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1. Memo	Charles Allen to Dep. Dir. For Central Intelligence, re: Counterterrorism Research and Development Priorities, 8 p. <i>D 8/8/67 F97-108/2 #13</i>	6/19/86	P1/B1, <i>B3</i>
2. Notes	re: List (partial), 1 p. <i>PART " " #14</i>	n.d.	P3/P6
3. Memo	Copy of Item #1, 7 p. <i>D " " #15</i>	6/19/86	P1/B1, <i>B3</i>
4. Notes	re: Funding, (note on verso of page 1), 3 p. <i>D 8/31/01 F97-108/2 #16</i>	n.d.	P1/B1, <i>B3</i>

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RESPONSE TO HOUSE FOREIGN AFFAIRS
SUBCOMMITTEE ON INTERNATIONAL OPERATIONS
STAFF QUESTIONS ON THE
TECHNICAL SUPPORT WORKING GROUP (TSWG)
OF THE INTERDEPARTMENTAL GROUP ON TERRORISM (IG/T)

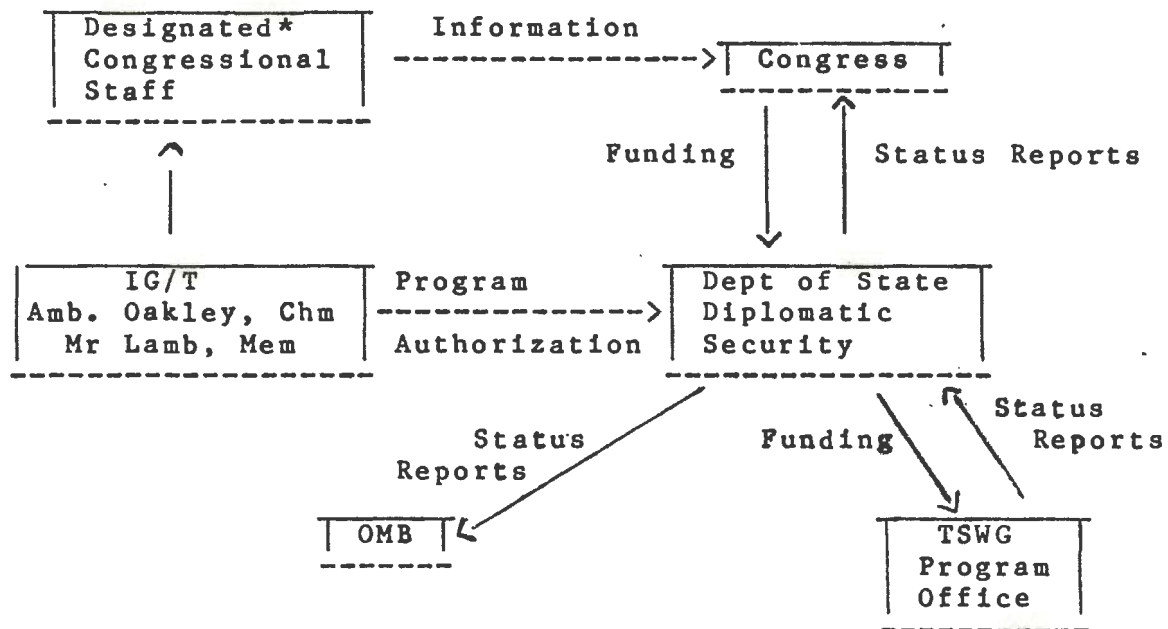
QUESTION: How will the Interdepartmental Counterterrorism R&D Program respond to new threats and contingency situations?

ANSWER: With members from over eighteen different agencies and offices including representatives from the National Laboratories and the Centers For Disease Control, the TSWG provides an ideal mechanism for rapidly assembling a broad range of U.S. scientific and technical expertise to deal with new terrorist technologies and tactics. The TSWG would first assess any new threat in light of existing or emerging technologies to determine if an R&D effort might provide suitable countermeasures. If a member agency agrees to sponsor the research on behalf of the inter-agency community, the TSWG ^{would} ~~will~~ assist it in getting the program approved and started. If no agency can assist, the TSWG would then oversee the accelerated development and approval for an IG/T sponsored research effort using interagency funds.

To fund an IG/T sponsored effort, the TSWG would first examine the Technology Transfer research area. The funds in this activity (which provide for technology transfer through information exchanges, exercises, and training programs) would probably be the most readily available to meet an urgent new requirement. If the program required further funding, the TSWG would attempt to reprogram (through established procedures) funds approved for other research projects.

QUESTION: How will the Department of State participate in the Interdepartmental program to including the dispersal of funds and the associated reporting?

ANSWER: The following chart applies:



* A limited number (approximately 10) of Congressional personnel will receive the detailed program information necessary for proper subsequent dissemination. The number is limited to protect information relating to vulnerability to terrorism and to prevent terrorists from developing measures to counter technology approaches.

TALKING POINTS

- The interagency research & development program is extremely important in addressing critical gaps in research to counter new terrorists technologies such as more sophisticated explosive devices and potential use of chemical-biological agent.
- We greatly appreciate efforts to restore the funds sharply cut in the Senate version of the Omnibus anti-terrorism bill. The proposed compromise level of \$15M for the 2 years would be satisfactory if it is earmarked.

ATA TALKING POINTS

- The Anti-terrorism Training Assistance program (ATA) which helps train officials from friendly countries also is an extremely important part of the international counterterrorism effort. About 2500 officials from 33 countries have taken part.
- The FY 1986 Supplemental Bill requires that the proposed additional \$2.7M be taken from previously approved funds. This creates a real problem in finding money in the already very tight foreign aid account. Already 5 training courses are being deferred. We hope that a way can be worked out to provide the necessary additional funds.

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① NSDD 207 - NSC increased coordination
of CT R/D

② Two Interagency Groups

TSWG and IRFDC (IICT)

③ Purpose: ^ITo identify potential shortcomings
in R/D funding or overlaps that
can be re-directed to the shortcomings.

TSWG = \$ Proposed \$105 M over 6 years
within Inman Panel bill

IRFDC = ~~Proposed~~ Identified a shortfall
of \$56.8 M over 4 years or
($\$24.4M + 24.4M + 4.0M + 4.0M$)

TSWG may provide some ~~relief~~ relief through
Inman Bill
($1.1 + 1.3 + 1.65 + 1.9 + 2.0 + 1.5$)

II: Enlighten the NSC in order to assist
in playing "Honest Broker" as President
wants

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