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STATUS OF C.I.G. PROJECTS AS OF MONDAY, 27 MAY, AT 1200

Note by the Secretary

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1. PROJECTS COMPLETED SINCE 20 MAY.

None.

2. PROJECTS AWAITING N.I.A. ACTION

None.

3. PROJECTS AWAITING I.A.B. ACTION

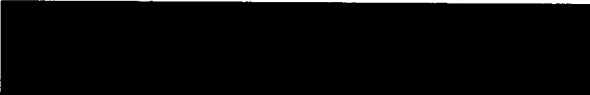
CIG 1/1	26 Apr	<u>Provision for Monitoring Press and Propaganda Broadcasts of Foreign Powers.</u> IAB defers final action on CIG 1/1 and 1/2 in 4th Mtg., pending further study. Central Planning Staff charged with study and recommendations to Director CIG in this connection (See Section 4 of this report for status of CPS action).
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4. PROJECTS IN PREPARATION

(Cognizance)(Initiated)

Central Planning Staff (CPS) PRIORITY	14 Feb	<u>Coordination of Intelligence Research.</u> Preliminary CPS studies completed. CIG action on that phase of problem relating to allocation of research responsibilities now in preparation by Intelligence Branch, CPS.
GPS	26 Feb	<u>Disposition of Files of United States Strategic Bombing Survey (USSBS).</u> CPS revising recommendations pursuant oral instructions of DCI.
GPS	4 Mar	<u>Proposed Permanent Interdepartmental Committee for Acquisition of Foreign Publications.</u> Revised draft of CIG action ready for submittal to DCI.
GPS	7 Mar	<u>Censorship Planning.</u> Proposed CIG action, based on preliminary survey by Security Branch, under study by chief, CPS.
GPS	8 Mar	<u>Intelligence Terminology.</u> CPS initiating survey of usages, with recommendations. Assigned to Support Branch.

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CPS (PRIORITY)	15 Mar	<u>The Essential Elements of Information.</u> CPS initiating a plan of development. Under study by Policy & Review Branch.
CPS	18 Mar	<u>Resources Potential Program.</u> Two planning problems assigned; intelligence production problem to Intelligence Branch, and collecting problem to Information Branch; under joint study.
CPS	19 Mar	<u>Application of Sampling Technique to Intelligence.</u> Under study by CPS committee headed by Support Branch.
CPS (PRIORITY)	21 Mar	<u>Survey of Facilities for Collecting Foreign Intelligence Information by Clandestine Methods.</u> Survey pursuant to CIG Directive #3 in progress.
CPS (PRIORITY)	22 Mar	<u>Intelligence on Foreign Industrial Establishments.</u> Recommendations from State, 14 March (Mr. McCormack) referred to CPS. Two planning problems assigned; intelligence production problem to Intelligence Branch, and collecting problem to Information Branch; under joint study.
CPS (PRIORITY)	28 Mar	<u>Coordination of Scientific Intelligence.</u> Two planning problems assigned; intelligence production problem to Intelligence Branch, and collecting problem to Information Branch. Drafts of systems for coordinating research and collection respectively now under review by Chief, CPS.
CPS	28 Mar	<u>Survey of Coverage of the Foreign Language Press in the United States.</u> Survey completed by Information Branch pursuant CIG Directive #4. Draft complete and being submitted to Chief, CPS, this date.
CPS (PRIORITY)	29 Mar	<u>Interim Study of the Collection of Intelligence Information in China.</u> Draft of CIG action completed and awaiting review by Chief, CPS.
CPS	5 Apr	<u>Intelligence on Foreign Petroleum Developments.</u> Two planning problems assigned; intelligence production problem to Intelligence Branch, and collecting problem to Information Branch under joint study. These problems are subsidiary to those under "Intelligence on Foreign Industrial Establishments", above.
CPS	15 Apr	 from State (Mr. McCormack) assigned to Information Branch for study. Draft of CIG action completed and awaiting review.

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GPS 18 Apr Coordination of Geographic and Related Intelligence. Assigned to Intelligence Branch to study in connection with JISPB survey. Study in progress.

GPS 19 Apr Publication Review Subcommittee (of Joint Intelligence Committee). Proposed CIG action on recommendations in JIC 86/9 now under review by Chief, CPS.

GPS 22 Apr Survey of the Joint Intelligence Study Publishing Board (JISPB). Survey in progress by Intelligence Branch pursuant CIG Directive #7.

GPS 22 Apr Photographic Intelligence File in the Department of State. Recommendations of Mr. McCormack under study by CPS committee headed by Support Branch.

GPS (PRIORITY) 23 Apr Central Register of Intelligence Information. Under study in Central Planning Staff on CPS initiative. Under study by Intelligence Branch with assistance of Support Branch.

GPS (PRIORITY) 9 May Provision for Monitoring of Press and Propaganda Broadcasts of Foreign Powers. CPS further recommendations to Director CIG as to problems raised in CIG 1/1 and 1/2 awaiting information from State Department.

GPS 13 May Coordinated Utilization of Private Research in the Social Sciences. Memorandum from State (Mr. Langer) referred to CPS for recommendation and comment.

5. PROJECTS IN DEFERRED STATUS

GPS 4-Mar Liquidation of Security Advisory Board, OWI. Board contemplated in SWNCC 252 reestablished on 3 April as SWNCC Subcommittee for Security Control. DCI has designated CIG liaison officers thereto. Ultimate placing of Board under NIA to be studied by Security Branch.

GPS 6 Mar Interior Department; Services of Proposed Minerals Attaches. CPS to undertake report and recommendations when-and-as Departmental program receives Congressional approval.

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