

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : THE DIRECTOR

DATE: October 23, 1952

FROM : D. M. LADD

"JUNE"

SUBJECT: MICROPHONE AND TECHNICAL INSTALLATIONS

IN U.S. EMBASSIES ABROAD; In Russia + Satellite Countries
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By memorandum dated September 22, 1952, the Executive Secretary of the National Security Council relayed instructions of the President that a joint committee be established containing representatives from the IIC, the ICIS and [redacted] to consider the security aspects of the new-type listening device found in the Ambassador's study in Moscow.

On October 1, 1952, Special Agent Edward S. Sanders was appointed by the IIC to represent the IIC on this joint committee. He is serving as Chairman of the joint committee.

Attached hereto is a suggested letter to Mr. Lay, advising him of action taken by the joint committee to date. Both Mr. Lay and the President requested to be advised of progress.

The action which has been taken, and which is outlined in the attached suggested letter to Mr. Lay, was approved by the various agencies represented in the joint committee.

RECOMMENDATION:

If approved by you, it is recommended that you sign the attached letter to Mr. Lay, after which the signature of Mr. Whearty, the ICIS Chairman, will be obtained and the letter forwarded.

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Attachment

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