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1. [] LIAISON Charles A. Kezar, of the Subcommittee on Advanced Energy Technology and Conservation Research Development and Demonstration, called to request a copy of "The International Energy Situation: Outlook to 1985." A copy was forwarded to him.

2. [] LIAISON Mr. Cowles, of Senator Mike Gravel's (D., Alaska) office, called to request one copy of "The International Energy Situation: Outlook to 1985." A copy was forwarded to him.

3. [] LIAISON Debbie Vines, of the office of Representative Lester Wolff (D., N.Y.), asked for information on an article appearing in a Vietnam newspaper entitled, NHAN DAN, which mentioned Mr. Wolff. I called FBIS, and they forwarded to me a report on the above mentioned article. I then forwarded this information to Debbie Vines.

4. [] LIAISON Don Sarff, of Senator Howard M. Metzenbaum's (D., Ohio) office, called requesting an employment package be sent to a constituent, [] It was sent out to the constituent this date.

5. [] LIAISON Lee Verstandig, Legislative Assistant to Senator John Chafee (R., R.I.), called to say he had checked on his clearance request and found that Senator Chafee had sent it to DOD, not the FBI as the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence normally handles its clearances. I suggested that Verstandig take the matter up with Bill Miller, Staff Director of the Committee, pointing out that he had discussed it with me and that I was asking our Security people to see if they could expedite the procedure with DOD. [] DD/OS, (is doing this.) Verstandig and I will compare notes after we have gotten feedback from our contacts.

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6. [] LIAISON After numerous unsuccessful attempts to reach Representative John Murphy (D., N.Y.), Chairman of the House Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries, I talked with Patty McAlister, Mr. Murphy's personal secretary, to tell her I was calling the Congressman on behalf of the Director to express an offer to provide whatever information we could to two of the Chairman's subcommittees which will be looking into matters relating to the extension of U.S. fishing rights. I said I thought we could provide the Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife, chaired by Representative Robert Leggett (D., Calif.) and the Subcommittee on Oceanography, chaired by Representative John Breaux (D., La.), with background information that might be of use to them. I told her we would go ahead and contact the staff people on these Subcommittees (Wayne Smith on the Oceanography Subcommittee and at her suggestion, Ned Everett, on the Fisheries and Wildlife Subcommittee).

7. [] LIAISON Met with Dave Finnegan, on the staff of the Subcommittee on Energy & Power, House Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee, and Frank Potter, Counsel and Staff Director of the Subcommittee, in a further effort to disengage Admiral Turner's appearance from the panel discussion by the heads of the Department of Transportation, ERDA, EPA, and FEA, on the basis that the latter would concentrate on domestic policy issues. Potter was understanding and ultimately Chairman John Dingell (D., Mich.) arranged for Admiral Turner to precede the other witnesses and to leave as soon as he was finished.

Potter agreed that briefings from the Agency would better serve their informational needs when they are in executive session, and in that connection he referred to a 16 May session on a MIT study which parallels the findings of the CIA energy studies, but which has dragged along and has been four years in the making. Potter would like to have a further session with Agency representatives on the MIT study, but exact details on how this would be done were not worked out and we agreed to stay in touch.

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8. [] BRIEFING At her request, met with Dorothy Fosdick, on the staff of the Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations, Senate Governmental Affairs Committee, and she said that Senator Henry M. Jackson (D., Wash.) wanted them to receive a briefing from [] on technology transfer. I indicated I was unaware of [] role but would check and was sure we could provide an appropriate briefer.

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9. [] LIAISON Met with Grenville Garside, on the staff of the Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee, and provided him copies of the unclassified study on "Prospects for Soviet Oil Production" which had been released today and asked him to be sure to get it to Chairman Henry M. Jackson (D., Wash.) and the other five Senators who attended the briefing of the Committee last week, indicating that the study was being provided to the Subcommittee on Energy and Power, House Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee, this afternoon. Garside appreciated our thoughtfulness and wanted to know if we would have any problem if our two energy studies were put out by the Committee as a Committee Print. I told him none whatsoever although, as he knows, the studies have been fairly widely distributed within the Congress.

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10. [] BRIEFING [] a CIA congressional intern working in the office of Senator Pete V. Domenici (R., N. Mexico), called to see if he could set up a briefing for the Senator and Senator Henry Bellmon (D., Okla.) on Zaire for 28 April, 8:30 a.m.

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11. [] LIAISON Tom Coleman, on the staff of Representative Jack F. Kemp (R., N.Y.), called on behalf of a constituent who disagreed with the CIA energy study and wanted to talk to the Agency people who had prepared it to ask a number of questions, including why it differs on the reserves issue with a "Credit Banque de Belgium" report. I explained for Coleman's information the misunderstanding arising over reserves vis-a-vis production; indicated that I am sure that Mr. Kemp would be appreciative of the fact that we are not a public information agency and cannot have our analysts in the situation where they are phoned directly by members of the public; and suggested instead that we draft a letter for Mr. Kemp to send to [] the constituent, which would respond to her questions. He thought this was an excellent idea.

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13. [] CONSTITUENT Pat, in the office of Representative Garry Brown (R., Mich.), called to ask for material for a constituent from a college, who is inquiring as to how CIA came into being, if the National Security Authority is in existence, how many departments make up CIA, and who serves on committees investigating the CIA. I suggested she might wish to check directly with the National Security Council, and noted that no committees are currently investigating CIA, but there are oversight committees in being. I am forwarding copies of the pamphlet on the Agency and "Intelligence in the War of Independence", plus the lists of the membership of the five oversight committees (Senate Foreign and House International Relations Committee not included) to her on 26 April; that should answer all the questions.

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14. [] LIAISON Rob Pratt, of the office of Representative Robert F. Drinan (D., Mass.), called to request a copy of "The International Energy Situation: Outlook to 1985." A copy was forwarded to him.

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15. [] BRIEFING Accompanied the Director to a briefing of the Subcommittee on Energy and Power, House Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee, to provide a background briefing on the world energy situation as part of the hearings which the Subcommittee held today on the energy and transportation problem. (See Memorandum for the Record.)

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16. [] LIAISON At Mr. Cary's instruction, called Chuck Snodgrass, House Appropriations Defense Subcommittee staff, and told him that the KY 70 phone had been installed in Mr. Cary's office and that I would give him the number as soon as we received it.

I also mentioned to Snodgrass that the letter from the Director on the Surveys and Investigations Staff reports had been held up and Snodgrass had no objection.

I also asked him if the additional questions he planned to provide us were ready to be picked up and he said no but would let us know as soon as they were.

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17. [] LIAISON Sent via courier a copy of the Agency study "The International Energy Situation: Outlook to 1985" to Joelle McCauley, in the office of Representative Robert W. Kasten (R., Wis.), per her request.

18. [] ADMINISTRATIVE - DELIVERIES
Delivered to the offices of the House Armed Services Subcommittee on Intelligence and Military Application of Nuclear Energy; the Senate Armed Services Committee; Jim Gehrig, on the staff of the Commerce, Science and Transportation Subcommittee on Science, Technology and Space; and to Bob Walthius, Senate Republican Policy Committee; a copy of the Director's statement today before the House Interstate and Foreign Commerce Subcommittee on Energy and Power and a copy of the CIA unclassified report "Prospects for Soviet Oil Production."

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20. [] LEGISLATION Spoke with Jim Davidson, Counsel, Intergovernmental Relations Subcommittee of the Senate Committee on Governmental Affairs, concerning any changes to S. 2, the Sunset Act, subsequent to our meeting with the Subcommittee staff on 7 April. Mr. Davidson indicated that two changes had been made, but that a third relating to congressional power to obtain Executive branch budget request information remained in the bill. He said he would make a copy of the latest Committee print available for our review. The Subcommittee still plans to mark up the bill very soon.

21. [] LEGISLATION Stan Taylor, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence staff, called and said he had obtained a copy of the Senate Committee on Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs draft report on S. 305, which he made available to us for our review.

22. [] LIAISON Met with Ed Levine, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence staff, who asked me one question about a particular Agency CA program.

23. [] LIAISON Met with Elliot Maxwell, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence staff, who gave me a list of the witnesses to appear before the Committee on 27 and 28 April on the open budget issue. Admiral Stansfield Turner will be the sole spokesman on the morning of 27 April. Senators requesting to testify and former DCI's will appear in the afternoon of 27 April. On 28 April, there will be a constitutional law panel and a "policy panel" to discuss the issue. Maxwell estimated that Admiral Turner should plan on one and a half or two hours before the Committee.

Taylor gave me a copy of the proposed Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs Committee report on S. 305 for our review.

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25. [] LIAISON Received a call from Jean Christoff, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence staff, who asked for biographic information on William Colby, George Bush and John Warner, all of whom will be appearing before the Committee on the open budget issue. I answered Christoff's questions on Mr. Bush and Mr. Colby. Later in the day, I delivered a biographic profile on Mr. Warner provided by OGC to Christoff.

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26. [] ADMINISTRATIVE - DELIVERIES
Delivered to Audrey Hatry for Tom Moore, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence staff, a letter to Senator Gary Hart (D., Colo.) from Admiral Stansfield Turner regarding the top 20 private contractors with the Intelligence Community.

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27. [] LIAISON Met with Anne Karalekas, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence staff, and informed her we could provide an unclassified response to one of the two follow-up confirmation questions for Admiral Turner for which no unclassified response had previously been provided. Karalekas needs the answer by tomorrow morning in order for it to be published.

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28. [] ADMINISTRATIVE - DELIVERIES Met with Earl Eisenhower, Minority Counsel, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence, and delivered to him a copy of the Director's testimony on the energy situation before Chairman John D. Dingell's (D., Mich.) Subcommittee on Energy and Power, Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce. I also delivered to him two copies of the unclassified report Prospects for Soviet Oil Production.

I told Eisenhower we were again prepared to have him tour a sensitive Agency facility and Eisenhower will see when Senator Barry Goldwater (R., Ariz.) is available for the trip. Eisenhower hopes it can be accomplished within the next week.

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29. [] ADMINISTRATIVE - DELIVERIES
Delivered to Audrey Hatry, Clerk, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence staff, 20 copies of the January 1977 Basic Intelligence Fact Book. Bill Miller, Staff Director, had earlier requested one copy for each Senator on the Committee.

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30. [] LIAISON Met with Bill Miller, Staff Director, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence, and discussed with him the problems the Office of Security will face in attempting to rid its files of improperly collected and retained information. I briefed Miller on the scope of the problem, the new guidelines to be issued on the retention of material, and the impoundment procedures currently utilized by OS. Miller appreciated the problems involved and said he could see that the problems could take years to resolve.

I reminded Miller that Admiral Turner was prepared to brief the Committee on the issue of SALT verification and Miller said the Committee would probably ask for a briefing around the middle of May.

I delivered to Miller a copy of the Director's statement of today before the Subcommittee on Energy and Power, Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce and copies of the unclassified report Prospects for Soviet Oil Production.

I informed Miller that we were once again prepared for him to visit a sensitive Agency facility, and Miller is still interested in making such a trip. No date, however, was set for the visit.

Miller informed me that the mark-up on the intelligence budget had been postponed until after the sessions on the open budget.

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31. [] LIAISON Met with Jackie Johnson, in the office of Representative William F. Walsh (R., N.Y.), and discussed with her a current inquiry on the Boyce-Lee espionage case. I agreed to get back to her with more information.

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32. [] LIAISON Picked up from Lot Cooke, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence staff, the second half of the transcript from Admiral Stansfield Turner's 18 April briefing of the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence on covert action and sensitive intelligence collection.

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33. [] LIAISON Picked up for [] SA/DCI, a copy of the newest version of the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence charter, from Elliot Maxwell, on the Committee staff.

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34. [] LIAISON Called Norvill Jones, Senate Foreign Relations Committee staff, Jack Brady, House International Relations Committee staff, John Ford, House Armed Services Committee staff, and Frank Sullivan, Senate Armed Services Committee staff, to advise them of the Director's appearance before Chairman John Dingell's (D., Mich.) Subcommittee on Energy and Power, House Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee on 25 April. I told them we would get to them during the afternoon copies of the Director's statement and the Soviet oil report which had been modified in order to allow its public release.

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35. [] LIAISON Peter Hunt, on the staff of the House Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee, called with some questions relating to a book he had recently read with respect to liquid air bombs, cryogenics, etc. I spoke to [] Congressional Support Office, about the matter and it was decided [] would have someone call Hunt to explain these subjects to him and answer his questions.

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36. [] ADMINISTRATIVE DELIVERIES Delivered to Norvill Jones, Senate Foreign Relations Committee staff, background information and biographic information on Egypt and Tunisia for Senators Howard Baker (R., Tenn.) and Richard Stone (D., Fla.). He signed a receipt and said he would return the materials when he was finished.

I also delivered to Jack Brady, House International Relations Committee, and Jones, copies of the Director's statement before Chairman John Dingell's Subcommittee on Energy and Power, House Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee, and copies of the unclassified Soviet oil report.

I also delivered to Brady background material for passage to Representative Dante Fascell (D., Fla.) regarding Executive Order 11652 and 11905 and CIA records management, all of which was unclassified.

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37. [] LIAISON Called Jack Brady, House International Relations Committee staff, and asked if any resolution had been made with respect to covert action briefings and reminded him that we stood ready to give the Committee an update briefing on covert actions at such time as they had their procedures ironed out. Brady said that nothing had been resolved and would bring the matter to the attention of Chairman Clement Zablocki (D., Wis.) again.

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