

ROUTING AND RECORD SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS: Officer designations should be used in the "TO" column. Under each comment a line should be drawn across sheet and each comment numbered to correspond with the number in the "TO" column. Each officer should initial (check mark insufficient) before further routing. This Routing and Record Sheet should be returned to Registry.

FROM: *CGE*

NO.

Memo

DATE

16 May 1955

TO	ROOM NO.	DATE		OFFICER'S INITIALS	COMMENTS
		REC'D	FWD'D		
1. <i>CGE</i>		<i>MAY 17 1955</i>	<i>MAY 17 1955</i>	[]	
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4. <i>C/PP/OIS</i>		<i>MAY 19 1955</i>		[]	
5.					
6. <i>PP/OPS/PP</i>		<i>22 May</i>	<i>23 May 55</i>	[]	
7. <i>DC/PP/OPS/PP</i>		<i>24 May</i>	<i>24 May</i>	[]	
8. <i>C/PP/OPS/PP</i>			<i>24 May</i>	[]	
9. <i>PP/OPS/PP/Burdin</i>					
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16 May 1955

MEMORANDUM FOR: IO Division

SUBJECT: DTPILLAR Budget

REFERENCE: Memo from CFE, subject as above, dated 22 April 1955 to Chief/IO.

1. After further consideration of the DTPILLAR budget, it has been decided that the Far East Division cannot comment on your budget figure. The Far East Division is not in a position to judge your budgetary requirements for carrying out your mission in this area. It is felt that in concurring in your budget and individual projects, the Division's policy is that our concurrence covers the policy and operational objectives, to ensure that there are no crossed operations involved, and that the justification for your budgetary requirements is the sole responsibility of the IO Division.

2. In a review of your proposed budget, it was revealed that there is a certain lack of field coordination which should be corrected to avoid crossing operational lines. Some examples of this are as follows:

a. The use of a FE Japanese agent both by this Division and by DTPILLAR.

b. The use of a Chinese newspaper in Bangkok both by FE and DTPILLAR.

3. The incidents mentioned in paragraph two are not deemed overly serious but indicate the need for field coordination to facilitate smooth operations which lead to a professionalism such as we all desire to achieve. This can easily be accomplished by correspondence to our field stations, indicating the areas of confusion and recommending or even insisting on closer liaison.

4. In view of the above, I would like to reiterate that the Far East Division policy is that our concurrence on an IO Division project or budget indicates that the policy and operational objectives are concurred in but not the budgetary figure itself.

(SIGNED) []
[] Chief, FE []

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