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MEMORANDUM FOR: Associate Director - Management
National Foreign Assessment Center
Director of Personnel

SUBJECT : Overstrength Authorization (U)

1.(C) At the Comptroller Meeting 27 June 1978, the current and projected on-duty strength of the Agency through 30 September 1978 was discussed with an allusion to the possibility of authorizing NFAC to exceed its 1978 ceiling by more than the previously authorized. While we did not articulate conclusive agreement at the meeting, I believe it was the sense of those present that NFAC could proceed to work toward its 1979 ceiling virtually without reservation.

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2.(C) Accordingly, I consider that the previous authorization for NFAC to exceed its 1978 ceiling by up to has been revised, and you are authorized to proceed as rapidly as is prudent and practical to accelerate your recruitment effort. We will need to continue monitoring Agency strength closely, of course, over the next three months and be prepared to defer EOD's until after 1 October if projections change.

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James H. Taylor
Comptroller

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