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REMARKS OR ADDITIONAL ROUTING

*Howard,*

*Herewith a newer draft of our*  
*interagency meeting proposal. If you*  
*O.K. this, next step might be to send it*  
*informally to Jackson in VN, and ask*  
*what timing they would suggest (to give them*  
*time to get their field requirements data*  
*in.) Then, discuss with Dell Sullivan.*

*Also, on item 3, the notes might omit*  
*"within the Dept of State"; as it might offend*  
*Defense (which commands CORDS in VN).*  
*Maybe that should be the proposal made*  
*at the meeting rather than in the notes.*

*PS let me have your comments. Thanks OW*

  

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<i>Sullivan</i>		

### Draft Proposal

There has not been a meeting of the Interagency Committee on the Viet-Nam Training Center for almost one year. It is felt that the time has come for reconsideration of a series of problems relating to support of VTC and, by extension, to support of CORDS/VN.

Principal items to be considered include the following:

- (1) CORDS requirements for FSO and FSR personnel for FY-71, including requirements for long-term language training.
- (2) Review of the present training offered by VTC to prospective CORDS officers, as well as training now available for non-CORDS personnel being assigned to the Embassy, JUSPAO and USAID.
- (3) Proposal for the establishment, within the Department of State, of an over-all CORDS Coordinator.
- (4) Review of State, AID and military projections of personnel inputs to VTC and CORDS/Viet-Nam.
- (5) Review of VTC funding projections and administrative support.

To assure that all the above items, and any other business that may come before the meeting, be given substantive consideration, an authorized representative of Ambassador Colby will be recalled from Viet-Nam to attend the meeting. This CORDS representative will be empowered to speak for CORDS/Viet-Nam on substantive issues.

The following officers are invited to attend a meeting at the Foreign Service Institute, chaired by Mr. Howard E. Sollenberger, Acting Director, FSI, as representatives of U.S. agencies in Washington:

<u>State</u>	—	Ambassador William H. Sullivan Mr. John H. Burns Mr. H. Freeman Matthews, Jr. Mr. Frederick Brown
<u>AID</u>	—	Mr. Joseph S. Toner Mr. Robert H. Nooter Mr. Daniel F. Creedon Mr. Donald E. Kidston
<u>Defense</u>	—	Maj. Gen. Charles M. Gettys Brig. Gen. George Blanchard LTC Robert G. M. Storey
<u>USIA</u>	—	Mr. Lionel S. Mosley Mr. Otis E. Hays, Jr. Mr. Monta Osborne
<u>VTC</u>	—	Mr. Ogden Williams Mr. R. G. Jones Mr. Daniel L. Quaid, Jr.
<u>CIA</u>	—	

May 21, 1970