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TO : Chief, D/I

DATE: 25 May 1955

FROM : Chief, I/SH

SUBJECT: Interim Study of USSR Shipyards in Economic Region XII Project 35.514.

1. ^{Two} Three copies of the subject study are submitted herewith for review and approval.

2. This is the seventh in the series of Interim Studies of USSR Shipyards by Economic Regions. These studies are compiled from material in the Industrial Register and in Branch files. They are intended to serve the following purposes:

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(a) To provide a research aid for I/SH and other analysts in preparing estimates, evaluating reports, preparing requirements [REDACTED] etc.

(b) To serve as a basis of coordination between ONI, AFOIN and I/SH of basic shipbuilding information on the USSR.

(c) Upon completion of studies of all Economic Regions, these studies together with such major shipyard studies as are available, will form the basis for an overall report on Shipbuilding in the USSR.

(d) Pages 3, 4 and 5 of each yard study will form the basis for our USSR Collection Guide.

3. Both ONI and AFOIN review and coordinate these studies as time permits and the Branch copy, which contains the one available set of graphics, is revised as necessary to reflect this coordination.

4. In view of the intended use of this study it is recommended that it be approved as a Research Aid and an RA number assigned. Publication is not recommended.

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