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~~SECRET~~MEMORANDUM FOR THE MEMBERS OF USCIB:

Subject: Report by an Ad Hoc Group of the Interdepartmental Committee on Internal Security (ICIS) Entitled "Radio Security in the United States".

1. The Chairman, USCIB, is in receipt of an information copy of a report on Radio Security in the United States, prepared by an Ad Hoc Group of the Interdepartmental Committee on Internal Security (ICIS), and forwarded to the Executive Secretary, National Security Council.

2. This report is rather voluminous (about 1½ inches thick without binding) and covers in detail conditions affecting security in each of the non-government radio services. It also points up the vulnerability to seizure, disruption or destruction of these facilities or parts thereof, as well as the possibility of their hostile use for purposes of jamming, dissemination of false information, emission of homing signals and clandestine communications.

3. While the report does not appear to require USCIB action, and is for the most part, outside the specific sphere of USCIB cognizance, all members are advised of its existence and informed that the copy held by this office may be obtained for perusal by member organizations on a loan basis. Copies for retention will be requested of ICIS if any member of USCIB so desires.

4. Attention is invited to the fact that copies of the report in question are also held by ICIS member organizations, which include OSD, the Department of State, and the Department of Justice.


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