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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director (Plans)  
Special Support Assistant to the DD/S

SUBJECT: Amendment No. 1 to Revised Administrative Plan for  
IO Division Proprietary Project DTPILLAR

I. Objective and Instrumentality

1. The objectives of DTPILLAR are to promote the development of leaders in the fields of politics, education and religion and to provide the organizational instruments and resources through which such leaders may be developed. DTPILLAR is an ostensible eleemosynary organization, incorporated under the laws of the State of California.

II. Background

2. In April 1951, KUBARK initiated Project DTPILLAR to aid in the creation of private action institutions and groups in Asia which would provide expanding opportunities for Asians and thus counteract the appeal of Communism. DTPILLAR has won widespread recognition and acceptance in Asia and is now represented in every Far Eastern nation from Korea through Afghanistan except Laos and India - where programs are administered from neighboring countries or headquarters.

III. Need for Amendment

3. Under date of 22 October 1957, the President of DTPILLAR wrote IO Division stressing the importance of changing the fiscal year of the project as an important contribution to its cover and security. He also stated this was to be a major item of discussion at an important DTPILLAR conference in November. In a subsequent exchange of memorandums between the Chief, IO Division and the Comptroller, the Comptroller recommended that if the fiscal year period for DTPILLAR is changed, that the period 1 August to 31 July be used. This amendment gives effect to the authorized fiscal year change.

IV. Amendment No. 1

4. Delete the first sentence of paragraph 5, Section II, Program Presentation, and substitute the following sentence: "On or before 1 April of each year, beginning in 1958, a comprehensive program for the DTPILLAR fiscal year, which shall run from 1 August through 31 July, shall be submitted by DTPILLAR together with a more general projection for the subsequent fiscal year."

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V. Recommendation

5. The interested Staffs and Divisions have concurred in this amendment as evidenced by the attached concurrence sheet. Your approval is recommended.

Signed [Signature]  
Chief, IO Support Staff

CONCUR:

[Signature] IO Division

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Date

[Signature] (Concurrence by Phone)  
Office of the Comptroller

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APPROVED: By direction of DD/P

(Signed) Richard Helms

Chief, Operations, DD/P

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AUTHORIZED: By direction of DD/S

[Signature] Special Support Assistant to the DD/S

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