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WASHINGTON 25, D.C.

17 SEP 1964

MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. J. Lee Rankin
General Counsel
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By authority of: *C. D. [unclear] 11/4/71*

Name and title of person making the change: *M. J. NNL-NARS*

Date: *2/2/71*

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(Signed) Richard Helms
Richard Helms
Deputy Director for Plans

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