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CITY Washington, DC

PERSONAL APOLOGY MADE

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NEWSCASTER: "A personal apology has been made to Senator William Fulbright by Director Richard Helms of the Central Intelligence Agency. Helms assumes blame for his support of an editorial in a St. Louis newspaper attacking Fulbright, although he said it had been written under his name by somebody else in the CIA."

"Newly appointed Director Richard Helms took the full blame then, Senator Morse said he should resign however, because of his behavior, but Fulbright called such a step 'premature.'"