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INTELLIGENCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

AGENDA

Director's Conference Room, First Floor
Administration Building, CIA
on Thursday, 26 June 1952, at 1030 hours

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1. Approval of Minutes of last meeting, 12 June 1952 (IAC-M-74)
 2. Coordination in Berlin Mr. Kirkpatrick
 3. Intelligence Support to the Economic Defense Advisory Committee (IAC-D-53) Mr. Amory
 4. Monitoring of Warning-of-Attack Messages by the Watch Committee (IAC-D-52) General Bolling

ADDED TO DCI AGENDA ONLY

5. Designation of IAC Representative to Serve on ad hoc Committee to Draft Summary Evaluation to Provide a More Adequate Basis for Planning for US Security. General Smith

Acting Secretary

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

SUBJECT: Item No. 4 of the IAC Agenda (IAC-A-72)

1. NSC 116 provides for the Watch Committee to submit to the IAC its conclusions relative to the need for sending Warning-of-Attack messages. After IAC consideration NSC 116 further provides for the DCI to advise the NSC and the President prior to transmission of a warning message to NATO by the JCS. In the event sufficient time is not available the JCS are authorized by NSC 116 to transmit such messages without first securing approval of the NSC, the latter being so informed.

3. Although the actual drafting of such a message may be considered an operational rather than an intelligence function, there appears to be no reason why CIA should not approve the proposal, on the understanding that it may be necessary in the interests of expediency for higher authority to draft the message in an emergency.

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