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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director of Central Intelligence

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FILE: Personnel

25X1 FROM:
Acting Director of Personnel

25X1 SUBJECT: Wearing of the Military Uniform While
on Detail to the CIA

1. Action Requested: This memorandum requests that you approve the recommendation contained in paragraph 3.

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2. Background: The Joint Chiefs of Staff have issued guidance regarding the wearing of civilian clothing/uniforms for military detailees assigned to non-military Government agencies. While stipulating that military personnel on such details have had the option of wearing civilian clothing, it is the Armed Forces belief that their image would be best served if the service uniform was worn on a daily basis unless otherwise directed by the head of the non-military agency. For instance, the communication from the Chief of the Air Force states, ". . . I believe that our reputation would be immeasurably enhanced were all personnel in the Washington area to wear the uniform . . ." Historically, the military detailees assigned to the CIA have worn civilian clothing more than the uniform. Obviously, there are operational and cover considerations which may preclude the wearing of the uniform on the part of some military detailees, especially those in the Directorate of Operations. In the case of other Agency components, there may not be a valid reason for the detailee not wearing the uniform.

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3. Recommendation: I recommend that we advise each operating official who has military detailees of the preferred policy of the Joint Chiefs of Staff; further, that it be his or her decision as to whether cover, operational or other valid concerns are of such a nature as to preclude wearing of the uniform on a day-to-day basis.

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Deputy Director of Central Intelligence

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Personnel

FROM: Harry E. Fitzwater
Deputy Director for Administration

SUBJECT: Controls on Applicant Processing

REFERENCE: Multiple Addressee Memorandum from Acting
Director of Personnel (D/PPPM 81-6095)
dtd 11 May 1981; Same Subject

1. No Office in this Directorate has been authorized to exceed its fiscal year 1981 ceiling. However, if all Offices are at full strength at the end of this fiscal year, the Presidential Management Intern Program will cause this Directorate to exceed authorized ceiling by six. In this Program, the Interns are not slotted until completion of two years of formal training and rotational assignments. Because of the special nature and Agency endorsement of this Program, we do not propose to make any offset reductions against other DDA Offices.

2. We wish to reiterate the need for the continued recruitment of applicants for the Office of Data Processing, Office of Communications and all other DDA Offices where there are existing or projected personnel requirements. It is of utmost importance for our Offices to be able to continue with applicant processing based on current on-duty strength, authorized and projected fiscal year ceilings, and projected attrition. To assist you in the monitoring of ceiling, attached are the Directorate of Administrations' newly revised FY 1981 and proposed FY 1982 ceilings.

/s/ William N. Hart

Harry E. Fitzwater

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