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MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

SUBJECT: Briefing of Mr. Stevenson, 17 September 1956

1. The second intelligence briefing of Mr. Stevenson took place on schedule at 9:00 a.m. 17 September in the Sheraton-Park Hotel, Washington. General Cabell and Mr. [REDACTED] were with Mr. Stevenson approximately 45 minutes.

2. As before, Mr. Stevenson read the prepared briefing with care and then asked questions. He began with questions about the status of South Sakhalin and the Kurile Islands under post-war agreements and treaties. On the Near East, Mr. Stevenson's queries were concerned with courses open to Nasr against actions by the proposed association of users, with military tension on the Israeli-Jordanian border, and with the situation on Cyprus.

3. Mr. Blair will call on Friday, 21 September, to state whether or not Mr. Stevenson will want a briefing before his departure from Washington on 22 September.

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