

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
Office of the Secretary  
Washington 25

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Executive Secretary  
Economic Defense Intelligence Committee  
Central Intelligence Agency  
Washington 25, D.C.

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Dear [REDACTED]

Mr. Henry Shavell, Advisory Committee on Export Policy Staff, Office of the Secretary, Department of Commerce, who has been nominated as a JOC observer to the EDIC, was granted a TOP SECRET clearance by this office on March 30, 1953.

Very truly yours,  
/s/

Newman Smith  
Security Control Officer

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