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Summer Olympics 76 - Security Service
Planning - General

I accompanied the Federal Security Coordinator, C/Supt. Ouimet, and members of his staff to "C" Division "HQ" for discussions with the "C" Division Secretariat and the Officer i/c Security Service on 25 and 26 June 1974.

2. On Wednesday 26 June 1974 both the Federal Security Coordinator and the Division Security Coordinator presented revised organizational proposals to the C.O. "C" Division and the Officer i/c CIB. At the conclusion of this briefing Supt. Cobb, Insp. Vermette and I presented an informal outline of the Division and "HQ" role for the Security Service and the steps being taken to meet our responsibilities. This presentation was well received and I believe gave the C.O. "C" Division and Officer i/c CIB a clear picture of Security Service Operations.

3. I also had discussions with Supt. Cobb and Insp. Vermette in the remaining time available. A number of significant points emerged during the briefing sessions and subsequent discussion, as follows:

(A) Threat Projection - DRAE War Games

4. This was mentioned during the Security Service briefing. The C.O. "C" Division stated that he agreed with the program and hoped it was intended to involve operational representation from both the Q.P.F. and M.U.C.P. as well as Regional DND. The C.O. "C" Division further mentioned that last year the provincial Government initiate a somewhat comparable program related to Airport Security, terrorist scenarios and sky jacking games in which there had been joint participation. In the C.O.'s view the exercises were quite professional and developed considerable expertise which should certainly be taken advantage of for Regional Olympic planning. I advised the C.O. "C" Division that I would inform the D.G. of his views and recommendations.

(B) Development and Preparation of Security Service Global Threat Assessment

5. During the Security Service briefing we gave an overview of the way it was presently visualized our threat intelligence would develop. From the general discussions which followed it became very clear that the Security Service is expected to supply timely, relevant and highly professional intelligence on all dimensions of the internal and global threat, for dissemination to an integrated operational command structure of the three

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principal police forces in Quebec, and DND. As I understand it, to date the Service has developed or conceived the following:

- (i) A quarterly threat paper which could be produced at more frequent intervals during the final pre-games phase.
- (ii) Weekly information bulletins on National and International Terrorism [redacted] which could be stepped up to a daily bulletin at the final stage. I am not currently aware of the total distribution of this bulletin and how it is intended to permit dissemination to other operational forces.

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6. In summary I believe the total intelligence preparation is a substantial and vital undertaking. Quite frankly, I wonder if sufficient resources are being assigned and see the need for a small professional task force to review existing capabilities, establish total requirements and be assigned primary responsibility for production and dissemination. Scheduling, frequency of issue, dissemination and related issues must be logically identified, recommendations approved and initiated without delay if the Service is to meet the expectations of its customers. Both Officers i/c "C" Division Security Service and CIB are concerned over the question of dissemination of threat intelligence to other forces with significant primary operational roles.

Will be done

(C) Audio Visual Olympic Briefing

7. Supt. Cobb stated he perceives a priority need to quickly develop a professional bilingual total threat briefing package with both "HQ" and "C" Division input, suitable for presentation to senior Federal Committees as well as appropriate Quebec Committees. Some of the Quebec Committees are the Principal Committee, Joint Operations Committee, Joint Policy Committee, Public Safety Committee, COJO and selected media representatives. As seen the briefing unit would develop a flexible threat package in compatibility with the total Olympic program of the Service, including the DRAE exercises. I advised Supt. Cobb that I was aware that the briefing requirement was not being overlooked and that I would bring his point of view to notice at "HQ".

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(D) Screening

8. Insp. Vermette informed that he had recently been advised by COJO that they would be employing 30,000 persons in all categories from day one of the games. This has considerable implications for our screening resources and I intend following this aspect up very shortly with both "A" Operations and Foreign Services.

(E) Global Threat Studies

9. Further to item (B) Supt. Cobb enquired as to the intended involvement of other Departments and Agencies in our total threat develop-