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TO : Chief, Industrial Division

DATE: 1 August 1957

FROM : Chief, Consumer Industries Branch

SUBJECT: Monthly Report for July 1957

1. Accomplishments

a. Projects Completed

25X1A9a (1) Comments for "Assessment of the UN Economic Commission for Europe (ECE) as an Intelligence Source" (00.1978) were prepared by [REDACTED] X

25X1A9a (2) "Net Domestic Availability of Textile Fabrics, Per Capita, USSR, 1913 and 1956" (ERA Project S-182) was completed by [REDACTED].

b. Status of Other Projects

25X1A9a (1) [REDACTED] continued work on "Price Trends in Consumer Expenditures in the USSR" (30.1534).

25X1A9a (2) [REDACTED] continued work on "Expenditures on Consumer Services in the USSR" (30.1771). Much of his time during July was spent in using sources in the Library of Congress.

25X1A9a (3) [REDACTED] continued work on "Synthetic Fibers and Fabrics in the USSR" (30.1911), the study that is being made in collaboration with M/CH.

25X1A9a (4) [REDACTED] is nearing completion of the revision of the domestic trade section of NIS 18 on Czechoslovakia (40.1791).

25X1A9a (5) [REDACTED] continued work on "The Housing Problem in the European Satellites" (38.1741). He has completed the Polish and Czechoslovakian sections of this ambitious project.

25X1A9a (6) [REDACTED] worked on the revision of the light industry section of NIS 14 on Poland (30.1518). During July they completed the work of bringing the Satellite estimate cards up to date.

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25X1A9a (7) [REDACTED] completed the changes suggested by the D/I review of the prospective RR, "Domestic Trade in Communist China" (38.1648).

25X1A9a (8) [REDACTED] continued work on "Industrial Capital Investment in Communist China" (30.1535).

2. Training

None

3. Trips and Speeches

None

4. Administration

25X1A9a a. [REDACTED] Acting Chief, I/CI, was designated Chief, effective 23 July. *

25X1A9a b. [REDACTED] served as Acting Chief 25 June to 12 July
25X1A9a while [REDACTED] was on vacation.

25X1A9a c. [REDACTED] GS-7 analyst in the European Satellites section, resigned from the Agency to accept employment with IBM, effective 26 July. *

25X1A9a d. [REDACTED] was promoted to GS-11, effective 30 June.

25X1A9a e. [REDACTED] was promoted to GS-9, effective 16 June.

25X1A9a f. [REDACTED] was promoted to GS-4, effective 16 June.

5. Plans

Nothing new to report.

6. Problems

Nothing to report.

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