MR. ARMSTRONG asked about USCIB progress relative to formulation and submission of views on the subject Report.

MR. SHELDON responded that a procedural question related to the manner in which the Board desired to tackle the matter is involved. Copies of the Report, he added, have been reproduced and sent out to each member on limited distribution.

ADMIRAL ESPE suggested that the Report be referred to USCIBEC for study and preparation of an appropriate response to the Memorandum from Governor Adams, Special Assistant to The President.

The ensuing discussion resulted in agreement to refer the matter to USCIBEC with a view to receiving its recommendations by the first week in August.

DECISION: (12 July 1955) USCIB agreed to refer Appendix I, Parts 1 and 2 of the Hoover Commission (General Mark Clark) Report to USCIBEC for preparation of an appropriate response to the request contained in the 13 June 1955 Memorandum to the Director of Central Intelligence from Governor Adams, Special Assistant to The President.

The meeting adjourned at 1620.