

EXHIBIT NO. 82

INTELLIGENCE DIVISION (OP 16)

16-1. Duties:

(a) *The Foreign Intelligence Branch will:*

(1) Secure all classes of pertinent information concerning foreign countries, especially that affecting naval and maritime matters, with particular attention to the strength, disposition, and probable intentions of foreign naval forces.

(2) Evaluate the information collected and disseminate as advisable.

(3) Direct the activities of U. S. Naval Attaches.

(4) Maintain liaison with Naval Missions.

(5) Maintain liaison with foreign naval attaches accredited to the United States.

(6) Maintain liaison with other Government Departments for the exchange of foreign information.

(b) *The Domestic Intelligence Branch will:*

(1) Secure all classes of pertinent information pertaining to naval and maritime matters, with particular attention to potential enemy, enemy agents and sympathizers.

(2) Evaluate the information collected and disseminate as advisable.

(3) Maintain liaison with and cooperate with other Government Departments, particularly with the Military Intelligence Division of the Army and with the Federal Bureau of Investigation of the Department of Justice in the collection and dissemination of such information as will assist in the protection of the Naval Establishment against espionage and subversive activities.

(4) Except as otherwise specifically provided for, prepare security letters, instructions on policy, rules, regulations and instructions on Naval information to assist the Naval Establishment and interested Government agencies in safeguarding the general security of Naval classified matter.

(5) Regulate the visits of foreign Nationals to the United States Naval Establishment and to commercial concerns engaged in production for the Navy.

(6) Maintain liaison with those Government agencies charged with the control of travelers, ships and shipping with a view to assisting them in preventing the travel of persons engaged in activities inimical to Naval interest; the movement of ships and shipping harmful to Navy interests; and sabotage of shipping of value to the Navy.

(7) Maintain cognizance of the general Naval interest in safe and unobstructed building and production for the Naval Establishment and prepare pertinent directives and advisory matter in connection therewith.

(c) *The Public Relations Branch will:*

(1) Prepare and present to the Public in cooperation with Bureaus and other offices of the Navy Departments, pertinent information not incompatible with military secrecy, regarding the United States Navy.

(2) Maintain for the Press representatives, a point of contact with the Navy Department.

(3) Act on inquiries for information concerning naval matter received from the public and the press.

(d) *The Censorship Branch will:*

(1) Provide detailed plans and personnel for the censorship of the international radio and cable communications of the general public.

(2) When national censorship is established, and until the Administrator of Public Relations takes office, conduct censorship of the international radio and cable communications of the general public through the agency of the Joint Army-Navy Public Relations Committee.

(3) Prepare regulations for Naval Censorship of personal communications originating within the Naval Establishment.

(e) *The Historical Branch will:*

(1) Administer the Navy Department Library and Archives.

(2) Select, index and file the most important Naval records in such manner that they will be available for reference and printing.

(3) Receive, record, classify and distribute as necessary photographs of current or potential strategic or historical interest.

(4) Prepare for issue to the Naval Establishment necessary instructions covering the preparation and disposal of War Diaries.

(f) *The Administration Branch will:*

(1) Handle matters of administration for the Division of Naval Intelligence.

(2) In conjunction with the Bureau of Navigation and with the Naval Reserve Policy Division procure, administer and train Naval Reserve Officers, Class I-V(S).

16-2. The Intelligence Division has membership on the following Committees:

Joint Board Sub-committee on Rules concerning Press Releases.

Joint Board Sub-committee on Special Joint Army and Navy Public Relations.