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12. [Redacted] LIAISON Walt Sheridan, staff member, Senate Judiciary Committee who has conducted investigative staff work concerning the Agency's drug human experimentation activities on behalf of Chairman Edward M. Kennedy's (D., Mass.) Senate Human Resources Subcommittee on Health and Scientific Research, called and requested that another member of the Subcommittee staff, Jim Michie, be granted clearances for access to review the MKULTRA documents on human experimentation. I called [Redacted] DCI Security Officer, and at his initiation, a clearance through Secret was processed and granted by the Office of Security. I later called Sheridan's office and, in his absence, left a message for him and Michie that Michie had been granted a clearance through Secret for access to the MKULTRA documents.

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13. [Redacted] LIAISON Met with Sy Shwiler, House Armed Services Subcommittee on Intelligence and Military Application of Nuclear Energy staff, in response to his earlier call to Mr. Cary. Shwiler asked if we knew where the Subcommittee can contact Mr. Pipes, who had prepared the B Team Report on NIE 11/3-8. I told Shwiler that he probably can be contacted through Harvard University. However, since Shwiler was aware that the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence is going to be talking to Pipes, I suggested that he contact Bill Miller, Staff Director of the Select Committee, and he could probably tell him where Pipes can be contacted.

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22. (Unclassified [Redacted] LIAISON Gregory Doublestein, in the office of Senator Mark O. Hatfield (R., Ore.), called regarding a number of letters they have received saying that CIA is no longer hiring retirees. He asked how he should reply to these people. I told him I would check and call him back.

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23. (Unclassified [Redacted] LIAISON Called John Eliff, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence staff, and discussed with him final arrangements for the appearance of Tony Lapham, General Counsel, and other Agency witnesses before the Committee tomorrow on S. 1566, the electronic surveillance legislation.

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24. [Redacted] LIAISON Met with Hal Ford, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence staff, and discussed the matter of access of "B Team" members Richard Pipes, Paul Nitze and Danny Graham to the classified Senate Select Committee on Intelligence report on the A Team-B Team episode. Ford said the Committee needed a letter tomorrow regarding the status of clearances on these men.

I also discussed with Ford the planned trip of Senator Adlai E. Stevenson (D., Ill.), Senate Select Committee on Intelligence, to several Latin American countries from 15 to 28 August. Ford gave me an itinerary for the trip and indicated Senator Stevenson would like to meet with Agency representatives on 3 August at 4:00 p.m. in Room H-405 of the Capitol to discuss the stations he will visit.

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25. [Redacted] ADMINISTRATIVE - DELIVERIES Delivered to Cindy Mascioli, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence staff, a letter to Chairman Daniel K. Inouye (D., Hawaii), Senate Select Committee on Intelligence, from Admiral Turner regarding the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence action on the Agency's covert action budget; an interim response to Chairman Inouye from Mr. Cary, Legislative Counsel, about a Committee inquiry concerning an alleged attempted payment [Redacted]

[Redacted] a study prepared by the Center for the Study of Intelligence entitled "National Estimates: An Assessment of the Product and the Process" for Hal Ford, of the Committee staff; a list of Soviet exports of the MIG-23 aircraft, requested by Earl Eisenhower, of the Committee staff; four DDI reports [Redacted] requested by Mike Epstein, of the Committee staff; Headquarters [Redacted] regarding Agency Regulation [Redacted] an October 1966 study entitled "Protecting Classified Intelligence Information: An Historical Review and Some Recommendations" written by [Redacted] then Assistant General Counsel, for David Bushong, of the Committee staff, and a personal note from [Redacted] former SA/DO/O, to Bill Miller, Staff Director, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence.

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1. [Redacted] LIAISON Mr. G. Robert Blakey, Chief Counsel and Staff Director, House Select Committee on Assassinations (HSCA), and James Wolf, Legal Unit Counsel, HSCA, spent the better part of the day in CIA orientation and discussions on the Memorandum of Understanding and Non-Disclosure Agreement. (See Memorandum for the Record.)

2. [Redacted] LIAISON Talked to Hal Ford, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence staff, and informed him that Professor Richard Pipes', former member of the B Team, clearances had not yet been reinstated and that I would let him know as soon as they were. Ford said he would advise Pipes.

3. [Redacted] LIAISON Called Colonel Steve Harrick, OSD/Legislative Affairs, in response to his inquiry and informed him that [Redacted]

in the office of Senator Dale Bumpers (D., Ark.), held compartmented clearances and that he had not been debriefed from them [Redacted]

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4. [Redacted] THIRD AGENCY Received a telephone call from a [Redacted] who said he would be talking with us when we visit NSA on 26 July. [Redacted] said that [Redacted] NSA General Counsel, was quite concerned about H. R. 5544, a bill which would take away from NSA and CIA the power to establish supergrade positions, and vest this power in the Civil Service Commission. Mr. [Redacted] is interested in blocking this bill and wished to know with whom he could deal on this in CIA.

I checked with [Redacted] OLC Legislation Staff, and advised him of the circumstances. He found the bill and we turned the entire matter over to [Redacted] Deputy Legislative Counsel, who will become [Redacted] CIA contact in regard to H. R. 5544.