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Note to: Bob Skwirot, ARRB Staff

Subject: Liaison related documents

Reference:

Phone call between Ellie and Jeremy, 12 February 1996

Attached are a list and documents (13) which show liaison relationships between the CIA and host services. They illustrate the problem of protecting liaison while releasing stations. These Documents were acted on by the Board at the January 5 meeting.

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5	104-10017-10040: Although the Board continues to protect the	·
1	liaison cryptonym in both paragraphs, the text shows Station	L. L.
1	cooperation with the Swedish service,	E
i	cooperation with the swedish services	
1.	104-10017-10058: Although the liaison cryptonym remains	
	protected, Paragraph 4 indicates liaison with the Swedishy	
	service.	
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1	104-10018-10089: Board has made a determination to release	1
	"your liaison" in Paragraph 1 in addition to identifying	
1	Stockholm Station	
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	104-10018-10091: With release of Stations (Stockholm,	
	Helsinki, Copenhagen, and Oslo, text reveals liaison with	
]	the respective local services.	
	104-10017-10036: Although the liaison cryptonym is	
	protected, the context of the cable clearly shows Station	
	(if released) has a liaison relationship with the Swedish	
	service	
ļ	104-10015-10425: The text of this cable from Rome.	
	responding to a multi-Station message, states that diaison	
1	traces will follow. Once the identification of the Station	
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1	is released, the existence of a liaison relationship with	
	the Italian service in November 1963 is revealed.	
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	104-10015-10420: Cable (Irom Oslo) in clear text indicates ind	
	liaison's traces; therefore, if the identification of the	
	Station is released, it will acknowledge the liaison	
	relationship between the Station and the Norwegian service.	Í
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	104-10015-10159: Paragraph 4 contains information that will	
)	show that Oslo Station had a technical operation directed	-
	against the Cuban target in Norway in November 1963. Also	
1	context of the cable reflects that the following Stations	
	have a relationship with their local liaisons: Paris, Rome,	
	Madrid, Copenhagen, Oslo, Helsinki, Brussels, the	1
	Netherlands, London, and Ottawa.	
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104-10015-10225: Paragraph 2 of the cable reflects that Rome Station had a technical operation in conjunction with the Italian liaison. Please note: The Board continues to protect the cryptonyms.

104-10015-10230: Cable reflects that Station had the access to photograph US passports at the Amsterdam Schipol Airport. It can be implied that that capability is due to a liaison relationship with the Dutch service.

104-10015-10255: Cable reflects (The Hague Station had a photo operation in the Netherlands. When reviewed with 104-10015-10230, it will be clear that the operation refers to the Schipol Airport operation.

104-10018-10088: Cable clearly shows that both Oslo and Stockholm Stations have a liaison relationship in their respective countries if the Stations are released.

104-10018-10080: At the bottom of Page 2 of the cable is the phrase "assume (Stockholm) still planned ask its liaison to interrogate." Release of Station and this phrase clearly reflects a liaison relationship with the Swedish service.

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