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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Training

SUBJECT : Junior Officer Training Program

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REFERENCE : (a) Memorandum for Deputy Director (Administration) from [redacted], "Status of the JOT Program as of 1 October 1954," dated 2 October 1954

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(b) Memorandum from Deputy Director (Administration) to [redacted], "Status of the JOT Program," dated 2 October 1954

1. The attached referenced memoranda cover my recent examination of the status of the JOT Program, undertaken for Colonel White at his request, with a view toward establishing the demonstrated need for additional positions under this program. I believe that you will find their contents self-explanatory.

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2. I have discussed this matter in an informal way with [redacted] Chief, Junior Officer Training Division, who tells me that at the moment, and for the immediate future up through next Spring, he is not in any trouble due to an insufficient number of slots to handle present and anticipated incumbents.

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3. Specifically, as to the matter raised in paragraph 2 of Reference (b), [redacted] tells me that his anticipated intake from the JOT (OCS) T/O to its civilian counterpart will presumably not exceed 16 individuals during the first six months of calendar 1955. However, in this same period, he indicated that he expected either five or six people to be withdrawn from the JOT (Civilian) T/O as they complete their training and are assigned to Agency components.

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4. Therefore, it does not appear that additional slots can be justified at this time, though Colonel White wanted me to re-emphasize his continued willingness to consider requests for additional JOT positions as the need is demonstrated and becomes actively apparent. My own suggestion would be that we might review the entire JOT population problem around April of 1955, if that is acceptable to you.

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