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INTELLIGENCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Minutes of Meeting Held in Director's  
Conference Room, Administration Building  
Central Intelligence Agency, on 8 September 1953

Acting Director of Central Intelligence  
Lt. Gen. Charles P. Cabell  
Presiding

MEMBERS PRESENT

- Mr. Fisher Howe, acting for Special Assistant, Intelligence,  
Department of State
- Brigadier General John M. Willems, acting for Assistant  
Chief of Staff, G-2, Department of the Army
- Rear Admiral Carl F. Espe, Director of Naval Intelligence,  
Department of the Navy
- Major General John A. Samford, Director of Intelligence,  
Headquarters, United States Air Force
- Dr. Charles H. Reichardt, acting for Director of Intelligence,  
Atomic Energy Commission
- Brigadier General Edward H. Porter, Deputy Director for  
Intelligence, The Joint Staff
- Mr. Victor Keay, acting for Assistant to the Director,  
Federal Bureau of Investigation

ALSO PRESENT

- Mr. Robert Amory, Jr., Central Intelligence Agency  
[redacted] Central Intelligence Agency  
[redacted] Central Intelligence Agency  
[redacted] Central Intelligence Agency
- Mr. Otto Guthe, Central Intelligence Agency  
[redacted] Central Intelligence Agency  
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- Mr. William C. Trueheart, Department of State
- Mr. Harald W. Jacobson, Department of State

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Colonel W. H. Hennig, Department of the Army  
Lt. Colonel T. C. Anderson, Department of the Army  
Lt. Colonel John H. Donaldson, Department of the Army  
Captain Allan L. Reed, USN, Department of the Navy  
Colonel Donald H. Ainsworth, United States Air Force  
Colonel John J. Morrow, United States Air Force  
Colonel Charles F. Gillis, United States Air Force  
Colonel Robert Totten, United States Air Force  
Colonel Samuel M. Lansing, The Joint Staff  
Colonel F. R. Moore, The Joint Staff  
Captain E. T. Layton, USN, The Joint Staff

JAMES Q. REBER  
Acting Secretary

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Approval of Minutes

1. Action: The Minutes of 1 September 1953 (IAC-M-119) were approved, subject to the following changes:

a. Substitute the name of Mr. Fisher Howe for the name of Mr. Park Armstrong among the Members Present and add the names of [ ] among those Also Present.

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b. Revise paragraphs 3b and c, on request of General Porter, to read as follows (deletions in brackets; insertions underlined):

b. "... It was the view of some that manpower required of the agencies and the personal attention required of the chiefs of intelligence to enable them to concur in so detailed a document was too extensive to be practicable."

c. The agreement reached in September 4, 1952 Minute to the effect that such reports would be noted, rather than approved, by the IAC/ The requirement for the detail contained in the appendices to NIEs arose out of a circumstance in which the NSC Policy Planning staff expressed a need for the background material contained in NIE working papers. The question was raised whether, indeed, such need still existed, and if so, whether it could not be met by the intelligence officers in each agency rather than disseminating IAC approved appendices directly to officials outside of the intelligence community, or be met by appendices only noted by the IAC."

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