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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD: Working Group on the
State of the Union Report (1954)
NSA (1954)

Meeting at Marine Corps Club, 1954
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Working Group Members Present

- State - Gerard R. B. ...
- Defense - Mr. ...
- AEC - Mr. ...
- NSA - Mr. ...

Others Present

- State - Mr. ...
- Defense - Mr. ...
- AEC - Mr. ...
- NSA - Mr. ...
- Office of ...
- Rep. Assistant ...
- to the President - Mr. ...

1. Review of Report of the Working Group
 Mr. Lyman presented a report of the Working Group's response to the requirement for a study of the subject, an order would review the report of the Working Group's findings regarding the AEC statement of February 1954. It was agreed that a report would be submitted to the Council, which would be noted in the papers and that specific reactions to the report would be noted in the files of nuclear energy and fields of nuclear energy. It became manifest a cover report to the Council which will be to the Council by 15 October.

2. Challenges and Recommendations
 The Working Group has recommended that a study be conducted on the subject of nuclear energy, which will be to the Council for its purposes. The study will be to the Council by 15 October.

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psychological exploitation. In the evening, Working Group 2
agreed to give some thought to the problem and will forward its
responses to the OCF Staff representative in the morning.

3. "H-Hour Minus Ten" Notification - It was agreed that
interested members of the Working Group would visit the OCF
at 10 a.m. Wednesday, May 11, next, at the OCF Building, in the office
of Mr. Charles Pearce, Director, Activities Division, OCF, with a
view to advising us as to the nature and timing of problems
by the Defense Department.

4. Reaction to Under-water explosion - The Group
noted the mild U.S. press reaction to the explosion and
it to editorial judgments which raised public attention
of atomic explosions. It was agreed that the OCF should
special attention to reactions in the West Coast Latin America.

5. The next meeting will be held on the 11th of May, 1954.

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