INDICATIONS OF IMMINENCE OF AIR ATTACK ON U.S.

(AS USED 1 JANUARY - 30 JUNE 1952)

DIRECT INDICATORS

1. LRA - BASE DEVELOPMENT - Increase in Staging Capabilities
2. LRA - LOGISTICAL SUPPORT DEVELOPMENT - Increase in Capability for Flights Outside the USSR
3. LRA - TECHNICAL DEVELOPMENTS - Increased Capabilities
4. LRA - Increased Training Flights
5. POL - Stockpiling in Staging Areas
6. REFUELING EQUIPMENT - Prepositioning in Forward Areas
7. ARCTIC - Increased Air Activity
8. MISSILE WARFARE - Soviet preparation for Engaging In
9. ATOMIC WARFARE - Soviet preparation for Engaging In
10. FALSE ALERTS - Planted Intelligence - Testing Military Preparations
11. PVO - Order of Battle Placement and Adequacy of Strength and Equipment in Critical Areas Including Fighters, Radar and AAA
12. PROPAGANDA - Preparation of the Soviet People for Atomic Air Warfare
13. COMMUNICATIONS CONTROLS - Increase In
14. LRA COMMUNICATIONS - Abnormal
15. SUBMARINE DEPLOYMENT - Activities to Supplement Air Attack
16. SABOTAGE - Accidents, Explosions and Strikes in Military or Key Defense Industries of US Interest
17. SOVIET RECONNAISSANCE - Including ECM
18. SECURITY - Cancellation of Military Leaves and Special Disciplinary or Unit Security Measures
19. PVO - Abnormal Activities Indicative of Impending Use
20. ATOMIC SITES - Movement of Aircraft to
21. LRA - Abnormal Activities Indicative of Impending Use
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23. MOVEMENT OF LBA - To Staging Areas

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INDIRECT INDICATORS

ENEMY POLITICAL ACTIVITIES

26. BLOCKING OF BERLIN

27. BERLIN AND WEST GERMANY - Military action by Soviet Forces or Soviet Zone Police Units

28. SOVIET ZONE GERMANY - Reinforcements, Regrouping to Improve Offensive Capabilities of

29. YUGOSLAVIA - Political, Economic and/or Military Action by USSR or Satellites Against Yugoslavia

30. AFRICA, NEAR AND MIDDLE EAST - Political, Economic and/or Military Action by USSR or Satellites

31. INDO-CHINA - Imminent Destruction of French Forces and Support or Intervention by Chinese Communists

32. FURTHER PENETRATION IN SE ASIA

33. JAPAN - Threats, Preparation for, or Actual Overt Military Acts Against

34. HONG KONG AND MACAO - Blockade or Occupation

35. FORMOSA - Attack On

36. CHINA - Military and/or Economic Action by US

37. KOREA - Breakdown of Cease Fire Negotiations and Resumption of Large Scale Military Action

38. SOVIET FOREIGN POLICY - Major Change, Moves to Strengthen USSR's or Weaken West's Military Position

39. RECALL OF USSR DIPLOMATIC PERSONNEL

40. WALKOUT OR BOYCOTT OF UN BY USSR

41. PROPAGANDA - Intensified Campaign to Condition USSR for War and Cause Dissension Among US Areas

42. KEY PERSONNEL SHIFTS - Foreign Political Parties

43. LATIN AMERICA - Communist and Subversive Activities
AIR ACTIVITIES

45. EUROPE - Stockpiling and Increase of Supply Levels, Forward Displacement of Ammunition, POL, Spare Parts

46. FAR EAST - Stockpiling and Increase of Supply Levels, Forward Displacement of Ammunition, POL, Spare Parts

47. KOREA - Large Reinforcement of Enemy Air Forces

48. USSR - Massing of Ground and Air Units on Western or Southern Borders of USSR

49. USSR - Ground and Air Concentrations in Eastern Soviet Territory

50. ECM - Intensified Electronics Countermeasures Program

51. PVO - Radar Extension of Nets, New Sites, Increased Effectiveness

52. UNAUTHORIZED FLIGHTS - Over Areas Under Western Control

53. NEW EQUIPMENT REPLACEMENT PROGRAM - Increase in Air

54. SOVIET AIR FORCE - Reassignment of Key Air Officers

55. AIR TRANSPORT - AIRBORNE - Assembling, Massing, Shifting or Transfer

56. MILITARY AIR FORCE - Redeployment, Reinforcement, Increased Capability

GROUND ACTIVITIES

58. WESTERN SATELLITES - Soviet Troop Movements Into

59. EUROPE - Development of Logistical Support Facilities, Increase in Supply Levels for Ground Forces Support

60. EASTERN GERMANY - Increase in West Bound and Decrease in East Bound Traffic

61. SOVIET SATELLITES - Reinforcement, New Units, Regrouping to Improve Capability of Offensive Action

62. CZECHOSLOVAKIA - Troop Concentrations

63. KOREA - USSR Troop Movements in North Korea

64. FAR EAST - Development of Logistical Support Facilities, Increase in Supply Levels for Ground Forces Support

65. EAST COASTAL AREA - Soviet Troop Movements to

66. GROUND FORCES - Increase in New Equipment, Replacement Program

67. ROADS-BRIDGES - Soviet and Satellite Intensification of Work in Critical Areas
68. RAIL LINES - Soviet and Satellite Increase in Rail Hauling Capability, i.e., New Rolling Stock, Improve Roads

69. MILITARY RADIO TRAFFIC - Addition to Land Line Facilities and Other Communications Facilities in Significant Areas

70. COMMUNICATIONS NETWORKS - Extension or Moves of Existing

71. PARA-MILITARY ORGANIZATIONS - Strength and Increased Capability

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*NAVAL*

74. CONCENTRATION OF BARGES - And Landing Craft in Critical Areas

75. SOVIET COMMERCIAL SHIPPING - Unusual Activity

76. SOVIET FISHING FLEET - Unusual Activities or Movements

77. LOGISTICAL SUPPORT - Stockpiling of Naval Stores in Port Areas

78. SHIPYARD ACTIVITIES - Transfer of, from Ordinary Commercial Type Vessels to Naval Vessels

79. RADIO JAMMING - And Interference with Western Naval Electronic and Navigational Aids

80. HARBOR DEFENSE - Intensified, Port Facility Construction in Siberia and China Coastal Areas

81. SUBMARINE ACTIVITY - Increase in Baltic Sea and Pacific Ocean

82. ARMING - Of Soviet Commercial Type Ships

83. CONCENTRATION - Shipping and Naval Units in Baltic and Barents Seas, Asiatic Seas and Black Sea

84. CONSTRUCTION - Intensified Harbor and Coast Defenses and Port Facilities Along the Baltic Sea

85. CLOSING - of German, Polish and Soviet Sea Ports to all Western and Neutral Vessels

86. SOVIET BLOC NAVIES - Increased Surface, Air or Amphibious Activities

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*88. SECURITY, ECONOMIC, SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES*

89. RESTRICTIONS OF MOVEMENTS - Further, Soviet Zone of US Military, Liaison Mission and Military Attaches
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91. MANPOWER CONTROLS - Tightening of Controls and Shifting to Heavy Industries
92. STRATEGIC MATERIALS - Stockpiling and Preparation for War
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94. WAR MATERIAL - Increased Production
95. STRIKES - In Communications Systems and Maritime Units
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98. RESTRICTIONS OF TRAFFIC - Requisitions of Civilian Vehicles in Europe and the Satellites
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**Diagram Notes:**
- Red indicates high probability.
- Green indicates low probability.
- Yellow indicates medium probability.

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**Legend:**
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