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25 YEAR RE-REVIEW

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TO : Chief, PPS

DATE: 26 July 1956

FROM : Chief, LAS

SUBJECT: Weekly Activities Report.

A. SIGNIFICANT ITEM

Inquiries from the Department of State and the National Security Agency indicate that they have been influenced to emulate the DCI's program providing Foreign Language Development Awards.

[] Regional Survey Course on Northeast Asia started on Monday, 23 July, with [] full-time students and approximately 11 auditors.

B. OTHER ACTIVITIES

1. [] spent a couple of hours with [] and [] discussing possibilities for construction of models to be used in language and area training. It was evident that [] can do much that will be of real assistance to this School.

2. A Qualifications Review Panel consisting of [] of EE, and [] certified, with some reservations, []

3. Educational guidance was provided to [] of [] on [] area specialization.

4. Through the cooperation of FE/[] arrangements have been made to give a special area briefing to one of three people of NSA in response to a request from that organization. The briefing was given by C/FE/[] and members of his staff. The other two members will be briefed by members of Eastern Department, LAS, next month.

5. On 13 June, [] people attended the presentation [] and English given by [], FDD/OO, entitled "Education [] Since World War II" of the Foreign Language Lecture Series.

6. We have referred an announcement of without-cost training in the field of electronic data processing to TLO, Management Staff. The three-level program of courses is offered by the Electro Data Corporation of Pasadena, California; actual training will be given in Washington at their government operations office.

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8. [] discussed ways of providing some simple administrative controls for payment of correspondence courses, to avoid the loss to the Agency when full prepayment is made and the employee elects or neglects to complete the training. Insofar as practicable, it was agreed that payments to the employee would be on a reimbursement basis, and evidence of satisfactory progress would be requested for the reimbursable period.

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9. [] of EE sought assistance for an "unidentified" subordinate who had applied for and been denied LWOP to avail himself of training under the Korean GI Bill. [] was informed that the matter was one for resolution by supervisor and the Office of Personnel, under applicable LWOP regulations.

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10. TSS has expressed interest in a program of [] techniques to be offered at the Shoreham Hotel beginning 6 August for police and other officials. The Office of Security, having established liaison with the company sponsoring the training has been informed of the proposed program and asked to assist in arrangements.

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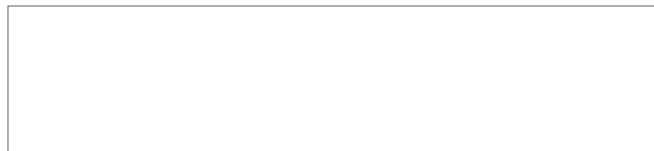
11. Preliminary arrangements have been made with [], OC, to provide language training tapes at one of their overseas sites.

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12. Current enrollment in internal language training programs is [] in classes and [] in self-study. During the past week, the language laboratory was used for a total of [] hours by [] students.



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