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THE DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20505

National Intelligence Officers

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4 April 1979

MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. Gerald Funk

SUBJECT : Proposed IIM on Rhodesia

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Attachment



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