

31 January 1961

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Personnel Security Division, OS
FROM: Chief, Contact Division, OO
SUBJECT: Travelers to Sov Bloc Countries

1. It is requested that priority security checks be processed on the US citizens as described in the attached Biographical Data Forms.
2. Our deadline is 2 FEBRUARY 1961, for approval to contact Subjects on an ad hoc basis. Information to be disseminated will be classified through "Confidential".
3. Subjects will travel as tourists to the USSR and/or other Sov Bloc countries. We plan to debrief them with tourist guide type requirements pertaining to our general interest in the visited areas.
4. Please direct your reply to Mrs. Virginia Thorne, Extension 2202.

Virginia L. Thorne

E. H. ABBOTT

o/c advised of delay 1/15/61

Attachments:

JOHNSON, Priscilla

Brief on re despatch of Johnson for E. H. ABBOTT with caution on Confid ad hoc basis

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SI	71589-PL (ident)
Date	2-2-61
By	JMB

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