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To

Secretary General

From

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Subject

Meeting of the Special Group -29th May 1967.

Reference:

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The United States Delegation has just. sent the annexed paper proposing new wording for paragraph 11 of our Draft Interim Report. This new wording follows the outline for the Study of Future Defence Policy, sent to you by Ambassador Cleveland under cover of a letter of 25th May, 1967.

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In Sub-Group 3, the Rapporteur produced a Preliminary Outline for the final report which might serve as a basis of discussion. Following the second meeting which considered this paper, the Rapporteur prepared a revised outline which (Sp. Gr was organized as follows: Introduction; I. The Current The Relationship of NATO Politico-Military Situation; II. Security Policies and Programs to the Broader Political Objectives of the Alliance; III. Summary: A. What Role can NATO Security Policies play in moving toward and eventually achieving a Future European Political Settlement? (1) what ways do NATO defense policies contribute toward East-West reconciliation and German unification? In what ways do they impede such developments? (2) Are there changes that can be made in NATO defense policies, structure and programs which would improve chances for East-West reconciliation and What are the major elements of a German unification? B. security policy for the Alliance including appropriate measures of arms control which will: (1) Continue to guarantee the security and freedom of the West as an indispensable basis for political solutions, (2) Make a direct contribution to the comprehensive political objectives of the Alliance, especially a lasting, peaceful order in Europe? C. What should be the major future defense tasks of the Alliance given our estimate of political and military trends over the next several years?"

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