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HR 70-14  
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Deputies' Meeting

Tuesday, 9 September 1952

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PRESENT: General Smith, Messrs. Dulles, Wisner, Wolf, Becker, Hedden, Earman

Mr. Dulles:

a. Stated that (1) he had received a call from the Committee [REDACTED] last evening and had been advised that [REDACTED] had submitted his resignation together with those of [REDACTED] (2) the Committee had requested that either the Director, Mr. Dulles, or Mr. Wisner visit [REDACTED] to discuss in particular what was expected of them. After some discussion, the DCI stated that we should retain [REDACTED] and directed that Messrs. Wisner and Wolf go to [REDACTED] for the purpose outlined in (2) above.

Mr. Wisner:

a. Referred to a cable [REDACTED] concerning a request for information from the Auditor General, Far Eastern District, USAF, regarding CAT and recommended that FEAF be directed by Headquarters, USAF, that any necessary audit of CAT would be "handled by Air Force Headquarters in Washington". The DCI (1) approved; (2) stated he would discuss this matter with Gen. Samford when he saw him today; (3) directed Mr. Wisner to prepare an appropriate cable of instructions to the CG FEAF which would be dispatched by Headquarters, USAF. (NOTE: After the meeting this matter was discussed by the DCI and DD/P with Gen. Samford and Mr. Wisner undertook to deliver the above cable to Gen. Samford for necessary coordination and dispatch.)

d. Recommended that the DCI briefly speak to a certain individual now here for training and stated that if agreeable to the Director, Kim Roosevelt would be present during the interview. The DCI approved. (NOTE: This appointment has been scheduled for 3 p.m. 9 September.)

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Mr. Becker:

a. Briefly reported his and Gen. McClelland's activities concerning the problem of transmitting material to the U.S. from [redacted]

b. Stated that the [redacted] had requested an estimate of the Soviet threat to NATO [redacted]

After some discussion in which it was noted that the paper in question would first appear as an IAC Estimate [redacted]

c. Requested that he and Mr. Wisner be permitted to attend the PSB Meeting scheduled for 11 September in order to participate in the discussion of the paper on the POC proposal. The DCI approved.

d. Requested authority to discuss recruitment of qualified individuals for certain field activities with [redacted] on 15 September. The Director approved.



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