

DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS
WASHINGTON, 25, D.C.

Op-322N7/nct
10 January 1951

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ONI INTERNAL INSTRUCTION 382.1

From: Director of Naval Intelligence
To: All Branches, Sections and Units, ONI.

Subj: Release of Intelligence to Foreign Governments.

1. Responsibility for the release of intelligence of Naval interest to Foreign governments subject to policy guidance by Op-321K, is vested in Op-322, the Intelligence Branch.
2. Op-322H, Collection and Dissemination Section, is designated as the activity within the Intelligence Branch which will implement such release in accordance with established policy.
3. The above procedure does not apply to the release of sensitive intelligence for which special provisions exist.

CARL F. ESPE
By direction

AUTHENTICATED BY


J.R. BROMLEY, CDR, USN.

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U.K. Agreement

1. Our agreement with the U.K. provides that we will use each other's information for military purposes only. I believe that we would be acting within the letter and the spirit of the agreement if we should furnish this information to the F.B.I., inasmuch as we share with the F.B.I. the responsibility for internal security.

2. I think the F.B.I. would be interested.

Very Respectfully,

Monroe B. Duffill
By direction

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MEMORANDUM

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29 January 1947

From: Rear Admiral Thos. B. Inglis
To: Vice Admiral F. P. Sherman

Subject: Disclosure of Classified Military Information
to Foreign Governments and their Nationals.

Enclosure: (A) SWNCC 206/39, 23 January 1947 - copy No. 36

1. Enclosure (A) contains the majority and minority reports of the Subcommittee for Military Information Control of the State-Navy Coordinating Committee, relative to a proposed amendment to the established governmental policy governing subject matter, providing for the raising of Australia and New Zealand to a position comparable to that of the United Kingdom.

2. The only point of difference between the two reports is that the Navy in its minority report does not agree to the granting of blanket authority to disclose Top Secret information to Australia and New Zealand, except that determined to be needed by them in connection with the occupation of Japan.

3. Advice is requested as to the degree of firmness with which the reply of the Secretary should be phrased in support of the aforementioned point of disagreement.

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NAVY DEPARTMENT

Washington

April 15, 1942.

From: The Secretary of the Navy.
To: All Bureaus and Offices of the Navy
Department.
Subject: Release of information to representatives of foreign governments.

1. Except in the case of data required by the Combined Staff planners and such information as it is absolutely necessary to give regularly designated operational liaison officers in order to coordinate the assembly and protection of convoys, no information will be given to representatives of foreign governments concerning troop movements or the composition of convoys.

2. Officials of the Allied Nations desiring this information should be referred to the Secretariat of the Combined Chiefs of Staff.

/S/ FRANK KNOX