

2 November 1973

MEMORANDUM FOR: Acting General Counsel

SUBJECT: Mr. E. Howard Hunt - Alias Birth Certificate

1. On 30 October 1973 I saw Mr. John S. Warner, Acting General Counsel, to discuss two outstanding requests from the Special Prosecutor's office in regard to U.S. passports which had been issued to E. Howard Hunt and a MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD on Mr. Robert Bennett's session with the U.S. Prosecutor Silbert in July 1972. I handed Mr. Warner a memorandum listing the type, number and dates of the 2 passports which Mr. Hunt was issued between 1950 and 1970. In reviewing the information in this memorandum, I mentioned Mr. Hunt's tour in Spain in the middle 1960's and the fact that I had been instructed not to include Mr. Hunt and his activities in my inspection of the Madrid Station in 1965. I also mentioned to Mr. Warner that I remembered two discussions with Mr. Skip Dunn late in 1972 during which he inquired of me whether CIA had ever issued an alias passport to Mr. Hunt. I said that as I recalled, CIA did not initiate the issuance of a U.S. alias passport, but that Mr. Hunt did have in his possession an alias travel document. This came as a surprise to Mr. Warner. He had not been previously aware that Mr. Hunt possessed a U.S. international travel document in alias. As a result he called Mr. John Richards, Office of the IG, and asked whether Mr. Richards was aware of this and whether Mr. Dunn's reports provided this information. After an interval, Mr. Richards called back and told Mr. Warner that I had provided information to Mr. Dunn that Mr. Hunt had a tourist card in alias. According to Mr. Richards, Mr. Dunn's memorandum quoted me as saying that my information came from an "A-1 source." At that moment, I could not recall having made such a statement.

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2. Upon my return from Mr. Warner's office, I consulted with Mr. James W. Franklin, Chief, Official Cover Branch, CCS, with whom I had discussed Mr. Dunn's inquiry in late 1972. I asked Mr. Franklin whether he could refresh my memory. This he did immediately. He reminded me that a newspaper article (Tab A) had appeared claiming that one of the Watergate 5 had carried a U.S. passport in the name of Edward Hamilton. This newspaper article had been seen by Mr. Robert Johnson, Deputy Director of the U.S. Passport Office, who had had the U.S. Passport Office files examined with negative results. Mr. Johnson then determined from the FBI that the document involved was not a U.S. passport in the name of Edward Hamilton but a tourist card in that name. I then remembered that because the information came from the FBI via Mr. Johnson, I had not identified the source of my information. I immediately called Mr. Warner and advised him of the foregoing.


3. Later in the afternoon of 30 October 1973 Mr. Franklin came to my office with a number of documents. They consisted of a form memorandum signed by me which was addressed to Mr. Hunt dated 29 June 1970 (Tab B), a list of names numbering from 1 through 154, representing true names (Tab C), and a second listing similarly numbered, representing aliases (Tab D). Number 63 on the true name list reads E. Howard Hunt and on the alias list, Edward Joseph Hamilton. Mr. Franklin explained -- which I had forgotten -- that we had obtained from TSD this list of outstanding alias birth certificates issued by TSD in an attempt to recall -- if possible -- as many of these documents, or to determine what had happened to them. (Most of these alias birth certificates were issued in connection with the Bay of Pigs Operation.) The memorandum was never forwarded to Mr. Hunt because by June 1970, he had been retired for 3 months. This memorandum had not been included in Mr. Hunt's cover file but had been kept with the working papers pertaining to the action trying to recall as many of the outstanding alias birth certificates as possible. As a result, the repeated reviews of Mr. Hunt's cover file had not yielded the information that an alias birth certificate had been issued to him. 97 of the 154 aliases were not previously recorded in the CCS central index and the indexing after the acquisition of the list had been overlooked. The surfacing of these documents at this time occurred because in re-discussing Mr. Hunt's possession of an international travel document in alias reminded Mr. Franklin of the 1970 CCS exercise of recouping outstanding alias birth certificates. Discussions on the same subject in December 1972 simply did not result in the same memory association.

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4. In the late afternoon of 30 October 1973 Mr. Franklin and I saw Mr. Warner, reported the foregoing facts to him, showed him the documents, and agreed that we would ask Mr. Johnson to check the Passport Office files once more to confirm that no U.S. passport in the name of Edward Joseph Hamilton had ever been issued to Mr. Hunt. The result of Mr. Johnson's check is still outstanding at the time of this writing.



ERICH W. ISENSTEAD
Chief, Cover & Commercial Staff

4 Atts:

- A: News Article
- B: 29 June 70 Form Memo to Hunt
- C: True Name Listing
- D: Alias Name Listing

cc: IG via DDO

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1. ASAKIS, Gendaris
2. AASAL, Glen 6175
3. SHIMWOOD, John 11007
4. ADKINS, Matt 42-336
5. ADERHOLT, Harry Clay 42-1057-1-1
6. RAGOWA, Ferruggia PK
7. BARAKAUSKAS, Algio PK
8. BROWN, James W. 4747-1-1
9. SPEND, Horace III 8435
10. Anthrill-I (Crypt) PK *Julio Kauri Barreto*
11. ROSENBAUM, William A. 13915
12. SEWARD, Major William A. Jr. PK
13. BEALE, W. H. 42-336
14. BEMAS, Alis PK
15. BECHT, Jerome F. PK - 1271
16. ERICKSON, Paul 14317
17. KIMMER, James F. PK
18. BARQUIN, Casimiro 7797
19. BECKER, Alexander PK
20. DYERK, Stephen Joe 42-3097
21. BURKE, Paul J. 7797
22. BRADFIELD, Tony Edward 42-336
23. SHERWOOD, John 11007
24. MELBERG, Robert L. 2219
25. SHACKLEY, Theodore 6777
26. BRANTLEY, Herbert PK
27. BURKE, Paul J. 8497
28. BLAIR, William 7181
29. CUNNINGHAM, James Allen Jr. 5311
30. CHAS, Peter
31. ~~CHAS, Peter~~
32. BARTLEY, Cletus Winton 42-336
33. CAREY, William David 4274
34. CARTER, William R. 42-336
35. CROCE, Andrew 4274
36. FLORES, Thomas J. 2031
37. DAIGA, Janis 42-421
38. DALEY, V. J. 111
39. **CHIPMAN, Harold E. 7157**
40. DILLON, John E. 9740
41. DE GARDER, Constantine PK
42. **DEICONS, William H. 1545**
43. DALY, Vincent S. 11207
44. DUBOIS, Rene E. 9254
45. EGAN, Frank J. 1111
46. EMBERS, Rudolf A. 10015
47. EDWARDS, William Monroe Jr. 1111
48. None
49. HEATH, Donald R. 1111
50. FUCHS, Robert H. 1111
51. FRANKLIN, Lucian V. Jr. 5741
52. FLICK, Charles E. 17765
53. ~~FRANK, John~~
54. FRANK, Frank 7422
55. FRANK, Robert Peter 48-336
56. GIBBY, Charles H. 3257
57. GRINE *Greano, Aubrey*
58. BRUGGIAT, Pedro Gonzalez PK
59. GONDI, Cecil Mario 14167
60. TISLER, Frantisek 16123
61. GREENE, Bill PK 5-1567
62. GRAMM, Barbara 7278
63. HUNT, Howard E. 9 1088
64. None
65. HAWKINS, Jack PK
66. HORN, Rufus A. Jr. 11749
67. HILDALGO, Barney
68. HEWITT, Thomas Y. 9922
69. ~~HEWITT, Thomas Y.~~
70. HECHT, Elmer Edward 42-2156
71. IWASKIN, Andrij PK
72. JENCOSK, Stephen PK
73. **JANCHUK, Nicholas PK**
74. **JAROSZEWICZ, Sigmund E. PK**
75. JAUZEMIS, Ulis PK
76. JOHANSON, Ivar PK 7428
77. JASUKOW, Nikolai PK
78. KYKER, Benjamin Franklin 3111
79. KAPUSTA, Peter 10778
80. KARKLINS, Zigurds PK
81. KRYZANIMSKY, Myron PK
82. KOCALA, Paul PK
83. **KAPPES, G. 1272** *George M.*
84. KURTZ, Walter PK
85. KIDA, Jack 10120
86. KENNEDY, John W. 1111
87. KRUTYHOLONA, Walter PK
88. KREGZDYS, Joseph 42-25-103
89. ~~KREGZDYS, Joseph~~
90. LAMBERS, John PK
91. ~~LAMBERS, John~~
92. **LEE, Watson Hwa Shen 10580**
93. MAYERFELD, Ernest 5254
94. KLEIN, Theodore 5570
95. LOPUSZANSKY, Myrosław 47-50
96. LUPU, Andrei Nicolae PK
97. Unknown
98. **MAWNEY, Philip J. 42-336**
99. **CHIPMAN, Harold E. 7168**
100. MASLOVSKY, Serge 7-255
101. MARTINEZ, Ruben 10104
102. SMITH, Haviland Jr. 4593
103. MOORE, Andrew F. PK 25-5
104. MARSAN, Frank 2-2994
105. KRISCHELD, George PK
106. MULANE, Gerald J. PK 25

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107. BARQUIN, Casimiro 1771
 108. MORALES David S. 3643
 109. [REDACTED]
 110. NEWMASER, Harry Richard NR
 111. NASARENKO, Michael NR
 112. PIEPER, Harry C. 3-13-633
 113. PHILLIPS, William D. 2610
 114. GREENE, Harris
 115. PASLAWSKY, Nicholas NR
 116. PAWLYSZYN, Myroslaw NR
 117. FRANK, Maryado 43-1
 118. MOORE, Robert Butler 4271
 119. PRIBANYEC, Janos NR
 120. None ✓
 121. RASTENIS, Jonas NR
 122. REYNOLDS, Malcolm Eugene 1027
 123. RAUS, Juri 154
 124. RIKAND, Enno NR
 125. AMLEO-3 (Crypt) NR
 126. **RATCLIFF, Richard** 18
 127. REEVES, John M. Jr. 10691
 128. [REDACTED]
 129. REYNOLDS, Robert E. NR
 130. [REDACTED]
 131. RUCKER, Lucian O. Jr. 10764
 132. [REDACTED]
 133. SULLIVAN, Dennis B. 5-3591
 134. [REDACTED]
 135. [REDACTED]
 136. STAROSTENKO, Henry NR
 137. IMLER, Norman C. 2052
 138. SLEEPER, Gordon 11255
 139. None ✓
 140. None ✓
 141. GONZALO, QUESADA Jr. NR
 142. SAGER, John 4192 - N-122
 143. SMITH, Edmund Gambrell - 48-338
 144. SLENYS, Lindsa K. NR
 145. SOLNZEFF, Henry 1203
 146. SOLER, Eva Diana NR
 147. SATINSKAS, Henry NR
 148. STEVENS, George A. 17-336
 149. WALLIN, Jack NR
 150. TASHEFF, Mary 11184

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151. AINAN, James Henry NR 49-
 152. STOIAKEN, Nicholas P. 112-4
 153. TALLEY, Ulo 116
 154. **TURK, Leo L.** 118
 155. [REDACTED]
 156. **THOMAS, Edward** ✓
 157. None ✓
 158. TRIANOSKY, Harry 349
 159. VINING, James L. 25-557 - R
 160. VAN COURTNEY, Donald NR
 161. HARVEY, William K. R.C. 2375
 162. BULIK, Joseph 3704
 163. WILL, Kenneth John 48-581
 164. SHORTALL, John W. Jr. 14856
 165. WATTS, Roy Furniss 25-3011
 166. **MERTZ, Richard** 2601
 167. None ✓
 168. ZANKIN, Myroslaw NR
 169. ALAGAZE-1 (Crypt)

LODYGEVSKI, R. - NR
 NR-1