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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director (Plans)

SUBJECT: [] report on PBSUCCESS

1. You will receive separately a copy of [] report on PBSUCCESS which he completed on or about 28 July. He submitted five copies, one of which has been given to the DCI, you are receiving one and the others are being sent to RQM/OIS, CWH and myself. I am taking my copy with me in order that I can study it at home but to avoid your hair going to stand on end, I will tell you that I have a safe at home which meets all the security requirements and the report will be kept in the safe.

2. As you know [] shop is also making a study of the record and plans upon his completion of the study to discuss whatever is found with individuals who participated in the project in order to see what conclusions, if any, can be usefully drawn.

3. Of course there will inevitably be other conclusions drawn in the interim quite apart from those which have already been reached. This, however, explains why it is that both [] and I were particularly anxious to have [] shop receive one of the five copies of [] report. Since I have not yet had a chance to read the report myself, I have no further suggestions to make now but I feel sure that after we all have read it, a number of other places within the Agency will occur to us as appropriate for further study of the contents. At the moment I think it is safe to guess that one of these places clearly should be training. Moreover I am convinced that another should be the PP Staff and I would urge that if you agree, you arrange to have Kim Roosevelt get a copy on his return possibly leaving it with [] in the interim.

4. I plan to be in touch with [] after I have read the report so that we can discuss any thoughts which may occur to either of us and I will see to it that you are advised of any further conclusions.

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C. Tracy Barnes