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MEMORANDUM FOR: [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: Notification to FBI and I & N S of arrival in the United States of aliens

1. Reference is made to the reported oral understanding between ADPC and Lawrence Houston, GC/CIA, regarding the method of notifying FBI and I & N S of the expected arrival in the United States of aliens of interest to OPC/CIA.

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2. In accordance with your request this matter has again been discussed with [REDACTED]. He advised that Mr. Houston confirmed his previous statement that he had discussed this matter with you and it is Houston's understanding that all notifications to the FBI on the arrival of aliens were to be given to that agency through the Director's office. It was pointed out that the communication could be over the signature of ADPC but it would have to go through the Director's office. According to [REDACTED] there are no exceptions to this procedure.

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3. With reference to I & N S, [REDACTED] advised that OPC should supply the expected time of arrival of aliens to the General Counsel's office thereby enabling that office to notify I & N S. It should be noted that this matter was not discussed with ADPC at the time of the above-mentioned conversation between you and Mr. Houston. He stated further that this procedure had been SOP ever since that office had been dealing with the problem.

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4. The writer has not seen any written procedure on these two problems and [REDACTED] reported that he did not think the procedures had been reduced to writing.

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5. For your information, [REDACTED] has requested that in our memorandum to him of the Hungarian matter that these two points be covered together with the others involved in that case. It is hoped that all the necessary information will be available today in order that a complete report on the [REDACTED] case can be submitted to the Director.

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