MEMORANDUM FOR SECSEC MEMBERS

SUBJECT: Dissemination of Intelligence based on COMINT to Foreign Nationals serving in NATO or Similar Commands

1. A memorandum on this subject from the Chairman, JIC to the Chairman, USAE (JIC-397-51) dated 9 July 1951 has been submitted to USCB on 11 July 1951 as USCB 1h/1h1. A copy of this memorandum is forwarded herewith under Tab A.

2. The Security Committee considered this problem last during April of this year and submitted its views to USCB in a memorandum of 6 March entitled "Security Regulations for Global COMINT Collaboration" (SC B-35/2). These views were tabled by the Board pending consideration of this problem by AFSAC and the JIC.

3. At its Sixty-sixth Meeting on 13 July USCB considered the JIC memorandum (USCB 1h/1h1) and decided:

   a. That this problem should be reconsidered by the Security Committee as a part of its total survey of measures to improve the security of COMINT (USCB 13/195); and

   b. That both of these problems should be considered by an Ad Hoc Subcommittee of the Security Committee which should consist of only one representative from each agency and should report directly to the Board with regard to both these problems.

4. At its Sixty-eighth Meeting on 10 August the Board reconsidered USCB 1h/1h1 and decided:

   a. That the Security Committee should consider this problem apart from its reconsideration of USCB 13/195; and

   b. That consideration of USCB 1h/1h1 should be the Security Committee's highest priority task; and
6. That a report on USCIB 13/195 by the Ad Hoc Subcommittee of the Security Committee should await Board action on USCIB 1h/1h1; and

d. That USCIB 1h/1h1 should be considered by the full Security Committee.

5. The Ad Hoc Subcommittee has already considered and prepared a draft report to USCIB concerning USCIB 1h/1h1. This draft report is forwarded herewith under Tab B; it consists of a draft memorandum to USCIB (SC B-35/13) and a staff study to which are appended Enclosures A, B and C.

6. SC B-35/13 and the draft report are to be considered by the Security Committee at its meeting in Room 2180 of the New State Department Building at 1000 on 7 September 1951.

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Enclosures 2

1. Tab A, Cy USCIB 1h/1h1.