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MEMORANDUM FOR: MINISTRY OF DEFENCE, BRUSSELS, BELGIUM
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SUPREME ALLIED COMMANDER ATLANTIC, NORFOLK VA, USA
COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF CHANNEL, NORTHWOOD, ENGLAND

SUBJECT: Training Course on ALVIS TROL and Operating
Procedures for the Message Switching Capability
of the NATO-Wide Communications System (NWCS)

Reference: IMSM-57-69, 31 January 1969

1. A training course for NWCS Terminal Supervisors will be held at NATO Headquarters 19-23 May 1969, as announced by the document at reference.
2. To permit maximum benefit from the training course, it is requested that attendance be limited to one representative from each Nation and Major NATO Command.
3. You are requested to advise NAMILCOM by message, not later than 30 April 1969, of your intention to fill the allocated space and the personal details of your nominee.

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Per Authority IMSM-0462-02
By: [Signature] Date: 13.7.2003

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4. All nominees should possess valid NATO CRYPTOGRAPHIC and COSMIC TOP SECRET clearances, and should report at 0830 hours, 19 May 1969, to the Security Desk at the entrance to Block M in NATO Headquarters, Evèrè, Brussels 39.

5. It is requested that accommodation, passes and transport arrangements be made through national military representatives or MNC representatives, as appropriate. Uniform will not be required during the period of the course.

6. A short description of the training course is given at Enclosure.



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Rear Admiral, CF
For Director
International Military Staff

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SHORT DESCRIPTION OF TRAINING COURSE FOR NATO-WIDE COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM TRAINING SUPERVISORS

1. PART 'A' - ALVIS TROL

- a. Aim : Operating and setting up procedures for ALVIS TROL
- b. Dates : 19 and 20 May 1969
- c. Location : NATO Communications Centre, Evère, Brussels 39
- d. Instructors : Staff of Supreme Headquarters Allied Powers Europe

2. PART 'B' - OPERATING PROCEDURES FOR THE MESSAGE SWITCHING CAPABILITY OF THE NWCS

- a. Aim : (1) To discuss the Operating Procedures (Enclosure to IMSM-57-69) in order to ensure that these procedures are uniformly understood and applied.
: (2) General description and functioning of the Tele-graphic Automatic Relay Equipment (TARE) and of the NWCS when this TARE is being introduced into service and placed in operation.
: (3) To discuss the consequences of faulty procedures and the question of "reject traffic".
- b. Dates : 21 to 23 May 1969
- c. Location : NATO Communications Centre, Evère, Brussels 39
- d. Instructors : Staff of NATO Communications Centre.

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