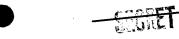
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CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20505

MEMORANDUM FOR: DDP

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SUBJECT

: Review of Intelligence Activities Against Communist China (USIB-D-64.6/23,

28 May 1965)

- 1. The USIB approved on 17 June 1965 the recommendations of the Critical Collection Problems Committee (CCPC) (copy attached) which were made as a result of that Committee's review of the activities intelligence community against Communist China. In approving these recommendations, the USIB took note of the importance of building the intelligence data base on Communist China in view of the current and increased threat of that country to interests of the United States. Because of this and because of the high priority, reaffirmed by USIB, attached to the entire intelligence problem of Communist China, I consider action by the elements of CIA, along with those of other agencies of the intelligence community, to be of immediate and continuing urgency.
- I am therefore assigning specific responsibility for implementation of these recommendations as indicated in the attachment. The underlining indicates that element of CIA which has the primary responsibility for action on a recommendation.
- 3. You will note that Recommendation (g) calls for a progress report to be submitted to USIB within six months. At the suggestion of the Chairman, USIB agreed that the report should be submitted within three months. The Agency component having primary responsibility for action on a recommendation, as indicated in the attachment, will also be expected to coordinate the Agency response on that item with the interested components.

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4. You are requested to submit your reports on actions taken and progress made in the implementation of these actions to the CIA Member of CCPC (Miss Eloise R. Page) by September 3, 1965.

Richard Helms Deputy Director

Attachment: a/s

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