

Mrs. KELLY. Were these the result of a subcontractor contract and is that a Government project or was it a project of a contract——

Mr. FOSTER. This, Mrs. Kelly, was a contract which was placed before the Agency came into being. It was placed by the U.S. Disarmament Administration of the State Department, and after we came into being, no further funding was provided from our Agency. The Institute of Defense Analyses felt they wanted to go ahead with this, and did. This, however, had nothing to do with us.

Mrs. KELLY. To follow that up, the Institute for Defense Analyses, which is a private institution, has received more than \$10 million for research and development to date. Do you favor this report? Do you favor recommendations made in that report, especially furnishing the Soviet with this information? Did you approve of it? What did you do as a result of such a study?

Mr. FOSTER. We did not approve of the study. We took no action in connection with it. They made an independent decision to go ahead with it.

Mrs. KELLY. Who did that? The Defense or you?

Mr. FOSTER. The Institute of Defense Analyses.

Mrs. KELLY. But they were hired by the Department of Defense?

Mr. FOSTER. No; it was hired by the Disarmament Administration of the State Department in 1961 before this Agency was established.

Mrs. KELLY. Has any money since 1960 or 1961 gone to this Institute of Defense Analyses?

Mr. FOSTER. Not for this contract, but we have placed other contracts.

Mrs. KELLY. You have placed contracts in light of their past record——

Mr. FOSTER. Their past record is a good record, Mrs. Kelly. It is a very good institution, staffed by a lot of outstanding Americans. The judgment to go ahead with this, to give a scholar the right to write what he wanted to, was their decision. In many of these we will get from scholars things that we do not necessarily accept or support, but in this field it is essential in our opinion to let scholars think about many of these problems and one cannot control all the things they come up with.

One does not have to use them.

Mrs. KELLY. Is there any plan that we may use their recommendation as was suggested in the last study?

Mr. FOSTER. Would you identify for me the particular——

Mrs. KELLY. Volume 1, on the studies of information on the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

Due to the lateness of the hour, Mr. Foster, if you want to submit this all it will be all right with me. I would like to have a copy of it sent to me directly.

Chairman MORGAN. There is a position paper——

Mrs. KELLY. Do you have a position paper on it?

Chairman MORGAN. Which we can give to you today before you leave here.

Mrs. KELLY. I have two questions, Mr. Chairman. Did you say that you had a part in the report of the closing of the Brooklyn Navy Yard?

Mr. FOSTER. I did not say so.