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SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

EUGENIE DONN WISHAN now married to HYMAN R. ROGOSIN and both members Communist Party in 1947. EUGENIE formerly active Peoples Educational Center, Council for Civic Unity and Los Angeles Council-American Soviet Friendship. In 1936 possessed U.S. Passport for intended trip USSR.

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REFERENCE: Report of SA JOHN R. MURPHY, New York, dated 7/28/49 **(JFK)**

DETAILS: On April 18, 1944, Mr. CARL BOHAN, Manager of the Norwood Apartments 1609 North Normandie Avenue, Los Angeles informed that EUGENIE DONN WISHAN resided in Apartment #308; that she had a lot of Communist literature, including the People World, books about Soviet Russia; that she also had a lot of foreign stamps and envelopes showing they came from Russia, Mr. BOHAN said that Miss WISHAN was originally from New York and was formerly a member of the WAC; that she was employed by the Southern Pacific Railroad; and that she appeared to be very active in the Council for Civic Unity.

On April 25, 1944, Confidential Informant T-1, of known reliability stated that the bookshelves of Miss WISHAN's apartment at the Norwood Apartments were well lined with Communist literature and books about Russia and by Russians. Informant further stated that Miss WISHAN had a large manila envelope stuffed with papers regarding the Council for Civic Unity; that contained in this envelope were several books of blank checks made out to the council, lists of names of women who had apparently acted as usherettes at the council mass meeting held April 24, 1944 at the Philharmonic Auditorium. Other material in the envelope was in the form of telegrams from several people expressing regret for not being able to attend the meeting. Informant said that Miss WISHAN had arranged the ushering at the meeting.

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