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25X1 1. [] Paul Borel called to say that he had met with a Mr. Ellsberry, a liaison contact in the Legislative Reference Service of the Library of Congress, to discuss with him the extent to which our Biographic Registry people can be of assistance to the Library of Congress on matters which the Library had previously taken up with the biographic unit in the State Department. Mr. Borel also said he was working on a paper which concerned itself with the extent to which BR should service calls received from various news media.

25X1 2. [] Personnel, called to say that Personnel office representatives had contacted [] over the weekend and had informed her that she would not be able to enter on duty as previously indicated. She also said that Representative John D. Dingell (D., Mich) had called the Personnel Office appointment clerk this morning concerning [] case. I talked with Mr. Dingell and learned that [] had resigned from her previous job in New York and was in the Washington area prepared to come to work. Dingell said that while he would not ordinarily press a matter of this sort, he felt [] was in an awkward position. I discussed the case again with [] and [] and they offered to stand by the original arrangement to have [] EOD on a provisional clearance basis since all reports on the Security investigation were not in and a final decision had not been made in her case. [] Security, agreed to this. I informed Congressman Dingell of this arrangement and he said he felt the Agency was "bending over backward in an attempt to resolve an awkward situation." [] was then contacted by Mr. Dingell and [] Personnel, and arrangements were made for her provisional EOD on 8 January 1962. A final determination of [] case will be made by the Director of Personnel.

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