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Director's Meeting

Wednesday, 5 September 1951

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

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It was noted that Mr. Tofte has returned and the DCI noted Tofte would like to take a 30-day leave and then would like to have a brief tour in the United States. The DCI noted that Tofte was ready



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In connection with the foregoing item, the DCI commented briefly that with respect to a CIA career service, the problem of continuity of service had not as yet been solved. He indicated that somewhat better personnel records and plans of assignments would be required. It was agreed that this was a matter for General Davison.

Brief mention was also made of the Training Office's career service plan and Mr. Wisner noted that Mr. Kirkpatrick still had some comments with respect thereto. It was indicated that there were many comments to be considered before the plan would be put into effect.

Mr. Wisner noted that the men who had been on the [redacted] operation were back and available for talks. The DCI indicated that he was prepared to see the man who was a CIA employee but it was agreed that his talk with the other would be deferred until he had been put on a consultant basis.

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Mr. Wisner mentioned the difficulties that had been experienced in dealing with Fisher Howe of Park Armstrong's office with respect to [redacted] After considerable discussion, it was agreed that the DCI would meet with Messrs. Webb, Armstrong, Humelsine and, if necessary, Howe in order to reinstate the previous determination

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Mr. Becker indicated that Mr. Jackson would return at the opening of business on Thursday unless his presence was desired earlier. No one indicated the need to request Mr. Jackson to come down earlier.

Mr. Becker reported that the DCI had received a letter from General Bolling announcing an Army sponsored Western Hemisphere Service Attache Conference to be held in the Canal Zone from 10 to 18 November 1951, inclusive. One CIA representative was invited. It was agreed that Mr. Wisner would ask Mr. King to nominate an individual to represent CIA at the conference.



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