OUTLINE OF SPECIAL H CASES

A In a general request for volunteers, two girls volunteered for H experimentation and were originally tested on 21 May 1951. Both girls were, at this time, nineteen years of age.

A On 9 January 1952, in a group of volunteers, [redacted] was initially tested in the H techniques along with a group of volunteers. At this time, was twenty years of age.

A In each instance, all volunteers on the initial contact were given a brief discussion of H. were given a very general picture of Security's interest in the work and were given a very pointed lecture on the necessary security essential to those operations.

A In each instance, after the above explanations had been made, all subjects were tested in the following manner:

A. Falling back test.
B. Hand and arm levitation test.
C. General relaxation procedure with evaluation.

A It should be noted that [redacted] in their initial tests, responded successfully to the falling back and levitation tests but on the relaxation or sleep induction tests were not overly successful. However,
since both girls were intelligent and co-operative they were, at that point, regarded as very good material. The same more or less applied to who did not appear particularly susceptible to the above mentioned tests, but since she had shown interest she was regarded at this point as being a good future subject. For matter of record, in all three cases on the second effort at induction each subject succeeded in obtaining a very deep H state and thereafter and us to the present time, these girls have been exceptionally splendid subjects.

All of these individuals have been given numerous tests from simple post H to very complex activities and have performed in what we believe to be a highly indicative manner.

The writer and have never felt that we could determine by experimentation what actually could be done with the H technique under field operating conditions with life and death element at stake. However, the writer and do firmly believe that from a physical point of view, a great deal can be determined what individuals can do under H.

All of these subjects have clearly shown that hallucinations, illusions, and amnesia can be produced through H. They have done very complicated mechanical acts such as learning to use a camera, open safes, type, write, set timing mechanisms, fire guns, etc. under H.
In addition, under H they have moved all over the building, passed guards, engaged in conversation, taken polygraph tests, written, drawn fully under H and have had total access for these activities. Furthermore, in these cases, when work has been extended for a considerable period of time, H records have been carried on in matters of a few seconds although H was not discussed or in any way brought to the attention of the subjects for periods existing over months at a time.

Recently, in view of the broadened approach to the problem and also in view of the fact that we have lost the services of ******* we carried out experiments involving considerable areas in and around Washington. These experiments clearly demonstrated to a certain extent that individuals under H can move about, travel and act normal over a certain amount of time and space and may possibly have a feeling for more advanced experimentation which this office wishes to undertake in the future. In this connection, this office expects a report from ******* our professional H consultant from ******* in the near future. This report should cover checks on certain very pertinent matters concerning very advanced use of H. The report should have been in several weeks but owing to certain personal matters, ******* has not been able to complete it. This report will be available for all interested parties upon completion.

Since these subjects have been actively engaged in this work for some time, they have, as mentioned above, taken part in a great many
difficult tests and experiments but basically the efforts of the writer
and the subject were turned toward producing a normal type of activity
while under H and also how could it be obtained on an individual via the
telephone or very subtle methods without the person's immediate associates
realizing that H control had been obtained. In all of these cases, these
subjects have clearly demonstrated that they can pass from a fully awake
state to a deep H controlled state via the telephone, via some very subtle
signal that cannot be detected by other persons in the room and without
the other individual being able to note the change. It has been shown
clearly that physically individuals can be induced into H by telephone,
by receiving written matter or by the use of code, signals, or words/that
control of those hypnotized can be passed from one individual to another
without great difficulty. It has also been shown by experimentation with
these girls that they can act as unwilling couriers for information pur-
poses and that they can be conditioned to a point where they can believe
a change in identity on their part even on the polygraph. Whether or not
H could be used as a challenge to the polygraph cannot be stated by the
writer and

Since we are lacking statistical information, but, in certain instances, it has been clearly shown that H can materially
affect polygraph readings. Further experimentation along these lines
is contemplated.

All of the above will show that certain normal individuals are
capable of very deep H and can carry out activities which may be of value
from the ANTICIPATE point of view.
Our tests, which are carried in the thousands with consent of subjects, while strongly indicative, are not, in our opinion, complex enough or carried out under hazardous conditions to warrant extravagant claims for operational use. They do, however, indicate that it has a potentiality as a weapon either as an information-raising asset or as an operational weapon.