

25 October 1966

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

Morning Meeting of 25 October 1966

DD/I reported that he will lead a team to brief James Webb this afternoon on factors limiting the Soviet space program.

DD/I noted items of interest from the latest memorandum on security conditions in six Western Pacific countries. He alerted the Director to a potential problem involving the level of classification of intelligence to be used in preparing working group papers for McCloy's tripartite group.

Godfrey tabled a memorandum analyzing the South Vietnamese Constituent Assembly. He called attention to the change in the cover of the DIA Intelligence Summary.



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DD/S said that a demonstration is anticipated in connection with the visit of an Agency recruiter to CCNY today. However, because of the College's control procedures, it will probably not interfere with the recruiting session. He reassured the Director that the recruiter in question can handle the situation.

Carver noted the receipt of a cable from the Saigon station commending a Headquarters planning team for work done on the RDC program. He mentioned an item on the Manila conference from the ABC morning newscast.

DDCI and Bross reported that they had examined the request from Pat Coyne for briefing papers on intelligence gaps and deficiencies on China for the 30 November meeting of PFIAB. They feel that in this instance the written presentations should be prepared but that it might be possible to substitute oral briefings in the future. They also feel

that it might be useful to consider a CGS briefing for the 30 November session on how the Agency conducted the requirement process. DD/I indicated he would like to discuss this further. The Director acknowledged the report.

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He mentioned a briefing scheduled for 27 October at Headquarters on the State-Defense China Study.

The Director said that Don Hornig had called concerning the wisdom of clearing additional personnel in other departments without providing similar access for the department heads. (See Action 1)

ACTION:

1. The Director asked [Redacted] to look into the matter of additional clearances involving other departments and report to him as soon as possible.

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