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## 27 December 1964

## MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

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## SUBJECT: Telephone Call from Bob Owen in Madrid Re AMLASH-1/AMBIDDY-1 Meeting

1. Bob Owen and Tony Silio called from Madrid and stated that AMWHIP-1 requested that "Nick" inform AMLASH-1 that AMBIDDY-1 was coming to Europe to see him. Owen and Silio were both informed by Nick that we did not wish to become involved in this union if it developed, and therefore Nick would not advise AMLASH-1 of AMWHIP-1's request. Owen and Silio were told that we favor the move provided the two principals can arrange it themselves and KUBARK is not the broker. The above was double talked over the phone but it was clear to Nick that AMWHIP-1, AMBIDDY-1 and AMLASH-1 were the parties involved.

2. Upon Owen's return to Paris on 10 December, KUBARK's position on bringing AMLASH-1 and AMBIDDY-1 together was fully discussed with Owen. A written memorandum on the subject was left with the Paris Station.

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