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TO : File

DATE: 6 January 1961

FROM : Mr. Holder *Wk*

SUBJECT: CARSWELL, Daniel

1. SAC/MFO advised this date that yesterday a reporter from the Reporter Dispatch, an Eastchester, New York newspaper, contacted Mr. ^{oc}(John BARRY) at his place of business and requested information concerning CARSWELL. The reporter advised that through a Havana, Cuba News Service, his paper learned that CARSWELL, an American citizen currently in prison in Havana, Cuba, was a resident of Eastchester, New York and, therefore, ^{ob}his paper was interested in learning further of CARSWELL. (BARRY) replied that CARSWELL was a transient resident at his home and that he received mail at that address. He advised the reporter that CARSWELL was employed by the Victor Vachuta Engineering Company and that in connection with his employment he travels extensively. In answer to the reporter's question as to whether CARSWELL was an electrical technician or engineer, ^{ob}(BARRY) advised that he believed CARSWELL was a management consultant for his employer. ^{oc}(BARRY) advised the reporter further that he and CARSWELL first came to know one another while civilian employees of the United States Air Force.

2. ^{ob}(BARRY) felt that the reporter's interest lessened considerably upon discovering that CARSWELL was not a permanent resident of Eastchester. He believed the reporter's name to be either ^{oc}(MULLIGAN) or ^{oc}(HOFFMAN).

3. Charles PHALEN was advised of the above information on this date.

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