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MEMORANDUM FOR: DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE

VIA: Deputy Director (Plans)

SUBJECT: Revision of NSC 123, "Evacuation of Key Indigenous Persons from Danger Areas"

- REFERENCES:
- A. Memorandum to DCI fr Attorney General (TS 038423).
  - B. Interim reply fr DCI to Attorney General, dtd 25 May 1955 (Secret).
  - C. Proposed revision of NSC 123 (TS 84279/1).
  - D. Memorandum for Record, dtd 28 April 1955.

1. There is attached hereto a proposed letter for the signature of the Acting Director of Central Intelligence and dispatch to the Attorney General. This proposed letter was drafted in collaboration with the General Counsel of the CIA. It is in reply to a memorandum from Mr. Brownell to the DCI dated 28 April 1955 (Reference A). Mr. Brownell's memorandum concerned the impact which the NSC 123 program will have on the Department of Justice. An interim reply (Reference B) was made to that memorandum on 30 May 1955.

2. The proposed reply transmitted herewith advises the Attorney General that it is considered inappropriate at this time to recommend to the National Security Council that the revision of NSC 123 be approved. The national policy enunciated by NSC 123 is stressed, as is the prohibition imposed on this Agency against engaging in internal security functions. The continued cooperation of this Agency is pledged.

3. It is recommended that the attached proposed letter be signed and dispatched.



Chief, Planning and Program  
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Enclosure:  
Ltr to Atty Gen fr DCI  
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