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MEMORANDUM FOR: All Member Nations (less Iceland)  
Supreme Allied Commander Europe  
Supreme Allied Commander Atlantic  
Channel Committee  
European Communication Security Agency

SUBJECT: Allocation Tables for NATO Cryptomaterial

Reference: ECSA Serial 581 of 14 Sept 1955 as amended

1. On 13 April 1956 the Standing Group approved the enclosure to the reference with some amendments.

2. AMSP 514 "Allocation Tables for NATO Cryptomaterial", will be published for use by NATO nations, commands, and forces, and will serve as the authority for the issue of NATO cryptomaterial. It is SECRET and will be registered. AMSP 514 and changes thereto will be issued to National and Command Distribution Authorities, Communications Security Sections, and Military High Commands. It will be effective upon receipt.

3. Where a nation has a national document which provides the same information as an AMSP of a general nature the national document may be issued to meet the allowances laid down in AMSP 514.

4. SACEUR, CHANCOM and Member Nations, except Canada and the United States are requested to advise the European Communication Security Agency (ECSA) as to the number of copies required of the English language version of AMSP 514. ECSA is requested to consolidate the requirements and submit them to the Standing Group Distribution and Accounting Agency, NATO.

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5. Canada and the United States are requested to submit their requirements direct to the Standing Group Distribution and Accounting Agency, NATO.

FOR THE STANDING GROUP:



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