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MEMORANDUM FOR:

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The Attorney General
The Joint Chiefs of Staff
The Director of the Budget
The Director of the Office of War Information

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