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~~TOP SECRET~~MEMORANDUM FOR THE MEMBERS OF USCIB:Subject: Relocation of USAF D/F Unit from Bremerhaven

1. The enclosed proposal by the Director, NSA is circulated for approval.
2. The members will no doubt recall a similar situation involving the relocation of USM-6C (see USCIB 8.1/3 of 16 July 1954) which it is understood has been proceeding without hitch.
3. It is requested that the attached vote sheet be executed and returned to this office by the close of business Tuesday, 23 November 1954.
4. THE ENCLOSURE WITH THIS DOCUMENT CONTAINS COMMUNICATIONS INTELLIGENCE INFORMATION AND SHALL BE HANDLED ONLY IN CHANNELS EXPRESSLY PROVIDED FOR COMINT.



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Captain, U. S. Navy
Executive Secretary, USCIB

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SUBJECT: Relocation of RDF Unit from Bremerhaven [redacted]
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1. The Commander, U.S. Air Force Security Service, has determined by equipment tests and airborne calibration that the relocation of an RDF unit of the 41st RSM from Bremerhaven [redacted] would provide results far superior to the results obtainable at the present location, particularly in the area north of Berlin and in northern Poland. It is further suggested that this unit eventually could be enlarged to form a mobile flight of the 41st RSM with a maximum of 4 or 5 positions capable of VHF and HF R/T intercept, as well as RDF, in an area which is currently lacking both quality and quantity in VHF cover. Initially, however, relocation plans involve only RDF facilities.

2. In that the effectiveness of the US strategic D/F net in Europe would be measurably improved by relocating an RDF unit of the 41st RSM [redacted] it is recommended that USCIB approve the proposal by the Commander, USAFSS, and request the Executive Secretary to obtain the view of [redacted]. Following the approval of this relocation by USCIB [redacted] it is suggested that the matter be handled directly by the appropriate local military commanders in Germany as directed by their parent service. The Commander, USAFSS, has learned informally that there will be no objection to this relocation on the part of local [redacted] officials.

FOR THE DIRECTOR:

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