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Subject: COMINT Liaison with Foreign Governmental Activities.

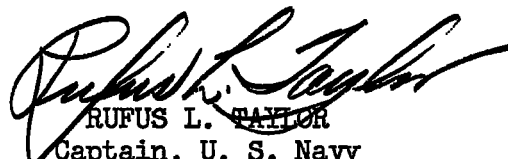
Reference: USCIB 5.7/7 dated 25 March 1954.

1. There having been no objection during the 7-day interregnum, USCIB Directive Number 12 enclosed with the reference stands approved as of 6 April 1954 subject to deletion of the words "within the scope of this directive" where appearing in paragraph 8 on page 3. Their inclusion was due to inadvertence on the part of the Executive Secretary.

2. In order to provide smooth official copy a corrected replacement for page 3 of the enclosure with the reference is enclosed herewith.

3. The enclosure with the reference should be appropriately stamped with the date "6 April 1954" in the spaces provided.

4. Attention is invited to the fact that owing to the terminology used in CIED #12 (see paragraph 3) the liaison officer in Canada heretofore known as "LOCUS, Ottawa" should now more properly be termed "SUSLO, Ottawa".


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

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originating with the Director, NSA, or elements of COMINT Agencies under his operational or technical control. In cases involving visits to foreign governmental COMINT Agencies, USCIB members will express their requirements directly to the Director, NSA.

7. The SUSLO and his facilities are under command of the Director, NSA. Therefore all matters referred to the SUSLO on behalf of the Board or any of its members will be handled through the command channels provided by the Director, NSA.

8. With regard to USCIB members other than NSA, there will be no extension of existing arrangements for liaison involving the dissemination of COMINT to foreign governmental activities without prior notification to the Board of such intent; nor may any member Department or Agency of USCIB refer to or provide the COMINT product of another such member Department or Agency to any foreign governmental activity without prior approval of the originating member Department or Agency.

9. In assigning responsibilities to SUSLOs, the Director, NSA will include for each (as appropriate) the following specific duties and responsibilities:

- a. To arrange for USCIB members to obtain freely such communications intelligence as may be required by them where such collection and exchange involves no conflict with USCIB policy.

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Approved on _____

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