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1. It is strongly recommended that increased effort on your part be made to complete your central file of agents. The recent arrest of ISSEL, Paul, by the British and his pending deportation to Denmark could possibly have been prevented if your organization could have identified ISSEL without delay.

2. The ISSEL case can be used as a warning to those who are reluctant to submit names to your central file, because it must be emphasized that no effort will be made to protect them if they cannot be identified as working for a U.S. agency. It will also prevent statements as follows, allegedly said by one of your agents to the British who arrested ISSEL: "If the SOB Americans won't protect us, we won't work for them".

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