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SUBJECT: (Optional) 03  
Appearance of  As Witness In Behalf of US Govt

FROM:  SE/X/LA  
EXTENSION NO. 1604  
DATE 1 March 1977

TO: (Officer designation, room number, and building)      DATE RECEIVED      FORWARDED      OFFICER'S INITIALS      COMMENTS (Number each comment to show from whom to whom. Draw a line across column after each comment.)

1.	C/SE/X/LA	1 March		JH	<p>No. 6 - 7 - 8 Copies provided FYI</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>RETURN TO CIA Background Use Only Do Not Reproduce</b></p>
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6.	CCS/OCS GH 47(R. Blandford)	03 MAR 1977	3710	BFB	
7.	OGC 7C24 (E. Cohen)	03-4-77		EC	
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28 February 1977

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, SE Division

ATTENTION : Division Security Officer

FROM :   
SE/X/LA

SUBJECT : Appearance As Witness In Behalf of the  
United States Government

REFERENCES : A. Memorandum For Chief, SE Division,  
From  dated 11 January  
1977, Same Subject 03

B. USA v. Gerald P. Hemming, Et Al.  
(76-371-CR-CA)

1. As reported in Paragraph 4 of Reference A, the trial of Gerald P. Hemming (Reference B) was severed on 10 January 1977. I was informed of the severance during my pre-trial conference with AUSA Karen Atkinson in Miami, Florida on that same day. AUSA Atkinson told me I could return to Washington, D.C. and she would have the Drug Enforcement Administration Miami Regional Office inform me if and when the trial was rescheduled. I orally reported the above to Mr. Billy Hix, SE Division Security Officer, Ms.  Acting Chief SE/X/LA, and Mr. Robert Blandford, CCS, OCS, upon my return to Headquarters on 11 January 1977. I also forwarded Reference A copies to Office of Security, External Activities Branch and the Office of General Counsel, Mr. Edmund Cohen.

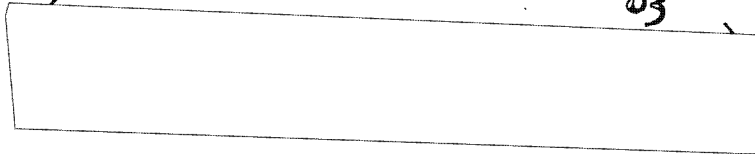
2. On 28 February 1977 I was contacted by SA Robert Fredericks of the DEA Miami Regional Office and informed that the Hemming trial was scheduled to begin 2 March 1977. SA Fredericks asked me to be on standby to travel to Miami to appear as a witness on behalf of the United States Government. SA Fredericks said it was not certain the trial would begin

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on 2 March and he did not know whether I would be needed as a witness.

3. I requested that SA Fredericks initiate action to authorize me to travel to Miami via GTR issued by DEA. SA Fredericks said he would initiate that action. I am awaiting further notice from SA Fredericks.



cc- SED, Security Officer  
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