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MEMORANDUM FOR: Colonel White

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1. Attached for signature are proposed Regulations Nos. [redacted] and [redacted] concerning submission of annual reports and projects to the Project Review Committee. Inasmuch as the Director has now signed the basic Regulations Nos. [redacted] (approved 30 March 1955), it will be in order for you to authenticate the attached.

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2. As you will recall, these Regulations have been well coordinated and you had previously concurred in the present text, with the exception of a question about paragraph 2.e. in Regulation No. [redacted]. This provides that all copies of project outlines will be returned to the Recording Secretary of the Project Review Committee after PRC consideration has been completed. You had raised the question as to whether the Comptroller could adequately perform his functions if he did not retain a copy of the outline. This has been discussed at length with the Comptroller, [redacted] and Mr. Lloyd, and the consensus of opinion is that it would not be politic at this time to press the DD/P to permit the retention of the project outlines in the Office of the Comptroller. The information contained in the project outlines is currently being made available to the Budget Branch by the office of interest within the DD/P organization, and the Comptroller does have access to the information when required. It would be more in the nature of a convenience than a necessity.

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3. Accordingly, it is recommended that you approve the Regulation in question as it is presently written and save this point for resolution in the future.

4. Recommend signatures (2).

SIGNED

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