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Director's Meeting

Thursday, 4 October 1951

Mr. Wolf and Mr. Dulles discussed various ways in which the Navy could furnish us with additional support. Mr. Wolf has received a new personnel requisition from [redacted] He suggests that this should be given careful study before we make an all out assault against the Navy for failing to produce personnel until now. Mr. Wolf reports that [redacted] has an excellent memorandum justifying the demands for additional personnel. Mr. Dulles stressed the fact that we must attempt to get the three Services on our side as well as the Department of Defense.

Among other matters Mr. Dulles reported that at his luncheon yesterday with Navy they claimed that they had no [redacted] which they could let CIA have. They also stated that the Navy reply on our personnel request of 2 August had gone back to Defense.

Colonel [redacted] mentioned that General Hayden is here for proposed talks with [redacted] and he gave Mr. Dulles an agenda for the meetings. Col. [redacted] and Mr. Kirkpatrick will chair the various meetings.

Mr. Wisner reported that he had advised Gen. Bolling of the contents of our proposed letter to State Department on the [redacted] matter. Gen. Bolling approved. Mr. Wisner has set up a meeting with Gen. Bolling on Monday to discuss the [redacted] operations. He believes that the DCI and D/DCI should be present. Mr. Wisner will draw up a memorandum covering subjects which should be discussed.

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