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**MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD**

**SUBJECT: Proposed Joint Congressional Committee on Cold War Strategy**

1. [redacted] furnished me the attached papers on the above subject which included a suggested membership of the Committee and possible staff employees. Also included was a draft Concurrent Resolution and a statement of the Proposed Purposes and Goals of a Joint Committee on Cold War Strategy. [redacted] advised that there was some indication of a proposed meeting in Senator Smathers' office scheduled for 23 January.

2. I am informed that the Senate Foreign Relations Committee has received a copy of a report prepared by the Orlando, Florida, study group dealing with this subject. It is very likely that this paper is connected with the proposal attached here in view of mention of the name Sylvia Cherny who has been working out of Orlando, Florida, on this general subject. Apparently any such proposal is taken very lightly within the Senate Foreign Relations Committee and it appears highly doubtful that any such Concurrent Resolution would make much headway. Nevertheless, efforts will be made to confirm the evidence at hand and follow any developments particularly in view of the suggested alternatives for a staff director, i. e., James Burnham and/or Anthony Bouscaren.

s/ John S. Warner  
JOHN S. WARNER  
Legislative Counsel

**Attachments**

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  5. Everett Dirksen, Ill. (R.)
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  7. Andrew Schoepel, Kansas (R.)

- House:**
1. Robert Sikes, Fla. (D.) Vice Chairman
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  3. Frank Chelf, Ky. (D.)
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  6. Leslie Arends, Ill. (R.)
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**Staff:**

Director, James Burnham and/or Anthony Bouscaren  
Dir. Research: Karl Baarslag  
Liaison: Sylvia Cherny

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