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FROM: Rodger S. Gabrielson
OLC/C&R

NO. OLC 78-1065/1
DATE 13 March 1978

TO: (Officer designation, room number, and building) DATE RECEIVED FORWARDED OFFICER'S INITIALS COMMENTS (Number each comment to show from whom to whom. Draw a line across column after each comment.)

	TO: (Officer designation, room number, and building)	DATE		OFFICER'S INITIALS
		RECEIVED	FORWARDED	
1.	Jack Sullivan Office of Security			JDS
2.	Mr. Stepanek O/SA/DO/O Dx-6	green		
3.				
4.	Russ Holmes			✓
5.	Bill Stumberts	21	21	
6.	Chris LA/CO			CH
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Passed Roger

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2. Mr. Stepanek O/SA/DO/O DX-6	<i>green</i>			
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4. <i>Piers Holmes</i>				
5. <i>Bill Sturbitts</i>				
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4. Russ Holmes

5. Bill Sturbitts

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OLC 78-1065/1
13 March 1978

MEMORANDUM FOR: Jack Sullivan
Office of Security

FROM : Rodger S. Gabrielson
OLC/C&R

SUBJECT : Sanitization of HSCA Researcher Notes

1. (S) Attached for your review, appropriate sanitization, and classification is a copy of the notes taken by HSCA researcher Dan Hardway on the file of E. Howard Hunt.

2. (U) Please use black grease pencil to excise and directly above the excised information please write in a sanitized description of the information excised, for example: employee, asset, etc. Please send us a copy of the notes after your sanitization and we will forward to the Committee.

3. (U) If you have completed your review and you feel there is operational information upon which you cannot make a proper judgment please handcarry to Mr. Shepanek, O/SA/DO/O, 2D0109. Mr. Shepanek will assure that a proper review of such information by the BDO is made in accordance with the above procedures.

4. (U) All original notes will be kept in this office under the name of the particular researcher involved.


Rodger S. Gabrielson

Attachment:
As Stated

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3/13/78

Review of Office of
Security Files on E. Howard
Hunt.

Periodic File Summary

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Vol I

1. A letter to ~~the~~ Director, FBI, dated 6/17/49 requests ~~an~~ an investigation of Hunt. The reason given is that he is an applicant for employment.
2. A memo to the files, dated 6/24/49, reports that Hunt had been attached to OSS on 2/7/45 and was released from OSS on 12/6/45.
3. A memo dated 9/29/49 reports that Hunt served in the Air Force until 1/46. He was employed by the ECA from 5/48 to 2/49. During the periods when he was not employed he was writing. This memo recommends security approval.
4. Memo dated 10/19/49 reports that Hunt was given "a security clearance on 30 September 1949 to serve in an overt capacity as a Plans

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Officer for Programs and Planning."

5. Hunt is assigned as an Intelligence Officer in OPC on 11/8/49.

6. A memo from Hunt dated 2/27/50 says that during 1948 + 1949 he worked for the ECA, "ranking as Attaché of the American Embassy, Paris."

7. Memo dated 12/11/50 re: interview with Hunt ~~to~~ who is resigning to accept a job with the Department of State.

8. A travel order dated 2/6/53 lists Hunt's position as Deputy Chief of Station, Mexico City. He is going on home leave before reassignment. There is a similar travel order dated 4/16/53.

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9. Request for Personnel Action dated 5/18/53. Reports Hunt's appointment as an Operations Officer in the DDP, Political and Psych Warfare Staff, Office of the Chief, Washington
10. In 1/54 Hunt traveled through the [redacted] area to review operations and for field consultations (from travel orders) His itinerary included [redacted]
11. An overseas processing sheet dated 5/21/54 lists Hunt with DDP, P+P Staff and reports that he will be traveling to [redacted] on 5/27/54.
12. Carbon of reassignment order dated 4/7/54 to DDP, etc

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- 13 A request for security certification dated 10/22/56 reports that Hunt is being assigned to Montevideo, Uruguay and will be leaving on or about 3/1/57
- 14 Request for Personnel Action dated 10/16/56 requests Hunt be reassigned from DDP/~~██████████~~, PP Staff to DDP/WH, Branch II, Montevideo, Uruguay Station as "Area Ops Off (COS)"
- 15 Travel orders dated 11/19/56 for Hunt to go to ~~██████████~~ and return. lists his station as Washington.
- 16 Travel order dated 6/27/56 Hunt to Uruguay. lists his official station as Montevideo.
- 17 Interview processing sheet dated 1/25/57 reports Hunt

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is departing for Uruguay
on 1/25/57 and is under
[REDACTED] cover [REDACTED]

18 Request for approval or
investigative action dated
6/18/65 requests a "Contract
Type A" for Hunt for use
in [REDACTED]

19 Contract Type A Security
Approval granted on
6/23/65. A polygraph
interview is required.
Security official tells me
that a ^{Contract} type A is a
person fully cleared
as a result of a back-
ground investigation and
a polygraph. Any difference
from Staff Employee
is that "Type A" is on
contract and can be
terminated. "Type A" is
also geared towards a
specific job.

[Incorrect statement]

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20. Clearance action report dated 9/21/66 reports that Hunt is converting from a Contract Type A to Staff.

21. Special Clearance and/or Billet Approval dated 9/23/66 reports Hunt's Position as ODP/EUR [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] It requests special clearances for Hunt and says: "Mr Hunt has been ~~assigned~~ designated [REDACTED]"

[REDACTED] (USIB) and is required to appraise [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

22. Routing and Record Sheet dated 18 March 1969 calls Hunt "Chief, EUR/CA" reports last investigation

in 1949 and that he has not been reinvestigated "apparently because he was either overseas or a staff agent"

23. blind memo dated 1/70 reports how *live* *US* This Day got into the Agency's hands

24. Memo dated 11/27/72 reports that routine ~~was~~ reinvestigation of Hunt was undertaken in 1969 and completed in 1970.

25. Supplemental PHS: dated 3/20/69
A. 7/65 - 7/66 ~~██████████~~
B. 6/62 - 7/65 ~~██████████~~ } RESI.
C. 9/66 - "PRESENT" ^{SUMNER, MD} POTOMAC MD }
under nominal state cover.

26. 5 PHS, dated 10/29/62:
1/57 - 6/60 - Montevideo } RESI.
7/60 - 10/60 - Mexico City }
10/60 - 7/61 WASH.
TO "PRESENT" "

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Volume II

1. Cable (MONT 35-30) dated 2/9/60 says: "According to Ambassador Woodward, ~~Re~~ President Nardone has stated that during his private talk with President Eisenhower he intends to request President Eisenhower to cancel [Hunt's] transfer permit remain in present capacity."
2. Handwritten note dated 6/22/60. says that Hunt is "up for [redacted]" and that Tracy Barnes is "pushing him for [redacted] post" written ^{SIGNED} by what appears to be
employee
3. Handwritten note by same individual dated 6/23/60: " ^{employee} stated Hunt scheduled for TDY to [redacted] on 27 June 60 + then proceed [redacted]

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[redacted] PCS-
both [redacted] duties...
employee said information
that Barnes was pushing
Hunt for [redacted] not true -
Barnes is an interested
friend "

4. Memo from DOS/Investi-
gations and Operational
Support to DOS dated 6/23/60
"2 Mr / ^{employee} [Security
Officer from Project [redacted]]
stated that the subject [Hunt]
is to go on PCS basis to
Mexico [redacted]
[redacted] He will
be the political action
man for the Project in
Mexico as a representative
to the [redacted]. Prior to his
PCS assignment to Mexico,
subject is going to [redacted]
for a week or so on a
sort of orientation basis
3. Mr / ^{employee} stated that
the subject has impressed him
as something of a character

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and free wheeler. He said that the Subject indicated a need for an automobile to be purchased for him for use in Mexico and strongly requested a convertible for this purpose. Also, he requested permission to carry a gun. While he cannot speak officially of course, informally Mr. ^{employee} would be just as happy to see the Subject not used on the Project."

5. An official routing slip indicates that J.C. King was briefed on Security's reservations about Hunt signed by R. Bannerman and dated 27 June.
6. Investigative file memorandum dated 6/20/60 recommends that routine [REDACTED] of Hunt be waived.
7. ~~#10#~~ MONT 4124 dated 11/6/60

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reports that Hunt has told some of his old friends in Uruguay that he is now working on "Cuban Problem."

dated 1/24/61

8 Memo to Chief SRS/OS, from ^{empl 4482} Chief IRB/SRS/OS.

re: above cable says: "Subject [Hunt] has been a problem in the past and apparently continues to be a problem."

9. Request for Personnel Action dated 5/29/62; reassignment effective 7/1/62; ~~██████████~~,
DOP/██████████, ████████████████████,
██
Section, Washington as
Ops Officer (Ch). Under
"Remarks": "PRA Requested
per R-20-10, para 10c (2) for
a period of 90 days.
DOP/CA Staff
Office of the Chief /43-4"
Security officer says that
a PRA is when an employee

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is filling a lower GS level job than G. S. Level he has.

- 10 Notification of ~~Establishment~~ ~~dated~~ 9/21/62.
- 11 Reassignment Processing Form dated 7/5/62 states assignment to DDP/ + says that Hunt is "approved for domestic assignment."
- 12 Request for Personnel Action dated 11/15/61; reassignment effective 11/26/61; CF to CF, to DDP/CA Staff, , Washington, as an Ops. Off. from DDP/WH/BR 4/Temporary.
- 13 RFP A dated 1/17/62; reassignment effective blank; CF to CF, to

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DDP/CA Staff, Office of the Chief, Wash, as an Ops Officer.

14. Memo from Hunt to the OS dated 11/7/62 asking that his wife be given clearance to work part time doing "translations, statistical research and occasional letters" ~~_____~~ ~~_____~~ ".

OS CONCURRENCE
BE GIVEN

15. Memo from Sheffield Edwards (DOS) to Hunt dated 11/15/62 says that the proposed job for his wife is "incompatible with Hunt's Agency Employment & could cause official embarrassment. "Accordingly, the request is disapproved from the ~~security~~ standpoint of security."

16. Handwritten memorandum for the record dated 11/19/62

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reports that a security officer has reported that Hunt is considering an appeal from the Security disapproval of Hunt's wife's job.

17. 11/14/62 Memo from Employee Activity Branch / P50 / OS to Chief, Personnel Security Division, O.S.

• recommends disapproval of request for security for wife's job

"Subject's file indicates that he has been a continuing security problem because of a tendency to disregard regulations and established procedures."

18. Memo from Appraisal Section to Chief dated 4 Feb, 1963.

Hunt checked under a RIP @ negative responses at FBI, CSC, police + credit in D.C. ~~RE~~ Recommends polygraph ~~7~~

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19. Memo for the record from ~~DD~~ Dep. Dir. of Security (PPS) dated 2/8/63. reports Hunt call asking whether wife should register under "Foreign Agents Registration Act." since she was doing translation work. ~~_____~~ Hunt is reported as buzzing on answering a question about OS approval and saying his wife is so independent that she would take the job regardless of what he said.

20 Memo for the record, undated, by Hunt:

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1. On 25 February 1963, I delivered to Mr. W. Lloyd George, Chief, FI, three box copies of a memorandum and a letter of transmittal dated 18 and 20 February

respectively. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

3. Mr. George regarded the material too sensitive to be handled by routine means, and decided to show it only to Mr. Helms.

4. On 27 February 1963, Mr. George telephoned me to say that he had just shown the material to Mr. Helms who

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speculated whether ~~or not~~ he ought not take it to the White House at once. Mr. George demurred, pointing out the sensitivity of the source (), whereupon Mr. Helms indicated that nothing should be done with the material until Mr. George returned from a trip and could consider the matter farther.

5. Mr. George then asked Mr. Helms whether should register under the Foreign Agents Registration Act, and Mr. Helms said that under the circumstances "absolutely should not."

21 Official Routing Slip asks Tom(?) Winters: "Prepare a memo via Tracy Barnes to Tom Karamessines re employment. - Is it in Agency's interests and does it have operational benefits? - if not it is contrary to agency policy - do they want an exception." dated 15 Apr. FROM BANNERMAN

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22 Official routing slip dated
2/18/63 from ^{employee} P/AB and Mr. ^{that} _{employee} says
that "Subject is not to
be ~~██████████~~ under RTP
at this time."

23 Memo for record by ^{employee}
dated 18 April 1963.
Discussed Hunt's memo +
Bannerman's RS with ^{employee}
Winters on 16 April.
is worried because the situ-
ation could be embarrassing
because ~~██████████~~ is
engaging in intelligence
collection in the United States
— without any official
sanction for such activity.
This was the problem
anticipated when OS denied
permission for the job. Both
Winters + ^{employee} were concerned
that the letter Bannerman
suggested "might really
'stir up' all sorts of problems"
because of the question of
how the Security Officer

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of ~~██████████~~ had gotten info that had been "handled on extremely high levels in the ODP complex." So they decided to ask Mr George if ~~██████████~~ it was intended to use ~~██~~ operationally before writing the letter. ~~They~~ ^{employee} talked to George on 17 April who said he was not aware of OS disapproval and that these considerations were valid. George said that he would take the matter up @ Helms and Karamessines, and that the letter not be sent until the meeting between him, Helms, Karamessines and an OS rep had occurred.

24. Memo for Dir of Sec. from Chief /FI dated 5/10/63 says: "I have discussed the point raised by you with Mr Helms and while we agree in principle, we

believe that there is sufficient gain from the contact and certain pieces of information to take the calculated risk..." This will continue until [redacted] quits on 6/30 [redacted]
[redacted]

25. Routing and record sheet to Gordon Mason, Sp. Asst. to DDP; POP and Mr [redacted]; from A/[redacted]/CA dated 6/1/64 - under comments:
typed: "The attached draft column by [redacted] will appear in 75 U.S. newspapers, including the [redacted] during the week of [redacted].
The background of this placement is the fact that [redacted] worked for me [redacted] and we have remained close friends."

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in script: "a copy of this has been sent to the Director. Will you please forward to Mr. Elder biographical material on [REDACTED]

This is initialed by the same person who initialed the box next to "DDP". Attached is a letter from [REDACTED] to Hunt dated 5/28/64 and an article entitled [REDACTED] "Dear Howard:

Here it is. You will note we had to cut fifteen lines because it was over. But I hope it helps. Thanks a million for all the work you did on it. I managed to read only about one-third of the book and depended on you for the rest. Give me a ring soon. Hastily, [REDACTED] The article is a review of [REDACTED]

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- 26 Routing and record sheet dated 7/28/64 says "In view of the deferrals in the RIP action since 1962 and the fact that subject was [redacted] in 1953 and 1957 I believe closing of the RIP without further action is in order."
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employee C/[redacted]
- 27 Req. for B Per Action dated 7/9/64; reassignment, CF to CF to DDP/[redacted], U.S. Field, CA Staff as Ops. Officer - CH.
- 28 Official Superior's Report of Injury. On 10/9/64. Hunt leaves work due to a hemorrhaging duodenal ulcer.
- 29 Request for Personnel Action dated 2/16/65; Reassignment CF to V, to O/DDP, Ops Group (marked out: "Operational Services, Office of the Chief" "Ops Grp." handwritten in)

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as an Ops. off.
remarks: "This employee is the only qualified person available for assignment to this position which must be filled immediately. He will be in PRA status for a period not to exceed 24 months."

- 30 Undated memo (Cover slip dated 12/8/64) from C/Investigations Division to C/SRS, since 11/19/63 three Covert Security Approval requests have been made by Hunt's office (A/██/CA). These are requests for approvals for ghost writers. All these individuals proved to be "of very dubious loyalty. On 11/19/63 Hunt requested a clearance for ██████████
██████████ This case was cancelled on 12/5/63 after derogatory information was discovered. On 12/9/63 Hunt requested clearance

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for [REDACTED] a clearance with severe restrictions was given over [REDACTED] "serious security objection. Hunt cancelled the case on 5/14/64 because the burden of the restrictions. On 8/21/64 a member of Hunt's office requested a clearance for [REDACTED] [REDACTED], a personal friend of Hunt. On 11/27/64 the case was withdrawn.

3/ A notification of establishment of Official Cover backstop dated 1/6/67 lists Hunt's cover history as:

Oct 49 - Dec 50	HQS/Overt
Dec 50 - Mar 53	Mexico/[REDACTED]
Mar 53 - June 54	HQS/Overt
June 54 - Oct 56	[REDACTED]
Dec 56 - Jul 60	Uruguay/[REDACTED]
Jul 60 - Jul 65	HQS [REDACTED]
Jul 65 - Sep 66	contractual employment O/DDP AS CONSULTANT

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32. A Special Clearance and/or Billet Approval dated 2/25/69 lists Hunt as "Chief, EUR/CA"
33. A Spec. Clean. a/o Bil. App. dated 9/26/66 lists Hunt as being part of DDP/EUR/ [REDACTED].
34. A SC a/o BA dated 8/15/68 says: "As DD/P representative on the CIA team preparing historical material for the Johnson library, Mr Hunt will be required to have access to documents" which require special clearances.
35. Routing slips attached to a 2/6/70 memo re "Give Us This Day" indicate that the book was not submitted to the Agency for review.
36. Memo for the Record by C/SRS dated 2/17/70. A summary of "Give Us..." was given to Thomas Karamessines who

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read it + immediately called Hunt in. Hunt at first professed ignorance and then acknowledged authorship. He denied having anything to do with trying to get it published.

37. Documents indicate that Hunt + the Agency tried to round up all the copies of the manuscript.
38. Request for Personnel Action dated 4/21/70 indicates that Hunt is going ~~in~~ into voluntary retirement.
39. Biographic profile (Part I) lists the following CIA employment History:

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Position	Location	Program	Contract Employees
Nov 1949 I. O. (Editor)	HQ	OPC/PPS+E/Programs	
Dec 1950 I. O.	Mexico City	OPC/LA/OPS/COS	
June 1951 I. O.	"	OPC/LA/DCom	
Aug 1953 OPS.OFF	HQ	DDP/SE/CH, PPS+FF	
June 1954 OPS.OFF (PPS)	MONTEVIDEO	DDP/WH-II/COS	
Feb 1957 AREA OPS OFF	HQ	DDP/WH-4	
Nov 1960 OPS OFF			
NOV - NOV 1961 detailed for office of the DCI			
Nov 61 OPS OFF	HQ	DDP/AS/	
Jan 62 "	"	DDP/GAS/OC	
Jul 62 "	"	DDP/	
Aug 64 "	"	DDP/ / U.S. Field/CH, CA staff	
Feb 65 "	"	DDP/ for the DDP/OPS group.	
July 1965 - SEP 1966 contract employees			
SEP 66 OPS OFF	HQ	DDP/WE/OPS staff	
JAN 67 "	"	DDP/EUR/Spec Alt + Staff	
Aug 68 "	"	DDP/EUR/ops staff	
Apr 70 Retired.			

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40 Application for Retirement signed by Hunt dated 4/14/70

41 Interview report dated 4/24/70: Reason for interview is retirement on this date. Stapled at bottom is a slip of paper which says: "Howard Hunt

[REDACTED]

It written in beside this is: [REDACTED] has offices in [REDACTED]. Subject already has associated himself with the firm indicated. Subject stated that Mr. Karamessines has indicated that he wishes subject to 'stay in touch' -

[REDACTED]

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42 Memo for the Record by ^{employee} about the

David St. Johns article;
interview @ Raymond
Rocca; dated 2/14/74.

Follow-up in info in files
that two people in (PAUL GAYNOR
~~██████████~~ believed ~~██████████~~ ^{employee}

had knowledge of Hunt's
writing activities. Rocca
was asked specifically about
1) any form of official
sponsorship ^{OR ENCOURAGEMENT} of Hunt's work;
2) any assistance was asked
for from ~~██████████~~
3) any relationship between
that staff & Hunt.

"In response to these
questions Mr. Rocca
responded 'on the record'
that he has no knowledge
of any such arrangements
nor at any time was he
party to any assistance
or any requests for."
to Mr. Hunt. Mr. Rocca
stated that the particular
section which he had been

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most actively concerned in the past years was responsible for handling a variety of tasks categorized under the area of 'setting the record straight.' In this sense, the 'image' mission of the office was to counter misinformation currently in the media or otherwise believed to be a part of an effort to discredit the Agency. Mr. Rocca feels that any assumption that Mr. Hunt was engaged in any form of Agency sponsored image activity would have probably lead to the conclusion that it was done under the Counter Intelligence Operations. However, Mr. Rocca emphatically stated that this was not the case. Mr. Rocca did venture the opinion that he felt that in all probability an official

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acquiescence on the part of senior officials might have been involved rather than an official sponsorship..."

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Red Line Volume

1. A Support Branch Verbal Request dated 6/14/63 requests that a P.O. Box be opened in Washington for Hunt
[REDACTED]
2. Confirmation of labours by memo dated 6/18/63. This memo says the Box will be used indefinitely, should be serviced daily and that the volume should be light.
3. Envelope: "Documents regarding Hunt's 'letter address' (accommodation address) set-up in 1963 and terminated in 1965 - (address is still being used by another individual)"
4. request for CSA for Hunt dated 6/3/70. [REDACTED] Staff requesting so that he can be made a matter of relationship with [REDACTED]

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The attached routing sheet says: "Security would not grant the requested clearance unless C/DDP was personally apprized of their interest and written concurrence was obtained."

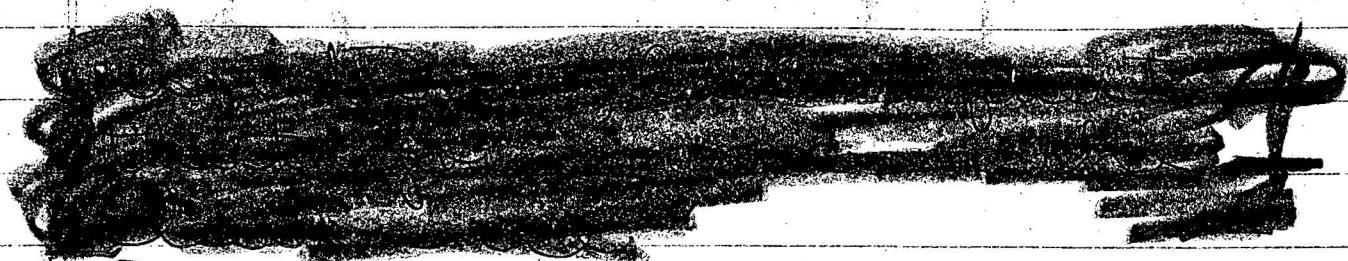
5. Memo to DDP from ~~██████████~~ dated 10/14/70. ~~██████████~~
The memo says that OS will not grant the clearance without assurance that the DDP "does not have an overriding interest or objection." Paragraph 4 says:

"Inasmuch as Mr. Hunt is already witting of the current ~~██████████~~ arrangement with ~~██████████~~ which he reportedly will soon ~~██████████~~

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The recommendation was approved on 10/14/70 by Thomas Karamessines who asked to be kept posted.

An attached routing slip says that Security's reservations stemmed from the book "Give Us This Day"

6. Memo for the Record dated 9/13/74 by S. D. Breckinridge reports learning of the tramp photo allegation from John Hicks who had heard it from Art Hundahl who had heard it from Sam Jaffe. The memo notes ~~it~~ the info was also passed to the DCI and OLC.

7. Memo for the record by Breckinridge dated 9/20/69

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reports Hunt's files have been reviewed to determine his location on 11/22/63. For 4 week pay period ending 11/23/63 Hunt took 11 hrs. sick leave + no annual leave. Following pay period he took 3 hrs sick leave and 27 hours annual leave. Travel records show official travel to New York in 9/63, 10/63 + 12/63. There was no official travel in 11/63.

8. Jack Anderson Article:
"A Bum Rap for Frank Sturgis in Miami" from the WP, Tuesday, April 16, 1974, p B15. Praises Sturgis + dismisses allegation.

9. Memo for the Record ^{employee}
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dated 10/15/74, to record actions taken regarding allegations based on trump

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5- photos; met with Seymour Bolten, Special Assistant to the DDO on 10/10/74:

"I discussed the action that I had taken with respect to this allegation approximately six weeks ago at the request of the Director of Security. At that time various courses of action were discussed but our action was limited to a review of both [Hunt + Sturgis'] files and a search of our records which produced the Jack Anderson article referred to above and which is attached ~~3~~ (This article was made available to Mr. John Richards of the IG Staff at that time.)

4. Mr. Bolten appeared satisfied and advised that no further action appeared necessary at this time. However, he expressed some

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concern over the possibility that we might have to re-open the matter again if and when the Agency is ever asked about same by one of the Congressional oversight committees insofar as the allegation pertains to Hunt because he was an Agency employee on the date in question. If this should occur, we would probably have to produce evidence that Hunt was not in Dallas on that day. We discussed various courses of action that we could take in this regard if necessary. "

10. Memo for the Record states that DDS+T have been asked to compare the trans photo with a photo of Hunt - "DDS+T's conclusions are unknown" dated 5/28/75.

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