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UNITED STATES INTELLIGENCE BOARD
COMMITTEE ON DOCUMENTATION

MEMORANDUM FOR: Committee on Documentation
SUBJECT: USIB File and Program Catalog System (FPCS)
REFERENCE: CODIB-D-111/1.9/8 of 6 October 1966

1. Paragraph 3 of reference stated that CODIB Support Staff would attempt to arrange distribution of DIA's file and program catalogs to assist CODIB members in establishing the format and distribution requirements of the USIB FPCS catalogs. The size of the DIA catalogs (665 pages for the program catalog and 383 pages for the file catalog) has made this approach impractical. Consequently, it has been decided to distribute only a sample page from each catalog together with extracts from DIA's system output specifications. A copy of each Secret level file and program catalog is on file in the CODIB Support Staff.

2. Attachments 1 and 3 are sample pages from DIA's Secret level file and program catalogs, respectively. Attachments 2 and 4 are simplified diagrams of the file and program output formats, respectively. Attachment 5 contains extracts from DIA's FPCS output specifications.

3. It is requested that the attachments be reviewed to determine whether the output formats now being used by DIA to produce the DoD catalogs are satisfactory for the USIB FPCS catalogs. Your comments regarding the acceptability of these formats should be forwarded to the CODIB Support Staff no later than 21 December 1966. Preliminary indications of the desired distribution of the USIB FPCS catalogs should also be provided at this time.

4. The FPCS Reporting Manual is now at the printers. Each agency is requested to notify the CODIB Support Staff (Code 143,)

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Acting Secretary

Attachments:

1,2,3,4,5 as stated

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