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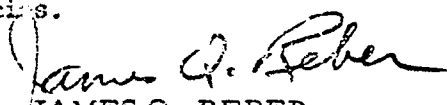
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27 August 1960

MEMORANDUM FOR: General Graves B. Erskine, OSD
Major General John Willems, Army
Rear Admiral Laurence H. Frost, Navy
Major General James H. Walsh, US Air Force
Brigadier General Robert A. Breitweiser, JCS
Lt. General John A. Samford, NSA

SUBJECT: TALENT-KEYHOLE Certification Plans

1. In the course of last week's discussions with General Goodpaster I was requested to submit a breakdown of the planned billets for the handling of TALENT-KEYHOLE material, the form of which breakdown will be readily evident from the attached paper. These figures and the names of positions where indicated are details in the custody of TALENT Control Officers in the representative organizations except the State Department. At the USIB meeting in the late afternoon of August 26 the members indicated they would like a copy of this paper. Accordingly, it is sent to you in pursuance of that request.
2. It is understood that by virtue of the President's Directive, the oral instructions of General Goodpaster, and the guideline indicated by the Director of Central Intelligence at the USIB meeting, it is now proper to proceed with the indoctrination of the billets as planned subject to the direction of the senior intelligence chief under the terms of the President's Directive, or in the case of the military services subject to further direction by the Secretary of Defense.
3. After the USIB meeting the necessary parties were informed in order that the duplicate film hitherto impounded would be released to the assigned recipients and the OAK report, the preliminary FI, would be disseminated as it became available through T-KH channels to T-KH-cleared people in the various agencies.


JAMES Q. REBER
TALENT Control Officer, CIA

Attachment:

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