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MEMORANDUM FOR: MR. DULLES

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Mr. [redacted]'s memorandum, attached, recommends your retroactive approval of payment to Mr. [redacted]'s company of \$2100 per month for Mr. [redacted]'s services from 25 September to 30 November 1957.

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I am informed that the contract was not extended beyond 30 November but that your approval would be interpreted as authority to obtain Mr. [redacted]'s services in the future on the same basis. It is also my understanding that Mr. [redacted] actually worked for the [redacted] approximately fifteen days per month during this period. For this reason I think

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that it is preferable that we contract with Mr. [redacted]'s company for his services rather than with him as an individual since \$2100 per month for a fifteen-day month would amount to an annual rate of between \$36,000 and \$37,000 per year.

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