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[ ] Lincoln  
[ ] , Guatemala [ ] Info: Washington  
[ ] Operational Report

1. Attached are copies of letters sent to [ ]
2. These letters were prepared by the station from drafts submitted by [ ]  
[ ] They were passed to [ ] on 11 May 1954 for posting by [ ]
3. [ ] observed that the violent disposal of one of the addressees, particularly [ ] might have considerable propaganda value, especially if the death or capture was followed by black distribution of the attached letters in leaflet form.

[ ] feels that it would demonstrate that the opposition really means business and the sending of more letters thereafter to selected target personalities would have a terrific impact. He added, however, that he does not have anyone who could handle the violent disposal and suggested that someone might be sent in from outside. This course of action might, of course, invite wholesale reprisals that would negate any supposed benefits. For that reason we are not disposed to recommend such action at this time. Lincoln, however, may wish to study the suggestion for utility now or in the future.

Encls as noted [ ]

13 May 1954

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[ 3-page attachments to 14 May 1954  
Operational report have been withheld ]  
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