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GAO TEAM INVOLVED IN TERRORISM STUDY PROJECT AND

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1974-75 ALFRED LAUN AND JOHN EGAN KIDNAPING CASES IN ARGENTINA,

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2. HQS REPS MET WITH MR. JOSEPH DIGIORGIO, GAO ASSISTANT DIRECTOR CHARGED WITH WORLDWIDE TERRORISM STUDY PROJECT, ON 17 APRIL TO DISCUSS GROUND RULES FOR ALL FUTURE REQUESTS FOR REACTION SUPPORT,

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The Honorable Stansfield Turner  
 Central Intelligence Agency  
 Langley, Virginia 20505

Attention: Office of Legislative Counsel

Dear Admiral Turner:

The General Accounting Office has begun a review of the effectiveness of the provisions for internationally protected persons and property (IPP&P). These provisions arise from the requirements and obligations established in international law and conventions, bilateral agreements, and national laws, such as the Protection of Foreign Diplomats Act, insofar as they seek to limit the exposure of IPP&P to terrorists acts.

We are going to focus on the readiness of U.S. Embassies to cope with terrorist actions; on the experience and capability of the host country in this regard and its support of the embassy; as well as on the capability of those U.S. organizations which are involved in the provisions of support to foreign missions and IPP&P in the U.S.

We believe we will need to work closely with those people in the Central Intelligence Agency who have experience in counter terrorist operations; know about terrorist organizations, methods, objectives, targets and effectiveness and particularly the specifics of some of the incidents which have impacted on IPP&P.

Mr. Joseph DiGiorgio is the Assistant Director in charge of this assignment. He will be making arrangements for meetings and data necessary in the course of this review. Should you have any questions, he can be reached at 275-5857.

Sincerely yours,



Frank C. Conahan  
 EB 1 - Associate Director

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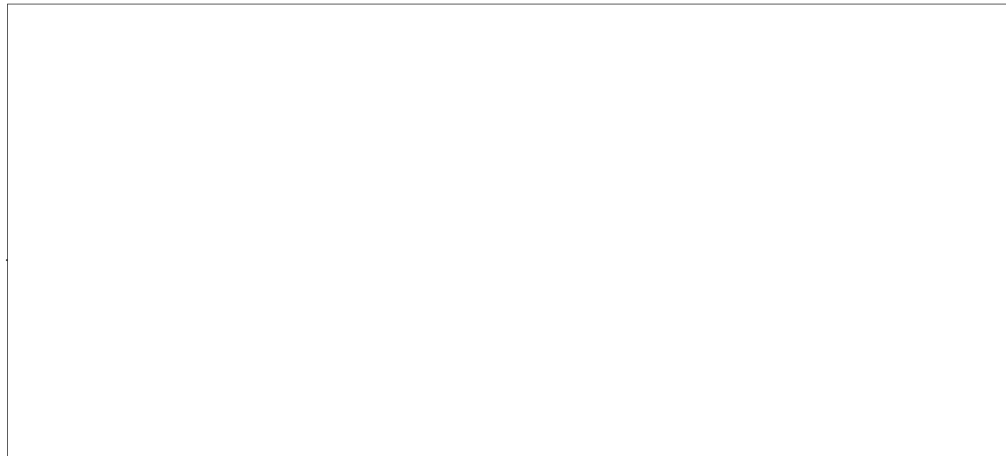
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D. REFERENCE THE STAPLETON CASE. DIA MAY HAVE SOME  
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