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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

"Advisors" for Interviewees SUBJECT:

 HSC Staffer Rushford was concerned that OCI interviewees were being "advised" by Deputy Director , OCI. He said that some of them "did not care" whether they had an advisor, and he interpreted this to mean no advisor need be present.

- 2. To clarify this, I said that interviewees would answer "yes" or "no" to the question of whether they wanted an advisor present. "I don't care" would be considered a "no" answer. However, since the OCI interviewees didn't know that interpretation, they would be informed and re-asked.
- I confirmed this procedure with Jack Boos, and he passed the word to Rushford. I then advised If any interviewee does not want an "advisor" present, of course, the advisor should gracefully withdraw.

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