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25 June 1951

TC: PDC  
 FROM: FDM  
 SUBJECT: Lucien Consin

Below is quoted an excerpt from a dispatch of 13 June  
 1951 (HGX-A-30067) from the Chief of Station,

"The most remarkable case of self-improvement by study and self-discipline I have witnessed in this organization. Starting with a spotty reputation and a very spotty background, Consin has seriously applied himself to self-education, both by outside study and by a conscientious and level-headed approach to the job given him. Has succeeded in coming a long way and will go a lot further. This, combined with his personal courage, activist tendencies, strong personality and devotion to the job, make him one of the good bets for the future. Training people should be carefully briefed concerning his background and his desire for improvement and should be encouraged to help him in every way to make the best out of his Washington experience."

Hugh T. Cunningham  
 Acting Chief, FDM

cc: Security Office ✓

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