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STATOTHR 4. (Unclassified - SML) Miss Mitchell, in the office of
STATOTHR Senator Robert Griffin (R., Mich.), called and requested a personal
interview for a constituent, [REDACTED]. After checking with
Office of Personnel, I advised Miss Mitchell that an appointment has
STATOTHR been scheduled for 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday, 1 April, with Mr. [REDACTED]
[REDACTED].

25X1A 5. (Confidential - JGO) Met with Mrs. Eddymarie McCoy,
Assistant to Senator Alan Cranston (D., Calif.), and reviewed a copy
of an undated letter to Air America from [REDACTED]
of Sonora, California. The letter was addressed "Central Intelligence
Agency, Air America, 815 Connecticut Avenue, etc." with copies to
Senators Cranston and Murphy and "Representative Bizz Johnson" and
is an application for employment for both [REDACTED].
At my suggestion Mrs. McCoy will take no action on the letter at this
25X1A time. I will furnish her a copy of the Air America response at such
time as it is available. Mr. [REDACTED] DDS, has been advised. 25X1A

25X1A 6. (Confidential - JGO) In a chance meeting with David Minton,
Staff Director and Counsel, Senate Post Office and Civil Service
Committee, he advised [REDACTED] that another meeting of the
negotiators on the postal pay raise is scheduled for Wednesday and
hopefully a bill will be forthcoming for presentation to the Congress.
It is not at all certain, however, that the matter will be finalized in
tomorrow's meeting.

7. (Unclassified - JGO) Received a call from Mr. William
Hogan, House Armed Services Committee staff, requesting, if available,
copies of the Julius Mader books Who's Who in CIA and Yellow List:
Where is the CIA.

8. (Confidential - JGO) Received a call from Mr. Daniel
Manelli, Staff Attorney, House Special Subcommittee on Investigations,
Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee, who advised that he is
in the process of a final draft of the Committee's report on NBC news
programming. Mr. Houston has been advised.

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5. (Secret - JMM) Called the office of Representative Frank Bow (R., Ohio) and in his absence requested that he call me to arrange a date for a briefing on [REDACTED] (concerning which he had queried the Director during our recent appearance before our House Appropriations Subcommittee.)

6. (Internal Use Only - JGO) Met with Representative Clement Zablocki (D., Wis.) and Mr. George Berdes, Administrative Assistant to the Representative, in response to the request of the Representative's office in assistance in locating an unclassified film on the Katyn Forest atrocities. Representative Zablocki advised that he has a constituent request for the film. He also told me that he believed that a film was made up by a commission that included among its members Representatives Ray J. Madden (D., Ind.) and Roman Pucinski (D., Ill.). I told him that I would relay this information and be back in touch.

7. (Secret - JGO) Met with Mr. Daniel Manelli, Staff Attorney, Special Subcommittee on Investigations, House Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee, and returned to him the initial draft of the sections of the Committee report on CBS news programming that make reference to the Agency. I told Manelli that we had no suggestions, comments, or changes in the draft. He told me that he could not put a date on the completion of the final draft, but that he would call me so that we might have another look-see at that time.

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8. (Internal Use Only - JGO) Delivered to Miss Judy Spahr, on the staff of the National Security and International Operations Subcommittee, Senate Government Operations Committee, the [REDACTED] report on the Moscow Pravda "observer" article on the SALT talks.

9. (Secret - JGO) Met with Mr. Arthur Kuhl, Chief Clerk, Senate Foreign Relations Committee, who requested that the 28 October 1969 transcript of the Director's briefing on Laos be forwarded each day to the Committee through the rest of the week.

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8. (Secret - JGO) Met with Mr. Ralph Preston, on the staff of the House Appropriations Committee, who gave me a letter from Chairman Mahon to the Director concerning an appointment to the Special Committee.

I briefed Mr. Preston on the following items:

- a. [REDACTED]
- b. Soviet air shipments into Egypt during the week;
- c. Logistical and other limitations on Communist forces action in Laos;
- d. Soviet Hen House radar.

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9. (Secret - JGO) Met with Mr. Daniel Manelli, on the staff of the House Investigative Subcommittee, House Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, and received from him a copy of the rough draft of a Committee report on investigation of CBS news programming policies. Mr. Manelli requested, if possible, that our review be completed and the draft returned early next week.

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10. (Secret - JMM) Accompanied [REDACTED], Chief, FE Division, who briefed Chairman John Stennis, Senate CIA Subcommittee of Armed Services, on the situation in Laos. Senator Stennis, who had requested the briefing yesterday, was particularly interested in getting reassurances that no Agency personnel were involved in combat operations. Mr. [REDACTED] summarized the history of our Laos involvement, the policy authority under which we had acted, the numbers of our personnel involved, our casualties to date, and the present military situation.

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11. (Unclassified - JMM) With the Director's approval I called Representative Lucien Nedzi to say that the Director regretted that he could not accept the invitation of the Democratic Study Group to brief them on the Laos situation on 10 March. I explained that this involved Agency operational activities which we felt could properly be discussed only with appropriate congressional committees, and not with other groups. Nedzi said he fully understood this and that in extending the invitation he had been under the impression that the matter had already been cleared with the Agency. He asked that I explain the matter to Representative Bingham who had joined Nedzi in extending the invitation. I called Representative Bingham's office but found he will be in New York until Monday.

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