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MEMORANDUM FOR: Assistant Director for Special Operations.

Subject : CONEIN, Lucien E., #5025.

While I have concurred in the recommendation of the Chief, Security Branch, OSO, as indicated on the attached paper, I would like to add a personal thought.

The services rendered by the subject in a highly technical and delicate field have more than indicated his loyalty and devotion. These very activities have sobered and steadied the subject to a point where, in my opinion, little consideration need be given to any earlier derelictions. I feel his devotion to duty, his loyalty, and his specialized knowledge are the important factors. I strongly recommend that future possible assignment be considered without regard to his military or civilian status.

E. K. WRIGHT
Brigadier General, USA
Deputy Director of
Central Intelligence

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