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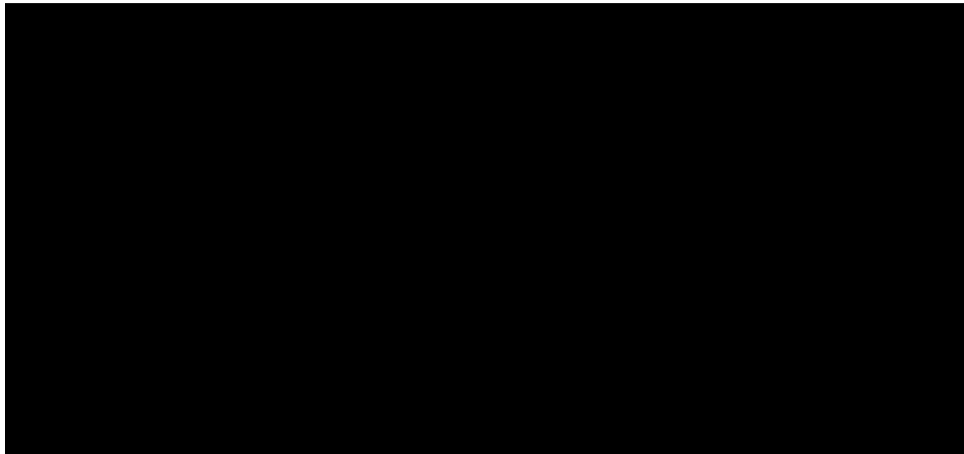


SUBJECT: Ten-year Service Personnel

1. Experience which can come only from long service is essential to the development of true competence in all of the many and varied skills necessary for successful fulfillment of our mission. It is fundamental to the growth of our Career Service that we give recognition to those who have served long and faithfully.

2. As of 30 June 1952 those CIA people named below had completed at least ten years of service with the Central Intelligence Agency and its predecessor agencies. During this period each of them has made a direct and personal contribution in the service of his country which has required constant effort, frequent personal inconvenience, and unremitting adherence to the highest standards of personal integrity and loyalty to the United States of America.

3. As Director of Central Intelligence it is my personal privilege to commend them for the wholehearted manner in which they have served in the past and to urge that they continue to provide an example for those who have followed them in choosing a career in intelligence.



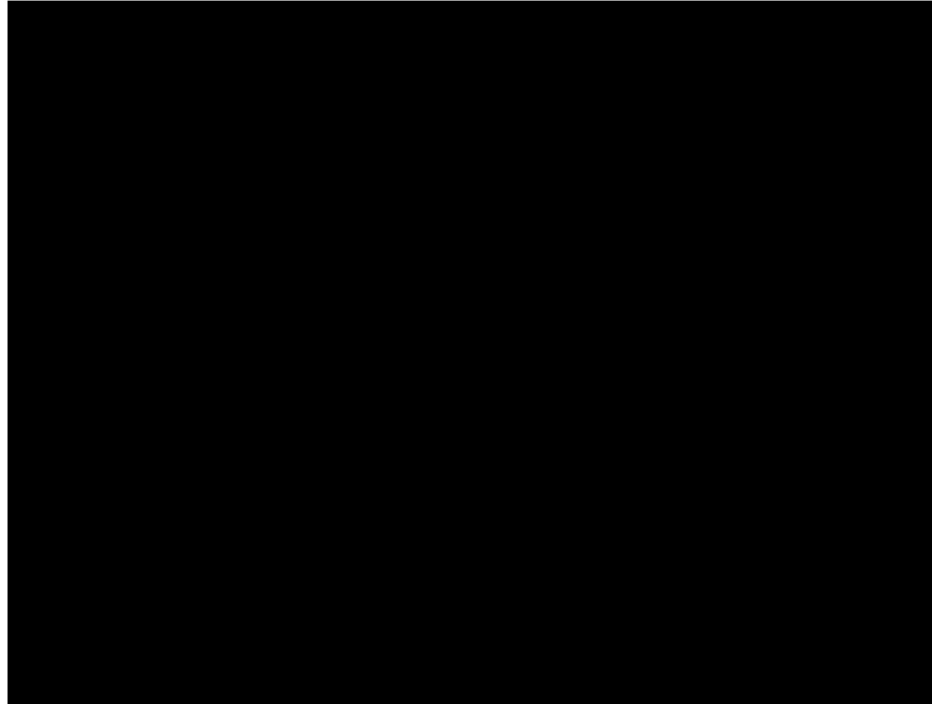
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The Central Intelligence Agency Longevity Award will be presented to each of the above named persons.

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**Director**

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