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9. (Secret - GLC) Accompanied [REDACTED] OSI, to a briefing of the staff of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy on the Soviet TOKAMAK program. See Memo for Record for details.

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11. (Internal Use Only - LLM) Returned the earlier call of Jay Sourwine, Chief Counsel, Senate Internal Security Subcommittee, and told him that we had no information on the entry into the United States or the February Chicago speech of [REDACTED] on whom we had previously given Sourwine background information on 3 March.

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12. (Secret - JGO) Delivered to June Nigh, Senior Staff Assistant, House Foreign Affairs Committee, the transcript of the Director's testimony of 24 March. After review by Representative Lee Hamilton (D., Ind.) the transcript was returned to the Agency for safekeeping.

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13. (Secret - JGO) Met briefly with Representative F. Edward Hébert (D., La.) and brought him up to date on the change in termination plans for project [REDACTED]

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14. (Confidential - JGO) I received a call from Lee Williams, Administrative Assistant to Senator J. W. Fulbright (D., Ark.), who requested that I come by during the day tomorrow and take a look at a constituent letter.

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11. (Secret - JGO) Met with Mr. Ralph Preston, House Appropriations Committee staff, and delivered to him a Reserve withdrawal letter for Chairman Mahon. As a matter of information, Mr. Preston advised that the House will be in session on Monday.

I briefed Mr. Preston on several items of current intelligence interest. (See Memorandum for the Record.)

12. (Secret - JGO) Met with Mr. Frank Slatinshek, Deputy Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, and brought him up to date on the Director's appearance before the House Foreign Affairs Committee. Mr. Slatinshek had no comment.

I briefed Mr. Slatinshek on several items of current intelligence interest. (See Memorandum for the Record.)

13. (Secret - JGO) Met with Representative John Rhodes (R., Ariz.) concerning his trip to Vietnam over the Easter holidays. At his request, I also talked to Colonel Wells, Office of Army Budget, who will be escorting Representative Rhodes. (See Memorandum for the Record.)

14. (Internal Use Only - CD) Received a call from Mr. Burton Sanborn, in the office of Representative Ed Foreman (R., N. Mex.), who requested an employment interview for [REDACTED]. After checking with Mr. [REDACTED] Office of Personnel, I advised Mr. Sanborn that an appointment has been scheduled for Thursday, 26 March at 10:00.

15. (Unclassified - JMM) Representative Bob Wilson (R., Calif.) called to ask whether it would be possible to bring members of the SOS and CM (unofficial Republican congressional organizations) out for a breakfast briefing with the Director possibly on 8 April. He recalled that this had been done several times in the past and had been very much appreciated. I told him I would check with the Director and let him know the results.

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5. (Secret - JGO) At his request I met with Albert Westphal, Staff Consultant, House Foreign Affairs Committee, who requested such information as may be releasable concerning [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] His information is that this individual appears to have wide connections in Laos.

Mr. Westphal took this occasion to comment on the "professionalism" of the Director's appearance before the Committee yesterday and the favorable comments of members relating thereto.

6. (Unclassified - JGO) Delivered to Joseph Crowley, Assistant to Representative Howard Robison (R., N. Y.), various unclassified pamphlets on the CIA for use in responding to Mr. [REDACTED] of Hamilton, New York, who had requested information on personnel and organization of the Agency.

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7. (Unclassified - JGO) Delivered to Mrs. Imogene Holmes, Assistant to Representative Carl Albert (D., Okla.), a copy of the unclassified Agency information pamphlet and the booklet "Presidents of the United States on Intelligence," for use in responding to a constituent request from one [REDACTED] of Comache, Oklahoma. Mrs. Holmes was most appreciative.

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8. (Secret - JGO) In response to his telephone call, met with Mr. John Harper, Assistant to Representative L. H. Fountain (D., N. C.), concerning the request of a constituent friend for information about CIA hiring of former Special Forces personnel in Laos. In discussion Mr. Harper advised that he had no idea where the friend has received this information. I told him there is no such recruiting program. It was agreed that Mr. Harper will advise the individual to submit an employment application through Representative Fountain's office if he is interested in employment with the Agency. No further action is indicated at this time.

9. (Internal Use Only - RJK) Delivered to the offices of Senators Stuart Symington, Warren Magnuson and George McGovern, [REDACTED] items in which their names were mentioned.

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10. (Unclassified - SML) Mr. Howard Paster, Press Assistant to Representative Lester L. Wolff (D., N. Y.) called and requested a China map folio. I told Mr. Paster I would forward his request to Mr. Miller.

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1. (Secret - GLC) Ed Bauser, Staff Director of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, called and said that the materials we had sent him did not include the report he had in mind when he first contacted us. He went on to say that this was a report of an interview on the subject of the [REDACTED] research which was dated 8 January 1970. It became clear what Bauser had in mind was an [REDACTED] report. [REDACTED] of OSI, is getting a copy of this report for us.

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2. (Unclassified - LLM) In response to her earlier inquiry and based on the advice of the Offices of Personnel and Security, I told Mrs. Pam Cragum, in the office of Representative Allard Lowenstein (D., N. Y.), that we have no record of an association between [REDACTED] and the Agency. (See Journal item of 23 March.)

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3. (Secret - LLM) After coordinating with Mr. [REDACTED] of SB Division, called Robert M. Horner, Staff Member, House Committee on Internal Security, and made an appointment for 11:00 a.m., 31 March, to discuss further their possible interest in [REDACTED] (either Mr. [REDACTED] will attend). (See Journal of 12 March.)

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4. (Secret - JGO) Met with Mr. Boyd Crawford, Staff Administrator, House Committee on Foreign Affairs, who told me that he has received many compliments on the Director's presentation as a very informative and interesting briefing. The Chairman, in particular, was pleased with Mr. Helm's presentation and the reception given him by the Committee.

Mr. Crawford passed to me that Representative Lee Hamilton (D., Ind.) has called and requested the transcript to take home with him over the weekend. In keeping with my understanding with Mr. Crawford, he advised the Representative that the transcript will be made available in the Committee room at such time as will suit his (Representative Hamilton's) convenience. The Representative will call Mr. Crawford when he has time to come by the Committee room to review the transcript.

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