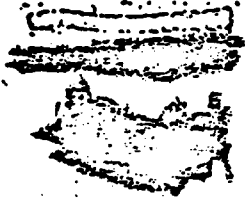


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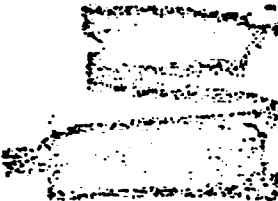
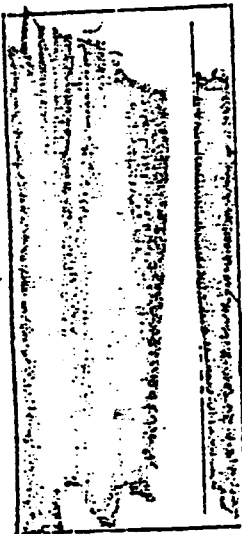
ATTENTION: ~~Redacted~~

SUBJECT: Project ARTICHOKE

1. Pursuant to today's conference attended by ~~Mr. [Redacted]~~, ~~Mr. [Redacted]~~, Dr. ~~[Redacted]~~, and ~~[Redacted]~~, I am returning to you the file forwarded to the DD/P's office on the above subject.

2. After studying this material, I would like to bring the following summary of facts to your attention:

- a. On the basis of basic paper dated 13 March 1951, Subject - Special Interrogations, OSI is charged with the responsibility of coordinating Project ARTICHOKE.
- b. Staff study dated 15 May 1952, Subject - Special Interrogations, recommends that overall authority and responsibility for Project ARTICHOKE now be placed with the Office of Inspection and Security.
- c. Memorandum from ADPC to ADSI, dated 22 May 1952, recommends that Technical Services Staff (TSS) take part in the research and development aspects of Project ARTICHOKE.
- d. Memorandum from ADSI to DD/I, dated 6 June 1952, suggests that the clarification of responsibilities of the various offices concerned with Project ARTICHOKE be effectuated on the DD/I, DD/P, and DD/A level.
- e. Memorandum from DD/I to DD/P, dated 11 June 1952, recommends that responsibility for the entire Project ARTICHOKE should be transferred from OSI to TSS, the latter to determine the need for medical and other support from other components of the Agency.



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3. DD/P requests that you in your capacity of Coordinator of Project ARTICONE take the above under active consideration in cooperation with the components concerned, including TSS who have not heretofore had an opportunity to acquaint themselves with the various phases of development relative to this Project. It would be much appreciated if you would submit final recommendations to DD/P in the light of the above at your earliest convenience.

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Acting Chief of Plans
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