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ISSUE PAPER NO. 28

COGNIZANT ACTIVITY: JUSTICE

SUBJECT: Death Penalty for Hostage Taking

DRAFT RECOMMENDATION: The Justice Department should pursue legislation which provides that individuals who murder U.S. citizens during a hostage taking would be subject to the death penalty. It is suggested that this be included as part of Senate Bill 239, which calls for imposition of the death penalty for certain Federal crimes: treason, espionage, crimes involving the death of a person and an attempt to assassinate the President.

DISSENTING VIEWS: None

ISSUE PAPER NO. 29

COGNIZANT ACTIVITY: JUSTICE

SUBJECT: Freedom of Information Act (FOIA)

DRAFT RECOMMENDATION: The Department of Justice should take the lead in an interagency review of the provisions of the FOIA to include determining the validity of reported abuses of the intent of the Act. If the review does in fact conclude that there are abuses, the Justice Department should develop legislation to close the loophole in the law. Counterterrorism is only one small part of this major issue.

DISSENTING VIEWS:

STATE - FOIA contains provisions to withhold records that are classified or relate to law enforcement. Requests to State Department are largely from the media.

CIA - Do not address.

OMB - If pursued, should be addressed as a broader FOIA reform, only indirectly related to terrorism.

ISSUE PAPER NO. 30

COGNIZANT ACTIVITY: DCI, FBI

SUBJECT: Terrorism Intelligence Analysts

DRAFT RECOMMENDATION: The National Intelligence Officer for Terrorism should establish and oversee an interdepartmental career development program that will encourage a core of intelligence analysts to devote themselves to addressing terrorism as a specialty. Training, plans and resources, interagency rotations, exchanges with friendly governments, and participation in various agency and CINC gaming evolutions should be included in the program.

DISSENTING VIEWS:

CIA - Worthy objective; difficult to achieve.

JCS - Doubtful CT specialists would be useful.

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ISSUE PAPER NO. 32

COGNIZANT ACTIVITY: STATE, TREASURY, JUSTICE, CIA

SUBJECT: Controlling Cross-Border Travel of Known or Suspected Terrorists

DRAFT RECOMMENDATION: The State Department should take the lead in an interagency effort to upgrade existing systems or recommend development of a new computerized system to monitor cross-border people movements. Upgrading of the State Department's Automated Visa Outlook System (AVLOS) may have application in this area.

Treasury (Customs), State and Justice (INS) should look at the possible expansion of the Treasury Enforcement Computer Systems (TECS), particularly the terrorist category (TECS-T), used by Customs and INS officials at ports of entry.

State should pursue the development of its improved visa lookout system CLASS (Consular Lookout and Support System), which will be able to interact with other countries' lookout systems.

State should also continue to urge other countries to establish visa lookout systems and to share the results with us. Efforts such as those already being undertaken by State and CIA with selected friendly governments, inter alia to associate the United States with European Community systems for controlling cross-border movements of terrorists, should be emphasized.

State should consider including this issue in the ATA Program, that an R&D effort be directed to developing a uniform system that could inter-link friendly countries, and that resources be provided to assist friendly countries in acquiring hardware presently unavailable to them.

DISSENTING VIEWS:

STATE - Generally agreed with the draft proposal but considerably expanded the scope of the recommendations. (Comments incorporated).

OSD - Generally concurred but expanded the recommendation to include other initiatives. (Comments incorporated).

ISSUE PAPER NO. 33

COGNIZANT ACTIVITY: STATE

SUBJECT: Review of Provisions of Vienna Convention

DRAFT RECOMMENDATION: The State Department should continue efforts with selected other governments to tighten the interpretation and application of the Convention. A resolution for presentation to the U.N. General Assembly condemning use of the facilities, privileges and immunities provided to diplomats pursuant to the Vienna Convention or customary international law to support or protect terrorist action could help to provide political and moral impetus to our efforts to counter this abuse.

DISSENTING VIEWS: None

ISSUE PAPER NO. 34

COGNIZANT ACTIVITY: TRANSPORTATION

SUBJECT: Preventing Flyaway of Hijacked Aircraft

DRAFT RECOMMENDATION: Issue withdrawn based on consensus of inputs received.

DISSENTING VIEWS: N/A

ISSUE PAPER NO. 35

COGNIZANT ACTIVITY: STATE, DEFENSE, CIA, JCS

SUBJECT: Country Team Briefings

DRAFT RECOMMENDATION: The Department of State should arrange for and require all Ambassadors, DCMs, Chiefs of Station, and Military Attaches to be briefed on USG policies, resources and capabilities committed to combatting terrorism. This briefing should be provided in conjunction with a risk assessment of the particular country and region.

COMMENTS:

State agrees, but would expand the proposal, increase FSI courses, and make the course/s mandatory for all USG employees whose parent agencies do not have equivalent courses.

ISSUE PAPER NO. 36

COGNIZANT ACTIVITY: NSC, FBI, TREASURY, STATE

SUBJECT: U.S. Infrastructure Vulnerabilities

DRAFT RECOMMENDATION: The National Coordinator for Combatting Terrorism (proposed in Issue Paper No. 3) in his capacity as Chairman, IG/T, should prepare an action plan to identify the extent to which these infrastructure assets are vulnerable and propose near- and long-term programs to rectify what appears to be a potentially serious national security problem.

DISSENTING VIEWS:

NSC - The IG/T was directed by the NSC in 1983 to review this problem; the Congress requested similar action in 1984. The IG/T should prepare an action plan addressing these issues. (Comment incorporated.)

JUSTICE - Agreed that FEMA should have a role, but non-concurred that FEMA take the lead in the effort. (Comment incorporated.)

ISSUE PAPER NO. 37

COGNIZANT ACTIVITY: JUSTICE

SUBJECT: Interference with the Movement of Nuclear Material

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ISSUE PAPER NO. 38

COGNIZANT ACTIVITY: JUSTICE

SUBJECT: Improved Security for Nuclear Reactor Facilities

DRAFT RECOMMENDATION: The Justice Department should pursue legislation to permit nuclear reactor licensees access to FBI criminal history files.

DISSENTING VIEWS: None

~~SECRET~~ISSUE NO. 39

COGNIZANT ACTIVITY: STATE, DEFENSE, CIA, NSC, OMB

SUBJECT: Research and Development for Combatting Terrorism

DRAFT RECOMMENDATION: The National Coordinator for Combatting Terrorism should be assigned coordination authority and responsibility for R&D related to terrorism through existing interagency terrorism R&D committees. His coordination function would reduce the incidence of duplication in the funding of terrorism R&D projects and the likelihood that worthwhile R&D projects to combat terrorism go unfunded because of interagency bickering over funding responsibility.

DISSENTING VIEWS:

State - The real problem is lack of formal funding. State forwarded on 31 Dec 1984 a five-year program for \$23 million/year. The NSC should weigh in with OMB.

JCS - Concur in principle. The source of supplemental funding should be identified by the NSC.

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ISSUE PAPER NO. 41

COGNIZANT ACTIVITY: STATE, JUSTICE

SUBJECT: Adequacy of the International Legal System to Deal with
Terrorism

DRAFT RECOMMENDATION: The Departments of State and Justice should continue government-to-government contacts and stimulate appropriate private and academic initiatives that address the relationship between terrorism and the domestic and international legal system. State and Justice should seek every opportunity to improve the international consensus for governments to act in counter-terrorist events to the full extent of the authority available to them.

DISSENTING VIEWS:

JUSTICE - Questions the appropriateness as well as the need for governmental support to private sector initiative.

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ISSUE PAPER NO. 43

COGNIZANT ACTIVITY: All Departments and Agencies

SUBJECT: U.S. Presence Abroad

DRAFT RECOMMENDATION: The Department of State should direct Ambassadors in all designated high-threat areas to institute a thorough review of the personnel requirements of all Agencies represented in-country, in order to reduce the exposure of personnel and facilities to terrorist attacks to the minimum consistent with effectiveness. The review should carefully examine the question of hardening all Embassy-related facilities, or including them within a security perimeter, regardless of practices prevailing elsewhere. The Department of Defense should direct the appropriate CINCS to undertake similar reviews for their commands.

DISSENTING VIEWS:

State - NSC should create an interagency committee of all agencies with representation abroad to report to the NSC the results of each agency review, so that appropriate reductions or personnel abroad can be ordered.

ISSUE PAPER NO. 44

COGNIZANT ACTIVITY: STATE, CIA, DEFENSE

SUBJECT: International Research, Development and Acquisition (RD&A) Initiatives

DRAFT RECOMMENDATION: The State Department, through the Interdepartmental Group on Terrorism (IG/T), should continue to pursue bilateral arrangements for RD&A exchanges with selected foreign counterparts such as are now ongoing with the British and Israelis. Each arrangement should ultimately be based on a formalized statement of goals and objectives, funding agreements where appropriate and a general understanding of what's expected of each party. Above all, these combatting terrorism programs should be highly compartmented and structured on a quid pro quo basis in order to protect and enhance US political, military, and technological interests.

DISSENTING VIEWS:

STATE - Generally agrees with the draft proposal but prefers a less formalized approach, i.e., "We recognize how difficult it is to structure formally bilateral relationships on a matter as sensitive as counterterrorism defensive capabilities and technologies. We need to keep pressing for greater cooperation, while understanding that progress, which will be based on mutual trust, will develop slowly."

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~ISSUE PAPER NO. 45

COGNIZANT ACTIVITY: STATE, TREASURY

SUBJECT: Protection of Foreign Dignitaries in the United States

DRAFT RECOMMENDATION: The protection of visiting heads of state and their accompanying party should be retained by the US Secret Service.

DISSENTING VIEWS:

State - Suggested some modifications to the statement of the issue, but retained the proposal as written.

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7 NOVEMBER 1985

3 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

ROOM 208, OEOB

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- Presentation of Draft Recommendations
- Discussion of Draft Recommendations
- Discussion of Nov 12 Agenda for Task Force Principals Meeting



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BRIEFING MEMORANDUM FOR THE VICE PRESIDENT

Meeting with: Senior Review Group for Task Force
Date: Thursday, November 7, 1985
Time: 3:45 p.m. (15 Minutes)
Location: Room 208, OEOb

From: Admiral J. L. Holloway, III *4*

I. PURPOSE

To drop-by the meeting of the Senior Review Group.

II. BACKGROUND

The Senior Review Group will be discussing draft recommendations for the Task Force meeting on November 12.

III. PARTICIPANTS

The Vice President
Craig Fuller
Don Gregg
Admiral Holloway
Senior Review Group (approximately 15 members)

IV. PRESS PLAN

None

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

Drop by meeting (Talking Points - See Tab I)

Tab 1 - Talking Points
Tab 2 - List of SRG Participants

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Purpose: To express interest and support for the deliberative process of the Task Force.

Talking Points:

- Interested in process and appreciate work.
- Need to raise issues and seek consensus recommendations where possible.
- Task Force members will rely on your judgement, but will resolve any contentious issues.
- The President needs the best we can offer for timely advice and response before, during, and after terrorist incidents.
- You are experts. Confident in your ability and desire to serve our national security needs.