

Copy for Mr. Messersmith  
Room 201

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July 26, 1937.

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Dear Mr. Welles:

If and when the President's reorganization bill goes through and the question of the relationship of the representatives of this Department abroad to the representatives of other Departments is taken up, you may find useful the attached copy of a memorandum of mine under date of December 17, 1936 outlining a plan of coordination and also a memorandum which I gave Mr. Bullitt at his request on March 27, 1937 commenting upon memoranda which he had from various officers of the Department of Commerce advancing objections to the kind of coordination Mr. Bullitt desired in the Embassy in Paris which in effect is the kind of coordination which the President has been advocating.

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