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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chairman, National Intelligence Council

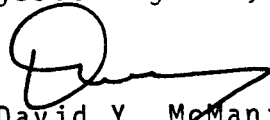
FROM : David Y. McManis  
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SUBJECT : MIB Meeting, 12 September 1983

1. I had a good meeting with [redacted] who is Acting Director of Defense Estimates, to discuss continuing relations with my office but, more importantly, the NIC. Shortly after my arrival here, I had arranged for Harry and Herb to visit them, and also for Hal Ford to brief them on the NIC. This has good payoff in an era where we are coming to rely on them with increasing frequency. 25X1

2. [redacted] was very interested in what you might bring up during your talk to the MIB, and I assured him that it would all be good stuff with emphasis on strengthening the involvement of the Service Intell organizations, and your efforts to improve support to the military commands through the electrical distribution of key judgments, etc. He was very pleased that you were coming and expected a good reception. There will probably be comments by MIB members concerning the scheduling of Estimates along the lines of your discussion with the NIC Staff. 25X1

3. In terms of strengthening our relationships, I encouraged him to invite those NIO's who haven't visited DE and their counterparts. I am also going to pay a return visit to provide a current update on the wonderful world of warning. A suggestion I would like you to consider is having a joint session of the NIC and DE key personnel, perhaps quarterly, or even annually, at one of the training centers. If you would like, I can expand on this idea with a suggested agenda, etc.

  
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