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DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE
Human Resources Committee

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director of Central Intelligence

THROUGH: Director, Intelligence Community Staff

FROM:

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Chairman, Human Resources Committee

SUBJECT: HRC Activities on the Soviet CW/BW Issue

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1. This memorandum responds to your request at the 3 August 1982 meeting with Committee Chairmen with respect to the CW/BW target. [REDACTED]

2. In August 1981, in close consultation with the WSSIC--but also in coordination with STIC and [REDACTED]--I established a Special Working Group on BW/CW of the Human Resources Committee. Working Group members include all the agencies involved, primarily the relevant components of CIA, DIA, the military services' collectors, and State. In view of the importance of the clandestine collection effort arrangements were made to have the Working Group chaired by [REDACTED] of DDO/EPDS. One of the purposes for this arrangement was to facilitate compartmentation of source-sensitive clandestine collection activities within the overall framework. Unfortunately, [REDACTED] has been available for the BW/CW effort only on a limited part-time basis (particularly recently) since much of his time has been taken up by other internal DDO matters. [REDACTED]

3. Ongoing efforts of the Special Working Group include:

- An extensive effort at sensitizing collectors to the priority and information needs associated with BW/CW.
- Sensitizing analysts (principally members of the WSSIC BW/CW Subcommittee) to collector needs.
- Enhanced interagency collector-to-collector interface.
- Development by the Working Group of a comprehensive, coordinated list of recommendations for improving HUMINT collection efforts (including some long-term improvements) with a breakout of agreed-to designated action responsibilities. These recommendations include such items as:

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