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25X1 4. [] Met with Representative Edward Hebert (D., La.)
who advised that he has received some questions from other members of
the Louisiana delegation concerning the closeout of [] 25X1C
25X1C [] I advised Representative Hebert that it was my under-
standing that GSA would be turning over [] 25X1C
25X1C [] on schedule but that I would check the details and be back in touch
with him.

25X1 5. [] Met with Mrs. Mary McLaughlin, Senate
Foreign Relations Committee staff, who advised the Committee does still
need the transcripts of the Director's briefing of 23 June on a daily basis.
I also received from her a copy of the Committee's hearing schedule for
this week.

25X1 6. [] Conversations with various Committee
personnel after the Director's briefing of the House Armed Services
Committee today indicated that the briefing was not only well received
but considered by some as one of the most interesting and capable pre-
sentations that has been given to the Committee.

25X1 7. [] Accompanied the Director and Messrs. Duckett,
25X1A Bruce Clark, Carver and [] to a briefing of the full House Armed
Services Committee on the subject of Soviet and ChiCom military forces.
See Memo for the Record and transcript.

25X1 8. [] Briefed Robert Michaels, House Appropriations
Committee staff, on the status of [] Mr. Michaels, 25X1C
showed no particular concern or curiosity.

Briefed Mr. Michaels on recent developments regarding Sino-Soviet
relations and the Soviet naval visit to Cuba.

Mr. Michaels said he had in mind the Director's request for a date
with Chairman Mahon but had been unable to confirm a time with the Chairman.

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25X1 4. [redacted] Discussed with Boyd Crawford, Staff Administrator, House Foreign Affairs Committee, Representative Zablocki's request for a briefing of his Subcommittee on National Security regarding the Soviet MIRV program. Crawford checked with Chairman Morgan who agreed with our suggestion that the briefing be done by Mr. Duckett on an "unofficial" basis with no transcript or publicity. I thereupon met with Representative Zablocki and Subcommittee Staff Consultant Jack Sullivan, who agreed to this procedure and explained details which they wanted covered. (See Memo for the Record)

25X1 5. [redacted] At the Director's request, called Robert Michaels, ~~House Appropriations Committee~~ staff, to make a date for the Director to meet with Chairman Mahon later this week. Michaels will call back.

25X1 6. [redacted] Received a call from Mr. Al Tarabochia, Senate Internal Security Subcommittee staff, who advised that he had learned from Cuban sources that on 14 July a band of Bolivians in the Concha Bamba area are alleged to have killed and then burned the man who gave away Che Guevara. It is also alleged that one [redacted] who was supposed to have escaped back to Cuba through Chile, was also involved. After checking with WH I advised that the guide who led the Bolivian army to Che Guevara has been reported by the Bolivian press as having been executed by Bolivian communists. There is no indication that [redacted] as involved.

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25X1 7. [redacted] Received a call from [redacted]
[redacted]
[redacted] who advised that his company had heard nothing more from Agency representatives and inquired whether there is anything further he might do. I thanked [redacted] for his call and advised that I would relay his inquiry.

25X1 8. [redacted] Talked to Mr. Earl Morgan, House Armed Services Committee staff, and confirmed the 10:00 a.m. scheduling for the DCI briefing on Tuesday, 29 July.

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25X1 10. [] Talked with Bill Woodruff, Senate Appropriations Committee staff, and Bob Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, 25X1A

25X1A [] Mr. John Clarke, OPPB, has been advised and we will draft appropriate language to accomplish this.

25X1 11. [] Met with Senator Joseph D. Tydings (D., Md.) and advised him of [] with the Agency. The Senator has taken a personal interest in [] and offered to be of assistance to him. The Senator appreciated our contacting him, adding that he had no idea of [] I told him that his interest had been appreciated by [] who would probably be in touch with him in the near future. 25X1C 25X1C 25X1C

25X1 12. [] Made arrangements for J. Sourwine, Chief Counsel, Senate Subcommittee on Internal Security, and two of his associates in the Subcommittee staff to have a conference [] tomorrow afternoon. [] WH Division, and I will also be present. 25X1A 25X1C

25X1 13. [] Met with Lawrence Baskir, Staff Director, Senator Ervin's Subcommittee on Constitutional Rights, and received from him a copy of the transcript of the Director's appearance before the Subcommittee on Tuesday, 22 July. It was agreed, unless other considerations are interposed later by Chairman Ervin, that this copy will be retained by the Agency and at such time as corrections are completed they will be transferred to the Subcommittee's master copy. No deadline was set for return of Agency corrections. On the matter of deadline, Mr. Baskir noted partially in jest that "since the Agency is obviously reluctant to publish the hearing" he would not set a date on his own authority.

I talked to Mr. Baskir later in the day concerning the classification of the transcript. Mr. Baskir advised that he would stamp the Subcommittee's copy "Confidential" and treat it as classified material. He also advised that he is ordering additional copies for the Subcommittee and will try to provide two additional copies for Agency use.

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25X1 12. [] Met with Bill Woodruff, on the staff of the
Senate Appropriations Committee, and talked with him about Senator
25X6 Symington's letter to the Director posing ten questions regarding sensitive
intelligence activities [] Woodruff suggested three possibilities for
handling our response with Symington. (See Memorandum for the Record
for details.)

25X1A Left with Mr. Woodruff a letter from the Director dated 11 July
1969 covering [] Woodruff requested some
additional information on this and I told him I would be back in touch with him.

Woodruff said he would be talking with Bob Michaels, of the House
Appropriations Committee staff, on Thursday about the Radios and other
matters and would be in touch with us following that meeting.

I mentioned to Woodruff that we would be in touch with him shortly
to brief him on some developments in the communications field.

I briefed Woodruff on Soviet activity along the Chinese border in
the Far East, on Soviet ABM tests and the latest Soviet space launch.

25X1 13. [] Hand carried to the Joint Committee on Atomic
Energy two copies of NIE 11-2-69. One for the Joint Committee and one to
25X1D be held in their vault for the Senate Preparedness Subcommittee.

I also left with them a copy of the latest []
dated 7 July.

Mr. George Murphy, of the Committee staff, expressed an interest
in a book entitled: Red Orchestra and asked if we might have access to a copy
of it.

25X1 14. [] Talked with Mr. Frank Slatinshek, on the staff of
the House Armed Services Committee, about his inquiry on the Reader's Digest
article by General Sejna. I told Slatinshek that Sejna's statements quoting
Grechko on the Pueblo matter have been examined very carefully and for a
number of reasons we are of the opinion that Sejna's allegations were a
creation of his own. I added that this was being considered by USIB and we
would be back in touch on this in a few days.

25X1A Talked with Mr. Slatinshek and Mr. Blandford about the scope of
the Director's briefing of the full House Armed Services Committee which is
tentatively scheduled for the week of 28 July. Mr. Blandford felt this should
be a complete briefing on the Soviet and Chinese threat. (This is being passed
on to [])

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15. [redacted] Talked with Bob Michaels, on the staff of the
House Appropriations Committee, about the Director's [redacted]
of 11 July 1969. Michaels also requested additional information on this item
which I will obtain for him.

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Mr. Houston
Mr. Goodwin

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25X1 1. [REDACTED] Talked with Bill Woodruff, on the staff of the Senate Appropriations Committee, and advised him that the special clearances for Guy McConnell have been approved. I also urged Woodruff to get together with Bob Michaels, on the staff of the House Appropriations Committee, at his earliest opportunity to discuss the procedure to be followed concerning the funding of the Radios.

25X1 2. [REDACTED] Called Winston Bryant, on the staff of Senator John McClellan (D., Ark.), to advise him of Senator Ervin's decision to allow the Agency to appear before the Constitutional Rights Subcommittee in executive session on S. 782. I told Bryant the appearance has been scheduled for the 22nd of July at 10:30 a. m. and expressed our sincere hope that Senator McClellan would attend.

25X1 3. [REDACTED] Advised Oneta Stockstill, on the staff of the House Armed Services Committee, that the week of 28 July appeared to be the best time for the Director to brief the full House Armed Services Committee. Mrs. Stockstill said she will pass this on and be back in touch with us with a suggested date.

25X1 4. [REDACTED] Senator Joseph Tydings' (D., Md.) office called and suggested that I see the Senator at 2:00 p. m. on Thursday, 17 July. This has to do with our interest in approaching the Senator regarding an Agency employee with whom he has been in contact.

25X1 5. [REDACTED] Mr. Houston advised that OGC had been in touch with the Library of Congress on the inquiry which originated with Representative Dante B. Fascell's (D., Fla.) Subcommittee on Legal and Monetary Affairs of the House Operations Committee. OGC has taken care of this item and there is no further need for contact with the Congressman.

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25X1 11. [redacted] In the absence of Representative Dante B. Fascell (D., Fla.), I talked with Mr. Michael Finley, of his staff, regarding the letter from the Library of Congress for information concerning Agency investigative personnel. I explained to Finley that our General Counsel's office was advising the Library of Congress that we would not be responding to their request which was being made as a result of a requirement on Congressman Fascell's Subcommittee on Legal and Monetary Affairs of the House Operations Committee. I asked Finley, however, to assure Mr. Fascell that we would be glad to discuss this matter with him personally if he desired anything from the Agency. I also asked for an opportunity to speak with Mr. Fascell about this at his earliest convenience. I left with Mr. Finley a copy of the Library of Congress letter to us.

25X1 12. [redacted] Met with William Woodruff, on the staff of the Senate Appropriations Committee, and briefed him on the latest information on Soviet ICBMs as well as the latest developments in the Sino-Soviet situation, scheduled visit of Soviet warships to Cuba, and the intensive air action in the Middle East. I also talked with Woodruff regarding our conversations with Robert Michaels, of the House Appropriations Committee staff, on RFE and RDC. (See Memorandum for the Record for details.)

25X1 13. [redacted] Met with Robert Michaels, on the staff of the House Appropriations Committee, and advised him of my conversation with Bill Woodruff on the subject of the Radios and RDC. Michaels agreed it would be desirable for him to get together with Woodruff on this. I indicated that we would be perfectly happy to get together with them jointly or separately whichever they wished.

25X1 14. [redacted] Picked up from the Subcommittee on National Security and International Operations, an advance copy of the speech which Senator Henry Jackson (D., Wash.) will be giving on the floor today, and which includes considerable information on Soviet leadership.

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JOHN M. MAURY
legislative Counsel

cc:

Ex-Dir/Compt ODDCI

[redacted] Mr. Houston

Mr. Goodwin [redacted]

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Item 2 - [redacted] (Security)

Item 11 - OGC; Security [redacted]

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25X1 13. [] Met with Mr. Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, who provided copies of the Committee internal correspondence relating to a North Korean warfare training film that ostensibly has been shown to some members of the Congress. Information received from the Department of Defense indicates that the film did not come from the Department but may have been procured by a member directly from the Korean Embassy. Mr. Michaels indicated that several members of the Defense Subcommittee are interested in the matter and would appreciate any light that we can shed on this.

25X1 14. [] Mr. Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, was briefed on the following items:

- a. Soviet missile inventory and Agency review of inventory estimates;
- b. Soviet overtures to Western nations concerning recognition of Communist China;
- c. construction of additional Soviet space facility;
- d. Soviet naval construction of three new fleet units;
- e. contemplated Soviet space activities;
- 25X6 f. [] completion of testing and evaluation of land-based IRBM's;
- g. indicators of Soviet concern over the Chinese problem.

25X1 15. [] Met with Mr. John R. Blandford, House Armed Services Committee staff, who requested a listing by types of fuel, whether solid or liquid, of the various ICBM's in the Soviet inventory. I briefed Mr. Blandford on the following items:

- a. Soviet concern over the Chinese problem;
- b. possibility of the Soviet space launch;
- 25X6 c. [] completion of testing and evaluation of land-based IRBM's.

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25X1 9. [redacted] Delivered to Mr. Arthur Kuhl, Senate Foreign Relations Committee staff, for his review and for review by Mr. James Lowenstein, Committee Consultant, the Agency's corrected copy of the DCI/Laird testimony of June 23. When the transcript was picked up later in the afternoon, Mr. Kuhl advised that the Chairman planned to forward a corrected Committee print to the GPO as soon as possible during the evening after receipt of the Department of Defense security corrections. While I was talking with Mr. Kuhl, Senator Albert Gore (D., Tenn.) dropped by Mr. Kuhl's desk to inquire whether the Department of Defense corrections, which had been promised by noon, had been received.

25X1 10. [redacted] Met with Mr. Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, who advised that Kenneth Sprankle, Clerk and Staff Director of the Committee, has been contacted by the Department of Defense concerning clearing Mr. Peter Murphy of the Committee staff for compartmented information. Pending the outcome of the DOD/Sprankle liaison, Mr. Michaels sees no need for Agency action concerning Mr. Murphy's clearance.

Mr. Michaels also advised that the Chairman's schedule of Committee activities does not contemplate an Agency Subcommittee meeting before the August recess. The Chairman has given no final word on the subject.

25X1 11. [redacted] In response to his earlier request, I advised Mr. Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, that the Agency had had no association with the [redacted]

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25X1 12. [redacted] I returned to Mr. Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, the copy of the jacket distribution slip relating to the GPO distribution of printed hearings of the Safeguard ABM System and advised that the five copies set forth thereon for CIA is the standing Agency order for copies of Defense Subcommittee hearings. The other item relating to CIA was included by GPO at their own initiative. Mr. Michaels thanked me for the information and indicated no further action is desired in this matter. See Journal item of 13 June 1969.

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