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The Honorable J. Edward Day *con*
Postmaster General
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Ed:

Your letter of October 20 concerning the CIA participation in the United Givers campaign has just been brought to my attention. I am pleased to be able to inform you that since the time of your earlier report our campaign has made steady progress and our units are running several percentage points ahead of last year's participation. We feel that we will reach, if not exceed our goal, and will look forward to particularly heavy returns coming in at the time of the 9 November pay day, which as you know will reflect the recent pay increase.

I can assure you that all of our key men are putting forth every effort to insure that we not only reach our quota but that we have the highest percentage of participation.

Sincerely,

(Signed) JOHN A. McCONE

John A. McCone
Director

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Office of the Postmaster General
Washington 25, D. C.

October 20, 1962

The Honorable John A. McCone
Director
Central Intelligence Agency
Washington, D. C.

Dear John:

This year I am head of the Government Unit of the United Givers campaign for the National Capital Area. Our Unit has the responsibility for raising nearly half of the total quota and as of last week, we had raised 92% of our Government Unit quota.

I am advised that the latest report shows CIA at 45% of its goal although a number of other major federal agencies are already well over 100%.

I hope that you can express to your key workers on this campaign your personal concern that CIA should come up with a good result. While the total Government Unit quota is \$3,400,000, we are making every effort to surpass the total actually raised last year which was \$3,769,000. In order to accomplish that objective, quotas must be substantially exceeded.

I hope that when you find you are going to be free for lunch, you will let me know, even at the last minute, in the hope that we can get together for a visit - not about UGF but about California.

Kindest personal regards.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to be "J. Edward Day". The signature is stylized and written in a cursive-like font.

J. Edward Day
Postmaster General

MEMORANDUM FOR:

Mr. Beatrus called this afternoon to say he had had no word yet from this Agency re Postmaster General Day's call of yesterday.

His extension and code is 8221 or 8222 on 177. Do you wish to have Mr. call him?

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October 25, 1962
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October 24, 1962

11:45 a.m. Postmaster General Day called and asked that we ask Mr. McCone who their people can get in touch with as to whether there is an interest from the government in maintaining mail service with Cuba by some means or other. There is no airmail available by commercial means and all of the surface mail now has to go by Mexico and Canada. Would there be an interest from the standpoint of incoming mail and communications. Mr. Day would like to get some guidance before they go ahead with their normal action which would be to announce that no airmail service is now available, and that they will send the surface mail by way of Mexico and Canada, but will not assume responsibility for its delivery. If Mr. Day is not in his office when we return the call, either Mr. Beatrus or Mr. Abell will take the message.

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(The call came in on the White House line).

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