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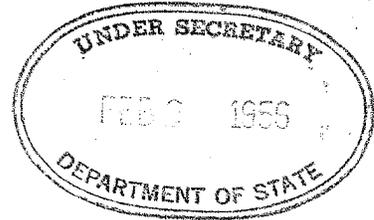


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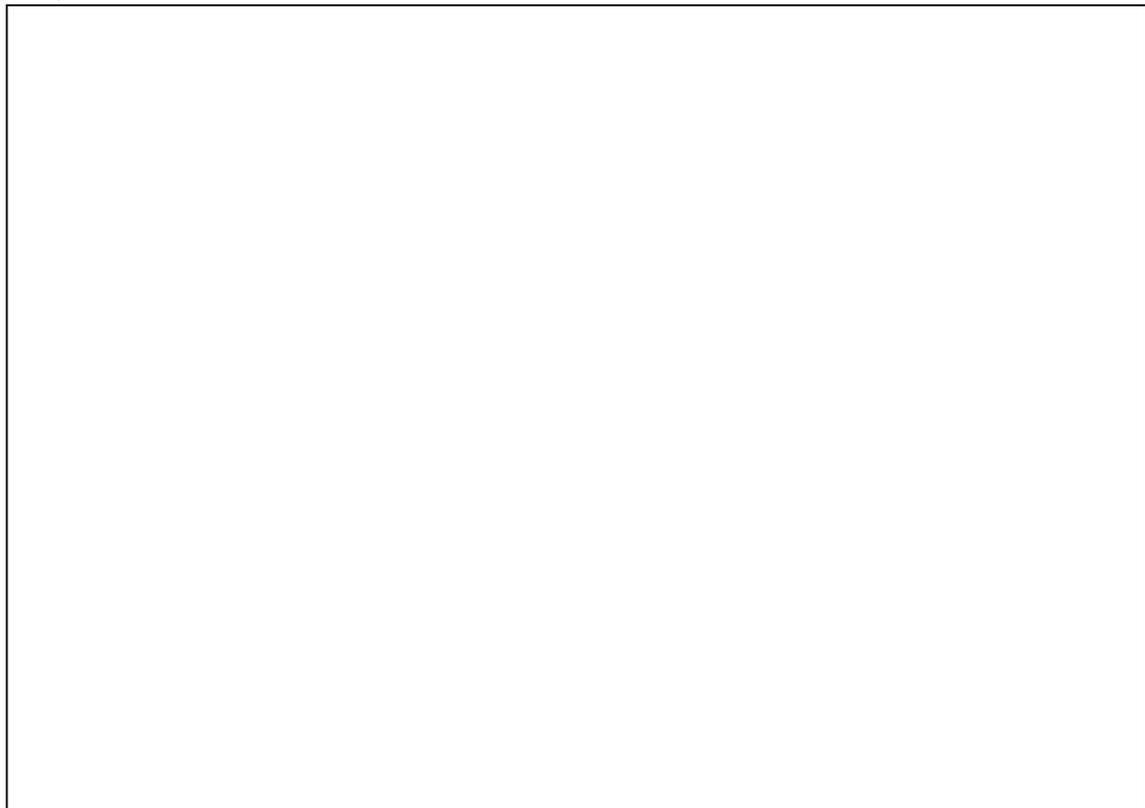
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MEMORANDUM FOR: Under Secretary of State
Department of State

SUBJECT: Egyptian Police Raids on Local Communist Party

Comments

1. Your attention is invited to the following report
 concerning raids conducted by the Egyptian police
against the Egyptian Communist Party:



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2. On 13 February 1956, four newspapers in Baghdad printed the news
of the Egyptian roundup. The story, which apparently originated with a
Reuters news report transmitted on 12 February, said:

"Egyptian Security men yesterday arrested 65 persons on
the charge of forming a Communist organization headed by a

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(signed)
Allen D. Dulles
Director

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professor at Cairo University, having several branches in Cairo and in Zagazig. A machine for the printing of leaflets was captured at the organization's headquarters."

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ALLEN W. DULLES
Director

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