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"Larry W. Bryant" (b)(6)
FOIA Request to CIA, re the McCarthy Saga
Sun, August 8, 2004 7:33 pm
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TO: Director
U. S. Central Intelligence Agency
ATTN: Freedom of Information Manager
Washington, DC 20505

FROM: Larry W. Bryant

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DATE: August 8, 2004

While certain CIA officials continue to deny the public full access to any government records pertaining to the CIA-created "Project Cherry," there remains at least one victim of that rogue operation who is continuing to seek full vindication and justice as to the "Cherry"-related crimes of omission/commission perpetrated against not just him but also against one or more citizens of the Kingdom of Cambodia.

I refer of course to one former U. S. Army captain John Joseph McCarthy, Jr., who clandestinely had been trained by, and operated as a trainer within, "Project Cherry's" central mission: the fielding of assassination teams throughout key regions of Vietnam-war-era Southeast Asia. For details on his involvement in, and eventual victimization by, that mission, please visit the Internet web site of: <http://www.fromthewilderness.com/free/hall/Mac.html>

With Mr. McCarthy's proxy (i.e., the enclosed copy of his Notice of Authorization), I hereby submit this letter as a formal, written freedom-of-information/Privacy Act request that you send me a copy of all CIA-generated and CIA-received records pertaining to Mr. McCarthy's military career, his CIA-directed activities, his associated communications, his post-"Cherry" litigation history, and his CIA-managed "case file."

Since I make this request as an independent writer focusing on actual and/or potential whistleblower-derived evidence exposing official wrongdoing at the highest levels of government, and since such exposure would significantly educate the general public as to all related government activities/policies/programs, I hereby request that you waive all records-search fees incident to your fulfilling this request.

By snail-mail, I'm sending to you a signed printout of this e-formatted letter.

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LARRY W. BRYANT

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Mr. McCarthy

Mark S. Zaid, Esq. (Washington, D.C.)

Chairman, U. S. Senate Committee on the Judiciary

Cambodian Ambassador to the United States

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NOTICE OF AUTHORIZATION

TO: Whom It May Concern

FROM: John Joseph McCarthy

[Redacted]

DATE: July 22 2004

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By this notarized instrument, I hereby authorize writer Larry W. Bryant [Redacted] full access to any and all official government records being maintained on me and my activities by any government agency -- including the U. S. Federal Bureau of Investigation, the U. S. Central Intelligence Agency, and the Departments of Defense and Army.

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For official records-search purposes only, I hereby provide the following personal identification data:

Social Security No.: [Redacted]
Original military service No [Redacted]
Date and place of birth: [Redacted]
Dates of military service [Redacted]

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SIGNATURE [Redacted]
DATE SIG [Redacted] July 22 2004

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NOTARIZED CERTIFICATION

I, Michael Lawrence Covey, a notary public, hereby certify that the foregoing individual, known to me as John Joseph McCarthy, Jr., appeared before me on this the 22nd day of July, 2004, in the city/county of Los Angeles, California, and affixed his signature to this instrument.

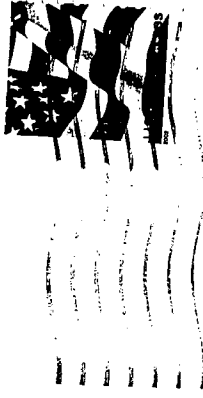
As witnessed by my signature [Signature] of this date: July 22, 2004 a notary public in Los Angeles, California

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My commission expires on: August 30, 2007

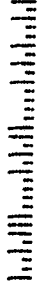


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