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The primary defect in NIE 71-55 as it pertained to Algeria was failure to anticipate the rapidity with which the Algerian nationalist drive toward independence would develop. This, in turn, was in large measure due to the unexpected French grant of "independence" to Morocco and Tunisia.

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