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THE WHITE HOUSE

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February 3, 1969

National Security Decision Memorandum 5

TO:

The Vice President

The Secretary of State

The Secretary of Defense

The Attorney General

The Secretary of the Treasury

The Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare

The Director of Central Intelligence

The Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff

The Administrator of the Agency for International Development

The Director of the US Information Agency

The Director of the Office of Emergency Preparedness

The Chairman of the Atomic Energy Commission

The Administrator of the National Aeronautics and

Space Administration

The Director of the Bureau of the Budget

SUBJECT:

Disposition of National Security Action Memoranda

After review of the National Security Action memoranda issued 1961 through 1968, the President has directed that the following disposition be made:

1. The following memoranda will continue in force until further notice:

50	258	353
55	261	358
143	269	359
144	272	360
197	303	363
199	307	365
201	316	367
210	344	369
235	346	370
252	347	372

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2. Each NSAM listed in the attachment should be reviewed by the NSC Group or department indicated to determine (a) whether it remains the authority for active programs and should be confirmed as written, (b) whether it can now be considered inactive because it has been subsumed in established programs, or (c) whether it should be updated or consolidated with other guidance and re-issued.

All initial addressees of each NSAM should participate in each review.

- 3. All other NSAMs will be considered inactive as of this date. They have fulfilled their initial purpose, been subsumed in subsequent programs, been overtaken by events or have already been rescinded.
- 4. If the assignment of an NSAM to the inactive list creates problems for any department or agency, please notify this office by February 21.

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5. If a change is recommended in the assignment of responsibility for review, the committee or department assigned responsibility in this memo should notify this office immediately.

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NSAMs TO BE REVIEWED

66	State
94	IG/EUR
109	IG/EUR
137	IG/EUR
145	IG/ARA
152	IG/ARA
155	HEW
160	Political-Military Group
161, 203	Justice
208	CIA
220	State
226	CIA
231, 351, 355	IG/NEA
237	Political-Military Group
255	Defense, State, White House Communications Ctr.
265	IG/EUR
271, 285	IG/EUR
284	State
287	Defense
294	IG/EUR
295	IG/AF
296	IG/ARA
299	State and Defense
312	IG/EUR
317	CIA
323	IG/ARA
330	USIA
338	Special Assistant for Telecommunications
340	State
348	Political-Military Group
354	Political-Military Group
356	IG/AF
361	Political-Military Group
362	State and Defense
368	CIA
371	IG/ARA