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REMARKS: Recommend approval - to be circulated to NIA.  
 IAB concurs. Necessary to circulate as  
 membership of SWRCC is so analogous to  
 NIA membership.

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April 4, 1947

MEMORANDUM FOR THE DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE:

Subject: Psychological Warfare, SWNCC 304/1 (NIA 7).

1. Attached hereto is a draft of the recommended action by the Director with respect to SWNCC 304/1 on which the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee has requested the comment of the National Intelligence Authority.

2. The basic paper (SWNCC 304/1) is a report of an ad hoc committee appointed by SWNCC to report on the measures that should be taken to exploit the possibilities of Psychological Warfare in the United States and to recommend the peacetime organization required. The CIG furnished a non-voting observer (Colonel Briggs, ICAPS) to this committee.

3. The initial suggested comments of the Director were formulated and circulated to the members of the IAB. All member of the IAB, except Admiral Inglis, approved subject to minor amendments. Admiral Inglis disapproved, but his suggestions paralleled those of the other members. The inclosed second draft bears the written concurrence of Admiral Inglis and the verbal concurrence of the other members of the IAB.

4. Your approval, publication and circulation to NIA for approval is recommended.

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE  
THE SECRETARY OF WAR  
THE SECRETARY OF THE NAVY  
FLEET ADMIRAL LEAHY

Subject: Psychological Warfare

Reference: N.I.A. 7

1. The enclosure to N.I.A. 7/1 has the unanimous concurrence of the Director of Central Intelligence and the Intelligence Advisory Board.

2. It is requested that the attached voting slip be completed and returned to the Secretary, N.I.A.

J. S. EARMAN  
Acting Secretary, N.I.A.

Enclosures:  
N.I.A. 7/1  
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REMARKS: Note that the recommended amendments to this SWKCC paper were made by ICAPS at the instigation of Galloway. Their purpose is to coordinate OSO and PWS activities in higher tactical

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 units. They appear sound and about the same procedure obtained in 12/46. This does not mean that CIA turn over Psychological Warfare.

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MEMORANDUM FOR MR. EDDY  
GENERAL CHAMBERLIN  
ADMIRAL INGLIS  
GENERAL McDONALD

Subject: Psychological Warfare

Reference: N.I.A. 7

1. Enclosed herewith are the recommendations of the Director of Central Intelligence with regard to N.I.A. No. 7 (SWNCC 304/1), for comment by the Intelligence Advisory Board and its concurrence before their submission to the National Intelligence Authority for approval.

2. In order that a reply to SWNCC may be expedited, it is requested that prompt action be given to the attached voting slip.

FOR THE DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE:

J. S. EARMAN  
Acting Secretary, N.I.A.

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY, STATE-WAR-NAVY COORDINATING COMMITTEE:

Subject: Psychological Warfare

Reference: Memorandum, subject as above, File SWN-4964, dated  
11 December 1946.

The National Intelligence Authority concurs in the provisions of SWNCC 304/1 from an intelligence aspect, subject to the following amendments:

Paragraph 9, page 8

9. Plans and directives specified in ~~paragraph 7-a~~ above, which are to be implemented in actual or projected military areas, theatres or commands, will, following their approval, be transmitted by rapid communication to the military commanders concerned by via an agency of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, only solely designated for that purpose. Responsibility for implementation of such plans and directives will be that of the commanders concerned, ~~solely.~~ In order to effect the necessary close coordination of "black" operations in the field, a representative of the Director of Central Intelligence shall be assigned to the staff of the theatre or military commander and to such lower echelon staffs as may be required.

Paragraph 12, 4th line page 20

Add word "peacetime" before word "agency."

Paragraph 13, page 25, add new paragraph

j. Determination and coordination of policies concerning deception materials to be used in psychological warfare operations.

J. S. FARMAN  
Acting Secretary, N.I.A.

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7 January 1947

MEMORANDUM FOR THE EXECUTIVE TO THE DIRECTOR

Subject: SWNCC 304/1

Lieut. Colonel Virgil F. Field, Executive Secretary of SWNCC, verbally informed me this date that the War Department (Mr. Petersen) had taken exception to the subject paper, which was circulated as N.I.A. 7.

Col. Field further informed me that they would formally request C.I.G. in the near future to defer action on this paper until such time as a new paper is published.

J. S. EARMAN  
Acting Secretary, N.I.A.

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## Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : The Director.

FROM : Chief, Legislative Liaison Division.

SUBJECT: Testimony on National Security Act.

DATE: 3 April 1947.

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1. Your attention is drawn to the following quotation from the Washington Merry-Go-Round by Drew Pearson this morning:

"The White House is taking no chances that Government witnesses who testify at the Senate hearings on the armed forces merger bill will talk out of turn. Secretary of War Patterson and Secretary of Navy Forrestal were required to submit their prepared testimony to the White House before testifying on Capitol Hill and lesser fry officials are doing the same."

2. While this column was not directly cited, both Admiral Sherman and General Norstad were asked, during their testimony before the Senate Armed Services Committee this morning, whether the above was the case.

3. Admiral Sherman stated that his prepared statement was delivered exactly as he wrote it, but that he understood that copies had been furnished in advance to the Secretary of the Navy, the White House and the Bureau of the Budget.

4. In answer to the same question, General Norstad stated that his statement was exactly as he had written it, and that no one outside the War Department had had a hand in it or had made any suggestions. He stated, however, that he understood that an information copy had been supplied the White House.

5. It is suggested that you might explore informally the question of whether your statement must be cleared by anyone prior to its delivery.

*To Murphy for  
info purposes*



WALTER L. PFORZHEIMER.

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