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**Memorandum from John Stein to the Director of
Central Intelligence, '[Redacted] Report'**

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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20505

19 October 1981

MEMORANDUM FOR: The Director of Central Intelligence
FROM : John H. Stein
Deputy Director for Operations
SUBJECT : [Redacted] Report

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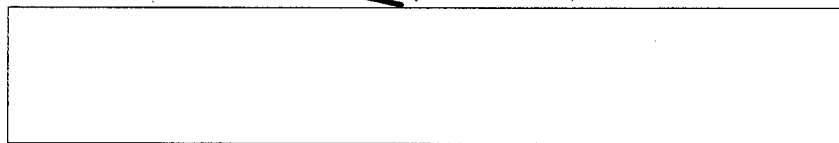
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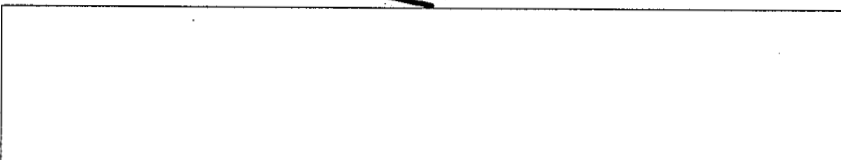
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Legal Documents Pertaining to Martial Law

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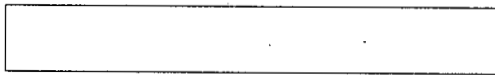
Summary:

This report is a translation of a Polish document, classified SECRET, which is entitled "List of Legal Documents Pertaining to Martial Law for Reasons of State Security." The list specifies the form of the document, its title, legal basis, and means of notifying the public of provisions of various decrees, ordinances, and resolutions.

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LIST OF LEGAL DOCUMENTS PERTAINING TO MARTIAL LAW FOR REASONS OF STATE SECURITY

1. COUNCIL OF STATE

No	Document form	Document title	Public notice	Comments
1.	Decree (25 copies)	Martial Law	Prepared	Prepared for study
2.	Decree (25 copies)	Special Procedures in Matters of Crimes and Misdemeanors Under Martial Law	Prepared	Prepared for study
3.	Resolution (25 copies)	Introduction of Martial Law For Reasons of State Security	Text of the Resolution is given in Proclamation dealt with in Item 4, below	Prepared for study
4.	Proclamation of Chairman, Council of State	Introduction of Martial Law for Reasons of State Security	- -	Prepared in central office for distribution

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II. Council of Ministers

No.	Document form	Document title	Legal basis	Public notice	Comments
1.	Ordinance (10 copies)	Implementation of Provisions of Decree On Martial Law in Field of Communications.	Art 18, Para 1; Art 19, Para 2; and Art 36 of Decree on Martial Law	Prepared	Prepared for study and signature
2.	Ordinance (10 copies)	Rules of Procedure for Internment of Polish Citizens	Art 43, Para 6 of Decree on Martial Law	Prepared	Prepared for study and signature
3.	Ordinance (2 copies)	Entitlement Allowance of Family Members of Military Personnel on Duty During Martial Law	Art 133, Para 3 connected with Art 237 of Law on General Obligation to Defend PPR	Prepared	Prepared for study and signature
4.	Resolution (in final editing)	Authority of Minister of Internal Affairs and Citizens Militia Organs over Formations and Organizations Called up to Safeguard Public Order and Social Property, Regulations and Methods of Arming Employees of These formations and Organizations with Means of Direct Force and Weapons, and Regulations on Use of These Means and Weapons During a Period of Martial Law	Art 28, Para 2 of Decree on Martial Law	Not planned	Prepared for study and signature

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III. NATIONAL DEFENSE COMMITTEE

No.	Document form	Document title	Legal basis	Public notice	Comments
1.	Resolution	Militarization	Art 5, Para 2; Art 183 Para 1; and Art 194, Para 2 of Law on General Obligation to Defend the PPR	Prepared	Prepared for study
2.	Resolution (in final editing)	Operation of Provincial Defense Committees in Situation Threatening State Security, and Defense and Callup of National Def Com Plenipotentiaries	Art 14, Para 3 of Law on General Obligation to Defend the PPR	Not planned	Prepared for study

IV. CHAIRMAN OF COUNCIL OF MINISTERS

No.	Document form	Document title	Legal basis	Public notice	Comments
1.	Ordinance (10 copies)	Regulations and Procedures for Issuing Permits for Dissemination of Publications and Performances, and Use of Printing Plants and Equipment During Period of Martial Law	Art 17, Para 2 of the Decree on Martial Law	Prepared	Prepared for signature
2.	Directive (10 copies)	Suspension of Activity of Trade Unions and Certain Other Social Organizations During Period of Martial Law	Art 15, Para 1, Item 1 of Decree on Martial Law	Prepared	Prepared for signature

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V. MINISTER OF INTERNAL AFFAIRS

No	Document form	Document title	Legal basis	Public notice	Comments
1.	Ordinance (6 copies)	Permission to Change Place of Residence During State of Martial Law for Reasons of State Security	Art 10, Para 1 and 3, and Art 11, Para 3 of Decree on Martial Law	Prepared	Prepared for signature
2.	Ordinance (6 copies)	Exemption of Certain Assemblies and Public Meetings From Obligation to Acquire Permits During Period of Martial Law	Art 13, Para 3 of Decree on Martial Law	Prepared	Prepared for signature
3.	Directive	Callup of Censorship Units for Mail and Telecommunications, and Monitoring of Telephone Conversations	Art 18, Para 2 of Decree on Martial Law	Not planned	Prepared for signature
4.	Directive (8 copies for the National Defense Committee)	Restriction of Individual Freedom of Movement During Period of Martial Law	Art 8, Para 2, Item 2 of Decree on Martial Law	Prepared	Prepared for signature
5.	Directive	Regulations and Procedures for Placing Firearms, Ammunition, and Explosives in Safe Storage	Art 21, Para 2 of Decree on Martial Law	Prepared	Prepared for signature
6.	Guidelines	Rules of Censorship Organs and Rules for Cooperation with Organizational Units of State Enterprise "Polish Post, Telegraph, and Telephone"	Art 18, Para 2 of Decree on Martial Law	Not planned	Prepared for signature

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VI. MINISTER OF NATIONAL DEFENSE

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1.	Directive (in final editing)	Restriction of Polish and Foreign Aircraft Flights in Polish Airspace	Art 38, Para 1 of Decree on Martial Law	Prepared	Prepared for signature

VII. MINISTER OF JUSTICE

No	Document form	Document title	Legal basis	Public notice	Comments
1.	Ordinance (8 copies for National Defense Committee)	Establishment of Regulations on Internees in Isolation Centers	Art 45, Para 1 of Decree on Martial Law	Not Planned	- -
2.	Directive (8 copies for National Defense Committee)	Establishment of Isolation Centers for Internees	Art 45, Para 1 of Decree on Martial Law	Not planned	Prepared

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VIII. PROVINCIAL GOVERNORS (PRESIDENTS OF CITIES WITH PROVINCIAL STATUS)

No	Document form	Document title	Legal basis	Public notice	Comments
1.	Directive	Limitation of Freedom of Movement of Residents	Art 8, Para 2, Item 1 of Decree on Martial Law	Text of Directive	Model draft prepared
2.	Directive	Suspension of Activities of Registered and Ordinary Associations, Labor Unions, and Social and Professional Organizations Whose Activity is Province-wide	Art 15, Para 1, Item 2 of Decree on Martial Law	Text of Directive	Model draft prepared
3.	Directive	Limitation of Movement of Motor Vehicles on Public Highways	Art 38, Para 4 of Decree on Martial Law	Text of Directive	Model draft prepared
4.	Directive	Restrictions on Photography, Cinematic and TV Films of Specific Localities and Installations, or in Designated Areas	Art 20 of Decree on Martial Law	Text of Directive	Model draft prepared

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