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13 September 1949

MEMORANDUM

TO : General Counsel

THRU: Budget Officer

FROM: Chief, Confidential Funds Branch

SUBJ: Proposed Regulation Re Representation Allowance

1. We concur in the proposed regulation presented by your memorandum of 2 September 1949 including your suggestion in paragraph 2 of transmittal memorandum.

2. We recommend that the proposed regulation be made effective 1 January 1950 in order that Covert Officers will have sufficient time to study their requirements in the light of the new regulation and to advise the individuals who will be affected. In this connection, we note the Director's memorandum of 7 September 1949 provides for interpretations of present regulations pending publication of the revision referred to above. It is our understanding that the Director's memorandum of 7 September 1949 authorizes the interpretation stated in para. 1 thereof from the date of issuance of the original CIA regulations covering representation allowances until the effective date of Amendments thereto. If this is a reasonable interpretation, the official publication of revised regulations would be considered to be the effective date which will provide for present procedures until that time.

  
Chief, Confidential Funds Branch

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