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MEMORANDUM FOR THE DIRECTOR FOR INTELLIGENCE, THE JOINT STAFF

SUBJECT: NSA Contingency Plan for Berlin (S)

1. Reference is made to your Memorandum, Serial J2DM-8(c)-61, subject as above, dated 24 March 1961.

2. Your comments have been noted and sincerely appreciated. Pertinent points will be covered in the next change or revision to the NSA Contingency Plan for Berlin (NSACPB).

3. This plan is not intended to derogate USCINCEUR responsibility. Rather, it insures minimum interruption in the flow of information currently provided to him by the Berlin facilities.

4. Any cryptologic personnel and equipment evacuated from Berlin will be reassigned by the SCA Chief (Europe) concerned to augment stations covering Berlin targets.

5. The NSACPB is directive in nature and tasks the Service Cryptologic Agencies to support it; we will insure that their supporting plans include essential requirements and the necessary coordination.

6. It is contemplated that the Director, NSA, will advise USCINCEUR and other interested parties of any intended redeployment of crypto facilities from Berlin, if such redeployment would predate orders of USCINCEUR or his subordinate component command.

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M/R: This outlines NSA concept of the NSACPB in reply to questions raised by Maj Gen Breitweiser, Director for Intelligence, The Joint Staff. Coordinated with PROD-04, Mr. Kirby.

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