

SECRETDIARY NOTESDD/S [REDACTED]

31 January 1958 25X1A

25X1A9a 1. Noting in an outgoing cable that the Commercial Staff had indicated an interest in [REDACTED] I telephoned [REDACTED] and told him that I did not want him to make any commitment in this regard without touching base with me. 25X1A9a

25X1A9a 2. [REDACTED] telephoned to say that he had had a "second take" on his failure to be elected to the GEHA Board and now felt that there had been some concerted attempt to insure that he was not re-elected... a situation about which he was most unhappy. He said he understood that John Tietjen would like to get off the Board and proposed that John be allowed to resign and that he [REDACTED] be nominated to fill his vacancy. He also proposed that [REDACTED] be elected Secretary to the Board. Later in the day I talked to John Tietjen and ascertained that he very definitely wants to be on the Board. I so advised [REDACTED]. 25X1A9a
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3. I talked to Ed Saunders about a replacement for [REDACTED] sometime during 1959. He would be reluctant to give this job to [REDACTED] and still believes that the unsatisfactory condition in the Finance Division five or six years ago was due primarily to Emmett. Of his own people he thinks that [REDACTED] would be good candidates, and of these three I think we agree that [REDACTED] probably would be the best. 25X1A9a
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4. Ed advised me that [REDACTED] of the Management Staff had been over to see him about a job and that he had told him that he could not use him at grade GS-14. I told Ed that [REDACTED] was surplus to [REDACTED] needs and that if he wanted to use him for a few months he could probably arrange it with Gordon Stewart and John but to insure that it was not done under circumstances which would indicate to [REDACTED] that he might have a job for him later. 25X1A9a
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