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MEMORANDUM FOR: H. R. HALDEMAN

FROM: CHARLES COLSON

SUBJECT: William Kaufman

I understand that William Kaufman, who is presently at MIT, is both a consultant to Brookings and to the National Security Council Staff. He meets here every two weeks to review our strategic posture. The groupsof consultants include Larry Lynn and others.

Kaufman was McNamara's chief speech writer and became a Humphrey writer in the campaign -- wrote the answer to the President's Defense Speech in the campaign -- leaked the copy in advance and is hardly, I am told, in sympathy with what we are trying to do.

I have been advised that he may be a source of informational leaks to Brookings. I am told also that there are a number of NSC personnel who serve in various capacities with Brookings.

It seems to me, in view of what's been happening this week, that someone should make a thorough review of this area on a very high priority basis.