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Thursday - 31 August 1972

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1. (Internal Use Only - JGO) Met with Mr. Roger Lewis, Administrative Assistant to Representative Morris Udall (D., Ariz.), concerning the correspondence forwarded for our information from Mrs. [REDACTED]

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2. (Unclassified - GLC) [REDACTED] Personnel, advised that the decision has been made to bring [REDACTED] an applicant in whom Representative Bill Nichols is interested, in with the next CT class which will be sometime next January.

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3. (Unclassified - GLC) Ray Jacobson, Civil Service Commission, called and advised that he had reviewed our proposed letter on H. R. 12652 for the Director to send to Chairman Celler, of the House Judiciary Committee. He said he thought it was a good letter which the Commission would have no objection to our sending. I queried Jacobson again as to whether he knew of anything further we or they could do by way of contacting people on the Hill on this legislation and he said he knew of nothing. He added they are proceeding with preparation of material for Celler's use in amending Title II of the bill on the House floor if this becomes necessary. I asked Jacobson if he would be good enough to send us a copy of the proposed amendment which would include a specific exemption for the Agency. He said he would and assured me that the language would be identical to the comparable provision of the Hanley bill.

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Tuesday - 29 August 1972

1. [REDACTED] ^{25X1} Met with Mr. Robert Lockhart, Assistant Counsel, House Post Office and Civil Service Committee, who told me that from his information the handling of Title II of H. R. 12652 is still uncertain. He feels the Judiciary Committee conferees will probably go to conference on the bill and then take the question of Title II, the Ervin bill for the protection of rights of Federal employees, to the floor of the House for consideration by the full House. Mr. Lockhart feels that Chairman Celler, of the Judiciary Committee, will probably look to Chairman Dulski, of the Post Office Committee, and minority members of the Post Office Committee, such as Representative Hogan of Maryland, to lead the fight opposing Title II. However, nothing has been firmed up as yet in these areas. Mr. Lockhart noted that I would want to talk to John Martiny, the Chief Counsel, when he returns on Tuesday or Wednesday for the latest information on Chairman Dulski's intentions.

As for the Federal Executive Service Act (S. 1682), Mr. Lockhart and the Committee staff have developed a new Committee print for consideration by the Manpower and Civil Service Subcommittee. Since Chairman Henderson, of the Subcommittee, was unable to gather a quorum at the last two meetings scheduled to consider the proposed Committee amendment, any further consideration of this bill could be put over until the next Congress.

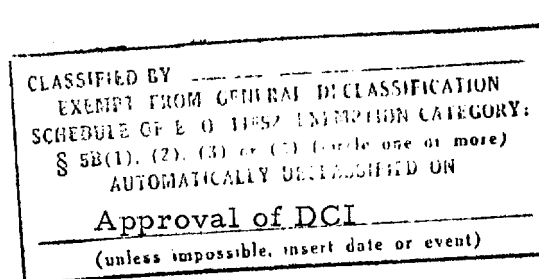
2. [REDACTED] ^{25X1} Talked to Mr. Arthur Kuhl, Chief Clerk, Senate Foreign Relations Committee, who told me that the full name of the individual he inquired about yesterday is Hugh Richard Couch. See Memorandum for the Record.

3. [REDACTED] ^{25X1} Met with Ralph Preston, House Appropriations Committee staff, and reminded him that we would like to schedule a briefing on a sensitive project as soon as his schedule will allow. He thanked me for the reminder.

I briefed Mr. Preston on several items of current intelligence. See Memorandum for the Record.

4. (Unclassified - RJK) Delivered the Agency Chiefs of State publication to the office of Representative Bill Alexander (D., Ark.) per arrangements made by Mrs. Gillenwater, OLC.

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Monday - 28 August 1972

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1. (Internal Use Only - JGO) Received a call from Mr. Arthur Kuhl, Chief Clerk, Senate Foreign Relations Committee, who asked if I could



2. (Confidential - JGO) Talked to Mr. Robert Blum, Senate Foreign Relations Committee staff, as a followup to the request of the Chairman for review of OSS files on Indochina. I made an appointment to meet with him here at Headquarters on Wednesday, 30 August. See Journal of 16 and 17 August.



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3. (Unclassified - GLC) Called Ray Jacobson, Director, Bureau of Policies and Standards, Civil Service Commission, to check with him on developments on the Ervin bill as it was attached as Title II of H. R. 12652. Mr. Jacobson said the Commission is preparing backup material for Chairman Celler's use if it is decided on the House floor that the Ervin amendment (Title II) is germane. Jacobson said this material would consist of a series of amendments which would make the Ervin bill conform in general to the provisions of the Hanley bill (including exemptions for FBI, CIA and NSA) but which would eliminate certain features of the Hanley bill which CSC considers objectionable--principally the establishment of a new board. Jacobson said they have talked with Justice Department in an effort to get them to intercede with Chairman Celler on this bill and are also contacting the Defense Department and the White House.

I told Jacobson that we had drafted a letter for the Director to send to Chairman Celler pointing out our concern with Title II of H. R. 12652 as it was added in the Senate. Jacobson said as long as we supported the position of the CSC in opposing the bill generally he saw no problem in our also pointing out our specific concerns. I am sending a copy of our draft letter to Jacobson for him to review.

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