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RE: LOND 8570 9 April 1964

Attached are copies of the report of the Embassy Officer who interviewed Subject on 7 April 1964.

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MEMORANDUM OF CONFERENCE

PARTICIPANTS: Carl J. Wilson, Head of the Wilson Press
and Public Relations Incorporated,
Santiago, Chile

Richard J. Erickson, Jr., Public Secretary of
Embassy, Washington Field Office, London

DATE AND PLACE: April 7, 1964, American Embassy, London

SUBJECT: Chile: Interests of Carl J. Wilson, Head in
Political Intelligence

Mr. Wilson called on me on April 7. He identified himself as a British subject who has resided in Santiago, Chile, for the past 25 years. He said that he was in the "press and publicity" business in Santiago, operating his own firm -- Wilson Press and Public Relations Incorporated, Casilla 853, Santiago. He is married to a Chilean (first name Eliana) who works as an attorney for the Chilean Ministry of Finance. They have two children who are now with their mother in Santiago. Mr. Wilson said that he had come to Great Britain early last fall on business and had not been here since. He is planning, however, to return to London to within the next two weeks, largely because he is unable to support himself here any longer since the Chilean Government has refused permission for the remittance of funds he holds in Santiago. Mr. Wilson gave his present address as 35 Cliven Terrace, Lancaster Gate, London, W. 2, telephone Paddington 9276.

Wilson's pitch was to the effect that he is deeply concerned over prospects that the Communists will shortly take over the government in Chile, by violence if they fail to seize power in the next election. He said he explored our inability to do anything to prevent this takeover and offered his services. When asked specifically what he thought he might do, he said that as a journalist he had established a wide range of acquaintances among leftist political leaders, and that he would be able, as a journalist, to penetrate the left-wing political apparatus, using his acquaintances to furnish him with information regarding Communist intentions and activities which could be used for political propaganda or for other purposes. He said, however, that he would need some financial support in order to do this and is thinking of approaching either McCann-Erickson

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or Eric S. ... Wilson asked whether he had mentioned his ... he said that ... the response would be that ... in the political ... of the True World should be ...

Wilson said that he might contact the Department of State en route back to Chile but asked whether the Embassy could put him in contact with anyone who might be interested in making use of his services. I replied simply that I would report his interest to the Department of State but doubted whether anything would come of it. At one point in the conversation Wilson said he could not go to the American Embassy in Santiago with his ideas because his presence in the Embassy would immediately become known to the Communists, who would deduce precisely what he was about.

Comment: This is the second time Wilson has approached me to show an interest in intelligence matters. The first time was shortly after President Kennedy was assassinated, when he said that he had been imprisoned in Havana by Castro in 1959. He alleged that while he was in prison, meals for a fellow-prisoner, a former gambling czar in Havana with early associations with the Japanese gang, had been brought to the prison by a man who identified himself as "Ruby" and who bore a physical resemblance to the man being tried for Oswald's murder. I passed this report to the Legal Attache at the time.

Wilson appears sincere and reasonably well balanced. It is apparent, however, that despite his protestations of having ample funds in Santiago, he is very much interested in any possible financial benefits of his proposal. His company does not appear to be large or very active, and the samples of the work it had done -- several posters on the evils of alcoholism and careless driving -- which he showed me were very crude.

PCJ, J-RAE/mason/flj
April 7, 1964