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Allan A. Ryan, Jr., Director
Office of Special Investigations
Department of Justice
1375 K Street, N. W., Room 200
Washington, D. C. 20530

Dear Mr. Ryan:

This letter is in response to Mr. Sinai's request of 19 February 1980 which asked for any information in CIA files on approximately 275 individuals identified as subjects of investigations by your office. Per our agreement, CIA has limited its records search to the two offices which could reasonably be expected to possess such information. That search is now completed.

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With respect to the remaining individuals, we are prepared to search our records for any information concerning Nazi party membership, membership in the Waffen SS or other German Army components, or membership in any collaboration governments during World War II, insofar as it might indicate a violation of U. S. law, for those individuals who are subjects of OSI investigation. Before we begin that exercise, it would be useful if your office could both identify the nature of the information which you seek to obtain on a specific subject, and assign some priority to the remaining subjects. This information would permit us to search for responsive information in a sequence that would meet your most important needs.

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I look forward to hearing from you. If you have any questions on this matter, please contact me at [redacted]

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Sincerely, [redacted]

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Enclosures, a/s

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