

THE PRESIDENT'S INTELLIGENCE CHECKLIST

**4 AUGUST 1961
TOP SECRET**

1. Military training for Indonesians in the USSR

Present programs call for the training of well over 1500 Indonesians, and money for this purpose has been more than tripled. The programs will probably continue through 1964. Deliveries of Soviet arms to Indonesia under the recent agreement are to be completed by the end of that year.

2. France-Tunisia

In Bizerte, French sealing of the native quarter, continued French aerial reconnaissance over a large part of Tunisia and Bourguiba's threat yesterday to retaliate against French prisoners if Tunisian prisoner handling is not improved all keep local tensions high. In the political arena, Bourguiba feels that "constructive discussion" of the Bizerte issue at the Western Foreign Ministers' meeting in Paris (5-7 August) may obviate the need for a special UN session.

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3. Political trouble in Senegal

Pro-French president Senghor's moderate regime is losing support at home with religious leaders, senior army officers, and high level government officials becoming increasingly antagonistic to his leadership.

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- A. In a move to reduce the refugee flow and increase the labor pool, East German police have orders to seize identity cards of all East Germans who work in West Berlin unless they quit their jobs.
- B. Further evidence of bloc support for Gizenga--Communist China has installed a chargé d'affaires in Stanleyville.
- C. Sudanese Premier Abboud, just returned from a visit to Moscow, was impressed with Khrushchev and with Soviet industrialization but criticized the living standard of Soviet Moslems and felt that Soviet attempts to convince him that religious freedom existed in the USSR were staged. He invited Khrushchev and President Brezhnev to visit the Sudan, with date to be set later.
- D. A Brazilian mission is prepared to go to Cuba to begin trade negotiations around 7 August.

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