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Tuesday, 8 July 1952

1. Byroade accepted for luncheon on Monday, the 14th.

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2. At the Deputies' meeting mentioned to the Director that I plan to send Amory [redacted] and he indicated approval if we could spare him for that time. I felt that this was justified in view of the broad responsibility [redacted] and, in any event, the meeting will not last more than ten days to two weeks.

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25X1A9a 3. Cleared with the Director the proposed letter and cable [redacted] respecting intelligence support for [redacted]. The Director 25X1A9a approved passing any items which we thought [redacted] should have to [redacted] for [redacted] 25X1A9a 25X1A9a

4. At the Deputies' meeting there was a discussion of a monthly letter to Senior Representatives. I explained the discussions which I had had with each of the Representatives who had been in Washington. After further discussion, it was determined that such a letter would be prepared by [redacted] direction, the 25X1A9a respective Deputies to forward any contributions to him.

25X1A8a 5. Discussed with the DCI the proposed order respecting [redacted]. After some discussion, the Director reversed the position he had previously extended and redictated the order to apply Agency-wide.

6. Gave Mr. Dulles my comments on the pending draft of NSC 114 and expressed my disagreement with the rather arbitrary estimate contained therein respecting the capability of the Satellites to defeat Yugoslavia.

7. Gen. Partridge phoned and stated that he had been unable to secure a withdrawal of the R&DB request for an over-all scientific and technical estimate, a subject which had been raised at the IAC meeting on June 5. I indicated to Gen. Partridge that we would not require any additional notice and thereafter called [redacted] Acting AD/IC, 25X1A9a and reminded him of the DCI's statement that R&DB should be advised to have this request transmitted through the Defense member on the NSC Senior Staff. In this connection I mentioned to [redacted] that I had 25X1A9a talked with various members of the R&DB and suggested to them that their requested estimate could be made a by-product of the over-all

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Soviet estimate which would be late for their schedule this year, but would be in time next year and thereafter. This should be considered in making the request.

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25X1A6a 8. [REDACTED] phoned respecting the inquiry he was conducting into whether or not State had leaked certain classified information relating to [REDACTED] [REDACTED] indicated that pursuance of this inquiry would cause the matter to be referred in State to Humelsine and I did not feel that it was worth while to pursue it in view of these circumstances and so informed [REDACTED] 25X1A9a 25X1A9a

9. Completed arrangements for the Byroade luncheon which will be attended by AWD, FW, Byroade, [REDACTED] someone nominated by Mr. Wisner, and myself. 25X1A9a 25X1A9a

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25X1A9a 10. Chatted with [REDACTED] respecting the SCAG report and later transmitted said report to the Director with the recommendation of [REDACTED] and myself that nothing further be done at this time, in the light of the Brownell Committee's recommendations. The subject of the SCAG report would be an urgent priority on any new USCIB schedule.

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11. Also discussed with [REDACTED] the status of our program and we agreed that further action on this should be deferred pending USCIB consideration of the down-grading [REDACTED] 25X1A2g

12. Had a further discussion with the DCI respecting the directive on sources, etc. The FBI representative had asked that information be passed laterally in the field in case of real emergency and we agreed to do this.

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13. Attended dinner for [REDACTED]

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