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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

FROM:

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SUBJECT:

CBS Interviews

1. At 0725 tomorrow morning, you will arrive at the CBS studios for two interviews:

a. CBS Morning News: This program, which will begin its 14th year in September, is carried on approximately 200 stations with close to 2 million viewers. It is hosted by two anchormen: Hughes Rudd in New York and Bruce Morton in Washington. You will be interviewed on this program at about 0745 by Bruce Morton and Fred Graham. Highlighted biographies on both are attached. Also attached is a 3x5 card with three areas which you should work to include in the interview regardless of the questions.

You previously met Fred Graham when he was one of the panelists on FACE THE NATION in March. He questioned you about your position taken in the confirmation hearings on criminal sanctions against those who leak or use classified information. You might expect this line of questioning to be repeated.

Bruce Morton is a straight-forward and objective interviewer. He has been wary of our relationship with Congress in the past and has made reference to the "clubby feeling" which has existed between CIA and the Hill.