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CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY COMMUNICATIONS INTELLIGENCE INDOCTRINATION

I have read Section 798, Title 18, United States Code, which specifically refers to the subject of Communications Intelligence. I am aware that there are special regulations of the Central Intelligence Agency entitled "Communications Intelligence." I acknowledge that it is my responsibility to inform myself of the contents of those regulations as they pertain to performance of my duties. I appreciate that the preservation of Communications Intelligence source is of the utmost importance to the United States and that the loss of such sources would be irreparable.

I have been informed that pursuant to law and as amplified by Agency regulations, I am not to discuss with or disclose to any person any information relating directly or indirectly to Communications Intelligence unless such person is currently authorized to discuss or receive such information or material of the particular category involved. By regulation I am aware that the responsibility of ascertaining that such an authorization for another person is valid and current, and that it is of appropriate scope, rests with me. I am aware further that if a change in my assignment or status renders it no longer necessary for me to receive Communications Intelligence, my name will be removed from the list of persons authorized to receive such material.

I hereby affirm my understanding that no change in my assignment or employment, including termination, will ever release me of my obligation under the oath signed below.

OATH OF SECRECY

I do solemnly swear that I will not discuss with or disclose to any person, regardless of his official position or status, any information relating directly or indirectly to Communications Intelligence, any information derived therefrom, or the nature of the sources of such intelligence, until I have ascertained that such person has been authorized to discuss and handle Communications Intelligence and that his authorization has not been revoked.

James C. Phelan

WITNESS:

DATE 28 March 1960

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