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Enclosed for the Bureau is one copy of an FD-302 concerning interview of subject. (U)

Information contained herein is classified "Secret" unless otherwise noted.

As indicated in enclosed FD-302, subject was interviewed on 2/11/78, by SAs and and at which time he furnished the information contained in the FD-302, and established himself as the person reported by to have been () in contact with TRUONG DINH HUNG on 12/23/77.

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