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WORKING GROUP ON NATO SECURITY

Revised Draft Terms of Reference for the Proposed Security
Co-ordinating Committee (Europe)

Note by the Secretary

At their meeting on 15th October, 1951, the Working Group on NATO security discussed certain further amendments to the Revised Draft Terms of Reference for the proposed Security Committee Europe which had been distributed under reference AC/6-D/7 (Revise).

These revisions have been incorporated in this version of the Draft Terms of Reference and are circulated for consideration by the various delegations.

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DRAFT TERMS OF REFERENCE FOR A NATO SECURITY COMMITTEE
(EUROPE)

1. The NATO Security Committee (Europe) shall be an extension of the Security Coordinating Committee of the Standing Group.
2. The Committee shall be composed of appropriate military or civilian representatives of all NATO countries who wish to be represented. A minimum of five members is required to make a quorum.
3. It is desirable that members should be experienced in the field of security.
4. The Security Officer of the NATO International Staff in London will serve the Committee as its Secretary and be responsible for maintaining close liaison with the Standing Group Security Coordinating Committee in Washington.
5. The Committee shall normally sit in London but may sit in any other NATO capital, as necessary.
6. The Committee would consider problems arising out of and related to NATO Security procedure in all NAT countries and NAT civilian agencies in Europe.
7. When such problems give rise to the need for revision of basic security policy or standard procedures prescribed by the Standing Group Security Coordinating Committee, the Security Committee (Europe) shall consult with the Standing Group Security Coordinating Committee in Washington and vice-versa.