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Wednesday, 7 January 1953

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1. [redacted] called to say that he is sending an administrative cable to Col. Betts for our coordination. I explained the current cable procedure worked out with [redacted] and suggested that unless O/CI felt that there was something in this cable that must be seen by DD/I before cable was released, there was no need to send it up here. [redacted] said he felt that the cable was routine and decided not to depart from the normal procedure.

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2. I had asked Mr. Sheldon to designate [redacted] as a Project Officer to prepare briefing notes for a Mission and Functions type briefing to be given to new Secretary of Defense Wilson. On learning that this briefing would probably not be given as originally conceived, I discussed the matter further with Mr. Sheldon and he will have [redacted] prepare briefing notes that could be used for any briefing of this sort whether given by Administration Building people or the ADs themselves.

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3. Mr. Dulles has suggested that a briefing be given to Winthrop Aldrich before his departure for London. I checked with [redacted] who says that Mr. Dulles now feels that this briefing should be around 1 February. Mr. Dulles will handle the DD/P and DD/I functional interests but wishes a current situation round-up with emphasis on UK to be prepared and given by O/CI. I informed Mr. Sheldon of this.

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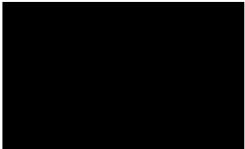
4. On 5 January DD/I wrote to Park Armstrong requesting more information on [redacted] who is said to be visiting the UN in an effort to influence EDC developments. Mr. Armstrong's Office called this morning stating that Paris cable [redacted] deals with this matter. They also stated that they are making a search for any other information they may have received. I so informed [redacted] in the absence of Mr. Sheldon.

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