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Director's Meeting

Friday, 14 September 1951

PRESENT: General Smith, Messrs. Dulles, Wisner, Wolf and  
Becker.

The DCI commented on the log item with respect to OSI's  
consultants. At the same time the DCI noted that [redacted] had  
agreed to make a survey, although the date thereof was somewhat  
indefinite at present.

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Mr. Dulles reported briefly with respect to the NSC  
Senior Staff Meeting yesterday and noted that the paper on port  
security had been sent back for redrafting. In this connection the  
DCI commented that the Coast Guard had been doing very constructive  
probing without any substantial intelligence backing and he thought,  
that CIA's responses to an earlier request for assistance on the part  
of the Coast Guard may well have been too guarded. The DCI directed  
Mr. Becker to have Mr. Reber consult with the Coast Guard and arrange  
for adequate intelligence support.

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With respect to the DCI's forthcoming trip, Mr. Dulles suggested that he meet [redacted] and the DCI agreed to do so. Mr. Dulles also received the DCI's permission to mention his forthcoming trip to [redacted] for transmission to the latter's chief.

[redacted]

Mr. Dulles reported that a meeting had been called in Mr. Harriman's office to consider action with respect to Communist activities in [redacted]. Those present, on the basis of prior meetings, would probably be Messrs. Harriman, Gordon Gray, Matthew Magruder, and ECA Representative (formerly Porter), and Sam Berger. Mr. Dulles received the approval of the DCI to make available to said meeting, Mr. Dulles' report to the DCI, in the latter's capacity as Chairman of the PSB.

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Mr. Wisner noted a reference in CIB to [redacted] and questioned whether sensitive matters of this type should be thus referred to in such publications. The DCI commented that such matters should be very discreetly handled, and Mr. Becker undertook to settle this with OCI.

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Mr. Wisner reported that earlier indications that [redacted] was cured now appeared false and he expected to see [redacted] soon.

At the suggestion of Mr. Wolf, the DCI agreed that Gen. McClellen would have the title of Assistant Director in charge of Communications. The DCI indicated that this would be the last creating of an AD.



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