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MEMORANDUM FOR: General Counsel

THROUGH : Inspector General

FROM : John F. Blake  
Deputy Director for Administration

SUBJECT : Incident Concerning Michael King

REFERENCES : (a) OGC Memo 76-4539 dtd. 17 Aug. 1976,  
Same Subject

(b) HR 7-1a(6)

1. I have reviewed the circumstances of the subject incident in the context of potential impact of possible prosecution for violation of the laws cited in paragraph 4 of OGC memo 76-4442 dated 11 August 1976. Such prosecution in my judgment would have no direct impact on any of the activities of this Directorate which are in support of the national security and foreign relations of the United States except for the intangible damage that could result from the exposure of cover for currently active Agency personnel. Mike King (O/Finance) as well as [redacted] and [redacted] (NE) are under [Army] cover and [redacted] (AF) is under [Air Force] cover.

2. We defer to Cover and Commercial Staff for an assessment of the damage that might accrue to cover or cover arrangements should exposure occur from prosecution.

*John F. Blake*  
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