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TO : Chief, Industrial Division, ORR

DATE: 2 September 1958

FROM : Chief, Producers' Equipment Branch, ORR

SUBJECT: Monthly Report for August 1958

1. Branch Reports Submitted

Revised draft of Project No. 32.883, "Soviet Locomotive Industry", submitted to D/I.

Revised draft of Project No. 34.1931, "Production of Chemical Equipment in Czechoslovakia", submitted to D/I.

Progress Report submitted on Project No. 32.2363, "Soviet Personalities Involved in Atomic Energy Compressor Work."

2. Other Projects Submitted

I/PE interim contribution to Project No. 20.1783, "Soviet Atomic Energy Program" submitted through D/I to Chief, D/M.

I/PE contribution to Project No. 30.2243, "Estimated Production of specified Industries in the Sino-Soviet Bloc, 1957 (USAF)."

3. Other Activities

Information provided to I/NS for Soviet NIE 100-8-58.

25X1A9a [redacted] prepared a memorandum [redacted] explaining I/PE position on Belarus tractor production at Dnepropetrovsk. 25X1X7

25X1X7 [redacted] an interpretation of Ukrainian SSR plan results for tractor production for the first half of 1958 with a copy to I/GM.

25X1A9a [redacted] provided continuing support to I/GM on the Dnepropetrovsk plant DAZ.

25X1A9a [redacted] provided information to ACSI and Ordnance Technical Intelligence (Department of the Army) on the East German motor vehicle and tractor industries.

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[REDACTED] proposed sample of electric motors and generators for machinery ruble-dollar ratio study.

25X1A9a [REDACTED] organized external research project on Soviet turbine
25X1A9a production for [REDACTED] and briefed him on the nature of the information desired by I/FE on this subject.

4. Training

25X1A9a [REDACTED] - Elementary Russian Reading.

5. Administration

25X1A9a [REDACTED] reported for duty as clerk-typist in I/FE.

25X1A9a [REDACTED] took two weeks military leave to attend the US Navy Amphibious Warfare Indoctrination Course at Little Creek, Virginia.

6. Scheduled Research

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Project No. 32.620, "Statistical Analysis of Production of Motor Vehicles in the USSR." During August, this project was coordinated with St/FE and some changes made. [REDACTED] is rewriting parts of it to improve readability. Will probably be completed during September. 25X1A9a

FY 58

Project No. 34.1558, "Production of Chemical Equipment in USSR." Mr. Baran should finish revisions during September.

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Support Projects

Project No. 30.1830, NIS, East Germany. Most of branch time currently being devoted to this. The following contributions are being prepared:

Chemical Equipment - [REDACTED]
Machine Tools - Mr. [REDACTED]
Metalforming Machinery [REDACTED]
Anti-friction Bearings [REDACTED]

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Optical and Precision Instruments - [REDACTED]
Locomotives and Rolling Stock - Mr. [REDACTED]
Agricultural Machinery - [REDACTED]
Electrical Machinery - Mr. [REDACTED] 25X1A9a
25X1A9a Turbines - [REDACTED]
25X1A9a [REDACTED] will review ACSI contributions on motor vehicles
and tractors.

25X1A9a [REDACTED] will prepare a few paragraphs on construction
and road machinery for the A-General section.

Branch Projects

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Project No. 32.2363, "Soviet Personalities Involved in Atomic
Energy Compressor Work", [REDACTED] is devoting some overtime to
this project but will be spending most of his time until 30 November
on NIS work.

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Project No. 32.2120, "Recent Developments in the Trade of
Motor Vehicles and Tractors". [REDACTED] has completed first draft,
which has been reviewed by branch chief. Now being revised slightly.

Project No. 32.2119, "Recent Developments in the Automotive
Industry of the USSR". Nearing completion but awaiting 7-year plan
announcement.

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