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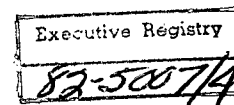
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MEMORANDJM FOR: Chairman, National Intelligence Council  
 FROM: Director of Central Intelligence  
 SUBJECT: Estimate Proposals

Here is some reaction of mine to Estimate proposals which have come across my desk:

- .. China -- The Prospects for Modernization in the 1980s.  
 Important subject but I think there is merit in the reaction of the Senior Review Panel that it could chew up a lot of resources and is so far-reaching in concept that it could come out fluffy and could become unmanageable unless closely watched and perhaps broken down into components and segments brought out serially. I think the points made in the Senior Review Panel memo of 4 June are very well taken.
- .. I like The Atlantic Bridge: Diagnosis and Prognosis proposal -- also complicated and far-reaching, but  has the ability to focus it well if anybody can.
- .. Let's go ahead on the Aftermath of the Falklands as soon as possible. I agree that to make it a small Community product should at least be deferred.

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