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WAR DEPARTMENT GENERAL STAFF

DISPOSITION FORM

Subject: Clearance on Communication Secrecy Systems

TO Chief Signal Officer FROM A.C. of S., G-2 12 Mar 45

Transmitted herewith for your information is a copy of the 2nd indorsement of this Division to memorandum to CSO from CG, AAF, dated 23 February 1945, subject as above.

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Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2

/s/ John Weckerling  
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G-2, W. D. G. S., Washington, D. C. 12 March 1945

TO: The Commanding General, Army Air Forces, War Department,  
Washington, D. C.

1. The Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2 concurs in basic communication and 1st indorsement thereto subject to the condition that paragraph 2p. AR 105-5, 1 December 1942, is adhered to strictly in respect to all matters relating to the research, development, procurement and distribution of cryptographic material. In order that cryptographic security may be adequately safeguarded, it is essential that responsibilities for research, development, procurement and distribution of cryptographic devices for use in the Army be centered in and discharged by a single agency. The War Department agency charged with such responsibilities is the Signal Security Agency.

2. The Chief Signal Officer has been informed with respect to the above.

CLAYTON BISSELL  
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cc: Chief Signal Officer

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