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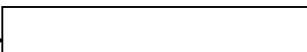
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A. Changes in the Shape of the DCID Priorities Matrix (Figure 1)

	<u>1977</u>		<u>1979</u>
Topics	86		104
Countries	154		156
Priorities	13,330		16,224
Categories (No. Topics)			
	Political (20)	Political	(22)
	Economic (15)	Economic	(23)
	Military (45)	Military	(43)
	S&T (6)	Special Subjects	(16)

--increased number of priorities due to net additions of 18 topics and 2 countries.

--topics added, subdivided, and consolidated to facilitate the assignment of priorities in a discrete way and to provide more explicit coverage of particular subjects.

--Special Subjects Category created to parallel Global Issues of NIT organization.

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B. CHANGES IN THE NUMBER AND SHARE OF TOTAL PRIORITIES AT EACH PRIORITY LEVEL

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
1977									
Number of Each Priority	14	75	258	824	1301	1555	2280	7023	13330
Percentage of Total	.1	.6	1.9	6.2	9.8	11.7	17.1	52.7	100
1979									
Number of Each Priority	15	111	423	1180	1831	2244	3688	6732	16224
Percentage of Total	.1	.7	2.6	7.3	11.3	13.8	22.7	41.5	100

Figure 2

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C. Comparison of Priority Distributions of Current and Revised DCID 1/2 by Category

--Political Topics (Figure 3): The revision has a priority 1 for the first time and a substantial increase in the proportion of priorities at each level from 2 through 7. There is a corresponding decrease of country/topics with no priority assigned at level 8.

--Economic Topics (Figure 4): A significant increase in the proportion of priorities at the 7 level with substantial relative declines at level 4 and again at level 8 for country/topics that had no priority assigned. Smaller changes up and down at remaining levels.

--Military Topics (Figure 5): Small increase in the absolute and relative number of priorities at levels 2 through 7, with a corresponding decrease at level 8.

--Special Subjects (Figure 6): Some downward shift in the proportion of priorities at the 3, 5, 6 and 8 levels and increases at the 4 and particularly at the 7 level.

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DCID 1/2 Priority Distribution — POLITICAL TOPICS

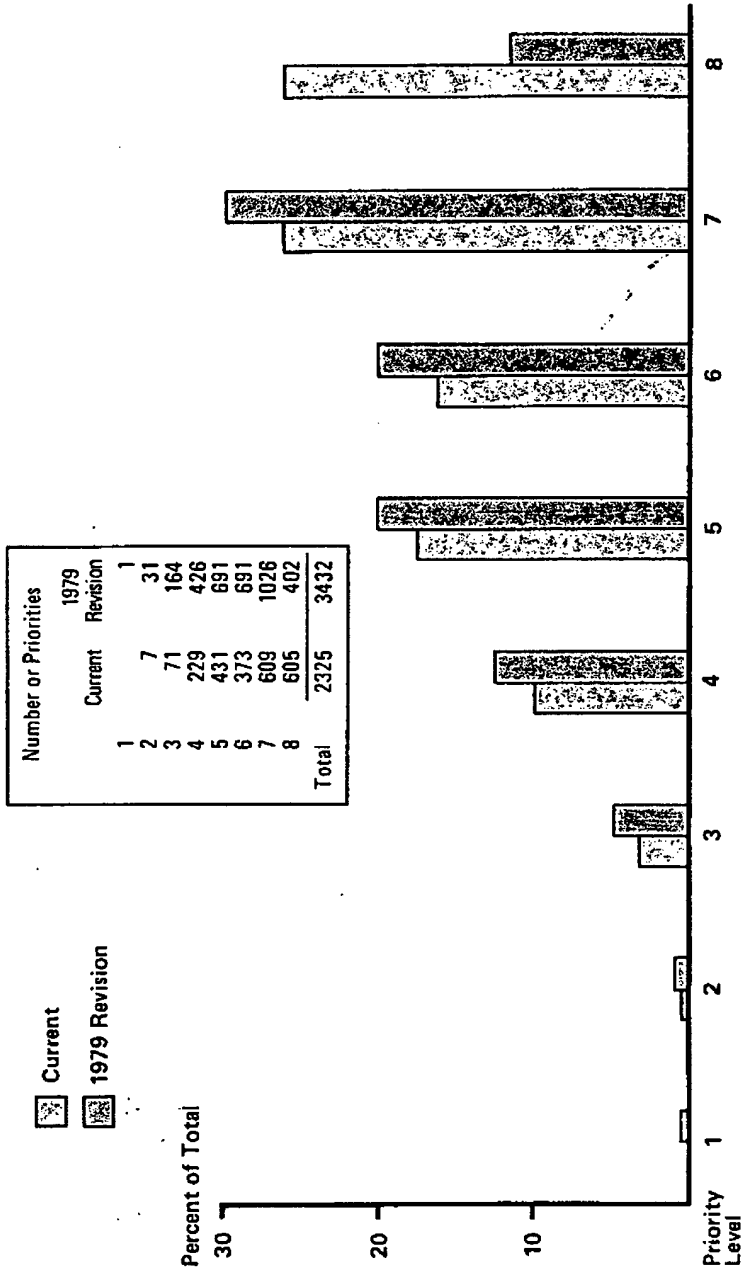


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DCID 1/2 Priority Distribution — ECONOMIC TOPICS

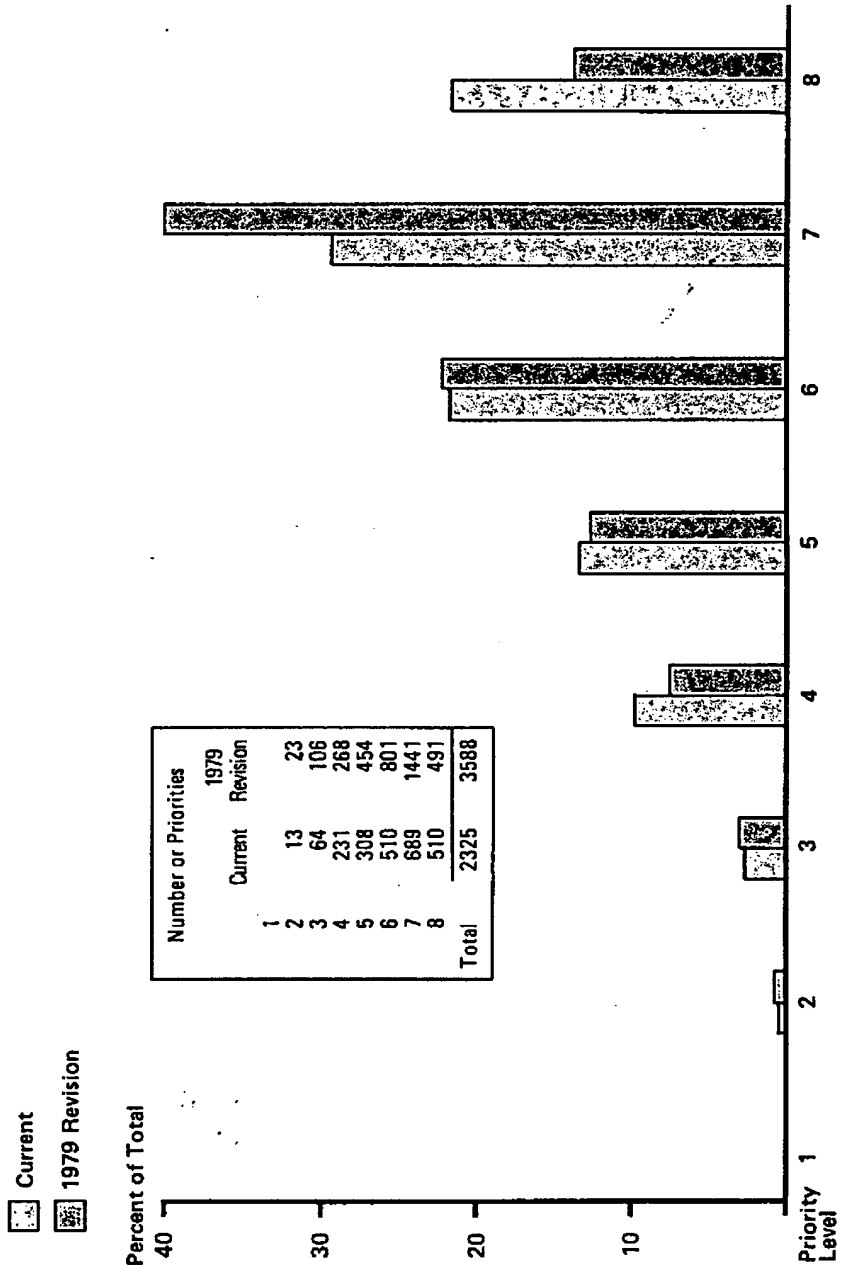


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DCID 1/2 Priority Distribution — MILITARY TOPICS

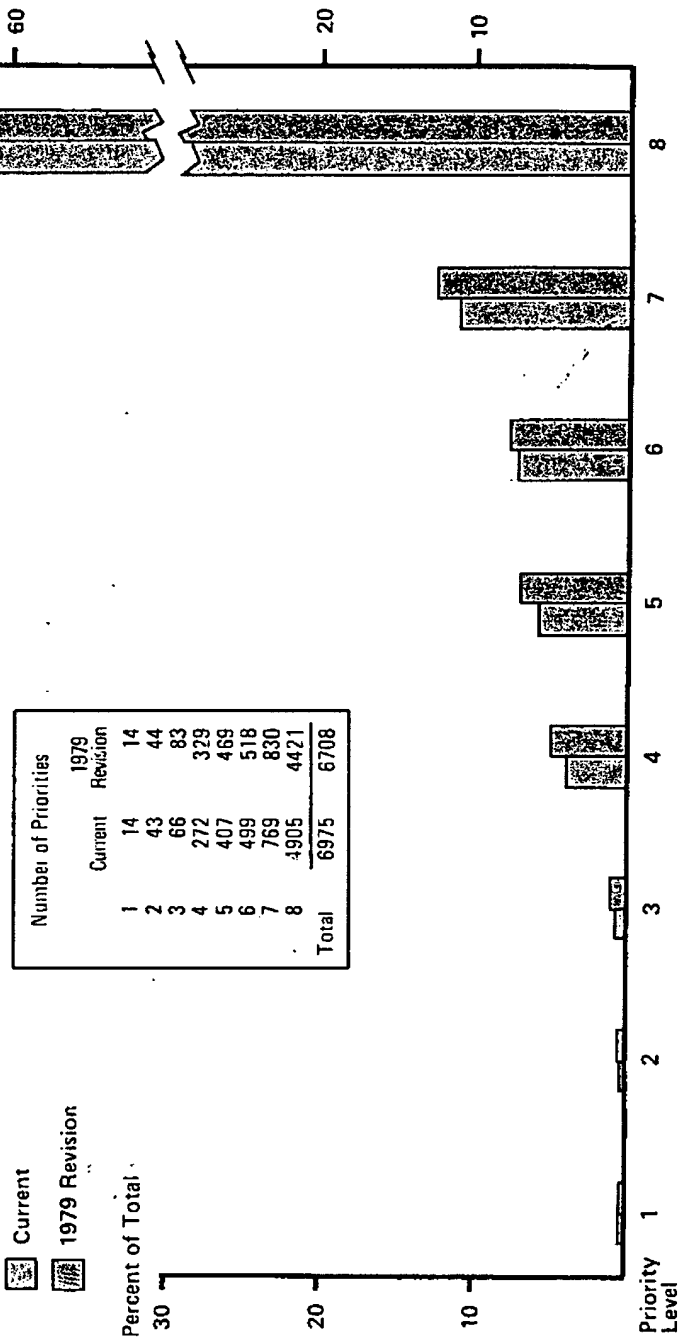


Figure 5

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DCID 1/2 Priority Distribution — SPECIAL SUBJECT TOPICS

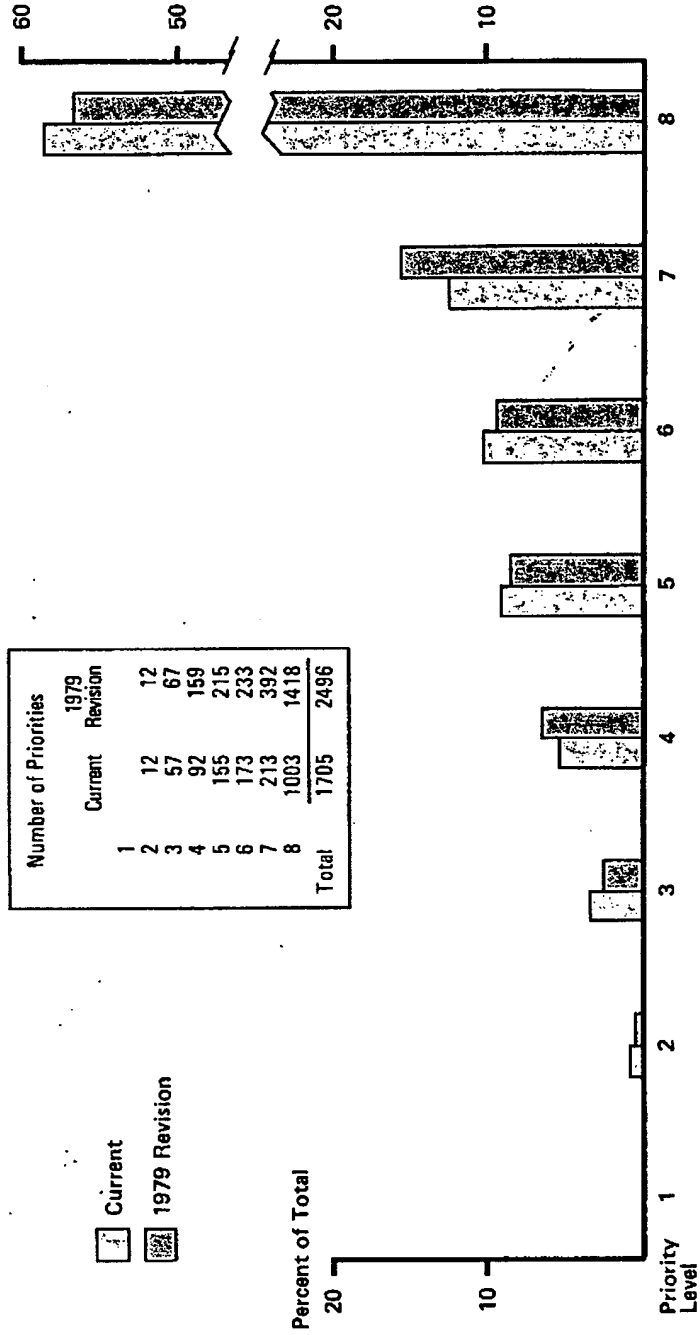


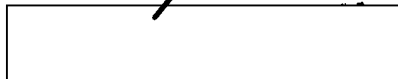
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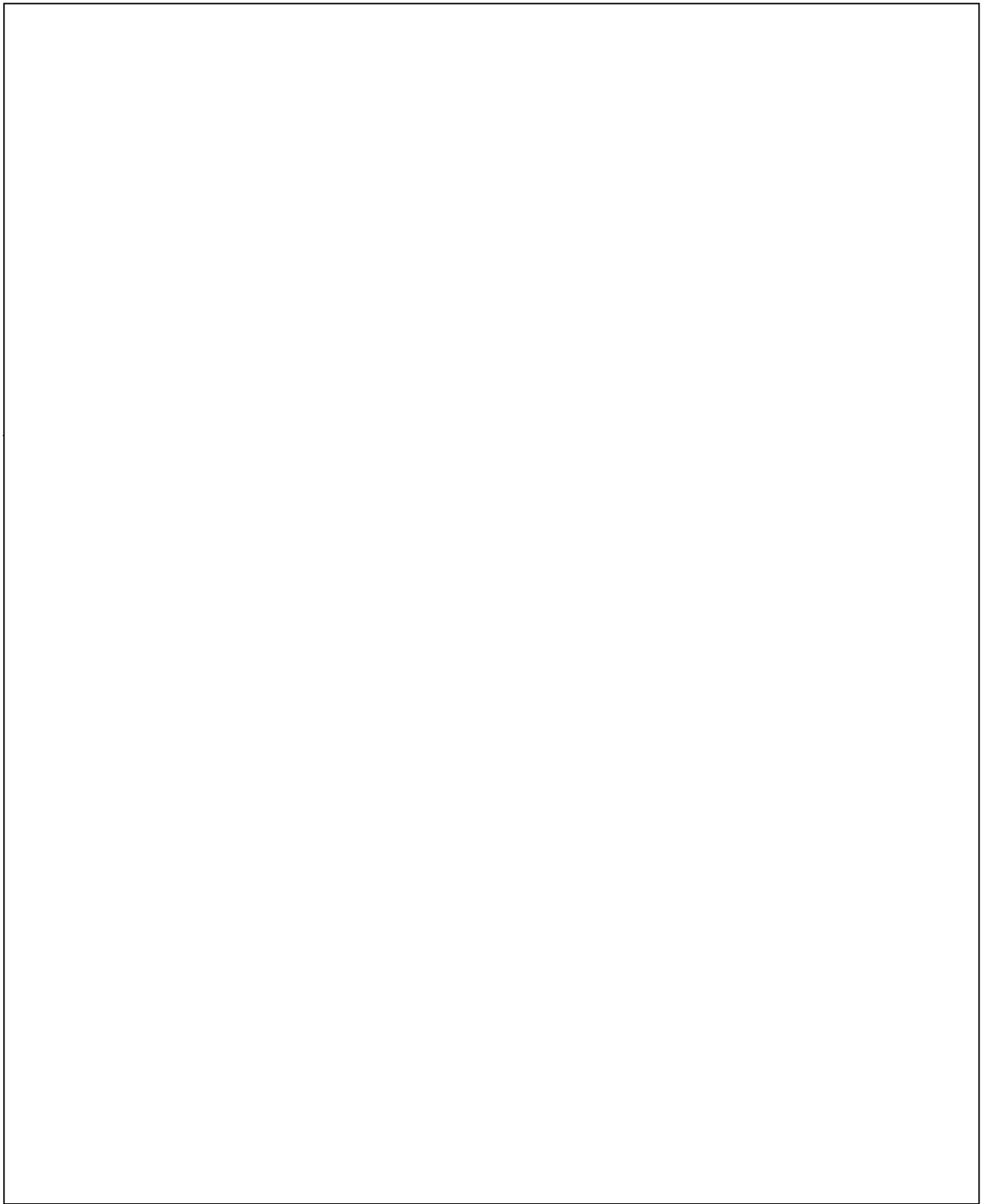
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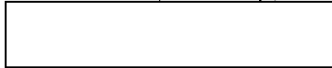
D. Changes in the Distribution of Priorities by Region (Figure 7)

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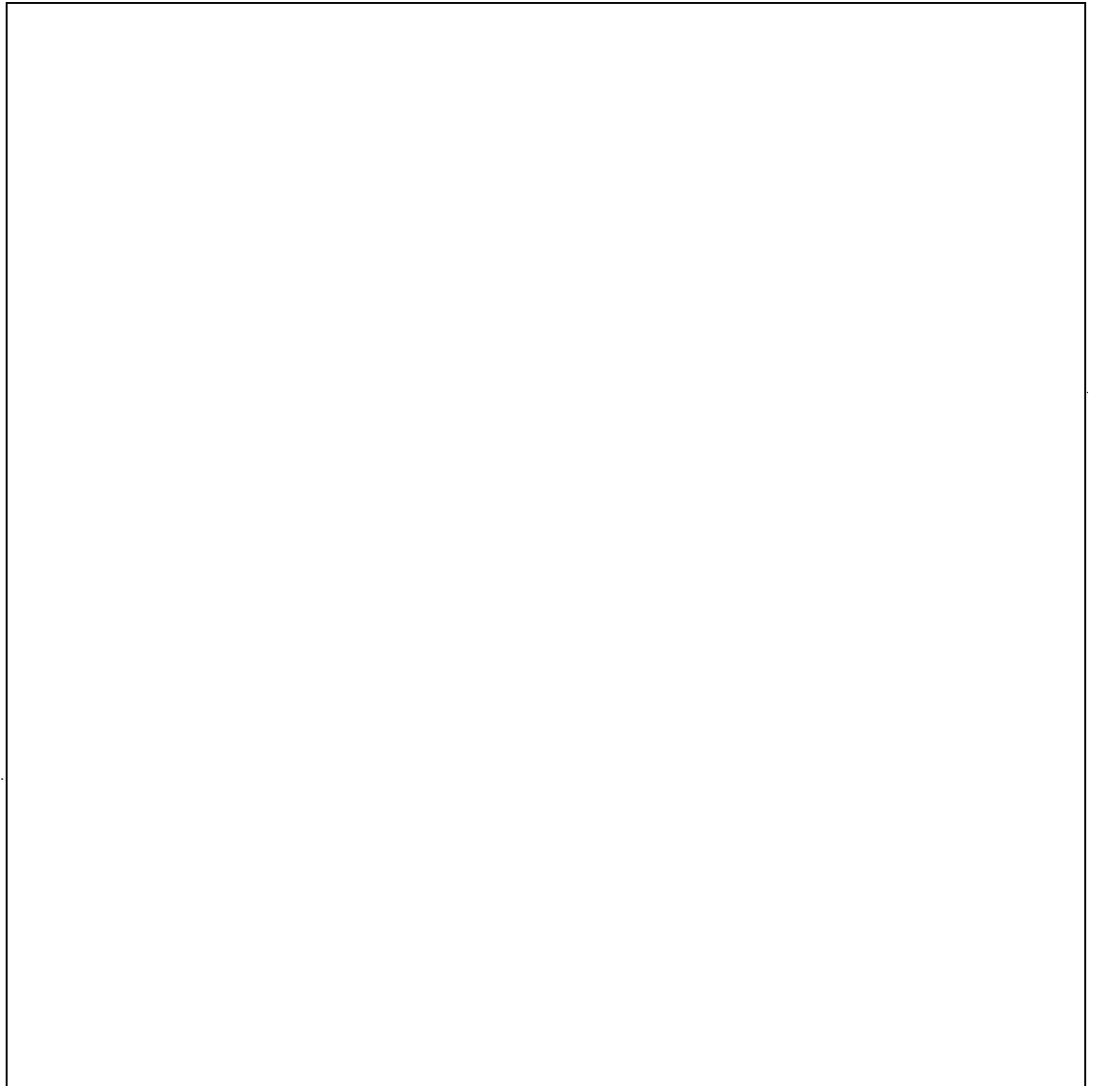
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E. Priority Trends for Selected Countries

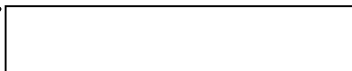
The current and revised priority trends depicted on the following country profile charts are not comparable in a precise way because of the larger number of topics in the revised matrix, particularly in the Political, Economic, and Special Subjects categories. This understood, they can be used to view the separate trends for each version of the DCID 1/2 priorities and to make general comparisons.

Below are some highlights of the priority shifts depicted on the country profile charts (revised priority in parentheses):



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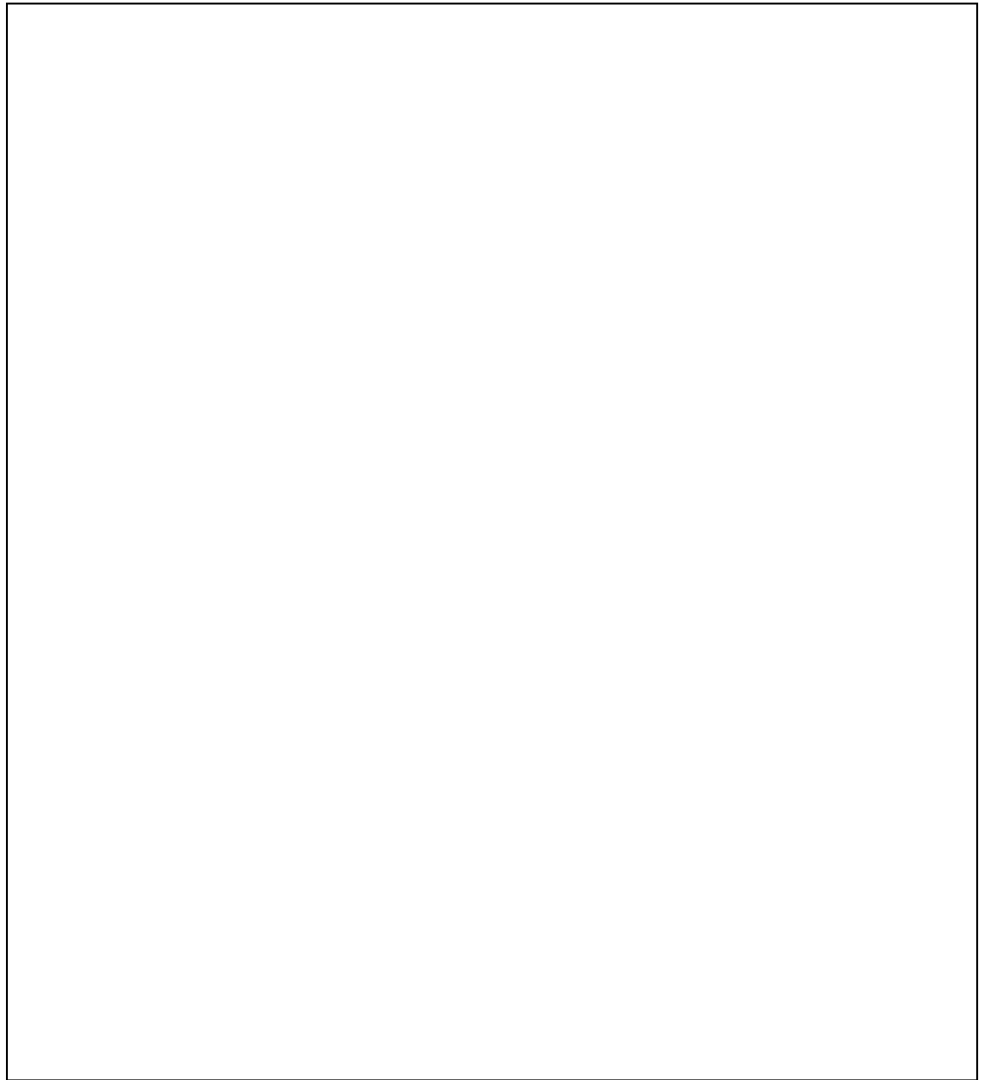
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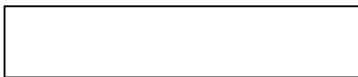
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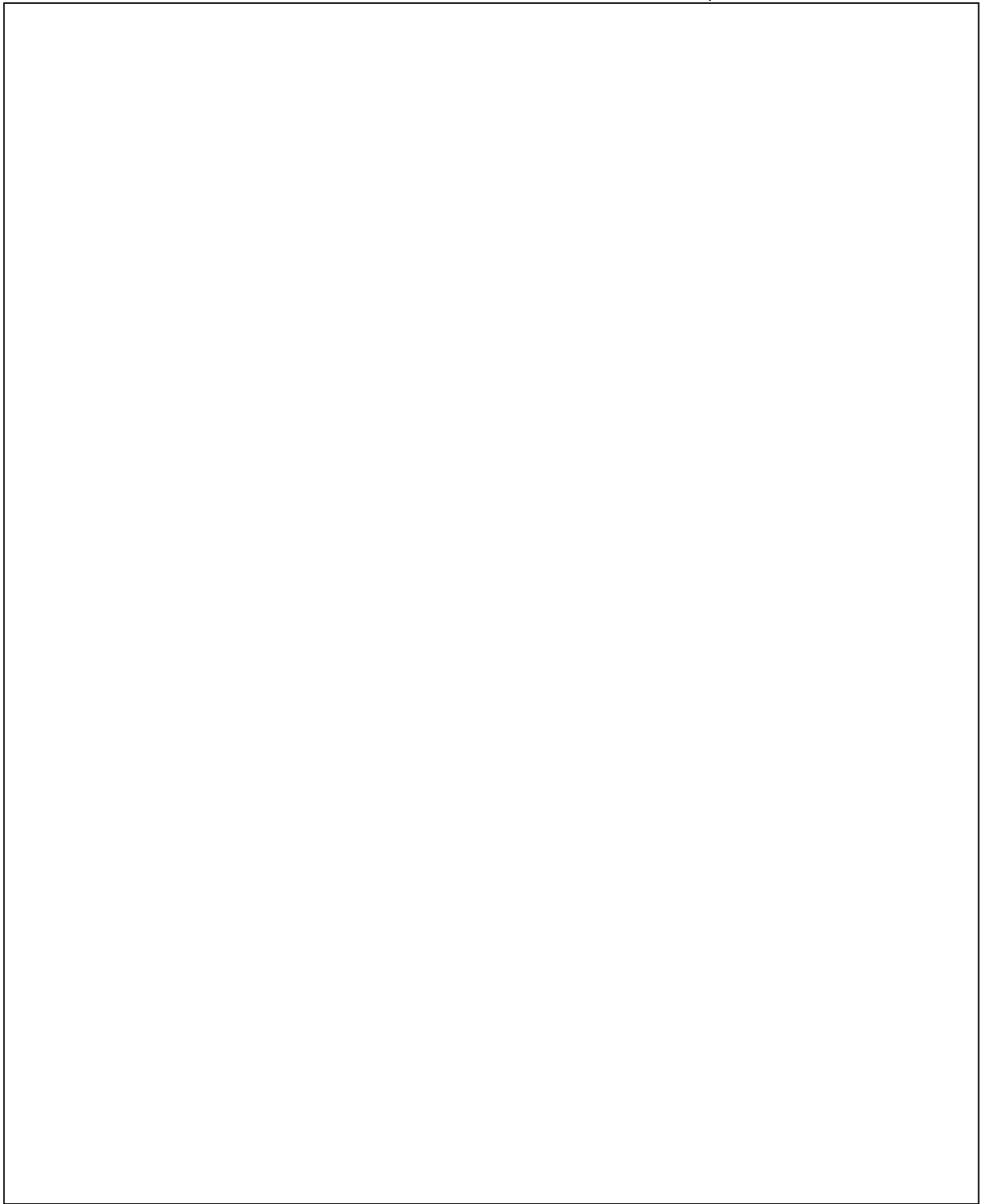


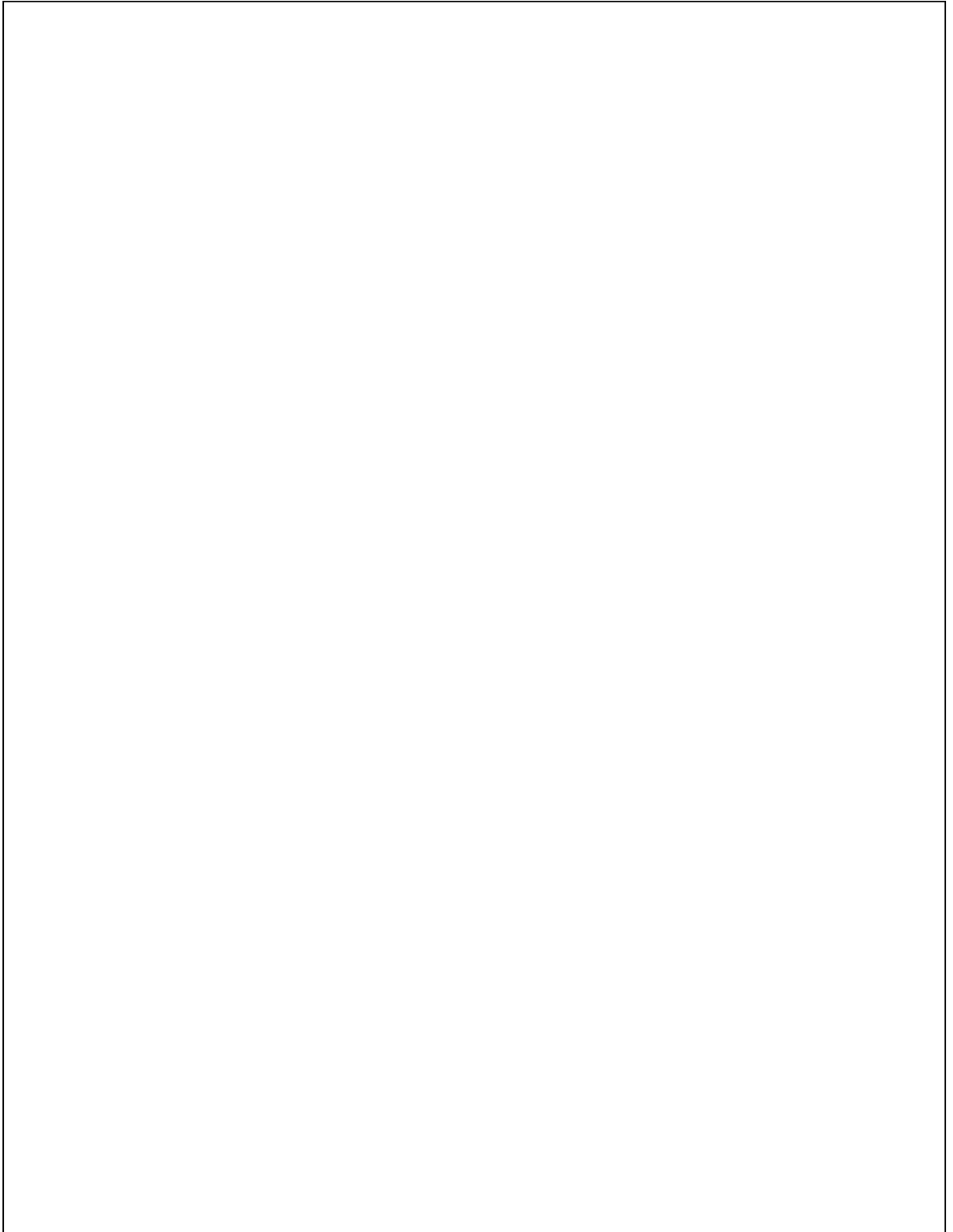
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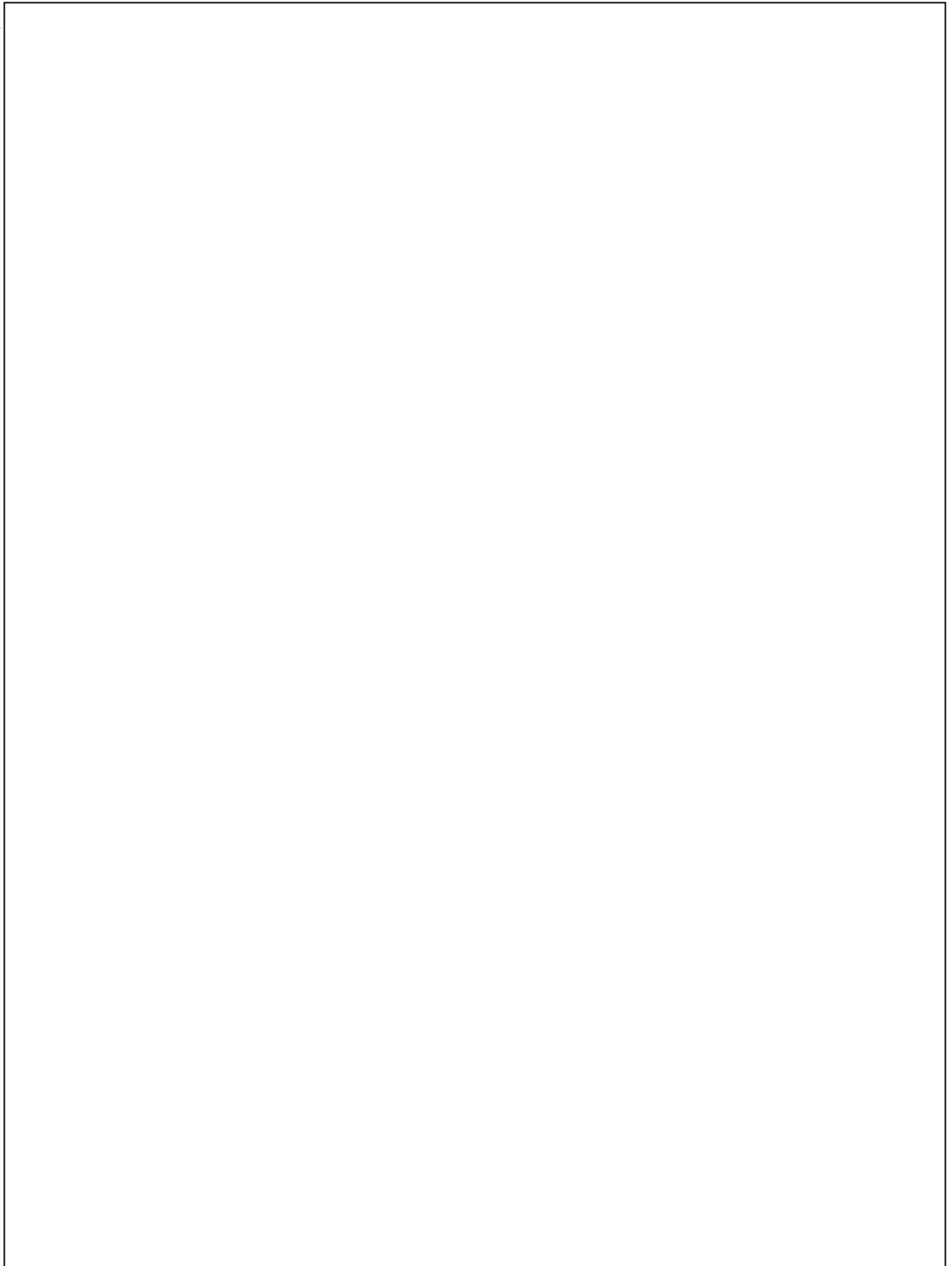


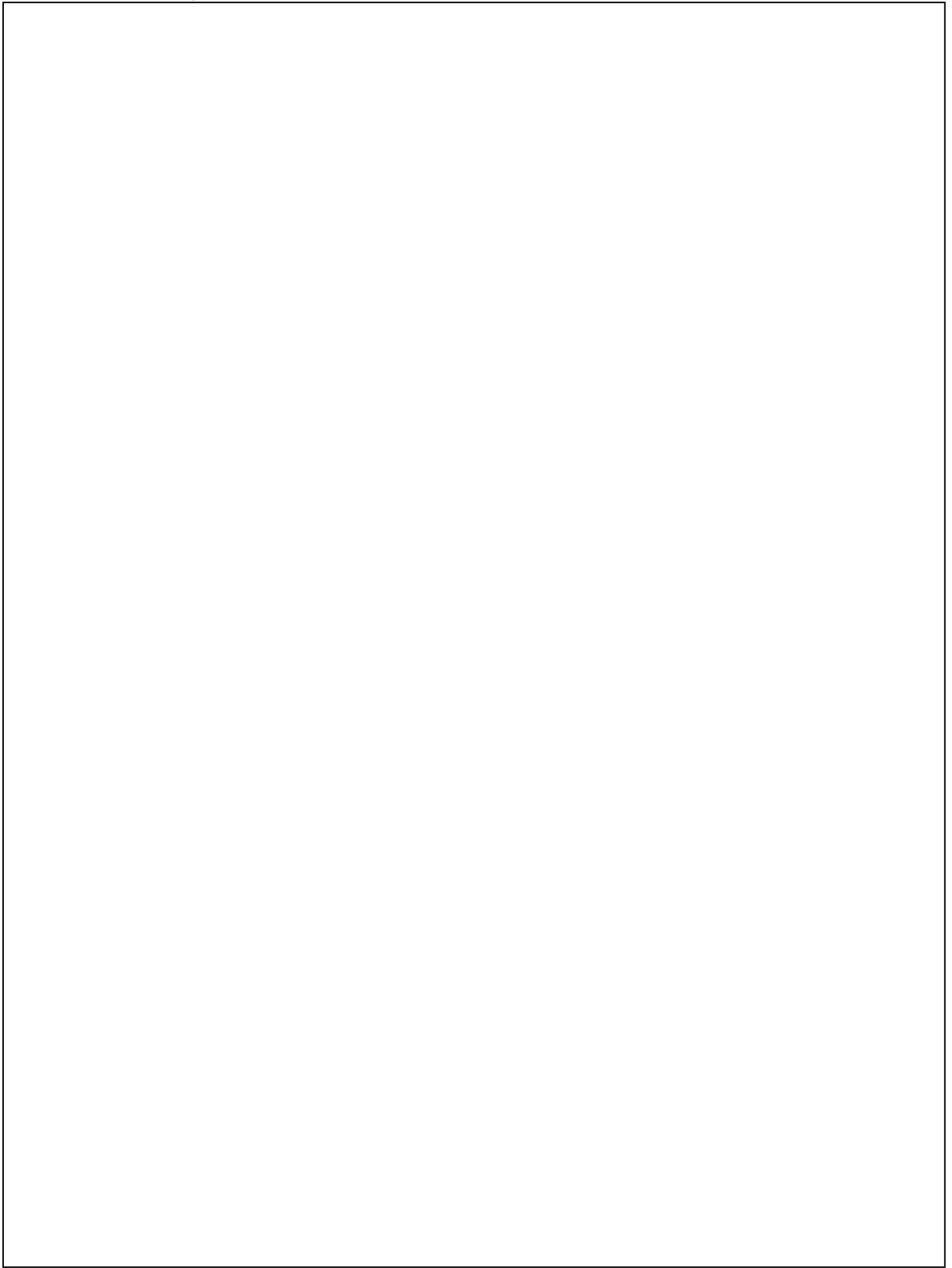
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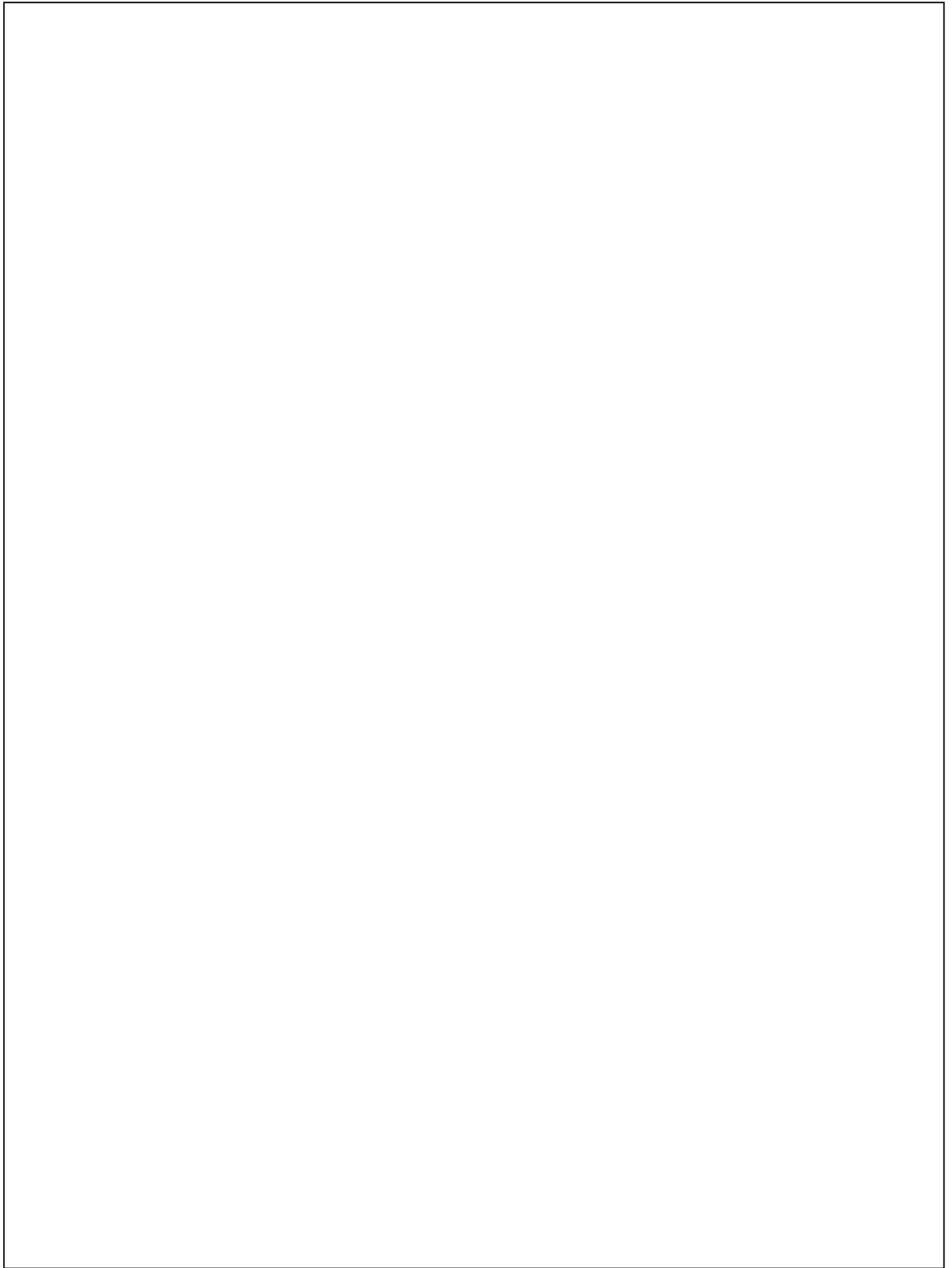


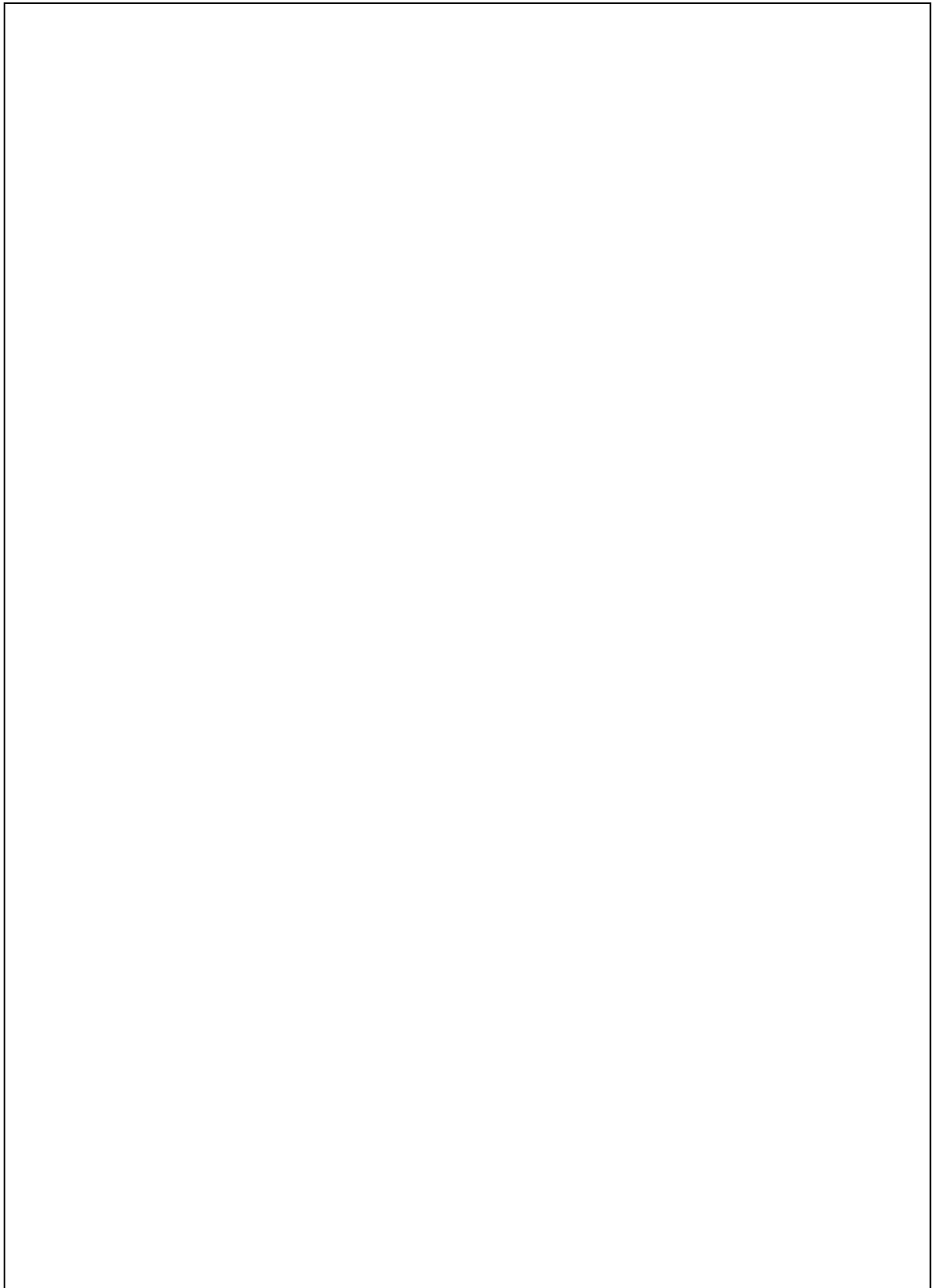


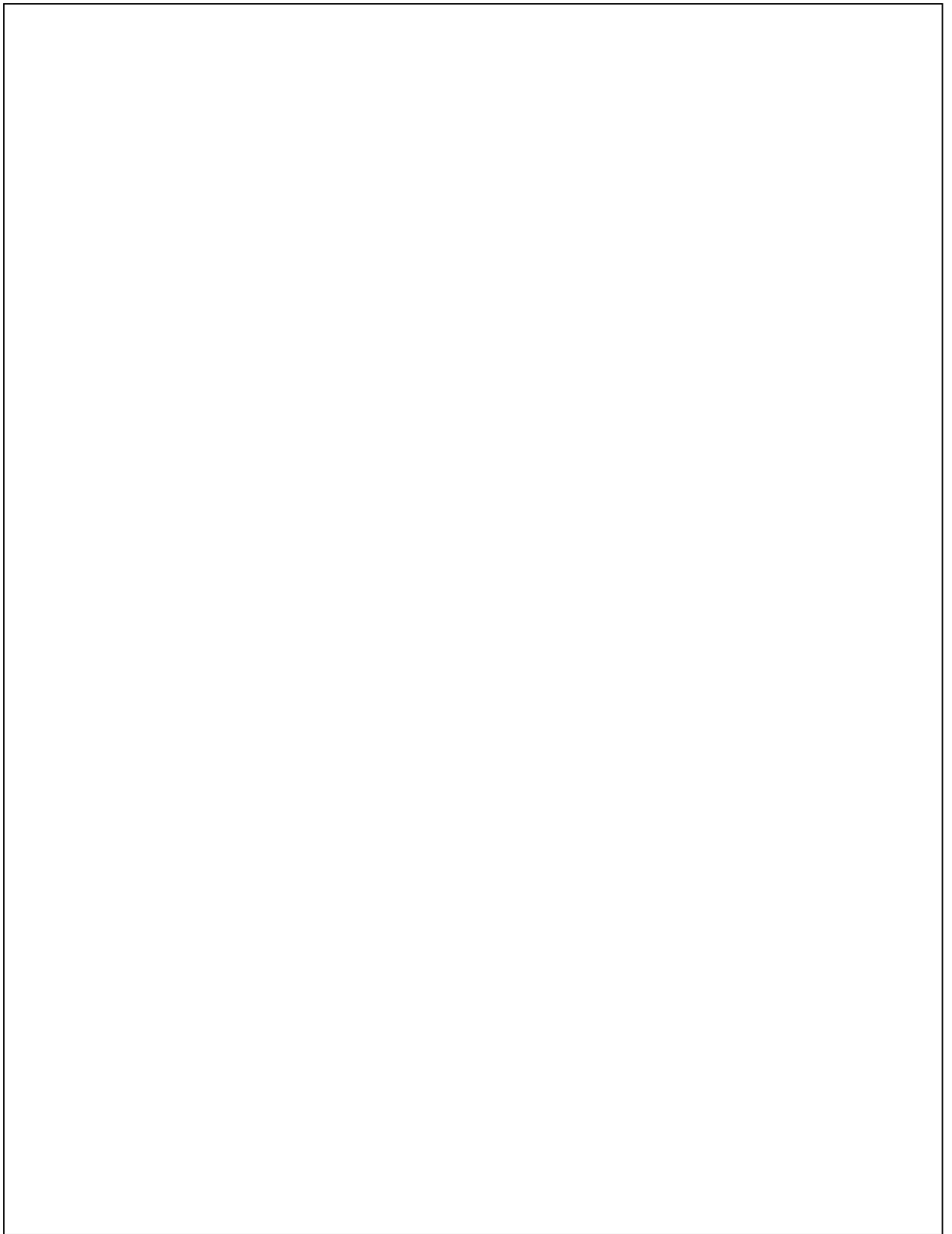




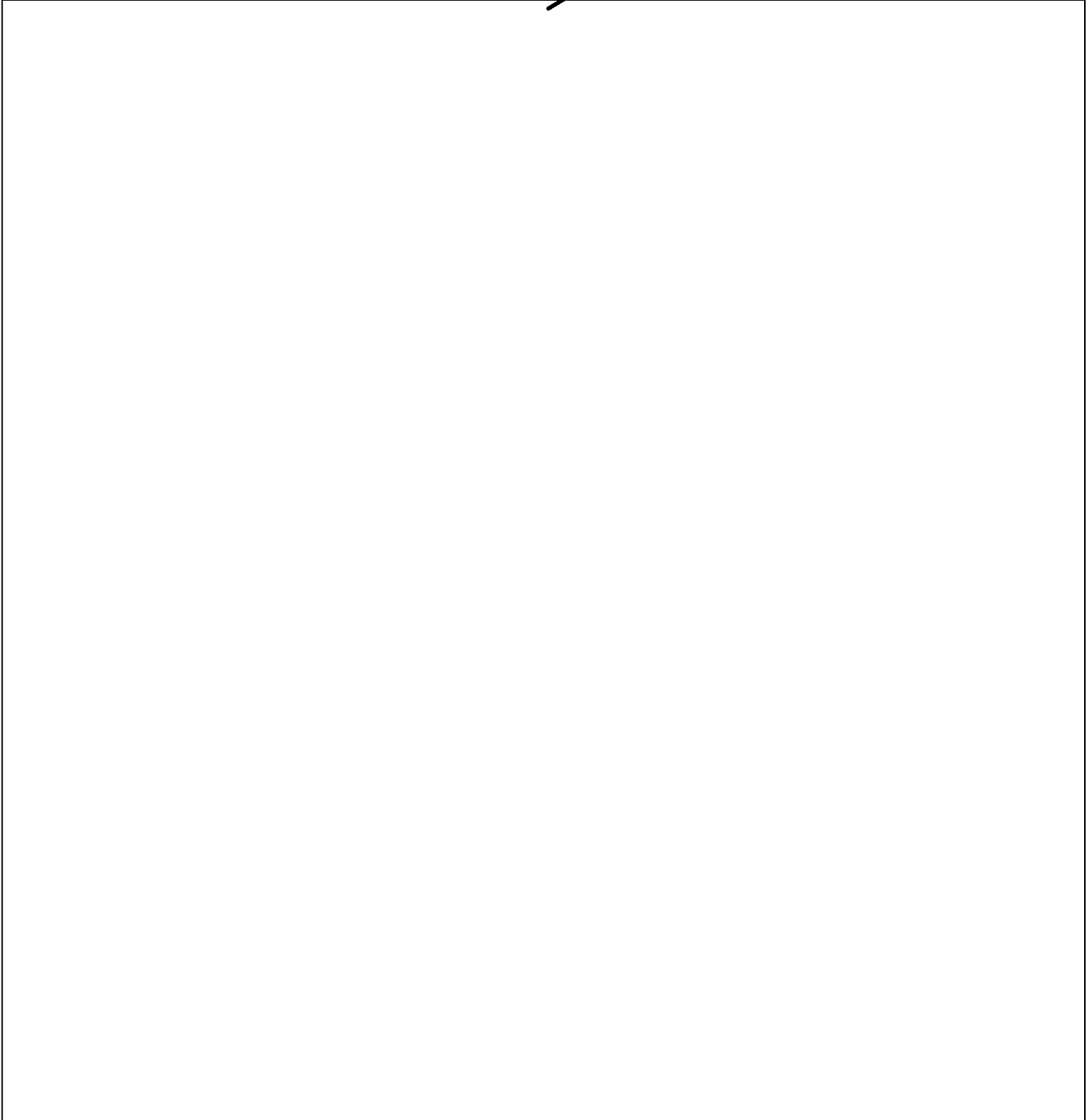








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