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THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

January 27, 1955

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

SUBJECT: Possible Acquisition of Greenland by
the United States.

The Joint Chiefs of Staff, at my request,
have completed a study on this subject and I am at-
taching a copy for your information and whatever
action you think may be appropriate.

The Joint Chiefs of Staff feel that it
would be to our military advantage to acquire title
to Greenland from a military viewpoint. I agree with
their views in regard to this matter and feel that it
may have many other long-range advantages from other
than a military viewpoint, many of which we cannot fully
estimate at this time.

14 Feb. '55

O.E. Wilson

*To Sec State for
Comment, & return to me,
WZ*



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