

STATEMENT ON KLAUS BARBIE

Recent allegations have been made that Klaus Barbie had a relationship with the United States Government in the years after World War II. Although this alleged relationship would have existed decades ago, we view its possible existence with a high degree of concern. Therefore, the Department of Justice is undertaking an inquiry to develop a factual record of any relationship that may have existed between Klaus Barbie and the U. S. Government.

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