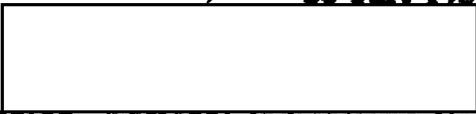


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**WATCH COMMITTEE**

20 July 1963



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**MEMORANDUM FOR:** Director, National Indications Center

**SUBJECT :** Replacement of Retiring Deputy Director, NIC

1. The selection of a Deputy Director of the NIC from nominations presented to you by other appropriate agencies is your responsibility entirely. I would presume that when you have made your selection, and prior to any general announcement or cutting of orders, you would inform me of your selection.

2. I am entirely agreeable to continuing the long-standing arrangements with AFNIN and trust that they can nominate a Deputy Director that will meet with your approval.

**SIGNED**

**Marshall S. Carter**  
Lieutenant General, USA  
Chairman

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NATIONAL INDICATIONS CENTER

Room BC 956  
Pentagon

3 July 1963

MEMORANDUM FOR THE CHAIRMAN OF THE WATCH COMMITTEE

SUBJECT: Replacement of Retiring Deputy Director, NIC

1. Colonel Hausman, USAF, present Deputy Director of the NIC is scheduling his voluntary retirement from the service effective within the next 90 days. As you are aware, there has existed since the founding of the NIC in 1954 an understanding with Air Force that they will fill the NIC Deputy Directorship. (This prerogative - which presently continues fully operational and valid - represents a quid pro quo for their continuing assumption of the role as executive agent for the NIC (see attached agreement). We have therefore, as a matter of course, already queried AFNIN soliciting their nominations for Colonel Hausman's replacement. Brigadier General P. D. Wynne, USAF Deputy ACS/I, has informed me that the Air Force stands ready, willing and able to furnish us with a replacement. He did request that I check with you to ascertain whether you approve continuation of our long-standing arrangements with AFNIN. We strongly recommend your affirmative response.

2. DIA has never raised the point - either formally or informally - of assuming any role in the military staffing of the NIC. Further the Chiefs of the military intelligence services continue as full members of USIB with all of the privileges and prerogatives accruing thereto. The agreement mentioned above with Air Force still stands and they will be bearing the bulk of the expense of our forthcoming move to new quarters. If you would personally like to check the USAF nominees, I can bring the files to your office at your convenience.

3. We would appreciate your early decision and guidance on this matter since, the sooner we can arrange to have an effective deputy on duty, the sooner we can proceed to reduce our ever-expanding backlog of chores.

[Redacted Signature]

Director

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cc: CIA Watch Committee Member  
Mr. Huntington D. Sheldon, ADDI/CIA

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MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT

DCID 1/2 (Secret) dated 11 May 1954 established a Walsh Committee and a National Indications Center under the Intelligence Advisory Committee. The National Indications Center is the full-time staff of the Committee and performs its day-to-day functions. A detailed description of the functions of both the Committee and the Center are contained in the above-cited directive.

Because of the nature of these activities and relevant technical facilities and services available within the Department of Defense, the Intelligence Advisory Committee recommended that the National Indications Center be located in the Pentagon Building and that the Department of Defense make certain arrangements for its administrative support. In view of its predominant interest in the activities of the Center, the Department of Defense has concurred in these recommendations. Accordingly, the following agreements are hereby established:

1. The Department of the Army will provide space required to house the Center.

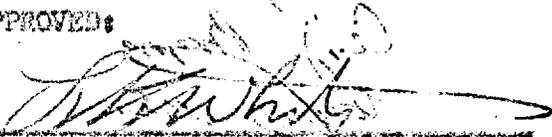
2. The Department of the Air Force will arrange for the administrative support, including technical facilities and services, required by the Center in accordance with the terms of this agreement.

3. Initially and for the remainder of fiscal year 1955, funds in the amount of \$57,000 will be required to meet the support costs of the Center. The Central Intelligence Agency will provide  of the required funds and similar amounts will be made available by each of the Departments of the Army and Navy. The Department of the Air Force will make available \$19,500 of which \$7,000 will be for operating costs. In addition, each of these four agencies will detail military and civilian personnel required to staff the Center in numbers previously agreed to by the Intelligence Advisory Committee.

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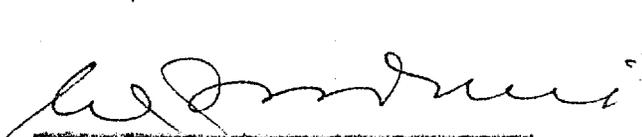
4. Subsequent to fiscal year 1955 the Department of the Air Force will provide all administrative support, including technical facilities and services, required for the operation of the Center except military and technical and professional civilian personnel. The Central Intelligence Agency and each of the military departments will continue to provide such military and technical and professional civilian personnel as may be required and agreed to by these participating agencies.

APPROVED:

  
Deputy Director for Administration,  
Central Intelligence Agency

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(Date)

  
Assistant Secretary of Defense  
(Comptroller)

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