

7 August 1995

Notes for the Record (I)

Subject: Meeting with ARRB Staff 4 August, 1995

Attendees: Jeremy Gunn
Mary McAuliffe
BoB Skwirot
Barry Harrelson

1. First part of meeting focused on action by the ARRB at the 2/3 August meeting. Gunn emphasize that the feedback he was giving me was unofficial and preliminary; that the staff had not complete its review of board actions. Action by the ARRB was taken on approximately 39 documents; a mix of "release in fulls", "release with redactions" and "tabled". These actions included:

A. LIENVOY released when context did not indicate joint or liaison activities (at least 8 documents); I was given an advance list. References to LIENVOY in liaison context and the words "Joint" and "Unilateral" were postponed to the year 2017. Gunn stressed that the ARRB discussed each LIENVOY individually -- no blanket release or denial

[note: 7 of the 8 document were ones that HRG and DO reviewers had concluded did not indicated joint tap.]

B. True names -- replaced with alias/pseudo when known subject to re-review in December; one exception where the name was illegible.

C. LI-9 protected for 10 years; however would like more information re current risk. Gunn said the Board was having a problem with LI-9 due to amount of information in public domain (Newman's book). They appeared to accept the need not to release new information on LI-9 or his relationship with the CIA at this time, but there is a debate re postponing information that has been released in other documents. Gunn suggested a statement from LI-9 would be useful evidence.

D. They also ask for additional information re continuing to protect LITAMIL-7 and LIRING-3

2. The remaining "Mexico City" documents will be on the agenda for the ARRB meeting schuedule for 27/28 August. They plan to complete the Chrono and Lopez Report at that meeting.