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OPERATIONS COORDINATING BOARD
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Meeting No. 7

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Meeting of OCB Working Group on Coordination of Nuclear Energy
Projects and Related Information Programs, Tuesday, September 28,
1954, 11:30 a.m., Room 7258 New State

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PRESENT: STATE - Mr. Gerard Smith, Chairman
 " - Mr. George Spiegel
 " - Mr. Philip J. Farley (for part of meeting)
 DEFENSE - Gen. Herbert B. Loper
 CIA - [.....]
 AEC - Admiral Paul F. Foster
 " - Mr. Morse Salisbury
 FOA - Mr. Robert E. Matteson
 FCDA - Mr. Theodore Babbitt
 USIA - Mr. Oren Stephens
 ODM - Mr. David Z. Beckler
 " - Mr. Henry Hurley
 OCB - Richard Hirsch

1. The Working Group agreed that:

a. It would be desirable to make an early announcement of the set-aside of nuclear materials for eventual use by the International Atomic Energy Agency contingent upon satisfactory participation by other nations principally involved and that such an announcement could best be made by Ambassador Lodge at the UN.

b. Interim measures of cooperation being prepared by the AEC would if carried into effect, substantially satisfy the immediate requirement for action in the international field.

c. As needed, guidance would be given by the Department of State and other OCB members on matters of choosing nations to be offered United States aid under the measures referred to in b. above.

d. Any program designed to reduce foreign antagonisms to U.S. weapons tests would be held in abeyance pending Cabinet recommendations with respect to release of information concerning radioactive fall-out of thermonuclear weapons.

e. U.S. fund-raising for the Japanese fishermen should be minimized in favor of Government and private fund-raising for the typhoon victims.

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f. It would be useful for the United States to have scientific papers prepared for use at a future international medical conference which would present the ascertainable facts with respect to the cause of death of Kuboyama.

g. ODM's announcement of the Government Emergency Relocation Plan be made in as routine a fashion as possible, preferably for release on Saturday morning.

h. The progress report, due October 15, should concentrate on significant items on which forward momentum was being maintained.

2. The next meeting will be held at the call of the Chairman.

R. Hirsch

RICHARD HIRSCH
OCB Staff Representative

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