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Minutes of Meeting Held in  
IAC Conference Room, Administration Building,  
Central Intelligence Agency, at 1600, 16 November 1956

Director of Central Intelligence  
Allen W. Dulles  
Presiding\*

Deputy Director of Central Intelligence  
Lieutenant General Charles P. Cabell  
Presiding\*

MEMBERS PRESENT

Mr. W. Park Armstrong, Jr., Special Assistant for Intelligence,  
Department of State  
Major General Robert A. Schow, Assistant Chief of Staff, Intelligence,  
Department of the Army  
Rear Admiral Laurence H. Frost, Director of Naval Intelligence,  
Department of the Navy  
Major General Millard Lewis, Director of Intelligence, Headquarters,  
United States Air Force  
Brigadier General Richard Collins, Deputy Director for Intelligence,  
The Joint Staff  
Mr. Harry S. Traynor, Atomic Energy Commission representative  
to the IAC  
Mr. Ralph R. Roach, acting for Federal Bureau of Investigation  
representative to the IAC

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1. SNIE 36.7-56  
Outlook for the Syrian  
Situation

As he opened the meeting, Mr. Dulles stated that this paper had been prepared on an urgent basis, in response to a specific request by the Acting Secretary of State. After reviewing information and intelligence from various sources bearing on the Syrian situation, the members approved this estimate, as amended.

2. Executive Session

a. At 1835 the Chairman requested an executive session.

b. In addition to discussing other matters, the members, while in executive session, approved the release of SNIE 36.7-56 to USIA,

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Adjournment: 1850

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Acting Secretary

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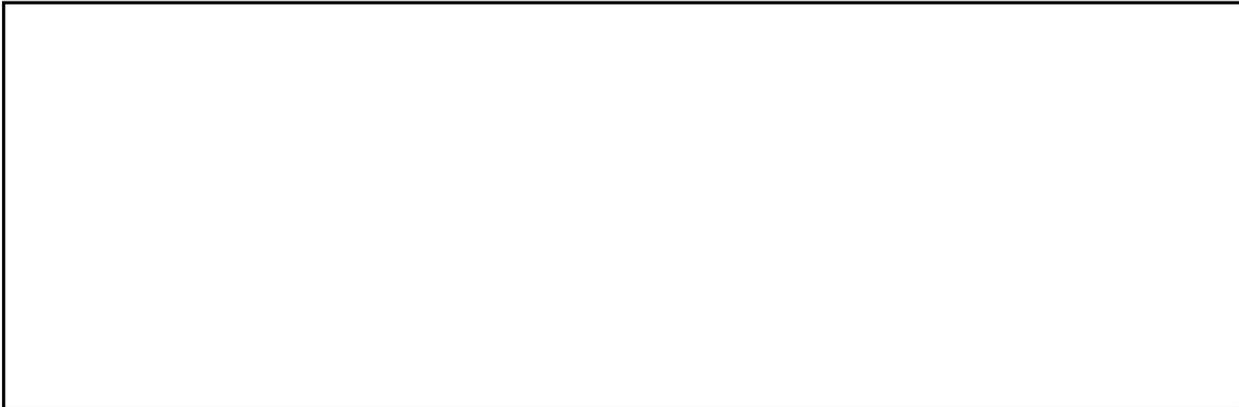
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3. The Secretary has authorized release to USIA of SNIE 36.7-56, "Outlook for the Syrian Situation," 16 November 1956, pursuant to IAC action (IAC-M-267, 16 November 1956, item 2 b).

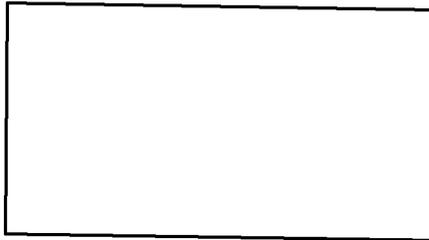
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ALSO PRESENT

Central Intelligence Agency

Mr. Robert Amory, Jr.  
Mr. Sherman Kent



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Department of State

Mr. William McAfee  
Mr. Harold Glidden  
Mr. Emery Swank

Department of the Army

Lieutenant Colonel Charles A. Pratt  
Lieutenant Colonel Howard E. Thompson

Department of the Navy

Captain W. S. Howell  
Mr. Al Fonda

Department of the Air Force

Colonel W. B. Sawyer  
Mr. Jack Power  
Lieutenant Colonel Van A. Woods, Jr.

The Joint Staff

Colonel Charles H. Dayhuff, Jr., USA  
Colonel A. Ward Gillette, USA

Federal Bureau of Investigation

Mr. Meffert Kuhrtz