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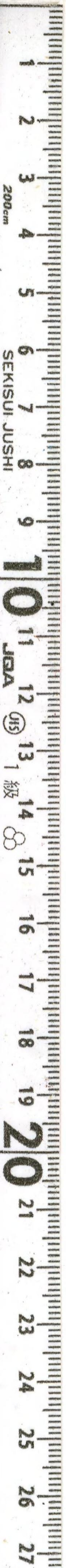
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SECRETHEADQUARTERS
Far East Air Forces
APO 925

23 July 1951

MEMORANDUM FOR: Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2
General Headquarters
Far East Command
APO 500

SUBJECT : Town Plans

1. Geographic Section of G-2, GHQ, FEC, has developed town plans and other charts which would be of great value if incorporated in target dossoers being prepared by this office. We would very much like to get this information. We do not propose to lay additional functions on your facilities as we have the means for exploiting this information from the basic data if made available.

2. Due credit will be accorded your office for any information used in accordance with the provisions of letter, Department of the Army, Subject: "Credit Line on Extracts from Intelligence Publications", dated 21 March 1950.

CHARLES Y. BANFILL
Brigadier General, USAF
Deputy for Intelligence

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Request for

Ltr, Deputy for Intelligence, FEAF, to ACoFS, G-2, GHQ, FEC, subj: "Town Plans," dated 23 July 1951

By [Signature]

1st Ind

ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, GHQ, FEC, APO 500, 14 August 1951

TO: Deputy for Intelligence, Far East Air Forces, APO 925

1. It is our desire to cooperate with and help you to the highest practicable degree.

2. Geographic Branch has been directed to place its entire town plan capacity at your disposal for the purpose of compiling town plans required for FEAF target program.

3. The Town Plan Unit has a capacity of 30 Soviet cities per year. Depending upon the titles and the time schedule desired by FEAF, we can do a greater or lesser number of cities. Any assistance in the form of photographs, maps, and/or qualified professional personnel which you may assign to this project will materially increase the quantity and advance the completion dates of specific town plans.

4. The town plans desired will be prepared without accompanying text and without reference to information which may be in ATIS files and available to FEAF through other sources. Deletion of the text will accelerate preparation of the maps and separation of this project from ATIS reporting will prevent false confirmation caused by multiple reporting of a single source.

5. Upon receipt of a list of priority towns desired by FEAF this office will canvas its holdings, indicate to FEAF the current condition of each required town, and upon your recommendation will establish a realistic production schedule based upon FEAF requirements as to relative degree of completion in relation to available time.

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R. F. ENNIS
Brigadier General, GSC
Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2

MEMO FOR RECORD

Basic letter requests town plan information for use of FEAF target dossier program. 1st Ind gives FEAF priority control of all Town Plan work, suggests cooperation regarding personnel and information, requests listing of desired town plans.

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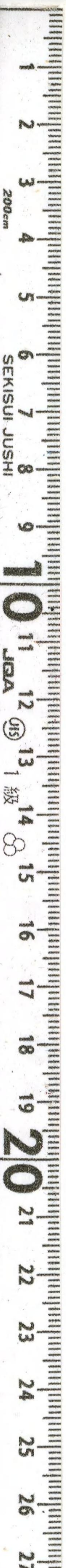
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Mr. Deputy for Intelligence, FEAF, to ACO's, G-2, GHO, PEG, subj: "Town Plans" dated 25 July 1951

1st Ind

ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, GHO, PEG, APO 500, 14 August 1951

TO: Deputy for Intelligence, Far East Air Forces, APO 925

1. It is our desire to cooperate with and help you to the highest practicable degree.

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MEMO FOR RECORD
17 AUG 1951
R. S. [Signature]
Brigade Chief, GSC
Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2

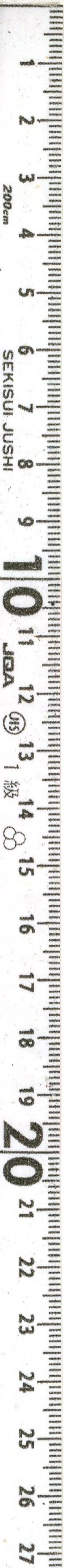
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G-2, GHQ**INTER - OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

(For use within G-2 only)

File No:	Subject: FEAF Request for Town Plans	Date: TI/HVW/LSW/rep 25 July 1951
FROM: T/Int	TO: G2	PHONE: Dr L.S. Wilson NAME: 26-8582

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1. Herewith is draft 1st Ind replying to Gen Banfill's request for Town Plan information (Tab 1).
2. This is FEAF's third formal attempt to obtain Town Plan information before publication. There have been countless informal approaches varying from peeking over shoulders to general discussions. (Tab 2)
3. In summary, FEAF wants our uncompleted Town Plans which individually are neither single interrogations nor evaluated compilations. Actually they are partial unevaluated compilation sheets which are the working materials from which Town Plans are produced. Release to another office within G2 or DA would be unsound intelligence practice. Release to another agency would be unsound and comparable to turning over part of any other of our partly developed intelligence.
4. Gen Banfill has been informed of this and advised that if Town Plans were not being produced fast enough, we would be glad to increase production to the same degree as they assign personnel assistance. Gen Banfill did not reply.
5. With my permission Geographic Branch has been furnishing available raw information on specific targets in specific towns on request from FEAF Targets Branch (Lt. Col Wooten).
6. Recommend approval and dispatch of draft 1st Ind.

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1. Drft 1st Ind
2. Correspondence w/FEAF

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HEADQUARTERS
FAR EAST AIR FORCES
APO 925

INT-RCN

8 Sep 1950

SUBJECT: Generalized Height and Structural Analysis of Certain Soviet
Cities and Industrial AreasTO: Commander-in-Chief
Far East
APO 500
ATTENTION: G-2 Geographic Section

1. The completion of the photography for United States Air Force radar target program in the Far East as pertains to the Soviet area is dependent upon securing height and structural analysis of certain Soviet cities and industrial build-ups.

2. Headquarters United States Air Force has placed two representatives, Major F. S. Freeman and Captain T. Carmen, on temporary duty with the Far East Air Forces specifically for the purpose of securing height and structural analysis and in turn furnishing this data to sonic trainer personnel. These sonic trainer specialists prepare models which are then photographed for use in the production of radar target materials.

3. It is requested that these representatives be permitted to work directly with the G-2 Geographic Section, your Headquarters, for the purpose of collecting necessary data for use in preparing the above mentioned radar target charts. It is estimated that they can complete their work in your section in approximately ten days.

4. Request this Headquarters be advised of your decision as soon as possible since temporary duty of personnel is limited.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

/s/ J. P. Crim
J. P. CRIM
Capt, USAF
Asst Adj Gen

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Ltr from FEAF, Subject: Generalized Height and Structural Analysis of Certain Soviet Cities and Industrial Areas, dated 8 Sep 50

1st Ind

G-2, GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, FAR EAST COMMAND, APO 500, 23 September 1950

To: Deputy for Intelligence, Far East Air Forces, APO 925

1. The data you request are available to you in the currently approved "Wringer" Project, as ATIS interrogation files are now being utilized by "Wringer" personnel under current agreements, including the mandatory provision of credit line source acknowledgment under D/A procedure.

2. Therefore it is suggested that Major F. S. Freeman and Captain T. Carmen work initially with ATIS through "Wringer" in the collection of necessary data. There is no objection, however, to your consulting Dr. L.S. Wilson, head of Geographic Branch, for technical advice.

For the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2:

J. H. POLK
Lt Colonel, GSC
Executive

MEMO FOR RECORD:

FEAF by letter, 8 September 1950, subject: "Generalized Height and Structural Analysis of Certain Soviet Cities and Industrial Areas", requests that USAF representatives be permitted to work directly with G-2 Geographic Branch to collect data for preparing radar target charts.

L.S.W. 26-8582

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Tab 2

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Headquarters
FAR EAST AIR FORCES
APO 925

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SUBJECT: G-2, GHQ, FEC Town Plans on USSR

TO: Commander-in-Chief
Far East Command
APO 500
ATTN: Ass't Chief of Staff, G-2

1. Reference is made to correspondence between the G-2, Far East Command and the Director of Intelligence, United States Air Force, concerning Project Wringer.

2. At the present time FEAF is most interested in devising ^{ING} a method suitable to both G-2, GHQ, FEC and to the United States Air Force whereby all town plans, regardless of stage of development, now reposing in the Town Plan Section of G-2 may be copied and transmitted to Washington. The Korean incident has served to again emphasize the dire need for all information currently available on the USSR and to a lesser extent, USSR satellites.

3. Sufficient draftsmen are currently available in the Wringer Project to trace off Town Plan maps. It is realized that draftsmen from another section working on Town Plan maps might possibly hinder the operation of the Town Plan Section. Therefore, as an alternative, it may be more agreeable to G-2 if the maps are photostated rather than traced. The disadvantage of using photostat is that some of the Town Plans are too large to be accommodated in a single piece by the photostat equipment available in the Far East Command.

4. It is felt here that the benefit derived from copying the G-2 Town Plans would be twofold.

a. It would furnish to USAF a large quantity of much needed intelligence already collected.

b. It would gain recognition for the monumental work which has been done by G-2, Far East Command, in the field of repatriate interrogation during the past five (5) years. Also a second copy of the maps physically located some distance from Tokyo would eliminate the possibility of losing the results of four (4) years of hard labor through an unforeseen mishap or emergency.

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Ltr INT-IR, to CINCFE, APO 500, subj: "G-2 GHQ, FEC Town Plans on USSR"

5. In all cases the source of said Town Plans would be duly credited in accordance with General Cabell's letter to General Willoughby. Because any further deterioration of the world situation may cause an urgent requirement for this type of information your early consideration of the matter would be appreciated.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

CHARLES Y. BANFILL
Brigadier General, USAF
Deputy for Intelligence

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G-2, GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, FAR EAST COMMAND, APO 500, 4 August 1950

TO: Deputy for Intelligence, Far East Air Force, APO 925

1. Reference is made to correspondence between G-2 FEC and Director of Intelligence FEAFF dated 6 March 1950 (Incl 1) and conference regarding "Wringer" between Lt Gen Stratemyer and Maj Gen Willoughby, March 28 (Incl 2).

2. Reference correspondence extended invitation to participate in the production of terrain studies as a joint G-2/A-2/Engineer publication, including acceleration of Town Plan production. FEAFF in 1st Ind (Incl 1) declined to participate and this decision was confirmed at above conference on the basis that "Wringer" was concerned only with the piece-meal reporting of individual repatriates and not with the consolidation of such reports.

3. Paragraphs 2, 3 and 4 of basic correspondence reveal a misunderstanding of the present condition of these maps. Contrary to the purposes of "Wringer", they are individual compilations of data derived from a limited number of repatriates. The bases on which targets are plotted have been derived from existing maps and altered according to information obtained from interrogations. As such, each map is a "composite of interrogations" rather than a "single report." For this reason each map is neither an interrogation report, nor a compilation

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Basic Ltr, Hq, FEAF, APO 925, INT-IR, Subj: G-2, GHQ, FEC Town Plans on USSR, dtd 27 Jul 50, 1st Ind Cont'd

available TIS reports. Upon completion of a map by the interrogation teams of the Town Plan unit of Geographic Branch, the document is turned over to the Reports Unit of the Branch which extracts data from TIS files and justifies the map and their research findings. The map is then published as the best available information and is based on knowledge of the town as revealed by TIS operations.

4. Since this operation differs from the individual reporting envisaged in "Wringer" and is not a part of the interrogation operations of TIS and has so been interpreted in the references cited above, there is no immediate basis for its inclusion in "Wringer". All published U.S. and foreign maps are available to "Wringer" from the same sources used by Geographic Branch. All TIS files have been made available to "Wringer"; space has been found for "Wringer" personnel, and the general USAF project has been given the greatest possible assistance by Central Interrogation Center, FEC, which operates under G-2, FEC. However, it is not sound intelligence practice to down-grade existing information, which would be required if the subject maps were copies; and it would be inadvisable to evaluate them prior to investigation of TIS files.

5. The suggestion that draftsmen are available to copy the subject maps fails to take into account the status of the documents. At the time "Wringer" was first discussed it was pointed out that due consideration should be given to existing resources. This is equally applicable with regard to Town Plans.

6. If, in the light of recent events, FEAF's decision regarding the advisability of joining in the production of a Joint G-2, A-2, Engineer Terrain Study is subject to review, space and facilities of the Geographic Branch can be made available for FEAF participation on a pro rata basis subject to G-2 determination of the types of personnel required. At present, requirements are limited to research analysts of which 9 are on duty with Town Plans Unit. This group can produce 25-30 reports per year. If FEAF desires to accelerate publication of these reports or any other segments of the Terrain Study, G-2 will be pleased to have assistance in the production of a unified Terrain Study through attachment of proportionate personnel to those sections of Geographic Branch concerned with cities and towns, ports and harbors, airfields, industries, rail and road transportation or any other elements of the study. The product is joint inter-branch and possibly inter-allied.

For the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2:

2 Incls

1. Ltr ACofS G-2 to D/I FEAF 5 Mar
50 "Air Field Intel" w/1st Ind
27 Mar 50
2. Rept of Con re "Wringer" G-2
& FEAF 28 Mar 50

J. H. POLK
Lt Colonel, GSC
Executive

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MEMO FOR RECORD:

DI FEAF by ltr, subj: "G-2, GHQ, FEC Town Plans on USSR" 27 Jul 50, file #INT-IR, FEAF AG No. 7001 requests access to unpublished Town Plans for purposes of reproduction; offers draftsmen to do the work. Reply states drafting assistance not necessary but research analysts would be welcome. Maps in unfinished form are not suitable intelligence documents and are intrinsically and administratively different from "Wringer" project. Reference is made to G-2 invitation to FEAF to participate in Joint G-2/A-2/Engineer program and FEAF's negative reply. Invitation is again extended.

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
FAR EAST COMMAND
Military Intelligence Section, General Staff

APO 500
6 March 1950

SUBJECT: Air Field Intelligence

TO : Deputy for Intelligence
Far East Air Force
APO 925

1. On 28 February 1950 I sent five volumes of air field intelligence covering Manchuria and Southeast Siberia to Lt General G. E. Stratemyer. They are representative of the type of work which has been accomplished by the Geographic Branch of Theater Intelligence in a continuation of war-time publications.

2. These volumes contain evaluated air information not now available from other sources. A rapid comparison which other sources indicate that the volumes contain 195 maps of airfields previously unavailable and locations of an additional 390 fields. JANIS listings have been reclassified in 134 instances. Partial check of Volume II Southeast Siberia shows that a total of 139 fields are listed of which 29 were not available and 43 were erroneously classified in ONI "USSR - Southeastern Siberia Airfields and Seaplane Stations."

Airfields Section of Terrain Study on Northern Korea, currently in final editing, contains 19 evaluated maps; 16 listings not contained in JANIS; 9 fields incorrectly classified in JANIS. A comparison with ONI "Korea Airfields and Seaplane Stations" shows that out of a total of 29 listings in our Terrain Study 15 were not contained in this report and 12 were incorrectly classified. Additional target information is contained in sections dealing with Town Plans, Ports and Harbors, Railroads and Roads. All of these topics have been developed for the use of G-2, G-3 and JSPOG, and are published as a Joint G-2/Engineer Report.

Wartime experience in SWPA set the tenor of the publications, and five years experience in interrogation of specially qualified informants such as the Air Staff of the Kwangtung Army which were used in the Manchuria volumes, and extensive document research have given the present staff considerable experience.

3. As we are supporting "Wringer", it is suggested that active and direct FEAF participation in the present "terrain study" program would result in studies of more benefit to all users. If you find this recommendation favorable, conferences for implementation can be started immediately.

For the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2:

/s/ J. H. Polk
for WM. R. GROVE, JR.
Colonel, GSC
Executive Officer

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Ltr, fr MIS, GHQ, FEC, APO 500 to D/I, FEAF, APO 925, dtd 6 Mar 50,
Subj: Air Field Intelligence.

1st Ind

27 Mar 50

Deputy for Intelligence Hq, Far East Air Forces, APO 925

TO: Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2, General Headquarters, FEC, APO 500

1. The airfield intelligence studies sent to General Stratemyer are being carefully reviewed by this office for target information and air intelligence. These and similar studies produced by G-2, GHQ, FEC are considered to be invaluable by FEAF, which leans heavily on G-2 intelligence.

2. G-2's support of Wringer is sincerely appreciated. However, the concept and organization of Wringer by Headquarters USAF precludes the acceptance of your invitation to participate directly in the terrain study program. Wringer is a Department of the Air Force project, initiated with Congressional approval, which eliminates field collation and evaluation of raw information in order to quickly extract a greater volume of data from a source which is of constantly diminishing value. Because of these arrangements any diversion of effort away from collection cannot be justified.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

W. L. RAMSEY
1st Lt. U.S.A.F.
Asst. Adj. Gen.

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REPORT OF CONFERENCE ON
"WRINGER" IMPLEMENTATION

Date: 1100 hours 28 March 1950

Place: General Stratemeyer's Office, Room 212, Meiji Building

Present:

G-2, GHQ, FEC Maj Gen Willoughby, ACofS, G-2
 Col Bratton, Deputy ACofS, G-2
 Col Stark, Director, MIS Div
 Capt Pearce (USN), Chief, Central Interrogation Center (TIS)
 Dr. Wilson, Chief, G-2 Geographic Section
 Maj Toth, Chief, Research & Information Section (TIS)

FEAF Lt Gen Stratemeyer, CG, FEAF
 Col Rogers, D/I, FEAF
 Maj Chisholm, Asst to D/I
 Capt Clarke, Acting FEAF Liaison Officer

Gen Stratemeyer opened the meeting by stating that he is required to inform Chief of Staff, USAF, as to the status of Project "WRINGER" and that if it cannot be implemented he must so inform the Chief of Staff, USAF. Gen Stratemeyer further stated that he had requested this meeting for the purpose of ascertaining what difficulties, if any were present. He then called upon Col Rogers to state what difficulties now exist.

Whereupon Col Rogers stated that the principle problem involved the number and type of FEAF personnel spaces to be included in the G-2 Interrogation Program and that the space limitations in the NYK building cannot accommodate the 96 FEAF spaces.

In reply, Gen Willoughby stated that the interrogation program has been in continuous operation since 1942 and that sufficient material is available for exploitation. He stated that though there is always a need for linguists it is desired that the greater portion of the spaces contributed by FEAF be clerical inasmuch as the Commander-in-Chief will not approve an increase in allocation for interrogee call-ins and is firm against recall of interrogees or increasing the burden upon Japanese individuals or the Japanese government by such call-ins. Gen Stratemeyer asked if he should notify USAF to change their plans for the procurement of 30 interrogators. Gen Willoughby replied in the negative, stating that Col Rogers can always use linguists somewhere in the theater. Gen Willoughby continued with a statement that FEAF clerical personnel can best be utilized by making available to them the vast amount of intelligence information, covering a wide range of subjects, now on file in Research and Information Section, TIS. However, Gen Willoughby stated that FEAF could participate in the interrogations of normal call-ins from the current call-in list and that special recalls can

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be made in unusual circumstances when approved by the Chief of Central Interrogation Center. The general added that the shortage of space in the NYK has always been an aggravating problem necessitating a continuous study of space to afford maximum utilization. Toward this end, it is believed that changes now contemplated will make approximately 2100-2600 ft. of additional space available to FEAF in approximately 30 days. Gen Willoughby further suggested joint action regarding space now occupied by the bus terminal to which Gen Stratemyer replied that he would personally take the matter up with Gen MacArthur at 1200 hours, 29 March 1950.

It was agreed that FEAF liaison be granted free access to Research and Information Section files limited only by the requirements and demands of Theater Intelligence, FEC.

Gen Willoughby stated that each service will use its own report form, however, all information from the interrogation program obtained by FEAF will carry the credit line stipulated by G-2, GHQ, FEC, and that FEAF will have access to industrial information as well as airfield information, air technical intelligence, air order of battle and air facility information.

Gen Willoughby stated to Gen Stratemyer that he is prepared to challenge the accuracy of airfield information contained in USAF airfield map 1:3,000,000, sheet 54°N-150°E, 5th edition dated August 1948 and sheet 42°N-139°E, 5th edition dated November 1948 as compared to similar information prepared by G-2 and published in Terrain Studies. Gen Willoughby proposed joint participation in the preparation of Terrain Studies program as presently undertaken by G-2 Geographic Section. Gen Stratemyer stated that FEAF had repeatedly found Terrain Studies of great value to Air Intelligence. Gen Stratemyer then asked for Col Roger's comment. Col Rogers replied to the effect that FEAF did not have the personnel to accomplish "WRINGER" and to join in Terrain Studies.

Gen Stratemyer stated that his full cooperation would enable him to make an affirmative answer to the Chief of Staff, USAF, inquiry.

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SUBJECT: Town Plan Program

TO : Assistant Chief of Staff, G2
Department of Army
Washington, 25, D.C.

1. The Geographic program undertaken by G2, FEC, includes the discovery, evaluation analysis and synthesis of information derived from Far East sources. In the past this has involved publication of Terrain Studies and Special Reports including Town Plans.

2. Comptrollers Office has issued a policy precluding the use of Japanese Budget "Termination of the War" funds for support of U.S. operations, and specifically states that operations of questionable assignment shall be charged to the U.S. account. (Tab A) Payment of Japanese repatriated POWs has been made from the "TOW" account. This is no longer possible.

3. Above action effectively places Town Plans program on a termination basis - i.e., completing data now in files but not initiating any new Town Plan projects. Tab B is a list of towns in process of completion.

4. The present status of the Town Plan work vis-a-vis future commitments is subject to reconsideration. The present staff of the unit is adequate to continue the program and, for the record, actually devised the procedures. They are capable of continuing production providing that funds for payment of special informants, formerly handled on the Japanese Budget TOW account, are made available from D/A resources. Such a program is estimated to cost about \$50,000. per year; this sum covers only the actual payments for informants; other costs including salaries of DAC employees, supplies, etc., are funded as a regular component of the G-2, FEC budget.

5. While G2, FEC, is convinced of the need and propriety of the production of terrain studies and related matters, it is requested that G2, GSUSA express an opinion as to: (a) desirability of continuing the production of Town Plans, (b) assignment of priority to specific towns desired, (c) possibility of financial assistance leading to continuation of Town Plans according to priorities desired by G2, GSUSA.

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Ltr fr G2, GHQ, FEC, APO 500, to G2, DA, Subj: Town Plan Program, 15 Feb 51

6. Under the heading of expended funds, contingency or otherwise, your attention is invited to a recent development under FEAF or USAF project "Wringer". "Wringer", as you know, is a belated entry into the field of Prisoner of War interrogation. We have interrogated in Phase I and II interrogations between 800,000 and 900,000 as of record. Phase III, or intensive interrogations run up nearly 40,000. This extensive activity with very considerable military technical results, on file in Washington, has been sustained by ATIS, Tokyo on an annual budget of between 40 and 60 million yen under FEC TOW over a period of 1945, inclusive, to 1950, inclusive. In other words, it did not cost Department of the Army a penny. "Wringer", going over the same interrogation ground, has received a credit of one million dollars, since "call-ins" will have to be paid for and are no longer a charge to the Jap Government. Converted at the rate of 360 yen per dollar, this represents for a single year the entire allocation for FEC since the beginning of the Occupation. Obviously, I cannot compete with the US Treasury, and I consider that a request for increased credit for G2 of \$50,000 compares favorably, in economy of budget, with a million dollar credit of USAF."

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1. Tab A - CINCPAC radio,
CX 57130, 3 Jul 50
2. Tab B - Town Plan
Research Program

C. A. WILLOUGHBY
Major General, GSC
Assistant Chief of Staff, G2

MEMO FOR RECORD:

15 Feb 51

1. Comptroller has made policy decision to effect that interrogations for purpose of defense of U.S. are not to be funded by Japanese Budget "TOW" account.
2. This effects Town Plans map project by cutting off payment of informants.
3. Letter calls above to attention of Gen. Bolling and requests reaction:
 - A. Payment of informants thru appropriation of \$50,000 of D/A funds and,
 - B. Requests assignment of priority to towns if above fund is made available.

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