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27 October 1947

MEMORANDUM FOR THE DEPUTY DIRECTOR

SUBJECT: Exploitation of Enemy Document Repositories
(CIG 21 and 21/1)

1. As you requested, the following is a brief outline of the action taken on subject paper to date:

a) The paper was proposed by the Chief of Naval Intelligence;

b) Its implementation would require the employment of two teams of seven analysts each;

c) An Ad Hoc Committee, appointed by the Intelligence Advisory Board, recommended that these analysts be employed and reimbursed from funds available to the CIG;

d) The Projects Review Committee determined that it would cost approximately \$82,950 to carry out the recommendations of the Ad Hoc Committee;

e) The Intelligence Advisory Board approved the recommendations of the Ad Hoc Committee, at which time the Director of Central Intelligence agreed to the expenditure of the above mentioned sum from funds allotted to the CIG, provided the National Intelligence Authority would approve expenditure of the \$82,950;

f) Approval of the above expenditure was requested by memorandum to the NIA on 15 September 1947;

g) Approval has now been received from all former members of the NIA, with the exception of Admiral Leahy. (It is to be noted that Mr. Royall's approval is dated 21 October 1947.);

h) Admiral Leahy returned the memorandum without action, referred to in "f" above, with the statement

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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY, NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL:

SUBJECT: Exploitation of Enemy Document Repositories

1. Reference is made to memorandum from the Director of Central Intelligence, subject as above, dated 15 September 1947.
2. I recommend that the expenditure of \$82,950 for the exploitation of enemy documents be approved.



Kenneth C. Royall
Secretary of the Army

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REMARKS: It has been decided to take no further action on this matter until the whole Psychological Warfare problem is settled by SAVACC.

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