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WASHINGTON.

May 11, 1945.

MEMORANDUM FOR

THE SECRETARY OF STATE:

The following message from Marshal Stalin to the President, dated 10 May, is quoted for your information:

QUOTE: As it seems to me you do not agree to regard the Provisional Polish Government as basis for the future government of national unity and do not agree that the Provisional Polish Government should occupy in this government a place which rightfully belongs to it. I must say that such a position does not give opportunity to reach a harmonious solution on the Polish question.  
UNQUOTE.

WILLIAM D. LEAHY.