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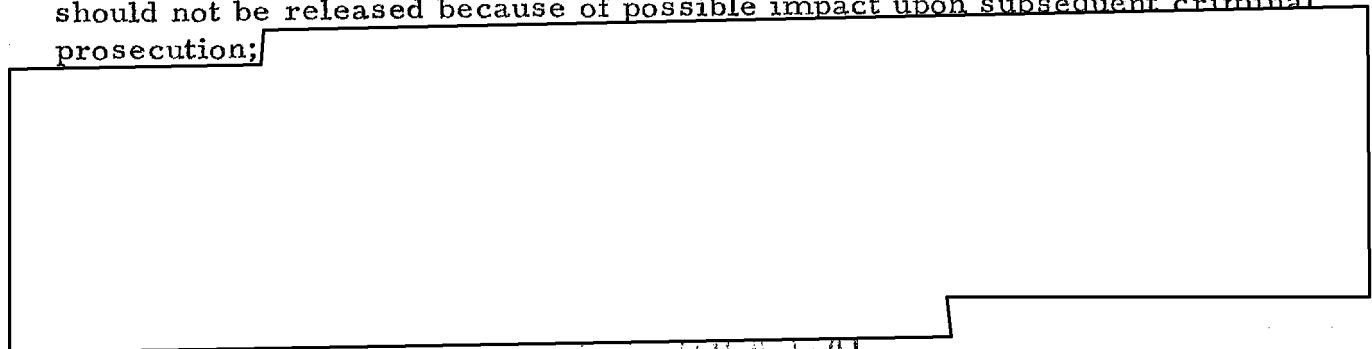
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28. (Internal Use Only - LLM) Learned in a call to Jack Keane, Department of Justice, at home, concerning [redacted] testimony before the Kastenmeier Subcommittee on Courts, Civil Liberties, and the Administration of Justice, House Judiciary Committee, in executive session, that the transcript was to be publicly released tomorrow at 9:00 a. m.; Justice's review had been limited to identifying information in the transcript which should not be released because of possible impact upon subsequent criminal prosecution; [redacted]

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29. (Internal Use Only - LLM) Dick Moose, Senate Foreign Relations Committee staff, called to request a briefing on Vietnam for Senators Hubert H. Humphrey (D., Minn.) and Dick Clark (D., Iowa) tomorrow at 2:00 p.m. in Senator Humphrey's office. [redacted] was alerted and either he or Mr. Layton will be available.

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30. (Unclassified - FMC) Received a call from Ms. Naomi Sweeney, OMB, who asked if arrangements could be made for a courier to pick up a copy of the 5% CAP bill package which was submitted to Congress yesterday. A courier picked up this package later in the day and delivered it to this office.

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Legislative Counsel

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5. (Unclassified - PLC) Lorena C. Alaux, Caseworker in the Santa Ana office of Representative Andrew J. Hinshaw (R., Calif.), called requesting the address that a group of college students might write to find if the Agency has any information concerning them. I gave Ms. Alaux the address of the Freedom of Information Coordinator.

6. (Unclassified - PLC) Received a call from Hilda Schreiber, ~~OMB~~ to advise us that the 5% CAP bill on retirement went to the Hill today. This is the bill limiting the cost-of-living increases for Government wide retirement.

7. (Confidential - LLM) Contacted Clark McFadden, General Counsel, Senate Armed Services Committee, alerting him of the Executive branch position of no comment on the program described in this morning's paper, and the underlying reasons therefor. McFadden agreed, was sure this was the basic feeling of Chairman John C. Stennis (D., Miss.) also, and advised that there had been some confirming statements by some Senators when cornered by reporters outside the Senate chamber this morning.

Later in the day I recontacted McFadden concerning the query from the staff of Senator Stuart Symington's (D., Mo.) office on the cost of the project, explaining that I was prepared to provide the figure directly to McFadden and would refer the call to the Subcommittee. McFadden, preferring not to be in the middle on this one, recommended that the information be transmitted by letter to Chairman Stennis, which was done based upon information provided by [redacted], DDS&T.

McFadden requested a chronology of the unraveling of the security surrounding the project. [redacted] is pulling this together.

8. (Confidential - LLM) Contacted Ralph Preston, House Appropriations Committee staff, explaining to him the Executive branch position of no comment on the program described in this morning's paper, and the underlying reasons therefor; Preston agreed. Furthermore, Preston added that the Subcommittee in a meeting this morning had agreed to handle it in this manner.

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