8 January 1954

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. FRIEDMAN

SUBJECT: Categories of MIA Specialties

- 1. Capt. Chestopol, under Mr. T. F. O'Brien, of the Personnel Planning Group is handling this project.
- 2. It has been discussed at some length with Capt. Schestopol, and with Lt. Col. Booth (War Plans and Disaster Plans).
- 3. In these discussions, I have taken the position that the proposed list includes many critical MSA functions, but that it omits many general, as well as specific, functions necessary to implement the Agency's Disaster and War Plans. Among these latter functions are some belonging to P/P, IOG, and PERS.
- 4. It is recommended that the next committee meeting on this subject include among its members some high level people who are well qualified in the overall Agency mission and in its Disaster and War Plans.
- 5. Specific observations on the list in question are included in the attached DF to FERS.

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