

NARA CHURCH COMMITTEE
SUPPORTING MATERIAL
BOX 11, FOLDER 6
Christopher Barger
FILE No. 4.0.1.4

SUMMARY

Box 11, Folder 6 consists mostly of internal Church Committee staff memos and reports. Many are routine in nature; such as requests by Senators Gary Hart and Richard Schweiker for more staff for their subcommittee, or suggestions by majority and minority staff on how better to share information. Some of the material does relate to the Review Board; there is a report on the fact that some of the shellfish toxin created by the CIA to kill Castro still existed in 1975, and why it had not been destroyed. There is also a chronology, written by Church Committee staffer Andy Postal, of the Roselli/Giancana/Dan Rowan/Robert Maheu bugging incident which led to the discovery by the FBI of the CIA's assassination operations against Castro using the Mafia.

Findings of note in this folder:

- 1) Th chronology by Postal on the bugging and subsequent FBI/CIA dealings with the case. [Chronology enclosed.]

- 2) A memo from the director of the Domestic Intelligence Task Force of the Church Committee to the Office of the Deputy Attorney General, dated November 12, 1975, which refers to a CIA-directed program, which the FBI may or may not have known about or participated in, of opening mail to and from Mexico City. Some of the information is redacted, but it appears that this program was in effect somewhere around 1972, and was assigned a CIA crypt. [The memo is enclosed with this summary.]