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REQUEST FOR INVESTIGATION AND (OR) NAME CHECK

DATE: 28 February 1957

TO : Deputy Director of Security
ATT: Mr. [redacted] 3 2618 I

FROM : Chief, CI/Operational Approval and Support Division

PROJECT: PCSA requested by 15 March 1957.

SUBJECT : C-25507
NO. #112569

1. TYPE OF REQUEST: PCSA & | POA | | OA | X | CSA | | PROP. A. | | CNC

2. METHOD OF HANDLING: | | EXPEDITE | | ROUTINE

3. INDICES RESULTS REQUESTED BY

4. FBI CHECK REQUESTED BY (Date)

5. AREA OF SUBJECT'S ASSIGNMENT: (WH/III/Cuba)

6. USE OF SUBJECT: see remarks

7. INVESTIGATION NOT TO REVEAL INTEREST OF: | U.S. GOVERNMENT | | CIA | | SEE REMARKS

8. COVER SUGGESTED FOR INVESTIGATION: | | OFFICIAL | | COMMERCIAL | | OTHER:

9. RESULTS OF TRACES

FIELD TRACES: NDI

HI TRACES: NDI

GREEN LIST INITIATED: | | YES | | NO

10. ATTACHMENTS: | | PRO-PART I | X | OTHER: PHS

12. REMARKS

6. Subject has served CIA in a contract capacity since 1949, with a continuous high level of performance. He is currently assigned to Cuba, where he is being utilized a the Principal Agent for Project AMPHODARCH. Project AMPHODARCH is an FI operation designed to provide information on political activities (including Communist) in University circles in Havana, Cuba. In view of his outstanding record and strong overall qualifications, and his expressed desire for a career with CIA, it has been recommended he be converted from contract to career agent status.

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Thomas Russell, Jr.
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