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NOTES FOR DDCI

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25X1 1. A reply to that letter you received on 2 July from Rufe Taylor complaining about a lack of coordination with ONI in such a way as to endanger Guantanamo is on its way up through the channels to you for your signature. As you know, [redacted] has been looking into this in considerable detail. Taylor's complaint should never have come here -- should have been made to Secretary Vance's office. The Pentagon has long ago given us instructions to coordinate all matters of this kind with Vance's office. In the cases cited by Taylor, Vance's office and Secretary of Navy had been informed.

What really lies at the heart of Taylor's complaint is a belief that somehow or other we can control the Cuban Exile Communities in Miami to prevent any appearance of these exiles at Guantanamo. (Exiles frequently infiltrate by joining crews of contractors, etc.) The fact is we have no such control and our letter will say so.

25X1 2. John Bross reports in a memo to DCI that [redacted] is concerned that he gave rather bland and incomplete answers, primarily for security reasons, to Senator Russell and his committee in discussing SIGINT matters recently. [redacted] suggests it would be helpful at sometime for him and the DCI to appear jointly before our committee to explain the very effective and smooth relationship between CIA and NSA. John suggests it would be useful also to make a joint appearance before the Clifford Board.

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