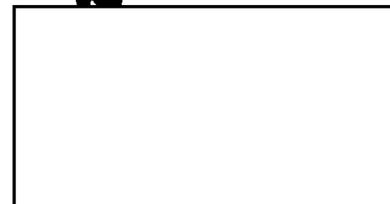


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CABLE

TO: DR. MCMILLAN, DIRECTOR, NRO

FROM: GENERAL CARTER, ACTING DIRECTOR, CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY



1. THIS REFERS TO OUR CONVERSATION IN YOUR OFFICE ON 30 NOVEMBER, OUR TELEPHONE CONVERSATION ON 1 DECEMBER, AND OUR SUBSEQUENT CONVERSATION IN SECRETARY VANCE'S OFFICE ON THE AFTERNOON OF 1 DECEMBER, ALL IN CONNECTION

25X1 WITH [REDACTED] AT THE AP FACILITY AT

[REDACTED] AS I HAVE PREVIOUSLY POINTED OUT TO YOU,

25X1 [REDACTED] HAS PERFORMED HIS DUTIES IN FULL ACCORD WITH APPROPRIATE DIRECTIVES UNDER WHICH HE HAS BEEN ASSIGNED HIS RESPONSIBILITIES.

2. ALTHOUGH HE IS AN AIR FORCE OFFICER, HE WAS ASSIGNED TO THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY IN JULY 1962 -- AN ASSIGNMENT WHICH NORMALLY LASTS THREE YEARS -- AND HIS ASSIGNMENTS WITHIN THE AGENCY HAVE BEEN DETERMINED BY THE COMMAND STRUCTURE HERE. I AM INFORMED THAT YOU HAVE ISSUED ORDERS

25X1 RETURNING [REDACTED] TO THE AIR FORCE, RELIEVING HIM FROM THE AP FACILITY AND REASSIGNING HIM TO [REDACTED]

25X



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3. I CONSIDER THIS AN UNPRECEDENTED ACTION AND ESPECIALLY SO WHEN TAKEN IN THE LIGHT OF AND SUBSEQUENT TO OUR UNRESOLVED CONVERSATIONS.

4. I DESIRE TO RETAIN ON 25X1
DETAIL TO THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY TO CONTINUE HIS
ASSIGNMENT WITH THE ACCORDINGLY, 25X
I REQUEST THAT YOU RESCIND ANY ORDERS ISSUED IN CONFLICT WITH
THE FOREGOING.

END OF MESSAGE

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MSC:blp (2 Dec 64)

CABLE TO DIRECTOR, NRO, FROM GENERAL CARTER

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25X1

WITH [REDACTED] AT THE [REDACTED]

25X

[REDACTED] AS I HAVE PREVIOUSLY POINTED OUT TO YOU, COLONEL WEBB HAS PERFORMED HIS DUTIES IN FULL ACCORD WITH APPROPRIATE DIRECTIVES UNDER WHICH HE HAS BEEN ASSIGNED HIS RESPONSIBILITIES.

X1

2. ALTHOUGH HE IS AN AIR FORCE OFFICER, HE IS ^{WAS} CURRENTLY ~~ASSIGNED~~ ^{ASSIGNED} DETAILED TO THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY AND HIS ASSIGNMENTS ^{WITHIN} WHILE WITH THE AGENCY ^{HAVE BEEN} SHOULD BE DETERMINED BY THE ~~COMMAND~~ STRUCTURE HERE. I AM INFORMED THAT YOU

25X1

^{returning} [REDACTED] ^{to the Air Force} HAVE ISSUED ORDERS RELIEVING [REDACTED] FROM THE

25X1

AP FACILITY AND REASSIGNING HIM TO [REDACTED]

25X

^{#.} I DESIRE TO RETAIN [REDACTED] ON

25X1

DETAIL TO THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY TO CONTINUE

3. I consider this an unprecedented action and especially so when taken ^{in the light of and} subsequent to our unresolved ^{concerns}

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HIS ASSIGNMENT WITH THE



ACCORDINGLY, I ^{request} ~~DESIRE~~ THAT YOU RESCIND ANY ORDERS
ISSUED IN CONFLICT WITH THE FOREGOING.

25X

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**CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY
OFFICIAL ROUTING SLIP**

25X1

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Remarks:

Per my conversation with you a moment ago, attached is the draft cable from General Carter to Dr. McMillan. Would you please have it typed up in final cable form and sent out from down there -- it need not come back here for release, but please put us on distribution for a comeback copy. NRO NRO

Thanks, 25X1

P.S. As you'll see, it needs classification.

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