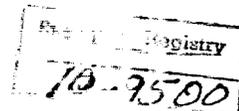


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To: Mr. Allen W. Dulles
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J. Edgar Hoover From: John Edgar Hoover, Director
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Subject: UNAUTHORIZED DISCLOSURE OF CLASSIFIED
INFORMATION RELATING TO THE ARTICLE
"SOVIETS FLIGHT TESTING NUCLEAR BOMBER"
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Reference is made to your memorandum to the members of the U. S. Intelligence Board dated December 2, 1958, concerning the above-captioned matter.

Inquiry by this Bureau has determined that no information concerning a nuclear powered Soviet aircraft was disseminated outside the Federal Bureau of Investigation in Washington. Further, the inquiry has determined that no one from this Bureau made any unauthorized disclosure of such information.

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