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MEMORANDUM FOR THE MEMBERS OF USCIB:

Subject: Report of a U.S.-U.K. Conference on the Communications Security of NATO Countries.

Reference: USCIB 23/65 of 30 June 1953.

1. The enclosed correspondence from LSIB to USCIB and from USCIB to CRC regarding the forwarding to the latter of copies of the reference, is circulated for information and file.

2. THE ENCLOSURES WITH THIS DOCUMENT CONTAIN COMMUNICATIONS INTELLIGENCE INFORMATION AND SHALL BE HANDLED ONLY IN CHANNELS EXPRESSLY PROVIDED FOR COMINT.


RUFUS L. TAYLOR
Captain, U. S. Navy
Executive Secretary, USCIB

Enclosures

1. Copy of LSIB/411/53 dtd 9 Dec 1953.
2. Copy of CIB #0004 dtd 6 Jan 1954.
3. Copy of CIB #0005 dtd 6 Jan 1954 (less enclosure).

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LONDON.

LSIB/411/53.

9th December, 1953.

Chairman,
United States Communications Intelligence Board.

In paragraph 3 of the covering memorandum to the Report on the U.K.-U.S. Conference on the Communications Security of N.A.T.O. Countries held at Washington in June 1953, it was recommended that a copy of the Report itself should be forwarded, with certain comments, to the appropriate Canadian authorities.

2. No action has hitherto been proposed by the U.K. to implement this recommendation, since it was thought that the best time to approach the Canadians would be when the U.S. and the U.K. had reached full agreement on the action to be taken on the Conference proposals. Since it is understood that the U.S. has not yet passed the Report to the Canadians, it is assumed that U.S. implementation of the recommendation has been delayed for similar reasons.

3. As action on the Conference proposals now appears imminent L.S.I.B. considers that the approach to the Canadians should be made forthwith. May I suggest that the U.S., as the host nation of the Conference, should send a copy of the Report to the Communications Research Committee in Ottawa on behalf of both U.S.C.I.B. and L.S.I.B.? If you agree to this procedure I should be grateful if you would make it clear to the Canadians that it was adopted at the suggestion of the U.K.

PL 86-36/50 USC 3605

/s/

[Redacted Signature]

Chairman,
London Signal Intelligence Board.

Enclosure 1 with USCIB 29.1/9 dtd 6 Jan 1954.

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SENIOR CANADIAN LIAISON OFFICER, OTTAWA:

Subject: Delivery of Report of a U.S.-U.K. Conference on
the Communications Security of NATO Countries
to CRC.

It is requested that the enclosure be delivered to the
Secretary, CRC.

(Signed)
RUFUS L. TAYLOR
Captain, U. S. Navy
Executive Secretary, USCIB

Enclosure
CIB #0005 dtd 6 Jan 1954
(with enclosure).

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY, COMMUNICATIONS RESEARCH COMMITTEE:

Subject: Report of a U.S.-U.K. Conference on the
Communications Security of NATO Countries Held
in Washington, 5-12 June 1953.

1. In accordance with the recommendations contained in paragraph 3 of the covering memorandum of the enclosed Report and at the request of the London Signal Intelligence Board, the U.S. Communications Intelligence Board as host nation to subject Conference forwards herewith for the information and retention of the Communications Research Committee copies Nos. 89 and 90 of subject Report.

2. Action to implement the Conference proposals is now in an advanced planning stage.

(Signed)
RUFUS L. TAYLOR
Captain, U. S. Navy
Executive Secretary, USCIB

Enclosure
Copies Nos. 89 and 90
of Subject Report.

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LOCUS (less enclosure)
SBLO (less enclosure)

Enclosure 3 with USCIB 29.1/9 dtd 6 Jan 1954.