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MEMORANDUM FOR: NATIONAL FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE COUNCIL
 NATIONAL FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE BOARD

SUBJECT : Intelligence Community Focal Point for
 Chemical Biological Warfare/Toxin Use

1. Because of the growing national security significance of CBW/Toxin Use, I am establishing a central focal point for the Intelligence Community so that we may better coordinate our efforts in the collection and analysis of intelligence information on this issue. This will also enable the Community to speak to the policymakers on this issue with a single voice, based on coordinated intelligence judgments.

2. [redacted], CIA/Office of Scientific and Weapons Research, is herewith designated as the Intelligence Community focal point. In addition to his other duties, he will report to me on CBW/Toxin Use through the Chairman, National Intelligence Council. (b)(3)

3. Hans Heymann, National Intelligence Officer at Large, will continue to serve as the NIC action officer on CBW/Toxin Use.

4. A new Interagency Working Group on CBW/Toxin Use Intelligence is herewith established. It will be chaired by [redacted] and its activities will be directed by a steering panel composed of the Chairman, Science and Technology Intelligence Committee, the Chairman, Weapons and Space Systems Intelligence Committee and the National Intelligence Officer at Large. (b)(3)

William J. Casey

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 Chairman

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