

21 JUL 1978

MEMORANDUM FOR: Legislative Counsel

ATTENTION: Mr. Scott Breckinridge  
Principal Coordinator/HSCA Matters

FROM: Robert W. Gambino  
Director of Security

SUBJECT: HSCA Request

1. (U/AIUO) Reference is made to the 19 July 1978 request of the House Select Committee on Assassinations (HSCA) for assistance of the Agency in arranging interviews in Mexico with ten individuals (OLC 78-2718). The records of the Office of Security have been checked and files have been located on eight of the ten individuals.

2. (S) The following is a brief outline of the nature of the relationship that the Agency had with each of the eight individuals on whom the Office of Security has files. The outline also indicates whether or not this file has been requested for review by the HSCA and whether or not it has actually been reviewed by HSCA staff members.

June Cobb Sharp - OS File #216 264 reflects operational interest in this American citizen from 1960 until 1968. The file, which is in three volumes, has been partially reviewed by HSCA staffers Lopez and Hardway.

Henry P. Lopez [redacted] OS File #203 377 reflects operational interest in this American citizen from 1959 until 1968. ] 24 The file has been prepared for HSCA review but has not yet been seen by the HSCA staffers.

Manuel Calvillo - OS File #282 599 on this Mexican citizen [reflects operational interest in 1962] 24 The file was reviewed by HSCA staffer Lopez on 12 and 17 July 1978.

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Al Witrich (Correct name Alfonso R. Wichtrich - 24)  
OS File #35 002 reflects [redacted] in this  
naturalized U.S. citizen during 1962. The file has been  
prepared for review by the HSCA but has not yet been  
reviewed.

Luis Alberu Suoto - OS File #279 089 reflects 24  
[redacted] in this Cuban citizen intermittently  
from 1962 until 1968. He was at one time of interest  
as a [redacted] in Mexico City.  
The file has been prepared for review but has not yet  
been reviewed by the HSCA.

Consuelo Esperon - OS File #280 142 reflects 24 that  
this Mexican citizen was of [redacted] during  
1962 and 1963. At that time, she was employed as a  
secretary in the Cuban Embassy in Mexico City. The file  
has been prepared for review but has not yet been reviewed  
by the HSCA.

Ramon Joseph Alvarez Durant - OS File #114 926  
reflects that Durant, who was born in New York City, 24  
holds Mexican and American citizenship. [Durant was  
[redacted] During  
some of this period, he was assigned to Mexico City.  
There is no indication in his security file that he has  
previously been of interest to the HSCA.

LIONION I (True Name) Alberto Rodriguez Gallego - 24  
OS File #228 726 reflects that this Cuban citizen was of  
[redacted] His  
file does not reflect previous interest by the HSCA.

3. (S) The Office of Security does not maintain a file  
on Gen. Jose Jesus Clark Flores or Noe Palomares, however, it  
is known that both of these names were previously the subject  
of inquiries from the HSCA.

4. (U/AIUO) In regard to the individuals in paragraph 2  
on whom the Office of Security does maintain files, it is noted  
that the information in these files is generally quite dated and  
would be of limited assistance in ascertaining their current  
whereabouts.

BLL

for Robert W. Gambino

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