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26 June 1952

INTELLIGENCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Minutes of Meeting held in Director's
Conference Room, Administration Building
Central Intelligence Agency, on 26 June 1952

Director of Central Intelligence
General Walter Bedell Smith
Presiding

MEMBERS PRESENT

- Mr. Fisher Howe, acting for Special Assistant, Intelligence,
Department of State
- Major General A. R. Bolling, Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2
Department of the Army
- Rear Admiral R. F. Stout, acting for Director of Naval
Intelligence, Department of the Navy
- Brigadier General John B. Ackerman, acting for Director of
Intelligence, Headquarters, United States Air Force
- Colonel S. M. Lansing, acting for Deputy Director for
Intelligence, The Joint Staff
- Mr. Victor P. Keay, acting for Assistant to the Director,
Federal Bureau of Investigation

ALSO PRESENT

- Mr. Loftus E. Becker, Central Intelligence Agency
- Lt. General (Ret.) Lucian K. Truscott, Central Intelligence Agency
- Dr. Sherman Kent, Central Intelligence Agency
- Mr. Lyman B. Kirkpatrick, Central Intelligence Agency
- Mr. Robert Amory, Jr., Central Intelligence Agency

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- Mr. A. Sidney Buford, Department of State
- Mr. Howard E. Furnas, Department of State
- Brigadier General John Weckerling, Department of the Army
- Colonel O. B. Sykes, Department of the Army
- Colonel M. F. Cove, Department of the Army
- Lieutenant Colonel U. G. Carlan, Department of the Army
- Captain W. R. Wilson, USN, Department of the Navy
- Commander E. E. Cragg, Department of the Navy
- Colonel Edward H. Porter, Department of the Air Force
- Lieutenant Colonel Thomas J. Grant, Department of the Air Force
- Mr. George D. Garrett, Jr., Department of the Air Force
- Major John Allums, Department of the Air Force
- Captain E. L. Lugibihl, USN, The Joint Staff

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Acting Secretary

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Approval of Minutes

1. Action: The minutes of the last meeting, 12 June 1952 (IAC-M-74) were approved.

Coordination in Berlin

2. Action: The IAC agreed to suspend action on this problem. General Truscott will proceed as appropriate with the intelligence chiefs in Germany.

3. Discussion: General Truscott and Mr. Kirkpatrick reported on the state of intelligence coordination in Berlin and told of the present studies being conducted in Germany on the problem. At the conclusion of these studies there is a possibility that a clandestine coordinating committee will be established in Berlin. Mr. Kirkpatrick spoke of the need for communicating the IPC agreed priorities to the several collection agencies in Berlin.

4. The State Department voiced its appreciation for the fine work General Truscott has been doing in Germany.

Report of Mr. Kirkpatrick's Trip

5. Mr. Kirkpatrick discussed briefly his impressions as a result of his recent trip to Western Europe and Scandinavia.

Intelligence Support to the
Economic Defense Advisory
Committee (IAC-D-53)

6. Action: The IAC deferred action on this problem until the next meeting.

Monitoring of Warning-of-Attack
Messages by the Watch Committee
(IAC-D-52)

7. Action: The JIC proposal designating the Watch Committee to draft NATO Warning-of-Attack messages was approved on the understanding that it may be necessary in the interest of expediency for higher authority to draft the messages in an emergency.

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Project to Provide a More
Adequate Basis for Planning
for the Security of the U.S.
(IAC-D-29/5, IAC-M-38, 39,
44, 48)

8. Action: The Air Force will nominate an officer to represent the IAC on the proposed ad hoc committee to be composed of representatives of the DCI, the JCS, the IAC, the IIC, and the ICIS.

9. Discussion: It was noted that contributions to this project have been received from IAC, IIC, ICIS, and JCS. There remains the writing of the summary evaluation on the basis of these contributions. General Smith asked for a nomination of a representative from the IAC to assist in the writing of this evaluation. After some discussion of General Partridge's availability, it was suggested that an Air Force officer would be especially appropriate in view of the content of the estimate.

Cancellation of NIE-68

10. Action: It was agreed to cancel this estimate on Probable Developments in Chile.

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