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National Security Council

1. I.M. Destler, "National Security II: The Rise of the Assistant (1961-1981)" in Hugh Heclo and Lester M. Salamon, eds., The Illusion of Presidential Government (Boulder, 1981): 263-285.

Kennedy: preferred free-wheeling, issue oriented meetings. Interagency committees were abolished.

Bundy was really performing the job of Goodpaster: staffing for daily business (267). According to Bundy, this method rubbed out the difference between operations and planning.: staff assistance plus coordinating interagency decisionmaking (267). The inner group was 4 to 6 people.

Names: Carl Kaysen: Bundy's deputy

Robert Komer