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REQUEST FOR INFO ON COBO CLEANERS AND EARL RUBY

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[R] - ITEM IS RESTRICTED

1. In response to Mr. Blakey's request of access to all communications between Cobo Cleaners of Detroit, Michigan and Cuba in March and April of 1962 the G offices were asked to examine all pertinent files to determine whether or not copies of the requested communications existed. This examination resulted in the following determinations:

   a) In 1962 the only record copy storage media used by the G offices were page print and microfilm.

   b) Consistent with Agency regulations pertaining to records storage, all materials, other than product, for 1962 were destroyed.

   c) Therefore, no raw traffic data base exists which would include private communications to or from Cuba for the period March/April of 1962.

2. Based on the foregoing, the information sought would exist, if at all, at NSA only in the form of product based on the relevant communications. No product files for the period involved exist within G Group.

E. W. Blake
Chief, G09
TO:  DIR

SUBJECT: Request from House Assassinations Committee

1. Attached memo provides the response to Ms. Judy Miller's request that NSA search for records the Committee was interested in.

2. A thorough search was made with negative results. Memos from V, T12 and G attached.

3. With your approval, the memo and attachment will be forwarded to Ms. Miller.

cc:  D/DIR

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TO: LAO, Attn: Mr. Eugene Yeates  
FROM: T12  

DATE: 28 JUL 1978  

SUBJECT: Search of the SIGINT Record File  

1. In response to your oral request of 26 July 1978, and in consonance with guidelines provided in discussion between Mr. Raskin and Mr. Sobel of your office and T124 people, we have made a search as described below of open series SIGINT product records available in the NSA SIGINT Repository with negative results. It must be understood that some serials in the series are missing but that neither the existence nor non-existence of product produced against those serials can be verified.  

2. All 1962 open series NSA produced SIGINT product in the QOC -  

was scanned and product with date of information March or April 1962, was further searched for the following keywords: EARL/JACK RUBY  
CÔBÔ CLEANERS  
DETROIT, MICHIGAN  
PRESIDENT KENNEDY  
SERAFIN  
VISTIENCIA  
OSWALD  

3. T124 spent approximately twenty man-hours accomplishing the above.  

ROBERT J. WELDAY  
Chief, T12
M/R: On 26 July Mr. Yeates of the NSA Legislative Affairs Office, with concurrence from Mr. Rudolph, D/Chief V, asked Mr. Welday, Chief T12 to effect a search of certain 1962 SIGINT product records held by the SIGINT Repository; the results of which would be used to respond to a query from Mr. Blakey in connection with the House Select Committee on Assassinations investigation into the circumstances surrounding the death of President Kennedy.

Using the guidelines described in the memo the following microfilm copy of product was searched by T1244 people.

1. QOC Series

Reports - 3/0/QOC/R1-130
Report #3-10, 86, 97, 110, 111 and 128 not held in Repository.
2/0/QOC/R1-13
Report #8 not held in Repository.
2X/0/QOC/R1-352
Report #48, 49, 228, 248, 266, 308 - 317 and 350 not held in Repository.
Report #178 - 180 not readable on film (date of issue between 8 August and 20 September 1962 therefore did not recall H.C.)

Translations -
3/0/QOC/T1-150 Translation #99 not held in Repository.
2/0/QOC/T1-76
2X/0/QOC/T1-2957 Translation #1057 - 1065, 1182, 1313, 2102, 2128, and 2250 not held in Repository.

2. QOY Series

Reports - 3/0/QOY/R1-11 Report #3, 8, and 10 not held in Repository.
2/0/QOY/R1
2X/0/QOY/R1 Report #11 not held in Repository.

Translations -
3/0/QOY/T1-50
2/0/QOY/T2 Translation #1 not held in Repository.
2X/0/QOY/T1-519 Translation #42-45, 92, 177, 253, 260, 261, and 434 not held in Repository. Translations 500-507 not readable on film (date of issue Oct 1962, therefore did not recall H.C.)

3. QOF Series

Reports - 3/0/QOF/R1-39
2/0/QOF/R1-225

(CODE IS ONLY FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY)
Translations - 3/0/QOF/T1-7

2/0/QOF/T1

2X/0/QOF/T1-411 Translation #368 not held in Repository.

J.D. Maggard, T124, 3219s, 27 July 78, ath

CC: LAO