

MEMO

17 October 1952

SUBJECT: Himeco-Deutsche Pipelines

**TO: Division Engineer
North Pacific Division
Corps of Engineers, U.S. Army
Portland 3, Oregon**

1. Reference is made to memorandum from the Division Engineer to the Office of the Chief of Engineers dated 29 September 1952, 1952, which was in effect, which the delay in advertising the pipeline project caused by international negotiations and provisions for financing is to be completed by 15 October 1952 and (2) partial completion of construction is to be completed by 15 October 1952 with final completion in November 1952.

2. The delay in advertising the pipeline project since the date of the 29 September 1952 memorandum is due to the fact that the Office of the Chief of Engineers, U.S. Army, is waiting for the results of the negotiations between the Himeco-Deutsche Pipelines, Inc. and the German Government, which are being conducted by the Office of the Chief of Engineers, U.S. Army, and the Office of the Chief of Engineers, U.S. Army, in Washington, D.C., since 29 September 1952, 1952.

3. It has been noted that it appears inadvisable to issue a financial statement company date of financing for the pipeline project until the negotiations are completed. A review of the Himeco-Deutsche Pipelines, Inc. memorandum of 29 September 1952, 1952, and the results of the negotiations between the Himeco-Deutsche Pipelines, Inc. and the German Government, which are being conducted by the Office of the Chief of Engineers, U.S. Army, and the Office of the Chief of Engineers, U.S. Army, in Washington, D.C., since 29 September 1952, 1952.

4. In reply to the above, on 2 October 1952, it is agreed that the Himeco-Deutsche Pipelines, Inc. memorandum date of financing for the pipeline project should be established after the negotiations between the Himeco-Deutsche Pipelines, Inc. and the German Government have been completed.

5. However, it is not desired to withdraw the Himeco-Deutsche Pipelines, Inc. memorandum date of financing for the pipeline project until the negotiations are completed. A review of the Himeco-Deutsche Pipelines, Inc. memorandum of 29 September 1952, 1952, and the results of the negotiations between the Himeco-Deutsche Pipelines, Inc. and the German Government, which are being conducted by the Office of the Chief of Engineers, U.S. Army, and the Office of the Chief of Engineers, U.S. Army, in Washington, D.C., since 29 September 1952, 1952.

FROM:
SUBJECT: Haikes-Fairbanks Pipeline

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6. A further request of G-4 that the Corps of Engineers place immediate purchase orders for pipe materials has been subsequently withdrawn, considering the unsettled status of international negotiations pertaining to this project and the lack of facilities for handling and storing materials which might be shipped prior to the award of a construction contract.

7. Your office will be immediately advised on receipt of clearances which will permit establishing a firm construction schedule and initiation of construction.

BY ORDER OF THE CHIEF OF ENGINEERS:

H. F. CARMY
Chief, Army Projects Division
Military Construction

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