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The Secretary of State
Washington, D. C.

As specified under Title 22, Chapter I, Part 51, Subpart B, Section 51.135 of
the Supplement to Passport Regulations of the Department of State, I do hereby
affirm that

1. I do not now support the world Communist movement of which the Communist party
is an integral unit," and , that I have never supported such a movement.
2. I am not now, and have never been a member of the Communist Party.
3. I have not knowingly engaged in any activities because of the "result of
direction, domination, or control exercised over me by the Communist movement."
4. I am not going abroad for the purposes of, have never gone abroad for the pur-
poses of, and have never been asked to go abroad for the purposes of "engaging
in activities which will advance the Communist movement for the purpose, know-
ingly and willfully of advancing that movement."

The four passports issued to me since 1932 have been utilized as follows:

- 1932: Europe; purposes of vacation and travel under an Open Roadstour.
- 1938: Caribbean Area: to round out my demographic studies of the West Indies.
(Published as The Negro Immigrant. Columbia Uni. Press. NY. 1939).
- 1939: England: To continue demographic studies at the London School of Economics.
West Africa: for vacation, research, and to visit friends and acquaintances
in Liberia, Gold Coast, and Nigeria. They included the US Minister to
Liberia, Lester A. Walton; Deaver P. Young, a Firestone Co. representative
in Monrovia; A Casely-Hayford, then Magistrate, Koféfádua, Gold Coast,
now Minister of Agriculture; the Alake of Abeokuta in Nigeria.
- 1948: England and France: Conducting a Ship Orientation Program for Foreign and
American students, auspices of the American Friends Service Committee.
- 1949: Switzerland and France: Vacation, and to conduct a west-bound Ship Orienta-
tion Program for Youth Argosy.
- 1952: It was planned to attend the World Friends Conference in England as a rep-
resentative of the American Friends Service Committee, and to visit their
work camps in England and France, thereafter. My responsibilities as direct-
or of the Foreign Student Orientation Program on the College campus (a pro-
gram conducted by the Institute of International Education for the Depart-
ment of State, and on which I have worked two successive summers) did not
permit me to leave the country for that period of time.
I have been requested to attend the Kingston, Jamaica meetings of the Car-
ibbean Commission during the latter part of this month, as a prelude to the
fertility studies of that area which I have been asked to undertake.

This statement is made under the conditions prescribed by law. I affirm that the
facts cited herein are true.

Ira De Augustine Reid

This is to certify that Ira De A. Reid appeared before me on this date, signed this
document in my presence, and affirmed that the above statements are true.

DATE: 11/15/52

Mary Moore McGehee Notary
Public My commission expires 2/1/53

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