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O Nicolae Iliescu
Internal Security - Romania

Another government agency which conducts security investigations furnished the following information:

A list of Romanian emigres in the United States (US) and Canada, who were considered to be dangerous persons, was furnished by Ioan Marcu of the Romanian United Nations Mission (RUNEM), and among the names was that of Nicolae Iliescu.

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Ioan Marcu is a colonel in the Romanian Council of State Security, who was a member of the advanced group preparing for a visit to the US by Nicolae Ceausescu, Secretary-General of the Romanian Communist Party, during October, 1970.

A confidential source of unknown reliability, stated in July, 1954, that he did not believe Nicolae Iliescu to be an Iron Guardist. He stated Iliescu had been a good student while in Padua, Italy. Iliescu is a good student of modern literature. Source stated Iliescu is now a good friend of Smarendescu and recently both men had broken with Viorel Trifa.

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Nicolae Smarendescu had been a choir master in Bucharest, Romania, and was a leading Iron Guardist who is presently residing in Cleveland.

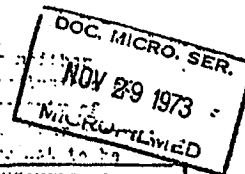
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Viorel Trifa is a Bishop of the Orthodox Episcopate Church and an alleged former leader of the Youth Section of the Romanian Iron Guard. He resides in Grass Lake, Michigan.

The Romanian Iron Guard has been described by Bishop Viorel Donise Trifa, an alleged former Romanian Iron Guard leader, and by Teodor Humita, an admitted former Romanian Iron Guard member, as being an extremely radical, nationalistic, political organization founded in Romania in the early 1930's, which collaborated with the Nazi-German Government during World War II. Both Bishop Trifa and Humita have stated that the Romanian Iron Guard is definitely anti-Communist.

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