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Ambassador Rozanne L. Ridgway  
Assistant Secretary of State  
for European & Canadian Affairs  
U.S. Department of State  
Room 6228  
Washington, D.C. 20520

Dear Ambassador Ridgway:

I am writing with respect to the Verbal Note from the Embassy of Austria to the U.S. Department of State dated 22 October 1987, copy attached at Tab A. As you are aware, this Note seeks access to an OSS document dated 26 April 1945 that was identified in response and denied in its entirety to a number of FOIA requests for any information concerning Austrian Federal President Kurt Waldheim. The basis of the denial was FOIA exemptions b(1) [classification - foreign government information] and b(3) [intelligence sources and methods].

After appropriate coordination with the originator of this document, an allied government, a copy of the relevant portion is hereby provided at Tab B for your information. This document retains its classification of SECRET and may not be provided or its contents communicated to any other party without the approval of the Central Intelligence Agency.

Lastly, for your response to the Austrian request, a redacted copy of the most relevant portion is hereby provided at Tab C for passage to the Austrian Embassy. The Government of Austria should be advised that this form of the document retains its classification of SECRET and may not be provided or its contents communicated to any other party without the approval of the United States. In addition, the Department should make NO representation as to the identity of the originator of the document.

If there should be any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me on [351-2083] or secure [30554].

Sincerely,

[Signature]

LEE S. STICKLAND  
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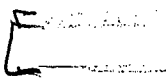
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