

Deputies' Meeting

Monday, 27 October 1952

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PRESENT: General Smith, Messrs. Wisner, Wolf, Becker, [redacted]

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General Smith:

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a. Referred to two cables from the Senior Representative, [redacted] concerning developments in the [redacted] since DDCI's visit to [redacted] and stated that possibly, with very few exceptions, it might become necessary to reduce CIA participation in this field next year; however, he would reserve judgment until after he had had an opportunity to discuss the matter with Mr. Dulles.

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Mr. Wisner:

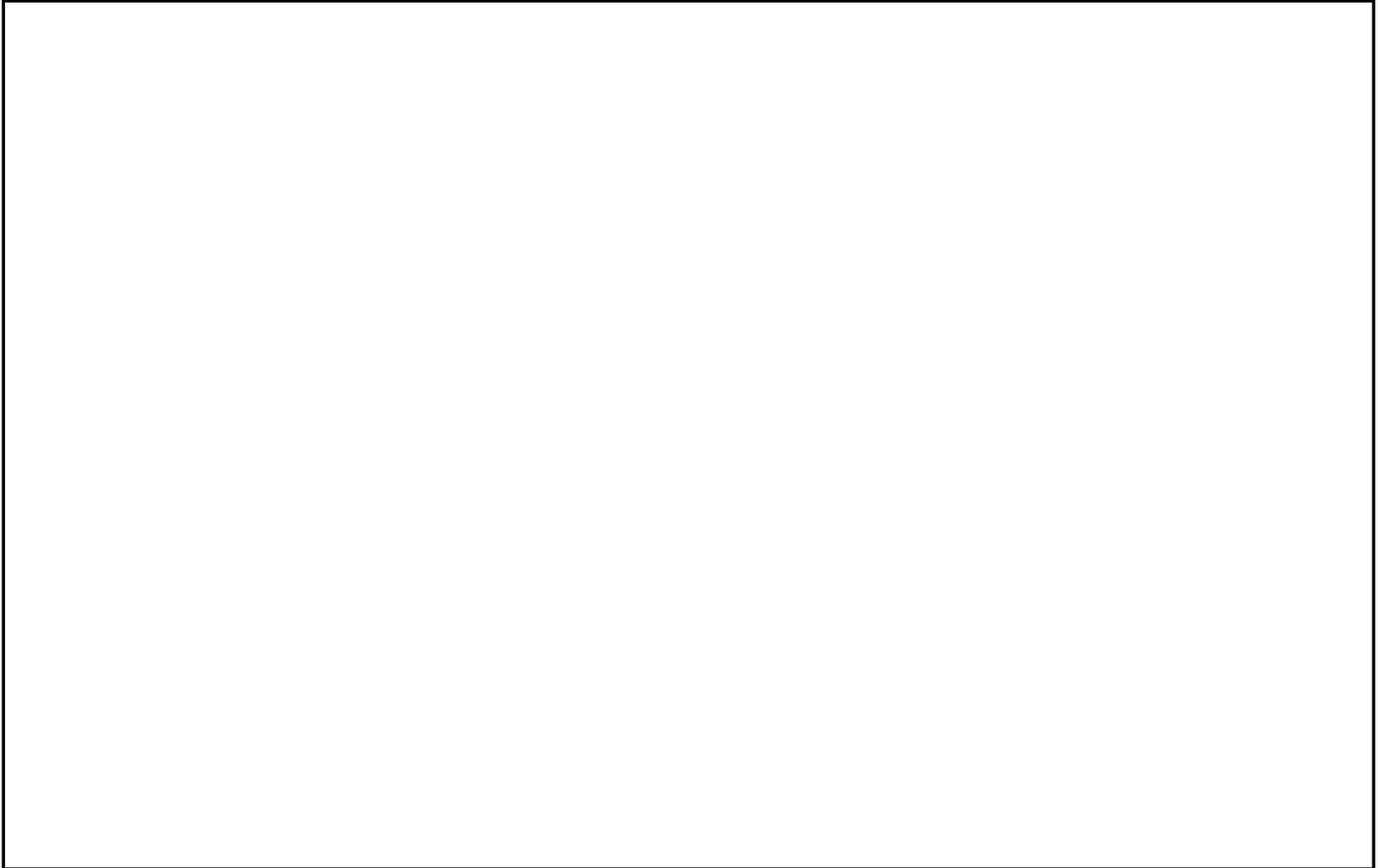
a. Stated he was putting together his comments with those of [redacted] on the proposed procedure for consideration of CIA projects and programs. The Director stated he was satisfied with the paper on this subject as now prepared; however, he wished to button up the following points in view of the fact that this paper was being written for posterity: (1) that the representatives on the Committee proposed in this procedure would be of sufficient rank to speak for their respective Department; (2) that these representatives would not be "part time" in addition to their other duties but rather would devote the greater portion of their time to the activities of the Committee in question. After some discussion, Mr. Wisner undertook to arrange to have Mr. Joyce from State and Gen. Magruder from Defense meet with the Director at 11:15 a.m. on 28 October to discuss this matter in order that a final determination might be made at the PSB luncheon on 30 October. Mr. Wisner will also be present at this meeting.

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Mr. Wolf:

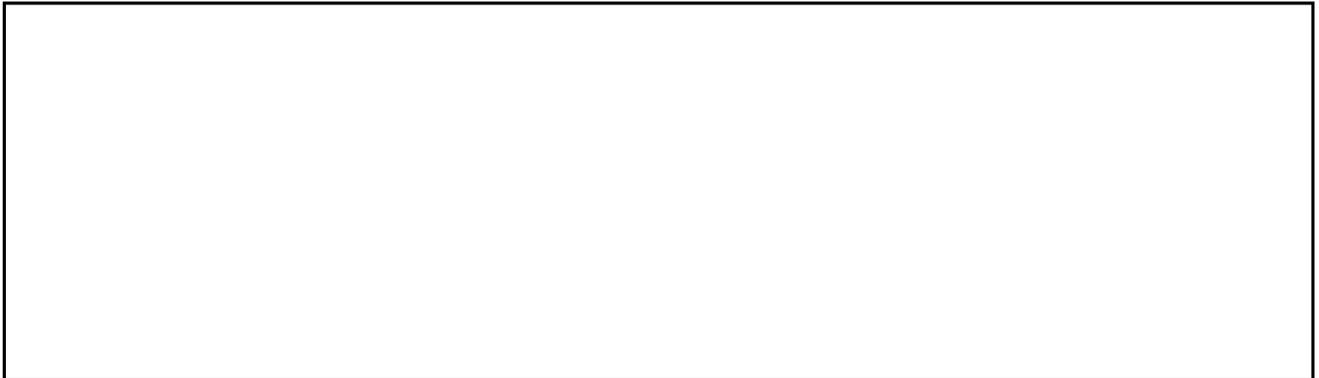


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a. Reported that the Bureau of Narcotics had been very cooperative on the matter he recently discussed with the DCI.

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