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Directors and persons they designate

8 March 1950

MEMORANDUM TO ASSISTANT DIRECTOR, [redacted]  
ASSISTANT DIRECTOR, [redacted]  
ASSISTANT DIRECTOR, OSI

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SUBJECT: Project "Bluebird"

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1. It is desired to call a meeting at 2:30 P.M., 14 March, in [redacted] of one or two designated persons from each office above to discuss operational requirements for highly specialized interrogation teams to be known as Project "Bluebird".

2. This project is regarded as of the highest security classification and to be known only to the fewest persons specifically designated by Assistant Directors. It is being considered at the definite request of your operating officials.

3. The agenda for the meeting will comprise discussion on the procurement, training, and control of two "Bluebird" teams, the research to be conducted by these teams, and their availability for operational use from a defensive standpoint outside the United States.

4. It is hoped that a concurrence of opinion may be arrived at on a plan which can then be submitted for the required covert administrative support, including funds and vacancies to organize these teams. It would be appreciated if you would send representatives who would be empowered to speak fully for you.

5. If any Assistant Director above desires further briefing on this matter before the meeting, either [redacted] or I will be glad to come see you.

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Chief, Inspection & Security Staff

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