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**SUBJECT: Response to HSCA Request of 25 July 1978**

1. A thorough review of Agency files containing production from the LILYRIC photographic surveillance operation in Mexico City reveals the existence of no LILYRIC logs or production earlier than 3 April 1967. It appears that earlier photographs may have been destroyed in a purge of Mexico City Station files and that the folders for the destroyed material were re-used to forward more recent photographic material to Headquarters for retention.
2. According to a blind memorandum dated 2 May 1977, subject: Review of Mexico City Station Files at the [redacted] Records Center, the LILYRIC folder which would have contained photographs and logs for the period 23 July through 30 November 1963 had been re-used to store LICALLA photographs and logs for the period 2 May through 30 June 1967. [Cf. Blind memorandum dated 5 May 1977, subject: Photograph Records of the "Unidentified Man" Who Was in Mexico City during October 1963.]
3. The above information is contained in a soft file entitled: Photograph of Unidentified Individual in Mexico City. This folder has been reviewed by the following HSCA staff members:

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