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ACRONYMS USED IN NOTES

CIA FOIA RR	Central Intelligence Agency Freedom of Information Act Reading Room
DCER	Documents on Canadian External Relations
DHH/DND	Directorate of History and Heritage, Department of National Defence
FRUS	Foreign Relations of the United States
GAC ATIP	Global Affairs Canada Access to Information and Privacy
LAC	Library and Archives Canada
LAC ATIP	Library and Archives Canada Access to Information and
	Privacy
LAC CC	Library and Archives Canada Cabinet Conclusions,
	1944–1979
NAUK	National Archives of the United Kingdom
PCO ATIP	Privy Council Office Access to Information and Privacy
RG	Record Group

NOTES TO INTRODUCTION

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- 139 "Political Factors in the Likelihood of the Outbreak of War with the Soviet Union," June 16, 1950, LAC, RG 25, 50028-AP-40, part 1, CDIW00481, pp. 1–2; see also discussion in "Political Factors in the Likelihood of the Outbreak of War with the Soviet Union," May 23, 1950, LAC, RG 25, 50028-AP-40, CDIW00476.
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- 142 "Political Factors in the Likelihood of the Outbreak of War," June 16, 1950, p. 4
- 143 "Political Factors in the Likelihood of the Outbreak of War," June 16, 1950, p. 4.
- 144 "Political Factors in the Likelihood of the Outbreak of War," June 14, 1950, p. 2.
- 145 "Political Factors in the Likelihood of the Outbreak of War," June 16, 1950, p. 6.
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- 4 "Imminence of War," July 6, 1950, p. 1.
- 5 "Imminence of War," July 6, 1950, p. 2.
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- 9 "Defence Research Strategic Questions," Langley (DSI) to multiple addresses, July 14, 1950, LAC, RG 24, DRBS 2-1-172-10.
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- 12 "The Imminence of War," CSC 20(50), July 17, 1950, p. 1.
- 13 "The Imminence of War," CSC 20(50), July 17, 1950, p. 2.
- 14 "The Imminence of War," CSC 20(50), July 17, 1950, p. 2.
- 15 "The Imminence of War," CSC 20(50), July 17, 1950, p. 3.
- 16 "The Imminence of War," CSC 20(50), July 17, 1950, p. 3.
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- 18 Excerpt from CSC Minutes of a Special Meeting, July 18, 1950, p. 2.
- 19 Excerpt from CSC Minutes of a Special Meeting, July 18, 1950, p. 2.
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- 21 Excerpt from CSC Minutes of a Special Meeting, July 18, 1950, p. 1.
- 22 Excerpt from CSC Minutes of a Special Meeting, July 18, 1950, p. 1.
- 23 Excerpt from CDC Minutes of the 65th Meeting held at 0930 hours, Wednesday, July 19, 1950, LAC, RG 25, 50028-AK-40, part 1, CDIM00018, p. 1.
- 24 Excerpt from CDC Minutes of the 65th Meeting held at 0930 hours, Wednesday, July 19, 1950, p. 2. See also "Korea; communication from the Secretary-General of the United Nations," July 19, 1950, LAC CC, RG 2, A-5-a, vol. 2645.
- 25 "Appreciation on the Imminence of War Re-examination," Aide Memoire prepared by Group Captain C. L. Annis, Chief Secretary of the Joint Staff, for Secretary, JIC, August 1, 1950, LAC, RG 25, 50028-AK-40, part 1, CDIM00019, p. 1.
- 26 "Appreciation on the Imminence of War Re-examination," August 1, 1950, p. 1.
- 27 Extract from Minutes of the 233rd Meeting of the JIC, August 1 and 2, 1950, LAC, RG 25, 50028-AK-40, part 1, CDIM00021.
- 28 "Imminence of War," CSC 22(50), August 2, 1950, under cover of "Appreciation on the Imminence of War," August 2, 1950, LAC, RG 25, 50028-AK-40, part 1, CDIM00022, p. 1.
- 29 "Imminence of War," CSC 22(50), August 2, 1950, p. 3.
- 30 Brief for CSC, DMI (Knight) to CGS (through BGS (Plans)), August 3, 1950, DHH/ DND, 2002/17, Box 70, File 9.
- 31 "Imminence of War," CSC 22(50), August 2, 1950, p. 7.
- 32 "Imminence of War," CSC 22(50), August 2, 1950, p. 8.
- 33 "Imminence of War," CSC 22(50), August 2, 1950, p. 7.
- 34 "Imminence of War," CSC 22(50), August 2, 1950, p. 8.
- 35 "Imminence of War," CSC 22(50), August 2, 1950, p. 8.
- 36 "Imminence of War," CSC 22(50), August 2, 1950, p. 9.
- 37 "Imminence of War," CSC 22(50), August 2, 1950, p. 12.

- 38 Excerpts from Minutes of the 469th Meeting of the CSC, August 3, 1950, LAC, RG 25, 50028-AK-40, part 1, CDIM00029, p. 1.
- 39 Excerpts from Minutes of the 469th Meeting of the CSC, August 3, 1950, p. 1.
- 40 Excerpts from Minutes of the 469th Meeting of the CSC, August 3, 1950, p. 1.
- 41 "Memorandum for the Joint Intelligence Committee," September 19, 1950, LAC, RG 25, 50028-AK-40, part 1, CDIM00032, p. 1.
- 42 "Memorandum for the Joint Intelligence Committee," September 19, 1950, 1.
- 43 The final document is "The Imminence of War," CSC 31(50), October 24, 1950, LAC, RG 25, 50028-AK-40, part 1, CDIM00043. Other drafts and related correspondence from the LAC, RG 25, 50028-AK-40, part 1, include: Memorandum for the JIS from Secretary, JIC, October 13, 1950, CDIM00036; "The Imminence of War," JIS Draft CSC 31(50), October 13, 1950, CDIM00037; "The Imminence of War," JIS Draft CSC 31(50), October 17, 1950, CDIM00038; Excerpt from Minutes of JIC's 242nd Meeting, October 18, 1950, CDIM00039; "The Imminence of War," JIC Appreciation, October 19, 1950, CDIM00041; and Memorandum to Secretary, JIC, from Pratt (DNI), October 16, 1950, LAC, RG 24, 1480-36, part 1.
- 44 Memorandum for Mr. MacKay and Mr. Glazebrook from Eberts, November 13, 1950, LAC, RG 25, 50028-AK-40, part 1, CDIM00056.
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- 50 "Message CJS(L)M305 of 12 December from General Foulkes for Mr. Claxton," December 12, 1950, LAC, RG 25, 50028-AK-40, part 1, CDIM00071, p.1.
- 51 "Message CJS(L)M305 of 12 December from General Foulkes for Mr. Claxton," December 12, 1950, p. 1.
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- 11 "Memorandum of a Conversation with Sir Anthony Eden, Paris, December 19, 1954," Memorandum by SSEA, December 19, 1954, *DCER*, vol. 20, doc. 380, p. 773.
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