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From: Director of Naval Intelligence.  
To: District Intelligence Officers, All Naval Districts,  
Intelligence Officer, Potomac River Naval Command,  
Intelligence Officer, Severn River Naval Command.  
Subject: Investigations by NIS.  
Reference: (a) CNO conf. ltr. to Distribution List Appended,  
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Subj: Security Investigations of Personnel, dated  
25 May 1945.

1. Since the cessation of active hostilities, inquiries have been received from several District Intelligence Officers asking whether certain investigations could be dispensed with.

2. The Office of Naval Intelligence is still receiving requests for investigations from the various Bureaus and Offices of the Navy Department which are forwarded for handling in accordance with existing directives. The majority of these will, of course, necessitate the coverage of leads by the several naval districts. While certain activities are being curtailed, it appears that others will continue in extensive operation for some time.

3. Pending instructions to the contrary, District Intelligence Officers should continue to give consideration to requests for investigations forwarded to the Naval Intelligence Service by competent naval authority, including personnel security investigations, where the provisions of Reference (a) have been complied with.

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