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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence
Deputy Director of Central Intelligence

FROM: Herbert E. Meyer
Vice Chairman, National Intelligence Council

SUBJECT: NIC Activity Report, 9 - 15 August 1985

I. DCI/DDCI-Assigned Tasks

NIO at Large (Hal Ford) prepared briefing notes for the DCI on matters related to Radio Marti.

NIO/Counterterrorism/Narcotics (Charles Allen) and A/NIO/Narcotics [redacted] met with the DDCI to review the status of narcotics and counterterrorism intelligence initiatives.

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NIO/Europe (Col. George Kolt), in coordination with officers of the DO, DI, and OGC, prepared a memorandum for the DCI on a Canadian citizen's claim against the Agency, related to MKULTRA.

NIO/FDIA (H. F. Hutchinson, Jr.), with a DO officer, discussed a special project with the DDCI; with a DoD project officer, reviewed a semi-annual report with the DCI; and discussed with the DCI special projects related to developing proposals and resolving issues of legal authority and interagency coordination.

NIO/USSR (Fritz Ermarth) attended a meeting on Summit planning with the DCI.

Assistant NIO/USSR [redacted] prepared a memorandum for the DCI on the new Soviet leadership and East Europe.

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NIO/Warning (John Bird) prepared talking points for the DCI on warning cooperation with a European country and on upcoming events in [redacted]

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III. Of Interest This Week

NIO/Africa (Fred Wettering) met separately with Steven Wagenseil, the new Political Officer to Senegal; William Mithoefer, the new DCM/Conakry, Guinea; [redacted]

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NIO/Counterterrorism/Narcotics (Charles Allen), with A/NIO/Narcotics [redacted], met with [redacted] of DIA to discuss training requirements for DIA narcotics analysts and Community training courses; and met with C/USCG Operations, RADM Robbins, to discuss collection and coordination issues related to interdiction operations. [redacted] also met with the Assistant Deputy Associate Director of OMB/National Security and International Affairs and members of his staff to discuss Community perspectives on the drug trade; and discussed a proposed DoD narcotics pilot program for Colombia with a SOUTHCOM senior intelligence officer and C/THAD/OGI.

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Assistant NIO/Counterterrorism [redacted] and A/NIO/Narcotics [redacted] CS/NIO/CT/N [redacted], and SA/NIO/CT/N [redacted] met with two NSA officers regarding communications between Community counterterrorism analysts, collection management, and issues related to counterterrorism and narcotics. [redacted] also discussed R&D initiatives for counterterrorism with CIA/ORD officer [redacted]; and drafted an unclassified speech on counterterrorism for D/ICS.

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NIO/East Asia (Carl Ford) discussed the Philippines and Korea with Assistant Secretary of State Paul Wolfowitz; with A/NIO/EA [redacted] attended a briefing of Secretary Wolfowitz on re-education camps in Vietnam; attended a meeting of the Korea Consultative Group at the Defense Intelligence Analysis Center to discuss an update of North Korean reorganization/redeployment, results of collection and warning analysis, [redacted] and met with Col. Stephen M. Perry, USA/ARMA/Philippines.

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Assistant NIO/East Asia [redacted] met with Gordon Tubbs, C/EAP Branch, USIA Office of Research, and Bernard Gorden, Ralph Greenhouse, and Jose Armilla of that office to discuss the recent USIA survey of Philippine attitudes [redacted] and sat in on a meeting between Jim Auer, OSD/Special Assistant for Japan, and [redacted] on US-Japan defense issues.

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Assistant NIO/Economics [redacted] met with the Strategic Minerals Task Force to prepare for Congressional briefings on the revised stockpile plan; [redacted]

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NIO/FDIA (H. F. Hutchinson, Jr.), with A/NIO/FDIA [redacted] and C/FDIA Staff [redacted], met with the PFIAB Executive Secretary to discuss issues related to deception, security, and counter-intelligence; [redacted] met with officers of DO/NSA on CI matters related to an Estimaté; and with [redacted] met with the Deputy Director of the Office of Security on personal security matters.

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NIO/GPF (MG Stephen E. Nichols) met separately with LTGEN Richard Lawrence, President of the National Defense University and BGEN George Joulwan, JCS, regarding the possibility of foreign visitors at the National Defense University.

NIO/Latin America (Robert Vickers) responded to a query from the J-2, SOUTHCOM, on the current situation in Guatemala; with DO officers, discussed the situation in Guyana and Suriname with Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs, Elliott Abrams; attended an assessment of the annual Naval War College Worldwide War Game; attended a conference on Mexico at the State Department; provided information to NSC staff member Jacqueline Tillman on Soviet/Cuban attempts to exploit the Latin American debt situation; and with A/NIO/LA [redacted] attended a meeting of the Caribbean Basin Steering Group, chaired by an IC staff officer.

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NIO/NESA (Graham Fuller) discussed regional developments with the President of the National Council on US/Arab Relations; met with a Wilson Center scholar to discuss the PLO; met with the Chairman of the International Security Council, a private sector organization, to discuss the latter's work on Libya and Israel; met with the Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for the Gulf States regarding policy on Iran; discussed recent production issues with the Defense Intelligence Officer for the Middle East; and met with a political analyst from the Energy and Oil Investment Corporation.

NIO/SP (Lawrence Gershwin), with A/NIO/SP [redacted], met with BGEN B. J. Rhoten, DC/Staff for Intelligence of ADCOM/SPACECOM to discuss issues related to space and to arrange for Mr. Gershwin's briefing of the CINC; with C/ACIS, met with the Director of ACDA to discuss collection issues; with SOVA analysts, met with Andrew Marshall of OSD/NA regarding the new Joint Net Assessment; discussed future Congressional briefings with HPSCI staff member Jack Kellaheer and C/ACIS; and with NIO/USSR (Fritz Ermarth) and C/ACIS, met [redacted] Vice Deputy Director of DIA, to discuss the intelligence input to a DoD report on interim restraint.

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NIO/S&T (Julian Nall) met with John Daris of the State Department to discuss a NATO meeting on Soviet S&T; met with Dr. Glenn Priddy, newly appointed Director of the Missile Intelligence Agency, the Redstone Arsenal; with C/TTAC/OSWR, attended a meeting of the Executive Committee of the SIG on the transfer of strategic technology; and arranged for

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Dr. Marvin Marks, Corporate Vice President for Engineering and Operations of McDonnell Douglas to discuss with officers of the NIC and OSWR highlights of SDI research being carried out by McDonnell Douglas.

NIO/USSR (Fritz Ermarth) [redacted]

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A/NIO/USSR [redacted], met with Mark Parris, Director, State Department EUR/SOV, regarding Soviet affairs; discussed Soviet military doctrine with Jamie McConnell of the Center for Naval Analysis; participated in a meeting of the Interagency Coordinating Committee on US/Soviet Exchanges at the State Department, chaired by Assistant Secretary of State Ridgeway; and discussed SDI with Under Secretary of Defense/R&E, Donald Hicks.

Assistant NIO/USSR [redacted] participated in a briefing of Carole Hansen, of Senator Pressler's staff, on Soviet active measures.

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NIO/Warning (John Bird) discussed early warning and implications for troop deployment with LTC Killibrew of the 18th Airborne Corps; discussed warning and intelligence issues with Col. Ed Badolato, Special Assistant to the Secretary of Energy; and discussed warning issues with BGEN B. J. Rhoten, of ADCOM/SPACECOM.

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