling with the Chairman the first of the week and advise us further.

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10. [ ] Met with Mr. Philip Kelleher, Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, and updated the information previously provided concerning an operational inventory. A sterile blind memorandum of the number of items was provided for his reference.

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11. [ ] Met with Charlotte Norris, Personal Secretary to Representative Clement Zablocki, and confirmed the Representative's 9:30 a. m. meeting on Wednesday, 8 May.

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12. [ ] Met with Miss Dorothy Fosdick, Staff Director, Subcommittee on National Security and International Operations, and delivered the requested unclassified world "sitrep." Miss Fosdick expressed Senator Jackson's appreciation, not only for the assistance provided, but for the obvious effort in making the rather difficult time deadline.

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13. [redacted] After review of Senator Robert Kennedy's request for a copy of the unclassified Intelligence Report "School Enrollment in the USSR 1950-75" with Mr. Proctor, A/DDI, met with Miss Melody Miller, in the office of Senator Kennedy, and advised that although this study is being provided for the Senator's office, such studies will not be available in the future. Miss Miller readily understood the fact that we are not in the publication business and advised that she would relay the information and thanked us for the assistance in this case.

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14. [redacted] Talked with Bob McCaughey, Administrative Assistant to Senator Karl Mundt, and made arrangements for a meeting between the Senator and [redacted]

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15. [redacted] At his request, met with Mr. William Woodruff, Senate Appropriations Committee staff. Woodruff asked if we would provide, for his information in connection with the forthcoming DOD appropriations hearings, statements on the following: the Soviet bomber threat to the United States; the significance of Soviet development of the FOBS; and a statement on the Agency's position regarding the Tallinn system. These will be provided Woodruff in advance of the hearings Monday morning.

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1. [redacted] Met with Representative Clement Zablocki (D., Wis.) and discussed with him the Washington visit of

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[redacted] Although Representative Zablocki has a very busy schedule on Wednesday, he will be pleased to meet with

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[redacted] Representative Zablocki's schedule, however, will not allow him to join us for lunch due to a previous commitment at the Department of State.

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2. [redacted] Received a call from Colonel William Poe, Office of External Activities, Air Force Systems Command, Andrews Air Force Base, who advised that General Ferguson, the Commanding General of Systems Command, had appeared before the Senate Preparedness Subcommittee yesterday and had referenced an Agency document: 0316/67A of November 1967, which Colonel Poe titled "Weekly Summary", classified Secret/No Foreign. The Committee has requested that General Ferguson forward a copy of the cited document for record. Colonel Poe further advised that since the document is a CIA document he had been requested to transmit the Committee request to us for direct response to James Kendall, the Committee Chief Counsel. I thanked Colonel Poe for his call and told him I would relay the request and that we would be in touch directly with Mr. Kendall.

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3. [redacted] Met with Mr. John Reddan, Special Counsel, Hardy Defense Posture Subcommittee, and delivered to him the portions of the Director's briefing notes relating to countries which were omitted in the interest of time during the briefing.

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4. [redacted] Made arrangements through Frank Meyer to see Congressman Gerald Ford at 11:50 a.m. tomorrow morning.

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5. [redacted] Received a call from Miss Sandy Jennett, in the Vice President's Senate office, who advised they now have available a copy of the transcript of the Vice President's "Meet the Press" appearance of 28 April. This will then be forwarded to [redacted] FBIS.

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6. [redacted] Talked with Boyd Crawford who stated that Chairman Morgan has been unable to have a personal conversation with Edna Kelly about an appearance of the Agency before the Europe Subcommittee of House Foreign Affairs although it is clear that the Chairman, through various ways, made known that it would be inappropriate for the Agency to respond on the subjects requested. Crawford also stated that he had informed Monagan of the conversations between the Chairman and Agency representatives about the meeting and that the Chairman had been attempting to see Monagan for the last two days. Crawford stated Monagan was most reasonable.

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7. [redacted] I called Mr. John Reddan, Special Counsel, Hardy Defense Posture Subcommittee, and requested that a copy of yesterday's transcript be made available for review by the Director. Mr. Reddan advised that Chairman Hardy has maintained an unequivocal policy of control over transcripts of Committee hearings. Transcripts may only be reviewed in the Committee office by the principal witnesses. It has been necessary, during these hearings, to refuse similar requests to the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs, among others. Mr. Reddan advised that he would immediately review the question and answer portions of the transcript and would advise me, before going to the Chairman with our request, as to the accuracy of the transcript and indicated he would be very surprised from the Committee's experience with Mr. Blankenship if he had failed to report accurately even though there might have been some noise from the projector on the table beside him.

Mr. Reddan called back later and advised that he had reviewed the question and answer portion and found the transcript to be accurate to a detail.

In later conversation, Mr. Reddan noted that he feels there will be many questions for which incomplete answers will be received during the forthcoming trip and that he anticipates the Chairman will want to have Mr. Helms back again after their return. He noted that such a meeting would probably be for the purpose of responding to specific questions rather than a general situation briefing.

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8. [redacted] Jay Sourwine, Chief Counsel, Senate Special Subcommittee on Internal Security, called and requested the name of the First Secretary of the Canadian Embassy in Moscow in 1962. After checking with SB, I provided Sourwine with the name [redacted].

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9. [redacted] James Kendall, Counsel of the Senate Preparedness Subcommittee, called and said that Senator Stennis would like to have Mr. McCone's telephone number in California. This was provided. Kendall also said that the Senator was interested in information as to where Red China is getting commercial equipment. Kendall was not certain beyond this as to what Senator Stennis wanted but said he had mentioned computer equipment. After checking with Dr. Edward Allen, I gave Kendall general information on the subject, indicating that [redacted]

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[redacted] are the principal suppliers. I told Kendall I would have more detailed information for him within a few days. Kendall said this would be fine.

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10. [redacted] Jay Sourwine, Senate Internal Security Subcommittee staff, called and said he would like to come out to see Mr. Maury concerning [redacted]. He said a number of the items to be discussed were "highly confidential." I have discussed this with [redacted] and will be back in touch with Sourwine in the morning.

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25X1 1. [redacted] Tried several times during the day, but was unable to meet with Representative Clement Zablocki. He was tied up on the floor and in conference with the Senate.

25X1 2. [redacted] In response to a request from Mr. Thad Murray, Administrative Assistant to Representative Porter Hardy, Jr., I contacted [redacted] an Agency employee, and had him call Mr. Murray. Mr. Hardy's office is employing a young lady who formerly worked for [redacted] and is desirous of [redacted] personal recommendation as to her stenographic abilities.

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25X1 3. [redacted] Met with Mr. James Wilson, Technical Consultant, House Science and Astronautics Committee, and provided an additional paragraph for inclusion in the unclassified memorandum on the Soviet manned space program which was provided Chairman Teague for use by the Chairman and his members.

25X1 4. [redacted] Met with Mr. Philip Kelleher, Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, who requested that, in connection with the current hearings on fighter aircraft in the House Armed Services Committee, certain information which had previously furnished the Committee be updated.

25X1 5. [redacted] Met with Mr. Blankenship and later with Mr. Andrews of the Capitol Reporting firm. I reviewed the present procedures used for control of the transcript with Mr. Andrews and thanked him for their courteous assistance. Control of the transcript is not required for the transcript of today's meeting.

25X1 6. [redacted] Having checked with [redacted] in China Branch, DDP, I advised Jay Sourwine that we had no interest in [redacted] I thanked Sourwine for his courtesy in contacting us.

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7. [redacted] In the absence of Norma Kath, in the office of Senator George Murphy (R., Calif.), delivered to Carol Spears a suggested reply to a constituent, [redacted] concerning the alleged CIA presence in the Greek government. Miss Kath will call me if she has any questions relating to this draft reply.

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8. [redacted] Spoke to Mrs. Wickram, in the office of Representative Craig Hosmer (R., Calif.), concerning a constituent, [redacted] who suggested that her ex-husband's activities overseas should be monitored. I noted to Mrs. Wickram that this is not within the jurisdiction of the Agency, but that in any event the letter was in such general terms that I felt it was not worthwhile bringing to the attention of other Government agencies. Mrs. Wickram agreed and thought that [redacted] main concern was to find some handle to use in forcing her ex-husband to maintain his support payments for their children.

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9. [redacted] In response to his request on behalf of Senator Stennis, I provided James Kendall, Counsel for the Senate Preparedness Subcommittee, with the current address of Mr. McCone.

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10. [redacted] The Director, accompanied by Messrs. Maury and [redacted] met with the Hardy National Defense Posture Subcommittee of House Armed Services Committee. See Memorandum for the Record.

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