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18 September 1950

MEMORANDUM FOR: Admiral Souers

Attached hereto are copies of two SECRET cable reports from the Far East which I hope you will find of interest as showing that in spite of a lot of newspaper reports, we are still doing some good work, at least.

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"From: Commander Naval Forces, Far East

"To: Commander-in-Chief, Far East

"For the information of: CINCPAC, CNO

"161025I.

"CIA work in current operations in Inchon-Seoul area has been exemplary. Reports have been timely and information has proved to be most accurate. CIA has contributed immeasurably to the success of the Inchon landing. Admiral Joy sends."

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Attachment 1.

"At a General Headquarters situation briefing on 15 September, Colonel Lassetter, Assistant Chief of Staff, stated that CIA reports on Wolmi-Do had been found to be highly accurate and valuable and he was high in his commendation of CIA operation.

"Commander Naval Forces, Far East, also reported that they have posted all the CIA reports of enemy emplacements on the map and checked them against results from aerial photos, and found CIA reports to be accurate, especially those dealing with trench system, which showed up in aerial photo clearly as described."

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