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30 April 1954

MEMORANDUM FOR: Assistant Director for Personnel

SUBJECT : Commendation.

1. As you know, the Chairman of the House Appropriations Committee, during the Hearing on CIA's Fiscal Year 1955 request for appropriations, indicated that he desired certain personnel statistics which had not heretofore been submitted to the Committee; such statistics had never, in fact, been assembled in CIA.

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2. Through the cooperation of the Office of Personnel, and particularly of [redacted] Chief, Research Branch, Plans, Research, and Development Staff, this information was assembled in a minimum of time and in a meaningful way, supplying an over-all personnel picture to the Director for the first time and enabling him to submit a part of the information to the Chairman of the House Appropriations Committee with a minimum of security risk.

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3. I feel that this performance was over and above that which one might ordinarily expect and desire to commend the Office of Personnel and, particularly, [redacted] for their splendid cooperation in this matter.

/s/

L. K. WHITE
Acting Deputy Director
(Administration)

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