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The Attorney General

October 30, 1961

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REGISTRATION

NICARAGUA, ISRAEL AND ECUADOR

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EX 104

On October 26, 1961, a confidential informant who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised that Davidson, a public relations consultant who is registered with the Department of Justice as an agent of Nicaragua, Israel and Ecuador, was in contact with an individual known to the informant as [Mr. Shapok (phonetic)] (X) (S)

Informant advised that [Mr. Shapok] was visiting the Israeli Embassy in Washington, D. C. on October 26, 1961, and Davidson had informed [Shapok] that the Israelis received a "hard deal" in regard to the plane maintenance deal in France, specifically in "Chateau-rou." Davidson indicated the job had been given to a French firm for \$88 more. He advised [Shapok] that he did not know whether it was desirable to go further regarding this matter but he was of the opinion it would not be best to carry it further so as not to embarrass the Kennedy administration. The informant said Davidson had in mind some plan whereby he could get the material together regarding this matter and furnish it to you through "Jack" (possibly Jack Anderson, syndicated columnist associated with Drew Pearson, also a syndicated columnist). Davidson indicated "Jack" would take him to see you and perhaps a discussion of the matter with you would result in some business for the Israelis. Davidson advised he planned to proceed in this manner rather than through Drew Pearson and he requested [Shapok] to assemble the material so that it could be handled in the manner indicated. (S)

According to the informant, Davidson is traveling to San Francisco on September 31, 1961, with James Riddle Hoffa, President of the Teamsters Union, and would be staying at the Palmont Hotel, San Francisco, California. Davidson also (S)

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indicated that he would visit Los Angeles and he was of the opinion that [Shapch] could visit him in Los Angeles. (S) (A) (X)

The above is for your information.

- 1 - Mr. Byron R. White
Deputy Attorney General
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The source of the information is [WF 568-S*](s)

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- 3 - WFO
- (1 - 62-8400 JAMES RIDDLE HOFFA)
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October 26, 1961

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I. IRVING DAVIDSON
REGISTRATION ACT - NICARAGUA, ISRAEL AND ECUADOR

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On October 26, 1961, a confidential informant, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised that I. Irving Davidson, a public relations consultant who is registered with the Department of Justice as an Agent of Nicaragua, Israel and Ecuador, was in contact with an individual known only to the informant as [Mr. Shapek (phonetic)]

Informant advised that [Mr. Shapek] was visiting the Israeli Embassy in Washington, D.C. on this date and that Davidson had reported to him (Shapek) that the Israelis got a "bum deal" in regard to the plane maintenance deal in France, specifically in Chateau-rue. According to Davidson, the job was given to a French firm at \$35 more. The point that Davidson wanted to make was whether or not it was desirable to go further in this matter and he is of the opinion it would not be best to carry it further, so as not to embarrass the Kennedy Administration. The informant stated that Davidson has in mind some plan whereby he can get the material on this matter together and furnish it to Bobby Kennedy (Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy) through Jack (possibly Jack Anderson, syndicated columnist associated with Mr. Drew Pearson, also a syndicated columnist).

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