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TITLE	CHARACTER OF CASE
FRANK J. MALINA, with alias Dr. Frank J. Malina	INTERNAL SECURITY - R CUSTODIAL DETENTION

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS: Subject born Brenham, Texas, 10/2/12, professor at California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, and in charge of Gal-Cit Project No. 1 of U.S. Army Air Corps. Subject attended Communist meetings about three years ago, having invited Informant T-1 who also attended. Informant T-2 reports subject held Communist meetings at his home and passed out Communist literature on the Army project to fellow workers. Mail cover placed with negative results.

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DETAILS:

Investigation was instituted upon information being received from Source T-10.

AT PASADENA, CALIFORNIA:

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NAME: FRANK J. MALINA.

ADDRESS: 800 South Hudson Street, Pasadena, California

OCCUPATION: Assistant Professor, Aeronautics Department, California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, California; in charge of Gal-Cit Project No. 1 of the United States Air Corps at Pasadena; Secretary-Treasurer, Aero-Jet Engineering Corporation, Pasadena.

APPROVED AND FORWARDED: [signature] SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE

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CITIZENSHIP: United States citizen; born at Brenham, Texas, October 2, 1912.

DESCRIPTION:

Height:	5' 8"
Weight:	130 lbs.
Eyes:	Brown
Hair:	Brown
Complexion:	Dark
Scars & marks:	Scar on tip of chin
Education:	B.S. degree, 6/1/34, Texas A & M; M.S., June, 1935, C.I.T.; Ph.D. Sept., 1937, C.I.T.

DR. MALINA spent five years in Czecho-Slovakia studying and is reported to speak and read both German and Russian. (Source of Information T-3.)

Relatives: [redacted]

Father, FRANK MALINA, 618 So. Baylor St., Brenham, Texas

Criminal record: None known

Military record: Dr. MALINA held a Lieutenant's commission in the U.S. Army until June 26, 1942, when his resignation was accepted by MACH EMERSON, Adjutant General, Washington, D.C., because subject had been classified as a key faculty member of California Institute of Technology. (Source of Information T-4.)

ORGANIZATIONS: Subject was reported to have attended Communist Party meetings, having been held at the home of [redacted] Pasadena, and having held Communist meetings at his home. (Source of Information T-2.)

LOYALTY AND ACTIVITIES: Source of Information T-2 advised that Dr. FRANK J. MALINA, Director of Gal-Cit Project No. 1, an Army Air Corps restricted project, has passed out Communist literature on this project to fellow workers. Dr. MALINA is reported by T-2 to have held Communist meetings at his residence up until about June of 1941, these meetings being held every Tuesday night. Informant advised that as far as he knows no meetings are being held at the present time.

T-2 advised also that MALINA was active at one time in receiving [redacted]

On November 4, 1942 reporting Agent and Special Agent [redacted] interviewed Confidential Informant T-1 who stated that he was well acquainted with the subject and knew considerable about the personal life of subject as well as his business. When T-1 was questioned concerning

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the loyalty of the subject he voluntarily stated that, "MALINA was associated with groups of 'pinks' at Cal Tech about three years ago." When asked what he meant by "pinks" he stated "The group was radical but I believe them to have been merely philosophical in possessing their views and that they would never be active in doing anything to change the form of Government which we now have."

T-1 stated that about three years ago [redacted] to attend meetings at the home of [redacted] Pasadena. T-1 stated that [redacted] was at that time a [redacted] and that he was certain that [redacted] He stated that [redacted] and at these meetings there was a [redacted] (phonetic) who reported the Communist Party of Los Angeles at these meetings. T-1 stated that there were approximately six to eight other members of the faculty [redacted] at these meetings and that at that time at the meetings the group studied the writings of KARL MARX and STRACHEY, an English writer. (JOHN STRACHEY is a noted English writer and Communist lecturer.) T-1 stated that he attended several of these meetings [redacted]

T-1 stated that to his knowledge the subject has not been active at all in any radical or Communist activities in the past three years; [redacted]

T-1 stated that, "At present MALINA is out to win this war and is solidly behind the war effort". However, T-1 stated that the loyalty of the subject would be questionable if he had decide between our form of Government and that of Russia.

T-1 stated that the following are [redacted]

Secretary and Treasurer, Dr. FRANK J. MALINA.

[redacted]

[redacted] mentioned by Confidential Informant T-1 is believed to be [redacted] California. [redacted]

[redacted]

(Confidential informant T-5.)

On September 17, 1942 reporting Agent interviewed Confidential Informant T-6, who stated that it had been rumored among those working with the subject that the subject was a Communist and had at one time invited certain other persons to attend Communist meetings, but that he had no definite information that the subject was in any way connected with the Communist Party. However, T-6 stated that he had observed that the subject was a great believer in Russia and was often praising the Russians and that this hsd been going on for the past several years. T-6 has never seen any Communist literature passed out by the subject. T-6 stated that the subject was very capable and very efficient in the work in which he was doing, and that he believed him to be solidly behind the war effort.

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Confidential Informant T-7 advised that on or about September 17 that there was a large gathering at the home of the subject which lasted until about midnight, but except for this instance and a gathering on October 11, 1942 which was at approximately 5:15 P.M., no group had been noticed at the subject's present address, which is at 800 South Hudson Street, Pasadena.

Confidential Informant T-8 gave the following information concerning subject: T-8 stated that subject is a Doctor of Philosophy and is a professor at California Institute of Technology. T-8 advised that [redacted]

T-9 advised that the subject lived at 1266 Cordova Avenue, Pasadena, California, from September 1, 1941 until June 10, 1942. T-9 had observed no meetings at the subject's home during this period, but stated they had only a normal number of visitors, these being mostly young couples. This was all the information that T-9 had concerning subject.

It was ascertained from Confidential Informant T-4 that the subject was born on October 2, 1912 at Brenham, Texas, [redacted] T-4 stated that subject is employed:
(1) as assistant professor of aeronautics, California Institute of Technology;
(2) as Cooperative Agent for the Soil Conservation Service, Pasadena; and
(3) as Secretary and Treasurer of the Aero-Jet Engineering Corporation.

On July 31, 1942 [redacted] of Guggenheim Aeronautics Laboratory, California Institute of Technology, filed an affadavit stating that the subject was employed as assistant professor in the Aeronautics Department and Chief Engineer of the Gal-Cit Project No. 1, and further stated "Several of our contracts have A-1-A and A-A-3 priority

ratings. Dr. MALINA is in charge of a research project considered of vital importance by the United States Army Air Force."

It was ascertained also from T-4 that by letter from headquarters, Ninth Corps Area, Fort Douglas, Utah, dated July 7, 1942 endorsing a letter of June 26, 1942 to Lieutenant FRANK MALINA from MACH EMERSON, Adjutant General, Washington, D.C., that the resignation of MALINA as a lieutenant of the United States Army had been accepted and that he had been classified as a key faculty member of California Institute of Technology.

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By letter dated September 24, 1942 it was requested of the [redacted] that have been received at this office have been reviewed by the reporting Agent with negative results.

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IDENTITIES OF SOURCES OF INFORMATION:

T-1 - [redacted]

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T-3 - [redacted]

T-4 - [redacted]

T-5 - [redacted]

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United States Department of Justice
Los Angeles 13, California
January 19, 1944

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Director, FBI

Re: FRANK J. MALINA, WA
SECURITY MATTER C

Dear Sir:

A review of this file in the Los Angeles Field Division reflects that a Summary Report was submitted on November 28, 1942 by Special Agent [redacted]

A Security Matter Index Card has as yet not been received and this fact is being called to your attention inasmuch as it is felt you may desire to have one prepared.

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Very truly yours,

R. B. HOOD, S.A.C.

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United States Department of Justice
Los Angeles - 13 - California
February 16, 1944

Director, FBI

RE: FRANK J. MALINA, wa.
SECURITY MATTER - C

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your letter of February 8, 1944, (100-164610), which in turn makes reference to my letter of January 19, 1944.

A review of the information obtained recently from confidential sources and informants of this office has failed to indicate that subject is actually a member of the Communist Party at this time, and therefore, under present Bureau policy, no Security Index Card is being recommended in his case.

Very truly yours,

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J. Edgar Hoover - Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation

FRANK J. MALINA, with alias
SECURITY MATTER - C

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Reference is made to your letter of January 19, 1944.

A review of the report of Special Agent [redacted] dated November 23, 1942, in this case fails to reflect definite information that the subject is a member of the Communist Party. It is suggested that further efforts be made by your office to determine whether subject is actually a Communist Party member in order that additional consideration may be given to the preparation of a security index card concerning him.

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Date: October 17, 1947

To: Mr. Jack D. Neal
Chief
Division of Foreign Activity Correlation
State Department
515 22nd Street, N. W., Room 301
Washington, D. C.

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3-13-97

From: John Edgar Hoover - Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation

Subject: FRANK J. MALINA

Information has been received by this Bureau that the captioned individual is reported to be in Europe as a scientist attached to the United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization.

The files of this Bureau reflect that Malina was formerly a member of the Board of Directors of the Jet Propulsion Laboratory of the California Institute of Technology. He is reported to be no longer connected with this school at the present time.

A confidential and reliable informant of this Bureau has advised that Frank J. Malina joined the Communist Party in November, 1938, His Party name is Frank Parma. He was a member of the Pasadena Section, Professional Unit in 1939, and his Party Book Number was 1020 for that year. It has also been determined through confidential informants of this Bureau that Malina was friendly with members of the Communist Party and active in Communist Party activities in California in 1942.

It has recently been determined that Malina was one of the founders of the Aerojet Engineering Company, Azusa, California. However, it is stated that he takes no active part or interest in this company except that of a minor stockholder.

This data is being forwarded to you for your information.

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FRANK J. MALINA
INTERNAL SECURITY - R

Reurlet 6-15-49, you are instructed to submit an investigative report to the Bureau containing the information reflected in your referenced letter and the information which you were requested to submit in my letter dated 6-7-49.

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Los Angeles, California
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Director, FBI

Re: FRANK J. MALINA
INTERNAL SECURITY - R
Bureau File 100-164610

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to Los Angeles letter to Bureau dated May 26, 1949, in the matter entitled [redacted] ESPIONAGE - R.

[redacted]

For the information of the Bureau and the New York Office, MALINA arrived in Los Angeles at 11:25 p.m., on June 6, 1949 via American Airlines. He was accompanied by [redacted] MALINA [redacted] stayed in Los Angeles. They spent the first three days of their visit at [redacted] MALINA spent the remaining three days at the Huntington Hotel in Pasadena.

During his stay MALINA was entertained by [redacted]

From a highly confidential source it was learned that MALINA is scheduled to return to UNESCO in Paris via the QUEEN MARY which sails from New York on June 22, 1949. MALINA [redacted] left Los Angeles on Sunday, June 12, 1949 via American Airlines for New York.

From appearances MALINA's trip to the United States seemed to concern itself with visiting his family at Brenham, Texas, visiting Los Angeles to see old friends, and also to take care of certain personal business affairs with regard to the Aero-Jet Engineering Company of Pasadena.

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The results of the information obtained through a highly confidential source will be forwarded to the Bureau in the near future.

This information is being furnished to the Bureau in view of a U. P. news story of June 15, 1949, concerning the testimony [redacted] before the House Committee on Un-American Activities, in which MALINA's name is mentioned as being one of the Communist group at Cal Tech.

Very truly yours,

R. B. Hood

R. B. HOOD
Special Agent in Charge

Los Angeles 13, California
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Director, FBI

RE: [redacted]
ESPIONAGE - R

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Dear Sir:

Reference is made to my letter dated June 1, 1949.

The aforementioned communication advised that FRANK J. MALINA, who is presently employed in Paris, France, with UNESCO, was planning to visit Pasadena, California, in the near future. This letter also requested the Bureau's permission to conduct an active investigation on this individual during his stay here.

[redacted]

Agents had recently observed a group picture at the Laboratory which included amoung others a picture of MALINA. [redacted] had recently observed a picture of MALINA in a scientific publication which portrayed him with a heavy beard. According to [redacted] this beard is in all probability still in existence and the picture of him presently bears very little resemblance to previous pictures on file.

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It seems pertinent that [redacted]

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believe that MALINA is extremely pro-Soviet.

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I am passing on these recent developments to you in order that you may have the up-to-date facts at your disposal in reaching a decision on the readvisability of conducting an active investigation of MALINA during the time he is in the Pasadena area.

Very truly yours,

R. B. HOOD, SAC

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May 27, 1949

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Director, FBI

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ON 6-24-97

Re: [redacted]
INTERNAL SECURITY - R

[redacted]

Dear Sir:

The following information is being submitted in letter form to advise the Bureau of recent developments in this case and to request early favorable consideration of form letter FD-142 enclosed herewith.

Reference is made to the report of Special Agent [redacted] dated April 7, 1949, at Los Angeles, captioned [redacted] WAS., ESPIONAGE-R." Pages 70, 71, 72, 96 and 96A of that report set forth information from [redacted] indicating that [redacted] and subject, who was then [redacted] were involved in the Soviet espionage apparatus of [redacted] in New York in 1937. (U)

[redacted]

He is the subject of Bureau file 100-16579.

[redacted] reportedly [redacted] in 1943. [redacted] It has been ascertained the [redacted] Pasadena, California, since sometime in 1946. Regarding this address it is interesting to note that FRANK JOSEPH MALINA (Bureau file No. 100-164610) resided at 800 South Hudson, Pasadena, from July 1, 1942 until he left Pasadena, presumably in 1946, and reportedly went with UNESCO. MALINA was formerly Director of the Jet Propulsion Laboratory at the California Institute of Technology, Pasadena. [redacted] has stated MALINA was a member in 1939 of the Professional Unit of the Communist Party, Pasadena Branch. There is no information in our files reflecting any previous connection between MALINA and the [redacted]

The most recent Pasadena City Directory (1947) in the criss-cross section shows MALINA as the occupant of 800 South Hudson. This property is owned by a [redacted] Los Angeles indices are negative concerning her. A recent check of Pasadena public utilities reflects all the utilities are still carried under the name of MALINA and the name [redacted] does not appear any place in the records.

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Re: [redacted]
INTERNAL SECURITY-R

The telephone at above address is RYAN 1-7844. This is an unpublished but not an unlisted number and is listed to both FRANK J. MALINA and [redacted] The May, 1949, Northeastern Section of the Telephone Directory, as previously mentioned, contains no published number for either MALINA [redacted] The previous directory of November, 1947, contained no listing for [redacted] but did have a listing for FRANK J. MALINA, 800 South Hudson, [redacted] 6-7655. On January 19, 1949 this number was changed to [redacted] 1-7844. On February 10, 1949 the additional name of [redacted] was listed to this new latter number in the Telephone Company records.

A local credit report on [redacted] made in September of 1947 contains his statement that he had lived at [redacted] for the preceding fifteen months. On April 6, 1949 he stated to the credit bureau he was a partner in [redacted] Los Angeles, telephone WYoming 7738, and had been so employed for one year and nine months.

A Dun and Bradstreet report on above [redacted] shows that [redacted] partner is [redacted] who came to Los Angeles in 1945 from New York. [redacted] claimed previous employment in the motion picture industry in New York. The firm produces commercial and educational 16 mm. films, equipment and stages being leased from various studios in this locality.

[redacted] appears in the indices of this office with the various first names of [redacted] The current telephone directory lists him as [redacted] GLadstone 0964. Confidential informants have reported [redacted] as being in contact with the JAFRC, the Russian-American Club, the ARTS, SCIENCES and PROFESSIONS COUNCIL, and with [redacted] a Communist Party figure in the motion picture industry.

In April of 1949 this office ascertained that [redacted] is employed by the [redacted] Hollywood. [redacted] is the subject of Bureau file No. 100-340772. [redacted] has been in contact with [redacted] all being prominent in Soviet intelligence activities. [redacted] name also appeared in the address books of [redacted] all of whom have also figured in Soviet espionage systems. When [redacted] applied for a position with OWI during World War II he gave as a reference [redacted] storia, X(U)

Director, FBI 5/27/49

Re: [redacted]
INTERNAL SECURITY-R

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Long Island. This [redacted] is undoubtedly identical with subject's [redacted] inasmuch as [redacted]

On May 25, 1949, [redacted] advised that [redacted] mentioned to [redacted] that he had just received a wire from "FRANK" in which "FRANK" said he was arriving in Los Angeles at 7:50 P.M. on June 6, 1949, via American Airlines and requested [redacted] to meet him. Further information concerning this was furnished to the Bureau by letter dated May 26, 1949, captioned [redacted] Espionage-R. [redacted] is presently a [redacted]

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A highly confidential informant developed in the case of [redacted] ESPIONAGE-R, has advised of MALINA's intention to visit Southern California with [redacted] during the summer of 1949. It is, therefore, extremely likely that the above mentioned "FRANK" is identical with FRANK J. MALINA.

You are requested to give expeditious attention to the enclosed Form Letter FD-142 in order that as complete coverage as possible can be maintained on subject, particularly during the time MALINA is in this locality.

Very truly yours,

R. B. HOOD, SAC

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Director, FBI

Re: [redacted]
ESPIONAGE - R

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to the report of SA [redacted] dated 5/16/49 at Los Angeles in this matter, in which mention is made of Dr. FRANK J. MALINA, subject of Bureau file 100-164610. According to [redacted] MALINA is employed by UNESCO in France. From other sources, it has been learned that MALINA has [redacted] abroad and is returning to the United States in June of this year.

On May 25, 1949, [redacted] reported that [redacted] in conversation with [redacted] mentioned that he had just received a wire from "FRANK" and that FRANK (who is believed to be MALINA) is arriving in Los Angeles via American Airlines at 7:50 p.m. on June 6, 1949, and that FRANK had requested [redacted] to meet him at the airport at Los Angeles. [redacted] that he wanted FRANK to stay with him while he was in Los Angeles.

For the benefit of the New York Division, MALINA is described as follows:

Citizenship: U. S. Citizen; born at Brenham, Texas

Description:	Height	5' 8"
	Weight	130 pounds
	Eyes	Brown
	Hair	Brown
	Complexion	Dark
	Scars and Marks	Scar on tip of chin
	Full Name	FRANK JOSEPH MALINA

The New York Office is requested to verify MALINA's employment with the United Nations and supply this office with a photograph of him as

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cc: New York (AMSD)
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soon as possible. The name of the person that MALINA is said to have [redacted] also be obtained from U. N. records.

Upon verification of MALINA's United Nations employment, the Bureau is requested to authorize investigation of him by this office. The name of MALINA [redacted] should also be searched through the New York and Bureau indices. According to information in this office, MALINA was last known to have been [redacted] here.

Should the Bureau authorize investigation of MALINA, it is requested that the New York Office obtain his itinerary while in the United States and the probable duration of his stay.

It is requested that this matter be given expeditious attention inasmuch as the person who is believed to be MALINA is scheduled to arrive in Los Angeles on June 6, 1949.

Very truly yours,

R. B. HOOD, SAC

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Mr. Ladd
Mr. Fletcher
[redacted]
Mr. Jones

June 14, 1949

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

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RE: [redacted]

INTERNAL SECURITY - R

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During the course of a current investigation being conducted by this Bureau, information has been received that [redacted] Pasadena, California, Telephone - [redacted] Los Angeles, California, Telephone - [redacted] are possibly engaged in activities against the best interest of this country. Whittaker Chambers has recently advised that during 1937 [redacted] was engaged in Soviet espionage activites with [redacted] Chambers stated that [redacted] furnished information to [redacted] are presently residing at an address formersy occupied by Frank Joseph Malina, a known member of the Communist Party, who is under investigation by this Bureau. [redacted] in Los Angeles, California. One of [redacted] is a known contact of individuals who have been under investigation in connection with Soviet intelligence activities.

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I deem it advisable, therefore, that you authorize the establishment of [redacted] Telephone [redacted] and [redacted] in order to obtain the nature of their present activities and the identity of their contacts.

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Respectfully,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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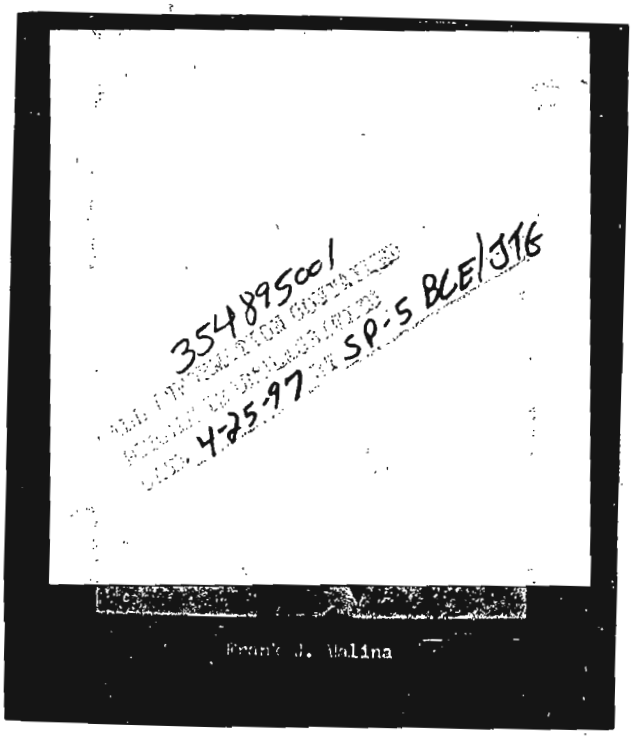

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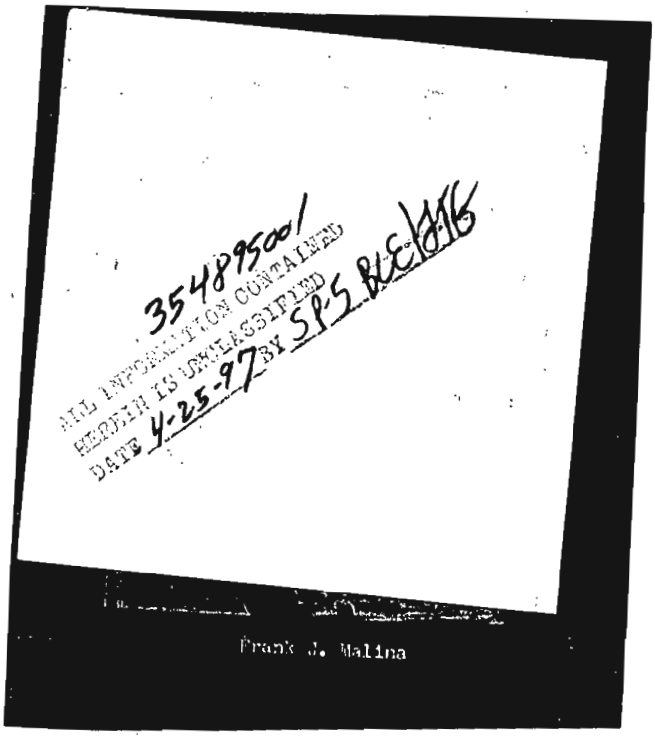

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Frank Parma

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SYNOPSIS OF FACTS: Subject born Brenham, Texas, 10/2/12 of Czechoslovakian parentage. Education and employment background set forth. Subject released from military duty during war years to take charge of Galcit Project of U.S. Army Air Corps and was also Secretary Treasurer of Aero Jet Corp. of Pasadena, Calif., 1942-1944. In 1939 subject is alleged to have been a member of the Professional Unit of the Pasadena Section of the LACP. Subject is also alleged to have held Communist Party meetings in his home till June of 1941. Comments regarding his loyalty to the U.S. are widely divided. Subject is presently an officer of UNESCO and is scheduled to return to Paris on June 22, 1949. He has been so employed for the past several years.

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REFERENCE: Bureau file 100-164610.

DETAILS: The title of this case is being marked changed to include the alias of FRANK PARMA which has been used by the subject.

PERSONAL HISTORY

From information of record, the following background information is set forth regarding MALINA:

He is a United States Citizen by birth having been born at Brenham, Texas on October 2, 1912. His father, FRANK J. MALINA, Sr., was born in Czechoslovakia and is now a United States Citizen through naturali-

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zation. His mother is CAROLYN SOPHIE ~~MAREK~~ Malina born at Brenham, Texas. MALINA received part of his early education in Czechoslovakia and attended Brenham High School, Brenham, Texas. He graduated from Texas A and M College in 1934 majoring in mechanical engineering. He received his Masters Degree in this subject at the California Institute of Technology in 1935 and his Doctorate in 1937. MALINA was employed there after as a research assistant and later as Assistant Professor, Aeronautics Department, California Institute of Technology. MALINA took charge of Galcit Project No. 1 of the U. S. Army Air Force at the California Institute of Technology as Chief Engineer in 1941. In 1942 he became Secretary Treasurer of the Aerojet Engineering Company of Pasadena, California. On July 31, 1942, [redacted] who was then director of the Guggenheim Aeronautics Laboratory, California Institute of Technology, filed an affadavit stating that the subject was employed as Assistant Professor in the Aeronautics Department and Chief Engineer of the Galcit Project No. 1 and further stated that "several of our contracts have A-1A and AA3 priority ratings". Dr. MALINA is in charge of a research project considered of vital importance by the U. S. Army Air Force."

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From Source T-1 of known reliability it was learned that MALINA held a reserve Commission in the United States Army and by letter from the Adjutant General dated June 26, 1942 the resignation of MALINA as a Lieutenant in the U. S. Army was accepted inasmuch as he had been classified as a key faculty member of the California Institute of Technology.

From September 1, 1941 until June 10, 1942 the subject is known to have resided at 1266 Cordova Avenue, Pasadena and moved to 800 South Hudson Street, Pasadena on July 1, 1942. Subject resided at this last address from July 1, 1942 to 1945 or later [redacted] In this connection, the 1947 Pasadena City Directory shows the occupant of 800 South Hudson Street to be FRANK J. MALINA. The telephone at the above address is RYan 1-7844, and is listed to both FRANK J. MALINA [redacted]

MALINA left the employ of Galcit at Cal Tech and his employment as Secretary Treasurer of the Aerojet Engineering Company of Pasadena in 1945 to accept a position with the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization. According to Source T-2, of known reliability, MALINA continues to have an active interest in the affairs of the Aerojet Corporation of Pasadena and receives a regular financial return from his interests in this company.

Los Angeles T-2 advised that MALINA is a member of the Secretariat United Nations Educational Scientific and Cultural Organization and is employed as a Counsellor of the Natural Sciences Section and is domiciled abroad at 19 Avenue Kleber Paris 16, France, Telephone Kleber 52-00.

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T-2 also advised that MALINA remarried in the Spring of 1949 to a young English girl who had also been employed by UNESCO, in

[redacted]

According to Source T-2 [redacted] MALINA left Paris on May 14, 1949 for Great Britain and on May 20, 1949 left London by air for Houston, Texas, arriving in Houston on May 21, 1949. They are believed to have spent a week or more in Brenham, Texas visiting MALINA's family at 618 South Baylor Street, Brenham, Texas. On June 6, 1949, MALINA and [redacted] arrived in Los Angeles via American Airlines. He remained in the Los Angeles area from June 6, 1949 to June 12, 1949 spending the first three days of his visit at his old address 800 South Hudson Street, Pasadena, and the remaining three days at the Huntington Hotel in Pasadena. MALINA [redacted] left Los Angeles on Sunday evening June 12, 1949 for New York and according to T-2 his address in New York was 405 East Sixty Second Street, New York City. On June 22, 1949 he is scheduled to leave New York on the Queen Mary to arrive in London on June 27, 1949 and Paris about July 1, 1949.

COMMUNIST PARTY ACTIVITY

On June 15, 1949 a United Press News story carried portions of the testimony of [redacted] before the House Committee on unAmerican Activities. In connection with this testimony, according to the United Press News release, [redacted] was asked about the possible Communist affiliations of FRANK J. MALINA, the subject of this report. To quote from the news release, [redacted] conceded they knew a FRANK J. MALINA but refused to say whether he was a Communist."

Los Angeles T-3 of known reliability obtained access to records of the Los Angeles County Communist Party in 1939. He advised that he had in his possession the following information concerning a FRANK J. MALINA. "Real name FRANK J. MALINA; Party name FRANK PARMA; address, 671 Catalina Street, Los Angeles; born United States; age 26, Czechoslovakian ancestry, student at Cal Tech. Communist - 1939 - registration,

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Pasadena Section, Professional Group, New Member." [redacted] He advised that he has not had any additional information on MALINA since 1939. Informant was also aware of a [redacted] between MALINA [redacted]

This source also furnished the address of 800 South Hudson Street, Pasadena, for MALINA.

On May 10, 1946, [redacted] Los Angeles advised Special Agent [redacted] that he had been contacted by [redacted] for the rental of his studios on each Monday evening beginning at approximately 8:00 P.M. for discussion group purposes. The indices of this Division revealed that [redacted] a member of the 59th Assembly District Communist Party Clubs, was very active at that time in recruiting and organization work and was sponsoring orientation in new members classes for the Sixteenth Congressional District Section of the Los Angeles County Communist Party.

Pursuant to this information, observations were conducted at 6121 Wilshire Blvd. on Monday, May 13, 1946 by Special Agents [redacted] and among others, observed a motor vehicle bearing California license [redacted] parked in the immediate vicinity of the hall and one woman and one man were observed entering the meeting hall from this car which was registered, according to the Department of Motor Vehicles, to FRANK J. MALINA, 800 South Hudson, Pasadena.

Subject first came to the attention of this office in 1941 when a request for investigation of him was requested by T-4 [redacted] on the basis of the following information. This information was to the effect that FRANK J. MALINA [redacted] employed at the California Institute of Technology were members of the Professional Section of the Los Angeles County Communist Party. It was further alleged that the names of FRANK MALINA of 1288 Cordova Street and [redacted] appeared on the subscription list of "The Communist newspaper DAILY PEOPLES WORLD" as of September, 1939. Further that MALINA [redacted] were known to hold COMMUNIST meetings at MALINA's residence, 1288 Cordova Street, Pasadena and that the following individuals attended these meetings: [redacted]

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[redacted]

All of the above named persons with the exception of [redacted] were known to T-3 as members of the Communist Party. [redacted] has admitted membership in the Pasadena Section of the Los Angeles County Communist Party and has identified the other persons mentioned as members also, with the exception of [redacted] FRANK MALINA [redacted] upon interview by Agents of this office does not have any recollection of MALINA's Communist Party activities.

[redacted] who is presently employed by the Jet Propulsion Laboratory has denied any connection with Communist Party activities during this period. However, a photostatic copy of his registration card with the Communist Party is available to this office. Moreover, another individual named [redacted] advised that he was a member of the Communist Party during this time. He identified [redacted] as the leader and Section organizer of this group during the years 1938-39. However he too has no recollection of any Communist Party Activities on the part of FRANK MALINA. FRANK OPPENHEIMER as has been mentioned previously, has admitted his past membership in the Communist Party but has declined to answer any questions regarding the Communist Party affiliations of any of the others in the group.

Confidential Informant T-5, considered reliable, advised in 1941 that Dr. FRANK J. MALINA, Director of Galcit Project No. 1 also known as the Jet Propulsion Laboratory had passed out Communist literature on this project to fellow workers. This same source reported that MALINA held Communist meetings at his residence up until about June, 1941, these meetings being held every Tuesday night. Prior to this time T-5 advised that MALINA was active in receiving money for Loyalist Spain.

On November 4, 1942, Special Agents of this office interviewed Confidential Informant T-6 who stated that he was well acquainted with the subject and knew a great deal about the personal life of the subject as well as his business. When this man was questioned regarding the loyalty of the subject he voluntarily stated that, "MALINA was associated with groups [redacted] at Cal Tech about three years ago."

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When asked what he meant by [redacted] I believe them to have been merely philosophical in possessing their views and that they would never be active in doing anything to change the form of Government which we now have."

T-6 stated that about three years ago he was invited by the subject to attend meetings at the [redacted] T-6 stated that [redacted] was at that time a professor at California Institute of Technology and that he was certain that [redacted] was a Communist. He stated that [redacted] who represented the Communist Party of Los Angeles at these meetings. [redacted] stated that there were approximately six to eight other members of the faculty of California Institute of Technology at these meetings and that at that time at the meetings the group studied the writings of KARL MARX and STRACHEY, an English writer. (JOHN STRACHEY is a noted English writer and Communist lecturer.) T-6 stated that he attended several of these meetings, [redacted]

T-6 stated that to his knowledge the subject has not been active at all in any radical or Communist activities in the past three years; that in the past three years he has been too busy and that he is employed [redacted]

T-6 stated that, "At present MALINA is out to win this war and is solidly behind the war effort". However, T-6 stated that the loyalty of the subject would be questionable if he had to decide between our form of Government and that of Russia.

T-6 stated that the following [redacted]

[redacted]

Secretary and Treasurer, Dr. FRANK J. MALINA.

[redacted]

RECENT INFORMATION REGARDING MALINA

INTERVIEW WITH CONFIDENTIAL INFORMANT T-7

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About the middle of March of this year, Agents of this office had occasion to talk with Confidential Informant T-7 who is considered reliable and who is well placed in [redacted] During the conversation, this man related that he had in the past attended a cocktail party at the home of MALINA and the course of the conversation there, as he put it, "went from red to redder". This person went on to say that he had very definite reservations about the loyalty of MALINA, and without being solicited in any way said that he felt that in MALINA's position with UNESCO he is in an extremely good position to engage in espionage activity should he so desire.

Several days later, Agents of this office had occasion to speak with Los Angeles T-7 concerning MALINA. Just as the interview in question was being terminated and the Agents were taking their leave, the Informant stated that he has always been very curious as to what was behind an incident that had been called to his attention some time ago by a [redacted] Informant would not state who might be responsible for the loss of these documents but did indicate that the loss of these plans, judging by the date of their recovery in France in the latter part of 1945 or early 1946, would have occurred during the directorship of FRANK J. MALINA at the Jet Propulsion Laboratory.

By letter dated June 8, 1949, the Bureau advised that preliminary inquiry on the part of confidential informant T-8 of known reliability, had established the fact that the French were known to have a copy of these plans. It was this sources observation that more complete information concerning this matter would have to come from military authorities abroad. Further inquiry developed the information that the French were known to have sent up such a rocket in 1945.

Los Angeles T-7 was re-interviewed on June 29, 1949 for more specific information concerning the loss of plans [redacted] Informant was asked directly if he thought that MALINA may have been responsible for the loss of the plans [redacted]

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in 1945. Informant answered that he could make no such assertion. He was then asked to elaborate on his original suspicions in this matter. Informant pointed out, to begin with, that the [redacted]

Informant then repeated that [redacted] had told him that a complete set of drawings and plans of the [redacted] had turned up in France in unauthorized hands and at the time of the recovery of these plans the particular project was in a classified state. Now the Informant pointed out that [redacted] Informant said he draws this conclusion from his own rememberance of [redacted] To T-7's knowledge such a [redacted]

DISTINCTION BETWEEN AEROJET CORPORATION AND THE JET PROPULSION LABORATORY

Inasmuch as subject has been mentioned as being connected with both the Jet Propulsion Laboratory and the Aerojet Corporation of Pasadena during the war years, the following brief history of the two organizations is being set out to establish their identity as separate organizations. This history has been provided by [redacted] Aerojet Corporation.

Early in 1936, A group of graduate students of the California Institute of Technology at Pasadena, California, became interested in the field of jet propulsion as a possible military weapon.

This group was headed by FRANK J. MALINA, [redacted] MALINA is generally credited with being the one who originally conceived the idea of the military application of the theory of jet propulsion.

These students, relying on a small grant from a private citizen, engaged in research on the [redacted] for a number of years and, in the course of so doing, were working under the direct supervision of [redacted] who is regarded as the world's outstanding aerodynamacists.

In about 1939, [redacted] who was then special advisor to General H. H. ARNOLD of the Air Force, realized the military significance of this research and it was through his instigation that General ARNOLD set up the Committee for Air Corps Research of the National Academy of Sciences to sponsor development of rockets. As a result of this small start, a special laboratory was set up in the nearby hills under the direct sponsorship of the Guggenheim Aeronautical Laboratory of the California Institute of Technology. It was in this manner that the present Jet Propulsion Laboratory obtained its original code name of Galcit, which, of course, is an abbreviation for the Guggenheim Aeronautical Laboratory, California Institute of Technology.

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Under Army Air Force sponsorship, the laboratory grew and considerable research was done along the lines of rocket and jet propulsion theory. In the early part of 1942, it became apparent that the pilot models developed at the laboratory would have to be manufactured. It was against the policy of the California Institute of Technology to engage in manufacturing of any type, so it was at this time that at the instigation of [redacted] together with sponsorship by the Air Force in the way of contractual commitments, that the Aerojet Engineering Corporation at Azusa, California, was formed. The original stockholders of this group were [redacted] FRANK J. MALINA, [redacted]

MALINA, who was then the director of the Jet Propulsion Laboratory (Galcit), continued in his capacity at Galcit while [redacted] who had been employed at the Laboratory, transferred to Aerojet as a full-time employee.

At no time was there any financial tie-up between these two organizations, but by reason of the fact that Aerojet came into being somewhat under [redacted] sponsorship, and inasmuch as employees from

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Galcit went to Aerojet and, further, that MALINA remained at Galcit as director while acting in the capacity of Secretary-Treasurer of Aerojet, the two came to be identified as parts of the same organization. [redacted] advised that in the early stages Aerojet did manufacture most of the pilot models developed at the Laboratory, but as time went on, other local contractors bid and sometimes obtained the contracts for manufacturing the research developments.

RECENT ACTIVITIES OF MALINA - ASSOCIATION WITH [redacted]

As has been mentioned previously from interview of Confidential Source T-3 who [redacted] of the Communist Party affiliations of MALINA [redacted] they were participants in the same branch of the Communist Party of Pasadena during the year 1939 and possibly thereafter. [redacted] Party member of this group during the period 1937 - 1939 advised the [redacted] T-3 has seen no documentary evidence relating [redacted] Confidential Source T-2 has related that MALINA has been [redacted]

RECENT ACTIVITIES OF MALINA - TRIP TO LOS ANGELES AREA

On May 25, 1949 T-9 reported that MALINA had been in touch [redacted] and was scheduled to arrive in Los Angeles on June 6, 1949 for a period of a week. On June 6, 1949 MALINA [redacted] arrived in Los Angeles via American Airlines at 11:25 P.M. They were met at the airport [redacted] Pasadena. The arrival of MALINA and the subsequent meeting was observed by Special Agents [redacted] and the writer. In response to an inquiry by [redacted] as to where he intended to stay during his visit MALINA was overheard by the writer to remark that he [redacted] going to stay at his old place at 800 South Hudson Avenue, Pasadena. [redacted] MALINA [redacted] to this address and the surveillance was discontinued. [redacted]

[redacted]

As mentioned previously MALINA spent the first three days of his visit to the Los Angeles Area at the home of [redacted] Pasadena. According to T-2 [redacted] who also have been in correspondence with MALINA, were aware of his impending visit and offered him the use of his old house and one of their automobiles during MALINA's stay in Pasadena.

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Regarding [redacted] the following information has been recently learned from Confidential Source T-10 who is considered reliable:

[redacted]

During MALINA's stay in Los Angeles he was intertained on June 7, 1949 for lunch by [redacted] according to Source T-11 of known reliability and according to Source T-9 he likewise had a long visit with [redacted] on the following evening. According to this latter Source [redacted] had a party in his honor on June 9, 1949 at [redacted] home with approximately 100 persons present.

MALINA left Los Angeles for New York on June 12, 1949 and was taken to the airport by [redacted] MALINA spent the last three days of his visit at the Huntington Hotel in Pasadena.

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According to T-2 MALINA enjoys a very favorable reputation in scientific circles and is well regarded by [redacted] who T-2 [redacted]

MALINA, according to this same Source is quite friendly also with [redacted] According to this informant [redacted] is also a good friend of [redacted] It was T-2's impression that [redacted]

MALINA has also been in contact with a person named [redacted] according to T-2 who does not have any other identifying information concerning this individual except his address which was [redacted]

T-2 further advised that the subject is represented in his business affairs and otherwise by [redacted] a well known Communist Attorney in Los Angeles. According to T-12 of known reliability, [redacted]

According to T-2, besides these persons MALINA has been in regular correspondence with the following individuals but concerning the nature of this correspondence, T-2 could not elaborate: [redacted]

T-2 then added to the above a number of names of persons he could not identify in any way because of incomplete names. They are: [redacted]

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ENCLOSURES TO BUREAU: Two photographs of subject FRANK J. MALINA.

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THE NEW YORK OFFICE

At New York City, N. Y.: Will ascertain the identity of persons residing at [redacted] New York City, with whom the subject stayed while in New York from June 13 to June 22, 1949.

THE BOSTON OFFICE

[redacted] Mass.: Will check its indices regarding [redacted]

THE CLEVELAND OFFICE

[redacted] Ohio: Will check its indices regarding [redacted] of [redacted] Ohio.

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THE CHARLOTTE OFFICE

[redacted] North Carolina: Will attempt to identify the individual known as [redacted] N. C.

THE RICHMOND OFFICE

[redacted] Virginia: Will identify the individual known as [redacted] who is believed to reside at the [redacted] Virginia.

THE LOS ANGELES OFFICE

At Pasadena, California: Will attempt to obtain additional information concerning the subject and the alleged loss of documents and blueprints relating to the "WAC Corporal".

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CONFIDENTIAL

T-1 [redacted]

T-2 Anonymous

T-3 [redacted]

T-4 [redacted]

T-5 [redacted]

T-6 [redacted]

T-7 [redacted]

T-8 [redacted]

T-9 [redacted]

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T-12 [redacted]

Above individuals requested their identity be concealed.

ADMINISTRATIVE PAGE

In connection with the results of the material obtained through T-2 mentioned in this report, besides correspondence, which was mostly of a social nature, subject had in his possession a number of photographs with accompanying text, regarding the testing of the "WAC Corporal" at White Sands, New Mexico. According to the title page of this report, the information contained therein was to be released to the Sunday papers of June 23, 1946.

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According to [redacted] the Swiss Government has or is building a similar rocket at the present time. In this connection [redacted] added that it is generally known that the Swiss frequently undertake such enterprises for the sole purpose of afterwards selling them to the highest bidder among the outside nations.

There does not seem to be much question that [redacted] feels that MALINA should, in view of his position at the laboratory, at least have had knowledge of the loss of these plans but [redacted] will not name MALINA or anyone else responsible for the loss. [redacted] position at the time of the loss was [redacted]

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Re my letter July 8, 1949.

A review of the Bureau's file reflects that information concerning the subject appears in the following communications in the possession of your office:

Report of Special Agent [redacted] dated February 23, 1943, at Los Angeles captioned [redacted] Internal Security - G." (100-189320-1)

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Report of Special Agent [redacted] dated December 10, 1946, at Los Angeles, captioned [redacted] Internal Security - R." (100-237735-19)

Report of Special Agent [redacted] dated January 31, 1947, at San Francisco, captioned "Cinrad, Internal Security - R." (100-190625-2648,p.218)

Report of Special Agent [redacted] dated April 25, 1947, at Los Angeles captioned "National Committee on Atomic Information, et al, Internal Security - C." (100-344452-62)

Report of Special Agent [redacted] dated September 9, 1947, at Los Angeles captioned [redacted] Internal Security - R." (62-58854-55)

Report of Special Agent [redacted] dated April 26, 1948, at Los Angeles captioned [redacted] Internal Security." (116-7999-12)

Letter from Los Angeles dated January 26, 1949, captioned [redacted] Espionage - R." (65-58389-1)

Letter from Bureau to Los Angeles dated February 24, 1949, captioned [redacted] Espionage - R." (100-359682-9)

Letters from Los Angeles dated March 1, March 8, and April 15, 1949, captioned [redacted] Espionage - R." (100-359682-11,13,31)

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Los Angeles letter to Bureau dated March 16, 1949, captioned [redacted] Espionage - R." (100-359682-16)

Letters from Los Angeles dated May 26 and June 4, 1949, captioned [redacted] Espionage - R." (100-164610-7)

Los Angeles letter dated May 27, 1949, captioned [redacted] Internal Security - R." (100-164610-6)

The following information which appears in the Bureau's files concerning the subject has not been previously furnished to your office:

In January of 1948, the [redacted] (S)

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The report of Special Agent [redacted] dated March 29, 1948, at New York, captioned Rudolph B. Wittenberg, wa., Internal Security - R," reflects that on November 21, 1947, Wittenberg received correspondence from a [redacted] Subsequent investigation of [redacted] determined that she had been [redacted] in Los Angeles, California. It was determined from the records of the Board of Elections, New York City, that [redacted] registered with the American Labor Party in 1947. Rudolph B. Wittenberg was born at Odessa, Russia, September 28, 1896. The investigation of Wittenberg was predicated upon his employment as an accountant with Amtorg Trading Corporation and his reported Communist Party membership. Wittenberg died on August 10, 1948. (100-350138-9)

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Temporary Confidential Informant [redacted] furnished to the New York Office a mimeographed copy of a report relating to the First General Assembly of the World Federation of Scientific Workers which was held at Prague, Czechoslovakia from September 20 to 23, 1948. This report reflected that an American named Malina, representing UNESCO, attended and addressed the assembly. (100-344452-234) b1

An unidentified source, whose reliability is not known, furnished to the Bureau a list of Communist Party members and direct sympathizers in the state of California. According to this source, this list was obtained directly "from California, from a Party office." This information has not been verified by independent investigation. Included among the names on this list was that of Frank Malina, 1288 Cordova, Pasadena, California. (61-8890-1X,p.31)

Pertinent information concerning subject, appearing in this communication, should be included in your report to the Bureau in captioned case.

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Heurlet 5-26-49 captioned [redacted] Espionage - R."

Upon receipt of your referenced letter, contact was made by the Bureau's liaison representative with a representative of the Department of State, who advised that the State Department has no objection to the Bureau's conducting a discreet investigation of Frank J. Malina.

The New York Office is instructed to expedite the investigation requested in referenced letter. The investigation of Malina should be reported under the above caption.

A complete and thorough review of your files should be made for information to be included in the first investigative report emanating from your office in this case. In this connection, the subject's association with [redacted] should be reported, and particularly the information reflecting his possible connection with the loss of certain documents and blueprints relating to the "WAC Corporal." Appropriate confidential informant symbols should be used in your report to protect your confidential sources of information in order that dissemination of this report may be made to interested government agencies.

A review of the Bureau's files is presently being made for information concerning Malina that is not already available to your office. You will be furnished with a summary of this review upon its completion.

cc: New York

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CHARLOTTE	8-16-49	8-4,5-49	[redacted]

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FRANK J. MALINA, wa Frank Parma	INTERNAL SECURITY - R

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

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REFERENCE: Bureau file: 100-164610.
Report of SA [redacted] Los Angeles, July 26, 1949.

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DETAILS: AT RALEIGH, N. C.

[redacted] Assistant Superintendent of Mails, U. S. Post Office, revealed Box [redacted] had been rented to [redacted] The box contained a temporary change of address card listing [redacted] forwarding address as [redacted]

[redacted] records which revealed [redacted] has been an instructor in the chemistry section [redacted] had not signed a contract to return to teach this fall, but he did not feel this necessarily meant [redacted] would not return. [redacted] further revealed that [redacted] address while in Raleigh was [redacted]

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CLEVELAND, OHIO	8/18/49	8/5/49	[redacted] mmm

TITLE	CHARACTER OF CASE
FRANK J. MALINA, with alias Frank Parma	INTERNAL SECURITY - R

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS: Indices of Cleveland Office as to subject and [redacted] Ohio, negative. Informants not acquainted with [redacted] Ohio since March 1949.

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Reference: Report of Special Agent [redacted] dated July 26, 1949 at Los Angeles, California.

Details: AT CLEVELAND, OHIO

Indices failed to reflect any data concerning the subject or [redacted] Ohio.

AT TOLEDO, OHIO

Ordinary sources indicated that [redacted] was residing at [redacted] Ohio.

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(S) [redacted]

An agent of this office was recently interviewing [redacted]

(S) [redacted] Pasadena, California, at which time he advised that he had [redacted] (S)

(S) [redacted] explained that he had been previously contacted by [redacted] (S)

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(S) It is interesting to note, however, that this conversation with [redacted] took place just at the time FRANK J. MALINA was visiting in the Los Angeles area. An agent was in [redacted] office at the time [redacted] (S) stating that he had been very anxious to talk to MALINA while he was in town and had expressed regrets at having missed him.

The Bureau's files contain considerable information with respect to MALINA, it being sufficient to note here that he is presently head of the Scientific Branch of UNESCO in Paris and is the ex-head of the Jet Propulsion Laboratory at Caltech in Pasadena. MALINA, who is a scientist of considerable note and is generally credited with developing the rocket as a military weapon, has been reliably reported to have been a member of the Communist Party in Pasadena in 1938 and 1939.

The aforementioned information is being passed on to you for your consideration and evaluation inasmuch as the Bureau has expressed a desire to be advised [redacted]

(S) [redacted]

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Cleveland T-1 and T-2, of known reliability and familiar with Communist Party activities in the Toledo, Ohio area, had no knowledge concerning either the subject or [redacted].

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Cleveland T-1: [redacted] (for further protection)

Cleveland T-2: [redacted] (for further protection)

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FRANK J. MALINA, wa. Frank Parma	INTERNAL SECURITY - R

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SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

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Investigation at 405 E. 62nd Street, NYC, revealed this address to be a business office. Subject probably listed 405 E. 42nd St., which is United Nations Bldg. as forwarding address while in NYC. No employment record for subject at UNESCO in NYC. Records, Cunard White Star Line, reflect subject [redacted] sailed on Queen Mary, leaving NYC on June 22, 1949. No record subject [redacted] at NYC office.

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REFERENCE: Los Angeles letter to Bureau, 5-26-49.
Report of [redacted] Los Angeles, 7-26-49.

DETAILS : A lead was set forth for the New York Office to ascertain the identity of persons residing at 405 E. 62nd Street, New York City, with whom the subject stayed while in New York from June 13 to June 22, 1949.

Inquiry at 405 E. 62nd Street, New York City, revealed that the Oxygen Equipment Manufacturing Corporation has offices at this address.

It is to be noted that the New York City UNESCO office is located in the United Nations Building, 405 E. 42nd Street, and it is probable that this is the address that MALINA had given as a forwarding address while in New York City.

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United Nations Building, 405 E. 42nd Street, New York City, advised that there is no UNESCO employment record of MALINA available in New York City. [redacted] said that he felt sure that inasmuch as MALINA'S employment is in Paris, France, the only record available would be at that place. He further stated that he knows MALINA to be employed as a physicist for UNESCO in Paris. He added that FRANK MALINA had been employed in his present position for more than two years in that MALINA had recently been to the United States on home leave from Paris. [redacted] further stated that he remembers MALINA to have visited at his home on the west coast and to have spent a short period of time in New York City prior to his return to Paris. He said that MALINA resided at one of the mid-town New York City hotels during his brief stay here but could not recall the name of instant hotel.

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[redacted] information clerk at the Cunard White Star Lines, 25 Broadway, New York City, advised that records of this office indicate that Dr. F. MALINA [redacted] had sailed aboard the Queen Mary for London, England, on June 22, 1949. She said that the MALINAS had cabin class tickets for this voyage. She further stated that the record did not indicate any address for MALINA while in New York City.

An indices check at the New York Office failed to [redacted] reflect any information regarding [redacted]

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SYNOPSIS OF FACTS: No further corroborative testimony concerning subject's Communist Party Membership obtained. Subject's former associate and close friend, [redacted] interviewed August 8, 1949. [redacted] states he has no knowledge of Communist Party Activities on the part of MALINA. MALINA is presently believed to be in Paris and continues to be employed by UNESCO.

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REFERENCE: Report of Special Agent [redacted] dated July 26, 1949 at Los Angeles.

cc - Legal Counsel
BBK/Kmc
4/26/54

DETAILS:

At Los Angeles, California:

Subsequent contacts with T-1 of known reliability, since the date of the last report in this matter has not shed any additional light on the alleged theft or loss of documents and blueprints relating to the "WAC Corporal"

[redacted]

[redacted] former associate and close friend of the subject, was interviewed at the Los Angeles Office on August 8, 1949. [redacted] denied at this time having ever associated with any persons who he knew to be Communist Party members and in this connection stated that he was positive that FRANK MALINA has never been a member of the Communist Party. [redacted] said that he believes that

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he knows MALINA as "well as it is possible to know another man as a friend." and has a very high regard for him. [redacted] said that he is certain that if MALINA were a member of the Communist Party, he would have tried to induce [redacted] to become a member also and since, according to [redacted] MALINA never did this, [redacted] feels safe in presuming that MALINA had never been a member of the Communist Party.

[redacted] mentioned that he had a telephone call from MALINA shortly before he sailed from New York for Southhampton and in this conversation MALINA spoke about his name appearing in a United Press News dispatch in connection with the hearings of the House Committee on Un-American activities concerning [redacted] According to [redacted] MALINA was considering the possibilities of remaining in the United States to "clear his name" but decided against this and chose to return to Paris as scheduled.

[redacted] did mention that both he and MALINA were interested in a study of Marxism while at California Institute of Technology but stated that this was simply in connection with their studies of various theories of government and that neither of them had any interest in "organizational Communism as such."

On August 2, 1949, Special Agent [redacted] and the writer interviewed T-2, considered reliable, who is an employee of [redacted] 1946 and added that there was not much question in her mind then, as now, from conversations which took place there, that MALINA [redacted] pro-Communist in their beliefs. This informant could offer nothing specific along this line except to say that both MALINA and [redacted] in their discussions of things political gave every indication of closely adhering to the Communist Party Line as it existed at that time.

Investigation by the New York Office indicates that MALINA was [redacted]

T-4, considered reliable, furnished the New York Office a mimeographed copy of a report relating to the first General Assembly of the World Federation of Scientific Workers which was held in Prague, Czechoslovakia from September 20 to 23, 1948. This report reflected that an American named MALINA, representing UNESCO, attended and addressed the assembly.

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An unidentified source, whose reliability is not known, furnished to the Bureau a list of Communist Party members and direct sympathizers in the State of California. According to this source, this list was obtained directly "from California, from a Party office." This information has not been verified by independent investigation. Included among the names on this list was that of FRANK MALINA, 1288 Cordova, Pasadena, California.

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At Los Angeles, California:

Will check the records of the Los Angeles Superior Court for a record of [redacted] proceedings concerning the subject.

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Source T-1 [redacted]

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SYNOPSIS OF FACTS: ADMINISTRATIVE

The occupants of [redacted] Va., since September, 1948 are [redacted]

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REFERENCE: Bureau File 100-164610
Report of SA [redacted] Los Angeles, dated July 26, 1949

DETAILS: T-1, T-2, T-3, T-4, and T-5, confidential informants of known reliability, who are familiar with Communists and Communistic activity in the State of Virginia, advised that they are not acquainted with [redacted]

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AT WASHINGTON, D. C.

Will at the [redacted] N. W., review the records available for background information concerning [redacted]

Will, at the [redacted] review the personnel files of [redacted] for background information concerning him.

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Will review the office indices and contact appropriate confidential informants for information regarding any activity of [redacted] in subversive matters.

IDENTITY OF INFORMANTS

T-1 is Confidential Informant [redacted] whose identity is known to the Bureau.

T-2 is Confidential Informant [redacted] whose identity is known to the Bureau.

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T-4 is Confidential Informant [redacted] whose identity is known to the Bureau.

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TO : Director, FBI

DATE: November 1, 1949

FROM : SAC, Los Angeles

SUBJECT: FRANK J. MALINA, wa. Frank Parma
INTERNAL SECURITY - R
(Bureau file 100-164610)

A final report in this matter is being withheld pending receipt of information from the Richmond office. MALINA, as has been previously reported, is no longer residing in the United States.

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It will not be necessary to rewrite this report. All offices are, however, to place the word "Administrative" over the Synopsis as there appears no information in the report of present pertinence to the investigation of Malina. The report itself is not to be disseminated for the reasons herein set out.

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FRANK J. MALINA, wa.
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A review of subject's file reveals that he is presently residing in France and there is no indication he intends to return to the United States in the immediate future. For these reasons the Security Index Card on subject is being removed at the Bureau and you are requested to take similar action.

In the event you determine at any time that subject plans to return to the United States, you are to request that his name be placed again on the Security Index List.

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SYNOPSIS OF FACTS: Examination of records of Los Angeles Superior Court made and information concerning subject's divorce set forth. Subject married the former [redacted]

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REFERENCE: Bureau file 100-164610.
Report of [redacted] 9/14/49, Los Angeles.

DETAILS: An examination of the records of the Superior Court for the County of Los Angeles reflected the following information concerning the subject.

[redacted] as plaintiff vs FRANK JOSEPH MALINA, [redacted] The [redacted]

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At the time the subject was served with a copy of the complaint in this matter, he was shown to be residing at 939 South Serrano Avenue, Los Angeles.

[redacted] MALINA gave his age as 26 [redacted] Witnesses were FRANK MALINA, Sr. of Brenham, Texas [redacted] Subject gave his residence address at that time as 1288 Cordova Avenue, Pasadena [redacted] Subject gave his occupation as Aeronautical Engineer, California Institute of Technology and stated that his father was FRANK MALINA, born in Czechoslovakia and mother was LENA MARCH, born in Texas. [redacted]

As a review of the above records has indicated [redacted]

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A Security Index Card is being requested by separate letter, relative to the subject.

It has been fairly well established that he has been a member of Professional Unit 122 of the Los Angeles County Communist Party during the year 1939. Moreover, it does appear that his knowledge of and interest in, the aims and purposes of the Communist Party have extended far beyond this date. This coupled with the fact that the subject, by reason of his position with UNESCO and his professional knowledge in the field of guided missals, is in an excellent position to furnish information of a technical nature to the Soviets should he be so inclined.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 12/30/49

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES

SUBJECT: FRANK J. MALINA, wa
Frank Parma
INTERNAL SECURITY - R

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X It is recommended that a Security Index Card be prepared on the above captioned individual.

___ The Security Index Card on the captioned individual should be changed as follows: (Specify change only)

NAME FRANK JOSEPH MALINA

ALIASES Frank Parma

RACE ___ SEX ___ NATIVE BORN X NATURALIZED ___ ALIEN ___

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RESIDENCE ADDRESS ___

BUSINESS ADDRESS (Show name of employing concern and address) ___

19 Avenue Kleber
Paris (16) France
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Mr. Fletcher

January 18, 1950

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FRANK J. MALINA, WS.
Frank Parma

(S) [redacted]

Information has come to the attention of this Bureau that a Frank J. Malina, with alias Frank Parma, a scientist, was employed in 1949 by [illegible] at Paris, France. Frank J. Malina was born at Bremen, Texas, October 2, 1912. [redacted]

cc - Legal Attache, London, England
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Date: February 27, 1950

To: Director of Naval Intelligence
Department of the Navy
The Pentagon
Washington 25, D. C.

From: John Edgar Hoover, Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation

Re: FRANK J. MALINA, wa.:
MARTIN SUMMERFIELD
INTERNAL SECURITY - R

Reference is made to your memorandum of January 26, 1950. [redacted] b2 b6 b7C

This memorandum was captioned "Malina, Frank J., aka Frank Parma; [redacted]

In paragraph 3 of this memorandum it is stated that investigation of both Malina [redacted] is being conducted by the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

You are advised that investigation of Malina is no longer being conducted by this Bureau, inasmuch as he is presently residing in France and is employed with UNESCO at Paris. There is no indication that he is returning to the United States in the immediate future.

Your attention is called to the report of Special Agent [redacted] dated November 17, 1949, at Los Angeles, captioned [redacted] Espionage - R." This report was furnished you on December 14, 1949, and was a closing report in the matter of [redacted]

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Reurlet of February 27, 1950, and my letter of March 3, 1950. In accordance with my referenced letter, you are to cancel the security index card on subject in your field division because of his residence and employment outside the United States.

In such cases as that of subject, it is necessary to utilize whatever means is offered in the particular case to determine if and when subject returns to the United States in order that his name may at the time of his return be placed on the security index list. It appears that in the case of Malina this can be most effectively done through the placing of [redacted] on the basis of a current review of subject's file.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE February 27, 1950

FROM : SAC, Los Angeles

SUBJECT: FRANK J. MALINA
INTERNAL SECURITY - R
(BuFile 100-164610)

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Reference is made to the report of SA [redacted] in this matter dated July 26, 1949 and subsequent request for a security index card to be placed against the name of the subject. In this latter connection, it is pointed out that the subject is domiciled abroad and employed abroad by the United Nations Educational, Scientific & Cultural Organization.

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In the report of SA [redacted] on the subject dated August 23, 1949, it is pointed out that the subject's employment record is not maintained at UNESCO in New York City but is probably maintained in Paris.

The question has therefore arisen as to the mechanics of maintaining the security index card in this matter and as to how MALINA'S status and whereabouts may be kept current at all times. The Bureau is requested to advise Los Angeles if there is a precedent in such a situation as this.

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SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

[redacted] state subject was a member of the Los Angeles County Communist Party.

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DETAILS:

On March 7, 1950 and March 14, 1950, [redacted] was interviewed at his home at [redacted] California by Special Agents [redacted] At the time he was interviewed on these occasions, [redacted] readily admitted that he had been a member of [redacted] in Pasadena, California during the years 1938 and 1939. [redacted] said he terminated his connections with the Party in June of 1949 when he [redacted] of this section of the party and also as the person who recruited him into this section of the Party.

With particular reference to FRANK J. MALINA, [redacted] stated that although he had no direct knowledge of Party Records and Membership Rolls, he was certain that MALINA likewise was a member of the same section.

On January 11, 1950 [redacted] was interviewed by Special Agent [redacted]

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[redacted] explained that a group of students who were engaged in rocket research at the California Institute of Technology met at one another's houses and engaged in discussions of various subjects in 1938. On one occasion at one of these group meetings, FRANK MALINA introduced a friend named [redacted] This particular meeting took place at the house of FRANK MALINA and at this meeting [redacted] talked favorably on the subject of Communism. He stated that the next time he went to MALINA's house the group included three persons he did not know before, [redacted] as MALINA have been named by reliable informant T-1 as being members of the Communist Party in Pasadena in 1938 and 1939). [redacted] appeared to be the chairman of the group and discussed Communism and passed out Communist literature. [redacted] remembered these books to include "Capital, State and Revolution" and the "Manifesto of the Communist Party." [redacted] statement continues, [redacted] offered to help me with some mathematical theory and sollicited me to join an 'inner circle' of intellectuals which he said included some prominent people. He said the group observed secrecy about its membership and had no industrial or cell activities. He showed me some sort of membership card at the time. He also came to my house on the same matter. I said I was not interested at the time. I went to another meeting at MALINA's house at which [redacted] were present. MALINA seemed to act as secretary and the meeting was similar to the last....."

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[redacted] went on to state that he afterwards had some discussion with MALINA regarding [redacted] and his Communistic theory and that MALINA was very antagonistic and defended [redacted]

The person named [redacted] in the above statement is [redacted] previously identified in this case.

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[redacted]-1 Is [redacted] furnished to Special Agent [redacted] during 1943.

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TITLE: FRANK J. MALINA, wa., Frank Parma

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CHARACTER OF CASE: INTERNAL SECURITY - R

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

[redacted] recontacted for purposes of amplifying his original statement with regard to MALINA.

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CC ACSI 8-26-57 DES/ate

DETAILS:

[redacted] was requested to amplify his original statement concerning MALINA's membership in the Pasadena Unit of the Communist Party. [redacted] replied substantially as follows:

He said he could not with absolute certitude say that MALINA was a member of [redacted] Pasadena Branch of the Communist Party in 1938, if such certitude was contingent upon his direct knowledge such as observance of MALINA's Party book or a direct admission from MALINA that he was a member. He said his certitude is based on the following facts:

1. That he knows without any doubt that [redacted] previously mentioned in reports in this matter, was an Organizer for Professional Unit 122 of the Communist Party in Pasadena during 1938 and 1939.

2. That [redacted] told him that in 1939 he had a new recruit, or words to that effect, and that this person was FRANK MALINA, and that MALINA was "coming along well".

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3. That subsequent to this conversation with [redacted] concerning MALINA, [redacted] afterwards saw MALINA at at least two meetings of the unit. He does not recall where these two meetings took place, but believes they may have taken place at either [redacted] or MALINA's quarters.

[redacted] said that due to the span of intervening years, he has no good recollection of MALINA and doubts very much that he could recognize MALINA today.

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From: John Edgar Hoover-Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation

Subject: FRANK J. MALINA, wa.,
Frank Parma
INTERNAL SECURITY - R

There are being furnished for your information the following reports concerning captioned individual:

Report of Special Agent [redacted] dated July 26, 1949, at Los Angeles, California.

Report of Special Agent [redacted] dated July 13, 1950, at Los Angeles, California.

Reliable informants recently advised that Malina's present address is 19 Avenue Kleber Paris 16, France, c/o UNESCO.

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May 31, 1950

FRANK J. MALINA, wa.
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Rerep of Special Agent [redacted] dated April 26, 1950.

The Bureau desires to disseminate the information concerning subjects membership in Professional Unit #122 of the Communist Party which is contained in referenced report.

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It is therefore necessary that [redacted] statement concerning such membership, which is set out in paragraph two of the details, be elaborated upon and the basis for his certainty that subject was a member be provided the Bureau.

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INTERNAL SECURITY - R

Reference is made to your memorandum dated July 19, 1950, which requested information concerning captioned individual. Your memorandum noted that the name [redacted] had appeared in reports which were previously furnished you, and which concerned [redacted]

There are attached for your information the following reports:

Report of Special Agent [redacted] dated November 28, 1942, at Los Angeles, California, entitled "Frank J. Malina, wa.: Internal Security - R: Custodial Detention."

Report of Special Agent [redacted] dated July 26, 1949, at Los Angeles, entitled "Frank J. Malina, wa.: Internal Security - R."

Report of Special Agent [redacted] dated July 13, 1950, at Los Angeles, entitled "Frank J. Malina, wa.: Internal Security - R."

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From: John Edgar Hoover - Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation

Subject: FRANK J. MALINA, wa.,
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Note: Subject is an American citizen of Czech parentage. He is generally conceded to be the person who first conceived the idea of using jet propulsion for military purposes. A reliable informant advises he was a CP member in 1939. During the war years, subject was Director of the Caltech Jet Propulsion Lab. For the past several years, subject has resided almost continuously in France as an employee of the United Nations Educational Scientific and Cultural Organization.

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Reference is made to Los Angeles letter to Washington Field dated April 10, 1950 in the above captioned matter requesting that

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The Bureau has indicated in a letter to Los Angeles on the above captioned subject dated March 27, 1950 that [redacted]

Washington Field Office is, therefore, requested to continue

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The Bureau is requested to consider the advisability of requesting [redacted]

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cc: Washington Field

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: November 9, 1950

FROM : GUY HOTTEL, SAC
WASHINGTON FIELD

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SUBJECT:

FRANK J. MALINA, was.
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Re Los Angeles letter to Director dated October 28, 1950.

By unnumbered circular letter dated May 3, 1950, [redacted]

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FRANK J. MALINA, wa
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Reurlet December 6, 1950. You are authorized to interview [redacted] along the lines set out in your referenced letter.

Information obtained from the above individuals should be furnished the Bureau in connection with the individual case file to which it pertains.

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[redacted] are long time members of the CP in Los Angeles. During the recent investigation of [redacted] in connection with a [redacted] as attempting to cooperate. Both are in a position to furnish valuable information to the Bureau.

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Reference is made to report of SA [redacted] at Los Angeles, captioned as above, which is presently being typed at the Los Angeles Office and which will reach the Bureau shortly.

[redacted] Contained in this report there is mention of one [redacted] membership in the Pasadena Professional Section of the Los Angeles County Communist Party during the years 1938-1941, and stated in this connection that she recalled that FRANK MALINA attended meetings during this period also. [redacted] however, declined to positively affirm MALINA's membership in the Communist Party in Pasadena, when questioned [redacted] It is noted that [redacted] made these remarks in connection with an [redacted] inquiry concerning the Communist Party affiliations of [redacted] who is presently awaiting deportation action by that service because of his alleged Communist Party membership.

Request is hereby made for Bureau authority to interview [redacted] This request is being made for the following reasons:

[redacted] have come to the attention of the Los Angeles Office on many, many occasions in the past, commencing with information received from [redacted] to the effect that both of these individuals were members of Professional Unit #122 of the Communist Party in Pasadena, California during the years 1937-1938 and 1939. It will be recalled that reference to the subject's file will reflect that the allegation concerning his Communist Party membership and the use of the alias FRANK PARMA [redacted]

[redacted] have, likewise, come to the attention of this office on numerous occasions in that investigation disclosed that she was Secretary of the American Russian Institute, was very active in Russian War Relief, and in addition, seemed to be a frequent and close contact of [redacted]

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SYNOPSIS OF FACTS: (S) T-2, [redacted]

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admitted C.P. Member states that MALINA was present at Communist Party Meetings in Pasadena during the period 1938-41. On 11/1/50 MALINA refused to testify concerning his knowledge of CP affiliations of [redacted] on grounds of self-incrimination.

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DETAILS: [redacted]

(S) [redacted]

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(S) [redacted] (S)

(S) T-1 [redacted] (S)

(S) According to T-1 [redacted] (S) In connection with the foregoing, T-3, of known reliability, in 1948 furnished to the New York Office a mimeographed copy of a report relating to the First General Assembly of the World Federation of Scientific Workers which was held at Prague, Czechoslovakia from September 20 to 23, 1948. This report reflected that an American named MALINA, representing UNESCO, attended and addressed the assembly.

(S) T-1 [redacted] (S)

(S) [redacted] (S) The source who related this incident said that the American is Mr. FRANK MALINA, who comes from Texas and is of Czech descent. This source stated that upon hearing this information concerning MALINA, he made particular inquiry concerning him in Paris and learned on good authority that if MALINA was not a Communist Party member, he was, at the very least a fellow traveller.

On November 1, 1950 [redacted] in Los Angeles advised the writer that an attempt had been made to interview MALINA in Paris regarding the Communist Party affiliations of [redacted] MALINA refused outright to make any statement with regard to [redacted] on the grounds that such a statement might tend to incriminate him.

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This same source advised that [redacted] recalled that FRANK MALINA was also present at meetings during this period. It will be recalled that T-4, of known reliability, states that MALINA was a member of the Pasadena Section, Professional Group of the Los Angeles County Communist Party in the 1939 registration group. Further that MALINA [redacted] were known to hold Communist meetings at MALINA's residence, 1288 Cordova Street, Pasadena during this period and that the following individuals attended these meetings: [redacted]

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All of the above named persons were known to T-4 as members of the Communist Party with the exception of [redacted] have all since affirmed their membership in the Communist Party under oath. [redacted] in the U. S. District Court in Los Angeles because of his denial under oath that he was a member of the Communist Party. [redacted] as has been mentioned previously is presently awaiting deportation action of the local Immigration and Naturalization Office for his alleged membership in Professional Unit 122 of the Pasadena Section of the Los Angeles County Communist Party.

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THE LOS ANGELES OFFICE

At Los Angeles, California: Will report subsequent information received from the Bureau [redacted]

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Will, upon receipt of Bureau authorization, interview [redacted] regarding FRANK MALINA.

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T-3 (S) Temporary Confidential Informant [redacted] of the New York Office.

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T-4 [redacted]

REFERENCE: Bureau letter to Los Angeles, 10/25/50 captioned FRANK J. MALINA, wa., INTERNAL SECURITY - R.

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CHARACTER OF CASE: INTERNAL SECURITY - R

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BY: [illegible]

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS: [redacted] former members of Professional Unit 122 of Los Angeles County Communist Party, interviewed and stated that subject was in attendance at Communist Party meetings of this unit. [redacted] declined to testify affirmatively as to whether or not subject held a Party card but did state that subject dropped out of this unit prior to the beginning of World War II.

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DETAILS: [redacted] was interviewed on January 2, 1951, by Special Agent [redacted] and the reporting agent at his office in [redacted] Pasadena, California. [redacted] was interviewed on January 6, 1951, by Special Agents [redacted] at her residence, which is located at [redacted] California [redacted] members of Professional Unit 122 of the Communist Party in Pasadena during the years [redacted] According to this informant, [redacted] while a member of the Communist Party, used the Party alias of [redacted] He likewise advised that [redacted] while a member of the Party, used the alias of [redacted]

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INTERVIEW OF [redacted]

At the very outset of this interview, [redacted] admitted his membership in Professional Unit 122 of the Pasadena Branch of the Los Angeles

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County Communist Party. [redacted] said that he was [redacted] of this unit and recalled that he was recruited by a Communist Party member from Los Angeles, the identity of whom he does not now recall. [redacted] admitted that he was an officer of this unit, specifically that of [redacted] and stated that he did not have any knowledge of recruiting anyone else into this branch of the Party. He specifically recalled that [redacted] entered into membership in this unit shortly after he did.

[redacted] stated that the only thing he recalls about the function of this unit is that it followed from a discussion group which existed on the California Institute of Technology campus and came about through the feeling of a need for membership in the Communist Party on the part of various members of this discussion group. In other words, [redacted] said, during the year 1937 various members of the discussion group at the California Institute of Technology came to the realization that their principles and beliefs for economic and social reform could be best achieved through adherence to the principles of the Communist Party.

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[redacted] was asked to recall to the best of his recollection the identity of those persons who were members of the unit following its transition from a discussion group stage to a unit of the Communist Party, and he named the following individuals:

[redacted]

FRANK MALINA

[redacted]

In the light of the above statement, [redacted] was then asked if he had positive knowledge of the membership on the part of the persons he had mentioned of such nature that he could testify. [redacted] immediately began to qualify his original statement by saying that if it came to a matter of testimony, he would be unable to state positively that any of the persons

mentioned were members of the Communist Party with the exception of [redacted]

[redacted] stated his position more or less as follows with regard to the above:

He stated that in the matter of positive affirmation of membership on the part of any person as a member of the Communist Party, he believed that he would have to be governed by what he considered to be scientific certitude; in other words, he maintains that his willingness to affirm the membership of [redacted] in this unit of the Communist Party is based primarily on their own admission of it publicly, and in the case of [redacted] he had been shown documentary evidence thereof at the trial of this individual.

With respect to Professional Unit 122 of the Pasadena Branch of the Communist Party, [redacted] said it never had much association with Los Angeles County Party headquarters and its members were never called upon to perform any special outside activity with the possible exception of selling the "Daily Peoples World", the West Coast Communist daily, and he added that even this activity was very haphazardly performed. [redacted] stated that he has no clear-cut memory as to when this particular group dissolved. He said he is quite certain that the dissolution of the unit, as such, never came about from any specific orders from Communist Party headquarters but rather happened as a gradual thing when people ceased to attend because of interest in other affairs.

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[redacted] stated that he was frank to admit that had the group continued their interest in the unit for several years, he would probably have remained a member of it. He said that he could not fix the date of the dissolution with any degree of accuracy but felt that he was reasonably certain that it was shortly prior to the outbreak of World War II.

With particular regard to the subject of this case, [redacted] stated that he did recall that he was present at meetings of the unit and also recalled that he dropped out of the unit sometime in 1939 or early 1940. When [redacted] was asked for an explanation as to how he could affirmatively state that a person such as the subject "dropped out" of the unit and not be able to state affirmatively that he was therefore a member of the unit, he replied that he was not the sort of person who was given to positive statements of any kind and stated that the only time he would be willing to make an affirmative statement with regard to another person's membership in the Communist Party would be if he were able to first view their Communist Party card and ascertain from it that the person was an active member of the Communist Party. In this connection [redacted] said that he could not, with any degree of certainty, place any persons in the Communist Party

outside of those two persons whom he first listed. He refused outright to execute any sort of a signed statement of his activities or the activities of other members of Professional Unit 122.

[redacted] disclaimed knowledge of the Party aliases of any of the members of Professional Unit 122, to which he was attached.

INTERVIEW OF [redacted]

On January 6, 1951, [redacted] was interviewed by Special Agents [redacted] at her residence at [redacted]

At the outset of the interview, [redacted] readily corroborated the information furnished by [redacted] to the effect that they had been perhaps the original members of Professional Unit 122 in Pasadena [redacted] having been preceded by a discussion group.

She said that she felt that it was entirely possible that an individual could have attended at least several meetings of the unit without having realized that it was actually a meeting of a formally organized unit of the Communist Party. She added, however, that she felt that anyone who attended at least several of these meetings would have known that the feelings expressed by those present coincided with the then current Communist Party thinking.

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[redacted] stated that if she were called upon to testify, she could only state positively that the following individuals had been members of Professional Unit 122 of the Communist Party:

She said that she knew that [redacted] had been a member in that he had told her so even prior to the time he had made a public announcement thereof. She said that she knew [redacted] had been a member of the unit. She added in this regard that she was able to make such a statement with regard to [redacted] because the basis of her association with him had been so intimate over so many years that based on this cumulative knowledge, she could make such a positive statement; otherwise, she said that she only knew positively of the membership of [redacted] explaining this by the fact that they had both joined at the same time and that she had knowledge of [redacted] membership by reason of their obvious very close association.

With respect to the subject of this case, [redacted] said that she remembered him being present at various meetings of Professional Unit 122 together with [redacted] in 1938 and 1939. Although [redacted] would neither affirm or deny the membership of FRANK MALINA [redacted] in Professional Unit 122 of the Communist Party, she did state that, comparatively speaking, MALINA [redacted] were much more active at meetings

than [redacted] who has been mentioned previously, her exact words being, "Oh, he [redacted] was much more inactive than those two (MALINA and [redacted] as they are not the quiet type."

It should be noted that all individuals referred to hereinbefore were reported by T-1 as having been members of Professional Unit 122, Communist Party, in Pasadena during the year 1938 to 1939 with the exception of [redacted]

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THE LOS ANGELES OFFICE:

At Los Angeles, California:

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SOURCE: T-1 [redacted] who furnished information to the late Special Agent [redacted] in March, 1949.

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From: John Edgar Hoover - Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation

Subject: FRANK J. MALINA
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Reference is made to your memorandum dated September 28, 1950, your reference [redacted] and to our memorandum of October 23, 1950.

It will be appreciated if you would furnish this Bureau any additional information concerning subject which may have been developed by you since the date of your referenced memorandum.

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TO : Mr. D. M. Ladd

DATE: August 7, 1951

FROM : A. H. Belmont

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PURPOSE:

My memorandum to you dated July 27, 1951, containing information concerning Frank Joseph Malina as requested by [redacted] of the McCarran Committee, pointed out that Malina's current employment was being checked to resolve the discrepancy between Bureau files, which indicate that Malina is employed by U.N.E.S.C.O. in Paris, France, and the McCarran Committee request, which described him as "Now connected with Marshall Plan in Europe."

ACTION TAKEN:

Through established liason, on July 31, 1951, [redacted] advised that Malina is not employed by the State Department, but is employed by the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization as assistant to the head of the Natural Sciences Office in Paris, France. [redacted] stated that U.N.E.S.C.O. is an international organization.

RECOMMENDATION:

(1) That this memorandum be forwarded to Mr. Nichols.

(2) That a copy of this memorandum be forwarded to the Loyalty Section in view of the fact that the employment given for Malina in the original McCarran Committee request indicated that Malina might be a government employee and therefore a proper subject for investigation under the Loyalty Program. As an employee of U.N.E.S.C.O., Malina does not come within the purview of Executive Order 9835.

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PURPOSE: ~~ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED EXCEPT WHERE SHOWN OTHERWISE~~

In a memorandum to Mr. Tolson dated June 22, 1951, Mr. Nichols advised that [redacted] of the McCarran Committee had requested information at our convenience on three individuals, including the following:

> Frank Molino-Now connected with Marshall Plan in Europe. Molino is well known in connection with Communist Party unit in Pasadena, California and is a friend of [redacted]

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SCOPE OF SEARCH:

This individuals name was searched as Molino, Malino, Malina, Parma and Palma, with the first names of Frank Joseph, Frank J., F. Joseph, Joseph, Frank, and the initials F.J., for subversive derogatory references. An Internal Security - R case was located on one Frank J. Malina, wa. Frank Parma, who is believed to be identical with the subject of this inquiry. The records of the Identification Division reflect three non-criminal identification records for Malina.

A blind memorandum is attached setting forth information suitable for dissemination. The information set forth below is not considered suitable for dissemination due to the nature of the information itself or the nature of the source.

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BUREAU INVESTIGATION:

An Internal Security-R case was opened on Frank J. Malina in 1941 upon receipt of information that he had attended Communist Party meetings in Pasadena, California. During the investigation information was developed that Malina had been a Communist Party member in Pasadena, California, in 1939, and had attended meetings until 1941. No evidence was developed to show actual membership since 1939. The Security Index Card on Malina was cancelled in March, 1950, because of his residence and employment outside the United States. The case is now in Pending Inactive status. (100-164610)

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[redacted] advised the Los Angeles office that information had been received from an undisclosed source to the effect that Frank J. Malina, employed at the California Institute of Technology, was a member of the Professional Section of the Los Angeles County Communist Party; that the name of Frank Malina, 1288 Cordova Street, Pasadena, appeared on the subscription list of the west coast Communist newspaper "Daily Peoples World" as of September, 1939; and that Malina reportedly held Communist meetings at his residence, attended by the following individuals: [redacted]

With reference to the individuals listed immediately above, all except [redacted] have been reliably reported to have been members of the Professional Unit of the Pasadena Section of the Los Angeles County Communist in 1939. [redacted]

An unidentified source, whose reliability is not known, furnished to the Bureau in 1942 a list of alleged Communist Party members and sympathizers in the state of California. According to this source, this list was obtained directly "from California, from a Party office." Included among the names on this list was that of Frank Malina, 1288 Cordova, Pasadena, California, but his status, whether a Communist Party member or a sympathizer, did not appear. (61-8890-1X; Adm. page of 100-164610-15)

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[redacted] in Los Angeles, California, attempted to have Malina interviewed in Paris regarding the Communist Party affiliations of [redacted] who is under deportation action for alleged Communist Party membership. [redacted]

(C) [redacted]

In the Washington "Times Herald" for January 22, 1951, [redacted] stated that there were ninety Americans employed by the United Nations whose records of Communist and Red front activities bar them from working for their own government. A confidential source, which must be protected, advised that Frank Joseph Malina was included in the ninety persons because of his Communist activities in Pasadena, California, from 1939 to 1941, which activities are known to the Bureau. [redacted]

ADDENDUM:

An immediate check should be made by the Loyalty Section to determine if Malina is identified in any way with the Government or is employed by the Federal Government.

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July 27, 1951

FRANK JOSEPH MALINA, aka
FRANK PARMA

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BACKGROUND:

Frank Joseph Malina was born on October 2, 1912, at Brenham, Texas. After attending high school in Brenham he studied at Texas A. & M. College, receiving a Bachelor of Science degree in June, 1934. He then entered the California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, California, where he received a Master of Science degree in June, 1935, and a Ph. D. in September, 1937. After graduation Malina remained at the university as a research assistant and later as an Assistant Professor in the Aeronautics Department. He pioneered in the field of jet propulsion as a possible military weapon and in 1941 took charge as Chief Engineer of Gal-Cit Project No. 1 of the U. S. Army Air Force at the California Institute of Technology. In 1942 he was one of the founders of the Aerojet Engineering Company, Azusa, California, formed to manufacture models for the Air Force that had been developed in the Jet Laboratory at the California Institute of Technology. In about 1946 Malina accepted a position with the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization in Paris, France, where he is still employed. Malina [redacted] in Pasadena, California, which [redacted] at Los Angeles, California on [redacted] His Paris address is 19 Avenue Kleber, Paris 16, France.

AFFILIATION WITH THE COMMUNIST PARTY:

Malina, under the name of Frank Parma, was a member of the Professional Group of the Pasadena Section of the Los Angeles County Communist Party in 1939.

MISCELLANEOUS:

An informant of unknown reliability recalled that in about 1938 or 1939 a group of students engaged in rocket research at the California Institute of Technology met together from time to time for discussion meetings on various subjects. At one of these meetings at Malina's home, Malina introduced one [redacted] who talked favorably on the subject of Communism and passed out Communist literature, including "Capital," "State and Revolution" and the "Manifesto of the Communist Party." At another meeting at Malina's home

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[redacted] were present. Informant stated that he later discussed [redacted] with Malina, who was very antagonistic and defended [redacted] Informant stated that he believed that Malina ceased his activities with this group in 1939.

[redacted] office because of his alleged membership in Professional Unit of the Pasadena Section of the Los Angeles County Communist Party.

A source considered reliable advised in 1941 that information had been brought to his attention (source and reliability not stated) to the effect that Dr. Frank J. Malina, Director of Gal-Cit Project No. 1, an Army Air Corps restricted project at the California Institute of Technology, had passed out Communist literature on the project to fellow workers and had held Communist meetings at his residence until about June, 1941. Malina was also alleged to have been active at one time in receiving money for Loyalist Spain.

[redacted] in testimony given on June 14, 1949, before the House Committee on Un-American Activities inquiring into Communist infiltration of the Radiation Laboratory and Atomic Bomb Project at the University of California, admitted their membership in the Communist Party in Pasadena, California, from 1937 to 1941. They stated that they had known Frank J. Malina in Pasadena, but refused to answer questions as to whether Malina had ever been a Communist Party member, or had attended Communist Party meetings.

In March, 1950, an informant of unknown reliability advised that he had been a member of the Professional Unit of the Communist Party in Pasadena, California, during 1938 and 1939 while a student at the California Institute of Technology, and while he could not state definitely that Malina had actually been a member of this unit, he recalled that Malina had attended at least two meetings of this unit.

An individual of unknown reliability advised in January, 1951, that he had been a member of the Professional Unit of the

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Communist Party in Pasadena, California, starting in 1937. He stated that Malina was present at meetings of this unit until 1939 or early 1940, but was unable to state positively that Malina had been a member of the Communist Party.

In January, 1951, an informant of unknown reliability, [redacted] in Pasadena, California, states that Malina had attended various meetings of this unit in 1938 and 1939, but could not state positively that Malina had been a member of the Communist Party.

In March, 1951, an informant of unknown reliability, a [redacted] in Pasadena, California, from 1938 to 1942, stated that Malina had been a member of that unit during that period, and had attended meetings, some of which were held at Malina's home in Pasadena.

In August, 1949, an individual of unknown reliability, advised that he had visited Malina's home in Pasadena in 1946 and based upon conversations that took place at that time came to the conclusion that Malina was definitely pro-Communist in his beliefs. This individual could offer nothing specific to support his conclusion, except to say that Malina, in discussion of things political, gave every indication of closely adhering to the Communist Party line as it existed at that time.

Malina attended the First General Assembly of the World Federation of Scientific Workers in Prague, Czechoslovakia, from September 21 to September 25, 1948, as an observer for UNESCO from the United Nations. [redacted] French physicist and well known French Communist, was the president of this Federation, which has been cited by the House Committee on Un-American Activities as "another International Communist-front organization" which seeks to win scientists to the Communist cause.

The New York "World Telegram" in its issue of August 16, 1949, reported that the House Un-American Activities Committee had named forty-two persons, twelve of them university professors, in connection with a Communist apparatus which the committee said had succeeded in one of three attempts to get information on the atom bomb for Russia. The parent Communist organization, according to the committee, met in the homes of [redacted]

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Reference is made to Bulet dated November 30, 1950, concerning captioned subject.

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Enclosed is one copy of a communication from the [redacted] Pertinent portions of this communication should be included in your next report.

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BY SPECIAL MESSENGER

Date: November 30, 1951

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From: John Edgar Hoover - Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation

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Subject: FRANK J. MALINA, wa.,
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(S) [redacted]

Further reference is made to our communications of October 23, 1950, and May 15, 1951, [redacted] and any additional information that may have been developed concerning Malina.

(S) [redacted]

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Reference is made to the pending inactive report by SA [redacted] dated January 30, 1951, at Los Angeles, California, concerning captioned matter which contained a lead to report information received [redacted]

(S) To date, the Bureau has not received the results [redacted] This matter is being closely followed with [redacted] Los Angeles will be informed of the results of the interview with [redacted] when they are received. (S)

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Meanwhile, in order that the Bureau's investigation will be complete and up to date, the following additional investigative leads are suggested:

The report of SA [redacted] dated December 30, 1949, at Los Angeles, California, reflects that Malina [redacted] in Pasadena, California, and [redacted] at Los Angeles, California. The report of SA [redacted] dated November 28, 1942, at Los Angeles, California, reflects that the subject's [redacted] Bureau memorandum of August 2, 1949, indicates that she may have subsequently been known [redacted] Los Angeles is requested to submit a recommendation as to the advisability of interviewing [redacted] and her present and past Communist affiliations, if any, should be determined and included in the letter of recommendation.

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New York

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The report of SA [redacted] dated July 26, 1949, at Los Angeles, California, reflects that Confidential Source T-3 [redacted] possesses documentary evidence of the Communist Party affiliations of Malina. The nature of this documentary evidence should be fully explained and photostatic copies of the document or documents should be secured and submitted to the Bureau as an enclosure with the next report.

Los Angeles should also attempt to secure copies of any available PSQ's or other similar questionnaires that may have been executed by the subject, for the completion of Bureau files.

The Washington Field Office should also inquire as to the availability of any [redacted] If any are available, copies should be secured and submitted to the Bureau. In this regard, WFO is advised that Malina held a reserve commission in the U. S. Army until June 26, 1942, when he resigned. Prior to 1945, Malina was Assistant Professor in the Aeronautics Department of the California Institute of Technology. He was also in charge of the Galcit (Guggenheim Aeronautical Laboratory, California Institute of Technology) Project #1, later known as the Jet Propulsion Laboratory, under the sponsorship of the U. S. Army Air Force. In addition, Malina was formerly Secretary - Treasurer of the Aerojet Engineering Company of Pasadena, California, which was sponsored by the U. S. Army Air Force through contractual agreements. At the same time, WFO should secure all available data concerning the subject from G-2 and OSI.

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WFO should also review appropriate records of the U. S. Department of State for complete data concerning the nature, type, and date of passport that has been issued to the subject, and ascertain if his present [redacted]

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questionnaires or similar documents executed by the subject in the possession of the [redacted]

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New York should contact [redacted] and secure all available data concerning Malina and Malina's present [redacted] Both Malina and [redacted] reported to be U.N. employees in Paris, France. [redacted] does not have information readily available, the propriety of asking the informant to attempt to secure available data [redacted] should be considered. Malina is reported to presently be Deputy Director of the Natural Sciences Department of the United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization in Paris, France.

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New York is authorized to advise [redacted] on a confidential basis, that Malina was reliably reported to have been a member of the Professional Section of the Los Angeles County Communist Party in 1939; that his name appeared on a subscribers' list of the Daily People's World, a West Coast Communist newspaper; and that Communist Party meetings were reliably reported to have been held at Malina's residence in 1939, which were attended by [redacted] and other known Communist Party members. Malina reportedly used the party name of Frank Parma.

(S) New York is further authorized to advise [redacted] that some time prior to November 1, 1950, Malina refused to make any statement to a U. S. government agency regarding the reported Communist affiliations of [redacted] on the grounds that such a statement might incriminate him. [redacted]

(S) New York is further authorized to inform [redacted] that [redacted] wrote an article which appeared in the Washington Times Herald newspaper on January 22, 1951, which stated that there were 90 Americans employed by the U.N. whose records of Communist activities

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barred them from working for their own government. A reliable confidential informant has advised that Frank J. Malina was one of the 90 referred to by [redacted]

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TO : Director, FBI (100-164610)

DATE: December 19, 1951

FROM : SAC, WFO (105-668)

SUBJECT: FRANK J. MALINA, wa. Frank Parma
INTERNAL SECURITY - R

Rebulet November 30, 1951.

St. Louis should review FRANK JOSEPH MALINA's U. S. Army Officer's Service Record, SN 0-316523 at RACAG. MALINA held a reserve commission until June 26, 1942, when he resigned. All PSQ's or similar questionnaires executed by the subject should be photostated and submitted to the Bureau.

MALINA was born October 2, 1912 at Brenham, Texas.

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Los Angeles is office of origin.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-164610) b6 b7C DATE: ~~January 4, 1951~~

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (100-8196)

SUBJECT: FRANK J. MALINA, wa.
Frank Parma
INTERNAL SECURITY - R Frank Malina

Rebulet November 30, 1951, in the above-captioned matter.

With respect to the documentary evidence referred to in referenced report dated July 26, 1949, [redacted] who in 1938 were Communist Party functionaries, made available to [redacted] who was then head of the Intelligence Bureau of the Los Angeles Police Department, original Communist Party 1939 registration forms for Professional Unit 122 of the Los Angeles County Communist Party in Pasadena, California. At that time, [redacted] copied detail on a previously prepared facsimile registration form which states that MALINA, using the Party alias FRANK PARMA, was registered as a new member of the Communist Party in November, 1938; that he held no 1938 Communist Party book but was issued 1939 Communist Party book No. 1020. MALINA's address at that time was listed as 671 South Catalina, Los Angeles; born, U.S., age 26; male; Czech; student at Cal-Tech. A photograph of this facsimile registration form is being forwarded to the Bureau at its request. (A complete description of the procedure in obtaining this material, as outlined above, is contained in a report of SA [redacted] dated January 16, 1951, in the case of [redacted] AEA-A; FRAUD AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT.)

With further reference to [redacted] and the case referred to above, it will be recalled that [redacted] was interviewed by agents of the Albany Office on March 9, 1951. At the time of that interview, [redacted] was under indictment being charged with fraud against the Government. These charges arose because of the fact that in the completion of a Personnel Security Questionnaire for the Atomic Energy Commission [redacted] had failed to list thereon that he had been a member of the Communist Party.

At the time of this interview, [redacted] executed 22 signed statements in which he identified other individuals who were likewise members of the same professional unit No. 122 of the Communist Party. Among the 22 individuals so named by [redacted] was an individual

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who was likewise named as a Communist Party member by [redacted]
In this connection, it should be noted that [redacted] was the only individual who has stated that [redacted] was a member of Professional Unit No. 122 of the Communist Party. The information which [redacted] made available to this office concerning the original membership list of Professional Unit 122, furnished this information for a period which included the 1939 registration. At the time [redacted] was interviewed he stated that he remained a member of this unit until late in 1941 or early 1942. It was noted that since [redacted] FRANK MALINA at about the period that [redacted] coverage in this matter ceased it might be possible that she was actually a member as alleged by [redacted] No active investigation has ever been conducted with regard to [redacted] by this office, and it is believed that since her divorce from MALINA she has been living in New York City. During the course of the investigation concerning MALINA, no information of interest has been developed with regard to [redacted]

It is noted that by letter dated August 2, 1949, under the caption of FRANK J. MALINA, INTERNAL SECURITY - R, the Bureau advised that certain information was contained in the report of SA [redacted] dated March 29, 1948, at New York, captioned, [redacted] was: INTERNAL SECURITY - R," reflecting that on November 21, 1947, [redacted] received correspondence from a [redacted] Subsequent investigation of [redacted] by the New York Office determined that she had been [redacted]

It was further determined by a check of the records of [redacted] the Board of Elections, City of New York, that [redacted] was registered with the American Labor Party in 1947. It is further noted that the original statement which [redacted] made with respect to [redacted] has been forwarded to New York. Los Angeles has no subsequent information concerning [redacted] however, the Los Angeles Office believes that [redacted] should be located and interviewed concerning both her own and subject's activities in the Los Angeles County Communist Party. Los Angeles has no current information regarding the whereabouts of [redacted] but believes she may still reside in New York City and if so might be located through another check of records of the Board of Elections in the city of New York.

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The records of the Immigration and Naturalization Service in Los Angeles contain no information identifiable with [redacted]

On December 20, 1951, [redacted] of Personnel, California Institute of Technology, furnished the personnel file for the subject which is maintained at CIT. This file is incomplete according to [redacted] in that it does not contain a Personnel Security Questionnaire which from memoranda in the file places the date of execution of this PSQ as March 26, 1945. This file copy [redacted]

The Washington Field Office is requested to check the records of the Central Office of the Immigration and Naturalization Service for a record of naturalization of subject [redacted] and advise the Bureau, New York and Los Angeles. New York should thereafter, on the authorization by the Bureau, locate and interview [redacted] As has been mentioned previously, New York is in possession of the original signed statement [redacted]

There is being forwarded to the Bureau for the inclusion of its files two photostats of the facsimile registration form mentioned at the beginning of this letter. There is also enclosed for the Bureau files two photographs of the statement of [redacted] concerning MALINA.

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ENCLOSURES: TO BUREAU:

2 photostats of the facsimile registration form taken from original Communist Party registration forms.

2 photographs of statement of [redacted] concerning MALINA.

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R) Malina, Frank J. C-1939 (R)
P) Parma, Frank Pasadena Sec.
A) 671 S. Catalina Prof.-N.M.
Los Angeles, Cal.

1938 CP- None
1939 CP- 1020

Joined CP 11-38

Born US; age 26; male; Czech

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[redacted] New York
March 9, 1951

I, [redacted] make the following statement to [redacted] whom I know to be Special Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. No threats or promises of reward have been made to me to induce me to make this statement and I do so voluntarily and of my own free will. I have been advised of my right to counsel and that this statement may be used in a court of law.

I was born [redacted] California. [redacted] 12.7.1.

From September, [redacted] I was a member of the Communist Party at Pasadena, California, and was assigned to Professional Unit No. 122 at Pasadena. This unit held weekly meetings during this period at the homes of various members.

I recall Frank Malina as being a member of this unit, and he attended meetings regularly from the time I joined until shortly before the unit was disbanded in the latter part of 1941 or early 1942. Some of the weekly meetings of the unit were held at Malina's home on Cordova Street in Pasadena. [redacted]

I have read the above statement and state that it is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and have signed below in my own handwriting [redacted]

WITNESS:

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TO : DIRECTOR FBI (100-164610) DATE: January 17, 1952

FROM : SAC LOS ANGELES (100-8196)

SUBJECT: FRANK J. MALINA, wa. Frank Parma
INTERNAL SECURITY - R

Re Los Angeles letter, 1/4/52, and Bulet, 11/30/51, in the above-captioned matter.

For the information of the San Francisco Office, subject is presently residing in Paris where he is reported to be Deputy Director of the Natural Sciences Department of UNESCO. MALINA was reliably reported to have been a member of the Professional Section of the Los Angeles County Communist Party in 1939. Prior to his appointment with UNESCO MALINA headed the Jet Propulsion Laboratory in Pasadena, a facility of the California Institute of Technology. The personnel file for the subject maintained at the California Institute of Technology contains a memorandum indicating that MALINA executed a Personnel Security Questionnaire for this position on March 26, 1945. This memorandum indicated that this Personnel Security Questionnaire was forwarded to what is now known as [redacted] California, in 1945.

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On January 11, 1952, [redacted] advised that all information relating to the investigation of MALINA in 1945 together with copies of any personnel security questionnaires had been forwarded to G-2, 6th Army Headquarters, Presidio, San Francisco.

San Francisco is requested to contact 6th Army Headquarters and attempt to secure photostatic copies (2) of the Personnel Security Questionnaire executed by the subject on March 26, 1945, in connection with his employment with Galcit Project No. 1, later known as the Jet Propulsion Laboratory under the sponsorship of the United States Army Air Force. San Francisco is requested to forward one copy of this photostat to the Bureau and one copy to Los Angeles.

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TO : Director, FBI (100-164610)

DATE: January 28, 1952

FROM : SAC, San Francisco (105-1358)

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SUBJECT: FRANK J. MALINA, wa., Frank Parma
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Re Los Angeles letter to Bureau dated 1/17/52.

[redacted] of San Francisco, advised that the records of that agency do not reflect a Personnel Security Questionnaire executed by the subject dated March 26, 1945.

[redacted] however, furnished a Personnel Security Questionnaire dated October 24, 1944, executed by the subject in connection with his employment with the Galcit Project.

One copy of this PSQ is being furnished the Bureau and one copy is being furnished Los Angeles.

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Enclosure to Bureau (100-164610)

From: SAC SF (105-1358)

RE: FRANK J. MALINA, wa.
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Copy of PSQ executed by MALINA 10/24/44

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Frank J. Malina has been under investigation by the Federal Bureau of Investigation since 1949. Copies of investigative reports have been periodically furnished to the Records Administration Branch of the Department of Justice.

You will note from the investigative reports that Malina is reported to have been a member of Professional Unit 122 of the Los Angeles County Communist Party in 1939. The reports also reflect that Communist Party meetings were held in Malina's residence as late as 1941 and that his name appeared on a subscribers' list to the "Daily Peoples World," a West Coast Communist newspaper. [redacted] members of Professional Unit 122 of the Los Angeles County Communist Party, have all furnished information with respect to Malina's membership in this Communist Party Unit.

You will further note that the investigative reports reflect that Malina is presently employed as Deputy Director, Natural Sciences Department, United Nations Education, Scientific, and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) in Paris, France.

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Enclosed for your further information and consideration is one copy each of the below-listed investigative reports and enclosures:

Report of Special Agent [redacted] dated April 26, 1950, at Los Angeles, California.

Report of Special Agent [redacted] dated January 25, 1952, at Los Angeles, California, with enclosures.

Report of Special Agent [redacted] dated January 31, 1952, at Washington, D. C., with enclosures.

Report of Special Employee [redacted] dated February 1, 1952, at St. Louis, Missouri, with enclosures.

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Your attention is called to the Los Angeles report dated January 25, 1952, which contains information received from [redacted] in the Los Angeles County Communist Party. The enclosures to this report, which were furnished by [redacted] contain available documentary evidence of Malina's Communist Party membership. [redacted] who is mentioned in this report, secured his information from [redacted] William F. Hynes is identical with Confidential Informant Los Angeles T-3 mentioned in the report of Special Agent [redacted] dated July 26, 1949, at Los Angeles, California; with Confidential Informant T-4 mentioned in the report of Special Agent [redacted] dated December 13, 1950, at Los Angeles, California; and with Confidential Informant T-1 mentioned in the report of Special Agent [redacted] dated January 30, 1951, at Los Angeles, California.

Your attention is also called to the enclosures to the Washington, D. C., report dated January 31, 1952, containing copies of passport applications with oaths of allegiance subscribed and sworn to by Malina on August 28, 1941, April 11, 1949, and an undated passport application which was apparently executed immediately prior to April 9, 1947. An additional enclosure to this report is an undated Personnel Security Questionnaire executed by Malina. Question number 14 on the questionnaire states:

> "Membership in organizations (List all organizations of which you are or have been a member since 1930.)"

Malina did not list membership in the Communist Party on this questionnaire.

Your attention is further called to the enclosures to the St. Louis report dated February 1, 1952, among which are:

(1) Oath of Office, Affidavit and Declaration of Appointee, subscribed and sworn to by Malina on June 18, 1946.

(2) War Department Affidavit subscribed and sworn to by Malina on August 2, 1946.

(3) Application for Federal Employment (unsigned) dated May 16, 1946.

(4) Application for Federal Employment signed by Malina and dated May 16, 1946. Question number 26 in the Application for Federal Employment asks:

"Do you advocate or have you ever advocated, or are you now or have you ever been a member of any organization that advocates the overthrow of the Government of the United States by force or violence?"

The question was answered in the negative.

Also enclosed is one copy of a Personnel Security Questionnaire dated October 24, 1944, which was executed by Malina. Question number 14 asks:

"Membership in organizations (List all organizations of which you are or have been a member since 1930.)"

Malina did not list membership in the Communist Party on this questionnaire.

It is our understanding that the Wartime Suspension of Limitations Act suspended the running of the Statute of Limitations, applicable to offenses involving fraud against the United States, until three years after December 31, 1949, provided the fraud occurred prior to December 31, 1946.

In view of the above, it is requested that you furnish an opinion as to prosecution of Malina for a violation of 18 USC 1001 or related statutes.

If you consider that additional investigation in this matter is warranted, it is requested that you inform us of any additional specific investigation that you desire.

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SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

Background of coverage of 1939 Communist Registration in County of Los Angeles and nature of documentary evidence regarding subject's 1939 Registration set forth. [redacted] admitted former member of Professional Unit 122 of Pasadena Section of LA County Communist Party, has executed a signed statement to the effect that subject was also a member of Professional Unit 122 of LA County Communist Party.

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DETAILS:

Background of Information Concerning 1939 Communist Party Registration in Los Angeles obtained by [redacted]

On January 4 and 5, 1951, [redacted] furnished by these [redacted] individuals.

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[redacted]

On November 15, 1950, the local office of Immigration and Naturalization Service conducted a deportation hearing for an individual known as [redacted] It should be noted that by records obtained by [redacted] been identified as a member of Professional Unit Number 122 of the CP in Pasadena, California, during the year 1939.

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At this hearing, [redacted] appeared and after being placed under oath, stated that he, for approximately a three-year period, was a member of the CP in Los Angeles. He likewise added that he knew that during the latter part of 1938 that [redacted] performed certain clerical duties for the Party, the exact details of which he could not recall. He testified that he recalled that the material was brought to [redacted] He stated that he could not recall the name of this individual but that he had a distinct recollection that this person was [redacted] He stated that he could not positively identify him because he had seen the individual only on several occasions but that [redacted] was of the same general build of the individual who brought the CP material to [redacted]

Immediately following [redacted] was placed under oath, at which time she testified as follows:

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She stated likewise that she had been a member of the CP in Los Angeles for a three or four-year period and was a member during the latter part of 1938 and 1939. She said that during this period [redacted] agreed to do certain clerical work for the Party [redacted] was unable to remember the exact details of this work. [redacted] but she said that she was unable to do so.

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Realizing that these procedures would be followed in connection with the 1939 Los Angeles County registration, the [redacted] took the following steps to obtain the registration information:

A sample of the 1939 registration form (enclosure number 1) was shown to [redacted] after perusing it, [redacted] decided to make up some sort of a form on to which the detail contained thereon could be transcribed.

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Comparison of enclosures 1 and 4 reflect that most of the equivalent headings appearing on the original 1939 registration form (enclosure number 1) were set up on the 1939 facsimile registration form made by [redacted] (enclosure number 4).

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form (enclosure number 4). All [redacted] of these individuals were present when this was done. [redacted]

The 1939 facsimile registration form (enclosure number 4) reflects the following detail concerning the subject of this case. In the space provided for 1938 book number, there is written "N Member" and "No Book." It was explained that this detail was in accordance with the then present directive for registration and would indicate that the subject was a new member and had not been issued a book in 1938. In the space provided for the 1939 book number appears the figure [redacted] The following details are noted on this form:

REAL NAME:	FRANK J. MALINA
PARTY NAME:	FRANK PARMA
ADDRESS:	671 South Catalina, Los Angeles
BORN:	United States
AGE:	26
SEX:	Male
NATIONAL ORIGIN:	Czech
OCCUPATION:	Student at Cal Tech

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own handwriting, after having obtained this detail as outlined in the foregoing.

[redacted] obtained this duplicate index card from [redacted] in the early part of 1939 and has had it in his possession and control since that time.

After the 1939 County registration was completed pursuant to the steps outlined in the foregoing, [redacted] in connection with his duties as a Member of the County Membership Commission, would [redacted]

A review of the photos (enclosures 1 through 6) reflects that in some cases, these forms were initialed and dated. [redacted] explained that these initials and dates were made recently by [redacted]

The [redacted] explained that because of the conditions under which they operated during the time they were [redacted]

they were unable to appropriately mark for future identification the Party documents which were obtained by [redacted] and which were turned over to [redacted] In instances such as have been described hereinbefore, there were literally hundreds of documents handled in a short space of time. The documents referred to herein are part of hundreds of such similar forms and documents that [redacted]

[redacted] advised that they are willing to testify to the facts set forth in the foregoing. [redacted] likewise states that he is in a position to [redacted] actual membership in the CP.

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On March 9, 1951, [redacted] admitted former member of Professional Unit 122 of Los Angeles County Communist Party, executed a signed statement to Agents [redacted] New York. Inasmuch as this statement is pertinent to the subject, it is being set out in its entirety as follows:

[redacted] New York
March 9, 1951

"I, [redacted] made the following statement to [redacted] whom I know to be Special Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. No threats or promises of reward have been made to me to induce me to make this statement, and I do so voluntarily and of my own free will. I have been advised of my right to counsel and that this statement may be used in a court of law.

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"During one of my several conversations with [redacted] he learned that I was an active member of the [redacted] which was a militant group affiliated with the left wing of the labor party [redacted] learned of my membership in the [redacted] he told me that he, himself, was a member of the Communist Party and that he had been in the Party for sometime and that he believed I could do 'more good' in the Party than in the Labor Club.

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"In March or April 1938, after [redacted] suggestion, I joined [redacted] branch of the Communist Party at the University. There were approximately twenty-five or thirty members of this branch and the members consisted mostly of students, although there were a few townspeople from [redacted] who were also members. Most of the students who were members of the [redacted] branch of the Communist Party were also members of the Labor Club and some of the members held responsible positions in the Labor Club and helped direct the policy of the club.

"I recall attending four or five meetings prior to the completion of my year of study at [redacted]

"I returned to Berkeley, California in September 1938 where I again contacted [redacted] although how I contacted him is not clear to me at this time. My reason for contacting [redacted] was to join the Communist Party in the United States and [redacted] had previously told me in [redacted] that when I returned to California I should contact him and he would aid me in joining the Communist Party by giving me the name of someone in Pasaden, California to contact.

[redacted] arranged for me to meet [redacted] who was a former classmate of mine at the University of California.

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Although [redacted] had been active in the American Student Union branch at the University of California at Berkeley, I had not known him to be a member of the Communist Party. [redacted] advised [redacted] that I was interested in becoming a member of the Communist Party at Pasadena, California where I was to [redacted] work at the California Institute of Technology. After several meetings with [redacted] he advised me that he would have [redacted] [redacted] at the California Institute of Technology contact me upon my arrival and arrange for my enrollment in the Communist Party branch at Pasadena. He also instructed me to make an effort to contact [redacted] myself. Approximately one week after my arrival at California Institute of Technology at Pasadena, [redacted] came to see me one day while I was in the Chemical Laboratory At that time he stated that he had been requested by [redacted] [redacted] to contact me and to arrange for my enrollment in the Communist Party. To the best of my knowledge this meeting took place late in September 1938.

[redacted] introduced me to [redacted] whom he identified as the organizer for the Professional Unit Number 122 of the Communist Party at Pasadena. [redacted] officially enrolled me into this unit of the Communist Party and at the time my application was being completed he advised me to select a name which would become my Communist Party name. I selected the name [redacted] [redacted] This name had no significance except that it had the same three initials as my own true name.

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"At the time I joined Professional Unit Number 122 at Pasadena there were approximately [redacted] members. The group met weekly, usually on Wednesday nights, at the homes of different members of the unit. I continued my membership in this unit until late in 1941 or early in 1942 at which time the active membership of the unit had been reduced to about [redacted] members and it was felt that the unit should be disbanded. During the time that I was a member of this unit I recall the following people attended meetings and took an active part in the discussions:

[redacted] C.P. MEMBERS

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[redacted]

Frank Malina,

[redacted]

C.P. MEMBERS

"In 1940, [redacted] and I went to Los Angeles, California to attend the Los Angeles County Communist Party Convention as delegates from Professional Unit Number 122 at Pasadena. The purpose of the convention was to draft a Party platform on behalf of the candidates of the Communist Party in the 1940 fall elections. There were several hundred people at this convention, but I do not recall the names of any of them.

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"During the latter period of my membership in this Communist Party unit I recall that my membership dues were paid to [redacted] I may have at sometime during my membership paid my dues to [redacted] but I cannot actually recall this to be true.

"During the period that I was a member of Professional Unit Number 122 I did not recruit any new members for the unit.

"In [redacted] I left California and accepted employment with [redacted] Since that time I have not been a member or affiliated with the Communist Party and I have not associated with any person known to

me as a member of the Communist Party. I wish to state that I have no knowledge of any person or any member of the Communist Party having engaged in espionage activity and wish to state that I was never approached or contacted by an person or any member of the Communist Party to engage in espionage activity on behalf of a foreign power.

"I have carefully read this statement consisting of this and five other typewritten pages and state that it is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I have had an opportunity to make any corrections and additions and have voluntarily signed below in my own handwriting and have initialed each of the other five pages. I have also initialed all corrections.

[redacted]
March 9, 1951

"Witness:
[redacted] Special Agent, FBI, [redacted] N.Y.
[redacted] Special Agent, FBI, [redacted] N.Y."

On March 9, 1951, [redacted] voluntarily furnished signed statements concerning his knowledge of the membership in Professional Unit 122 of the individuals identified by him as members in the above statement. b6 b7C b7D

[redacted] stated that he would be willing to testify in court concerning the Communist Party membership of the above individuals. He said, however, that he would be reluctant to testify, although willing, because he believed the publicity and notoriety that he would receive from testifying would have an adverse effect on his future employment possibilities.

[redacted] statement with respect to MALINA, mentioned above, is quoted as follows:

[redacted] New York
March 9, 1951

"I, [redacted] make the following statement to [redacted] whom I know to be Special Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. No threats or promises of reward have been made

to me to induce me to make this statement and I do so voluntarily and of my own free will. I have been advised of my right to counsel and that this statement may be used in a court of law.

[redacted]

"From September, 1938 until the latter part of 1941, or early 1942, I was a member of the Communist Party at Pasadena, California, and was assigned to Professional Unit No. 122 at Pasadena. This unit held weekly meetings during this period at the homes of various members.

"I recall Frank Malina as being a member of this unit, and he attended meetings regularly from the time I joined until shortly before the unit was disbanded in the latter part of 1941 or early 1942. Some of the weekly meetings of the unit were held at Malina's home on Cordova Street in Pasadena.

"I have read the above statement and state that it is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and have signed below in my own handwriting.

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"/s/ [redacted]

"WITNESS:

[redacted] Special Agent,
Federal Bureau of Investigation

[redacted] Special Agent,
Federal Bureau of Investigation"

ENCLOSURES TO THE BUREAU: Six photographs of material furnished [redacted]

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THE LOS ANGELES OFFICE

At Los Angeles, California

Will report subsequent information received from the Bureau and [redacted] concerning the Subject.

REFERENCE: Bureau letter to Los Angeles, dated 11/30/51, captioned, "FRANK J. MALINA, Wa. Frank Parma, Internal Security - R".

Copies of this report are being furnished to offices shown, since these offices are performing investigation in this matter.

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FRANK J. MALINA, wa., Frank Parma	INTERNAL SECURITY - R

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SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

Subject issued passports for travel to the British Isles on business in August, 1944, and for travel to England on official business for War Department in June, 1946. Passport later amended permitting subject to transit Germany enroute to Czechoslovakia where he intended to visit relatives in September, 1946. MALINA issued passport in March, 1947, in connection with his employment with UNESCO. Subject's passport expired in April, 1951. Renewal of passport refused as it was "considered that his further travel would be contrary to the best interests of the United States," and subject surrendered passport to American Consul at Paris. Subject, as of September, 1951, employed by UNESCO in Paris, France.

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DETAILS: AT WASHINGTON, D.C.

ENCLOSURE BEHIND THE Records of T-1 [redacted] MALINA, [redacted] reported that he was employed as an Assistant Professor of Aeronautics at the California Institute of Technology

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and that he was engaged on secret and other classified contracts. He indicated that he desired to visit the European Theater of Operations on behalf of the Ordnance Department of the War Department. At that time he resided at 800 South Hudson Avenue, Pasadena, California, and he indicated that he had previously resided at 1288 Cordova Street, Pasadena. He also indicated that he received a Ph.D. in Aeronautics in 1940 from the California Institute of Technology.

He stated that from 1934 to 1942 he was a commissioned officer, Serial Number 316523, in the Corps of Engineers in the Officers' Reserve Corps, United States Army. For one month during the summer of 1934 he served on active duty. He reported that he resigned his commission as a First Lieutenant in accordance with instructions received from the Commanding General, Army Air Force Materiel Command, in order to continue research work connected with the war effort in a civilian status. Subject indicated that he was employed by the California Institute of Technology from 1934 to the date of his questionnaire and by the Aerojet Engineering Corps from 1942 until the date of his personnel security questionnaire.

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He indicated that he had visited Mexico for several days during the summer of 1933, 1934,1936 and 1939.

The following individuals were listed as references by MALINA:

T-1 also ascertained that the Czechoslovakian Press reported that on September 21, 1948, the Congress of the World Federation of Scientific Workers met at the Writers' Castle in Dobris near Paris, France. The Czechoslovakian Press reported that one DR. MALINA, United States citizen and a "UNESCO observer" attended that Congress.

Files of the Passport Division, United States Department of State, reflect that FRANK JOSEPH MALINA was issued United States passport number 805158 on August 31, 1944, by the Department of State at Washington, D. C., validated for travel to the British Isles and Ireland. Subject's passport application, dated August 28, 1944,

reflected that he intended to visit the British Isles on business. He also reported that he had resided in Czechoslovakia from 1920 to 1925 with his parents. The California Institute of Technology (CIT), Pasadena, California, where MALINA was employed, and the Office of the Chief of Transportation, Army Service Forces, by letters dated August 25, 1944, and August 28, 1944, requested that MALINA be issued a passport to proceed to Europe at the request of the Chief of Ordnance, United States Army.

Subject's application for validation of passport dated December 2, 1944, at London, England, requested that his passport be validated for return to the United States by the Northern route. On the same day MALINA's passport was validated for return to the United States direct or via Canada and Newfoundland. b6 b7C

On June 25, 1946, MALINA was issued special United States passport number 9630 by the Department of State validated for all countries except those occupied by the United States military authorities. His passport application dated June 18, 1946, indicated that he intended to visit England on official business. His passport was also requested by the Military Intelligence Service, War Department, in a letter dated June 17, 1946, which was prepared for the signature

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Subject's application for amended passport dated September 19, 1946, requested that his passport be amended to transit Germany enroute to Czechoslovakia as he desired to visit relatives in Czechoslovakia. He listed his address at that time as the Astor Hotel, Paris, France. The American Vice-Consul at Paris, France, on September 19, 1946, amended subject's passport to indicate that he had been granted permission by the Joint Chiefs of Staff to transit Germany enroute to Czechoslovakia.

On March 13, 1947, MALINA was issued special passport 796 by the Department of State validated for travel in all countries except those occupied by the Armed Forces of the United States. His passport application dated March 6, 1947, reflected that he intended to visit France for the purpose "position with UNESCO Secretariat" and that he intended to leave New York City on April 9, 1947, on board the Queen Elizabeth. His passport was mailed to the United Nations, Transport Service, 350 5th Avenue, New York, New York. This passport was also requested by F. J. SAUNDERS, Chief, Transportation Service, United Nations, in a letter dated March 6, 1947, which indicated that subject was to proceed to Paris on official business for the United Nations as a counselor in the Secretariat of the

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United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organizations.

Subject's file contains a refusal notice dated November 13, 1947. The reason for refusal was listed as "member of Communist Party. Party named FRANK PARMA."

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MALINA was issued passport number 8609 FS 261536 by the United States Consul at Paris, France, on April 11, 1949. Subject's passport application dated April 11, 1949, reflected that he resided in Czechoslovakia from 1920 to 1925; England and France from October, 1944, to November, 1944; England, France and Czechoslovakia from July, 1946, to November, 1946; France, April 17, 1947, to October 26, 1947; Mexico, November, 1947, and France, December, 1947, to the date of his passport application. [redacted] in care of UNESCO at 19 ave. Kleber, Paris, France.

On this passport application subject listed [redacted] Washington, D. C., [redacted] California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, California, as references.

On March 16, 1951, subject's application for renewal of passport dated March 16, 1951, reflected that he resided at 89 rue Erlanger, Paris, France. By airgram dated May 26, 1951, the Department of State advised the American Embassy at Paris, France, that subject's passport renewal was to be refused. The American Embassy at Paris, France, was also instructed to hold subject's passport in the Embassy and to advise the Department of State of subject's return to the United States.

By letter dated September 27, 1951, the American Consul at Paris, France, advised the Passport Division that he had received a letter from subject dated September 21, 1951, which indicated that in April, 1951, subject's passport had expired and that in May, 1951, he had been informed that the renewal of his passport had not been granted. He also indicated that he had surrendered his passport to the American Consul. MALINA stated that he still held an appointment as an international civilian servant with UNESCO in Paris, France. He requested that he be informed of the reason for the refusal of his passport.

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By telegram dated November 9, 1951, the Passport Division instructed the American Embassy at Paris, France, to advise MALINA that consideration had again been given to his request for renewal of his passport but that his passport was not being renewed since it was "considered that his further travel would be contrary to the best interests of the United States."

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Subject's passport file also contains a telegram dated July 19, 1949, from [redacted] at the California Institute of Technology and that it, therefore, may have been assumed that he was also a Communist. This communication also reported that no information had been received at Paris, France, which would indicate that MALINA had followed the Communist Party line during his employment as a member of the UNESCO staff.

[redacted]

The files of the Office of Special Investigations, Department of the Air Force, do not contain additional data concerning the subject.

The following description and personal history was obtained of the subject from the files of T-1 and the subject's Passport Division file:

Born	October 2, 1912, at Brenham, Texas
Citizenship	United States
Race	White
Height	5'8"
Weight	135 pounds
Hair	Dark brown - gray

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Eyes	Brown
Distinguishing marks	Scar on chin

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Occupation	Aeronautical engineer
Local draft board	Joined World War II, number 188, at Pasadena, California
Order number	1588-A
Father	FRANK MALINA, born at Hornibecva, Moravia, Czechoslovakia, on August 22, 1881; naturalized by United States District Court at Brenham, Texas, on March 7, 1910.
Mother	CAROLINE SOPHIE MAREK MALINA, born at Brenham, Texas, on September 7, 1889.

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Social Security number	568-03-8369

ENCLOSURES

FOR THE BUREAU

Two copies each of photographs of subject appearing on his passport applications dated June 18, 1946, and April 11, 1949.

One photostatic copy of subject's undated personnel security questionnaire.

Photostatic copies of subject's passport applications dated August 28, 1944; March 6, 1947, and April 11, 1949.

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Negatives and photographs of subject taken from his passport applications dated June 18, 1946, and April 11, 1949.

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Photostatic copies of subject's passport applications dated August 28, 1944; March 6, 1947, and April 11, 1949.

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T-1: [redacted]

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AT WASHINGTON, D. C.

Will review State document 501.PA/1-1348 regarding FRANK J. MALINA, which is believed to be filed in the passport file of [redacted]

[redacted] Passport Division, Department of State, advised that the above document was undoubtedly filed in [redacted] passport file. However, a search had been made for the file and that file was not located. She stated that that file will probably be returned to its proper place in the Passport Division in the near future.

merely philosophical in possessing their views and that they would never be active in doing anything to change the form of Government which we now have."

About three years prior to the above interview T-1 stated that he was invited by the subject to attend meetings at the home of [redacted] Pasadena, California. T-1 explained that [redacted] was at that time a professor at the California Institute of Technology and that he was certain that [redacted] was a Communist. T-1 stated that [redacted] was born in Russia and at these meetings there was [redacted] According to T-1 there were approximately six to eight other members of the faculty at the California Institute of Technology at these meetings and that at that time at these meetings the group studied the writings of KARL MARX and STRACHEY, an English writer. T-1 advised that he attended several of these meetings and that he was invited to all of these meetings by the subject.

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T-1 advised on November 4, 1942, that to his knowledge subject had not been active at all in any radical or Communist activities during the past three years. T-1 stated that as of November, 1942, subject was out to win the war and was solidly behind the war effort. However, T-1 stated that the loyalty of subject would be questionable if subject had to decide between our form of Government and that of Russia.

On September 17, 1942, T-6 reported that it had been rumored among those working with the subject that the subject was a Communist and had at one time invited other persons to attend Communist meetings but that he had no definite information that the subject was in any way connected with the Communist Party. However, T-6 had observed over a period of several years that MALINA was a great believer in Russia and was often praising Russia. Informant had never observed subject passing out Communist literature.

T-7 advised that on September 17, 1942, there was a large gathering at the home of the subject which lasted until about midnight. The only other gathering T-7 had noticed at subject's residence, 800 South Hudson Street, Pasadena, California, was one which convened at 5:15 P.M. on October 11, 1942.

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California, included a memorandum furnished that office on November 14,

1941, by the [redacted] Incorporated, concerning the subject. This memorandum indicated that subject was believed to be a member of the professional section of the Communist Party.

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[redacted] advised that there was no record of the subject in the files of the Headquarters Office of the Office of the Provost Marshal General.

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CHANGED: FRANK JOSEPH MALINA, was.	CC TO: O-SD REQ. REC'D 11-24 OCT 27 1961 ANS. BY: ayf-SLS	INTERNAL SECURITY - R G.I.R.-6

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS: Records of AGO, CPRB, DOA, SLMO, indicate FRANK JOSEPH MALINA, ASN O-316523, in US Army Engineer Reserve Corps from 5-26-34 to 6-26-42. Resigned as 1st Lt. by reason of classification as a key faculty member of the California Institute of Technology. Subject was in charge of confidential research contracts and a consultant on rocket propulsion applications. Available background and descriptive information set out. Records, FRC, GSA, SLMO, indicate FRANK J. MALINA was employed by War Department, Washington, D.C., as a special scientific consultant on 6-18-46. Terminated by reason of abandonment of position on 7-3-47.

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DETAILS: BEHIND FILE

The title of this case is marked changed in order to reflect the subject's full name, FRANK JOSEPH MALINA, as shown in his service record.

A review of the Army service record on file at the AGO, Demobilized Personnel Records Branch, World War II Unit, Department of the Army, for FRANK JOSEPH MALINA, ASN O-316523, indicates that he was appointed Second Lieutenant in the U. S. Army, Engineer Reserve Corps on May 26, 1934. He resigned as a First Lieutenant, Corps of Engineers, on June 26, 1942, by reason of subject's classification as a key faculty member of the California Institute of Technology. Subject was on inactive status, except for the period from July 8, 1934, to July 21, 1934, at which time he was called to active duty.

There are contained in file miscellaneous papers which indicate that the subject was a full-time member of the faculty in charge of a confidential defense

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research contract for the Air Corps. Subject was a consultant on rocket propulsion applications for aircraft manufacturing concerns and governmental agencies. Photostatic copies of miscellaneous papers are enclosed herewith to the Bureau.

Personnel records, Federal Records Center, General Services Administration, as reviewed by Special Employee [redacted] indicate that FRANK J. MALINA was employed on June 18, 1946, with the War Department, Office Chief of Staff, Intelligence Division, Washington, D. C., as a special scientific consultant.

This employment was terminated on July 3, 1947, as a special scientific consultant by reason of abandonment of position.

The record further reflected that MALINA was ordered on August 28, 1944, to report to APOE, New York, on October 7, 1944, for transfer to London, England, for temporary duty as a representative of the California Institute of Technology. The record failed to disclose that he was transferred there or was ever employed there.

Confidential Informant SL T-1, [redacted] conducting character and [redacted] advised that subject was reported to have attended Communist Party meetings held at the home of [redacted] Pasadena, California, and held meetings at his home until about June, 1941. Subject was a great believer in Russia and was often praising Russians, according to T-1.

Photostatic copies of 2 applications, 1 photostatic copy of War Department Affidavit, and 1 photostatic copy of Oath of Office, Affidavit and Declaration of Appointee, contained in MALINA's file, are enclosed with this report to the Bureau.

The following background and descriptive information is contained in the records:

Date & place of birth:	10-2-12 at Brenham, Texas
Height:	5' 7½"
Weight:	120 lbs.
Race:	White
Build:	Light
Education:	Graduate, Texas A. & M. - 1934; Graduate, California Institute of Technology - 1940
Civilian occupation:	Research assistant
Addresses:	Czechoslovakia, 1920 - 1925; 618 South Baylor Street, Brenham, Texas, 1933; 671 South Catalina Avenue, Pasadena, California, 1934;

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	1288 Cordova Street, Pasadena, California, 1939; 800 South Hudson Avenue, Pasadena, California, 1942.
Employments:	U. S. Department of Agriculture, Soil Conservation, 1938; California Institute of Technology.
Relatives:	Father, FRANK MALINA, 618 South Baylor, Brenham, Texas; Mother, LENA MALINA, same address; [redacted] Pasadena, California.
Miscellaneous:	Subject's parents were born in Czechoslovakia; no further information in connection with this matter was reflected in the file.

ENCLOSURE TO BUREAU: Photostatic copies of miscellaneous papers from subject's Army service file and civilian employment file.

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INFORMANTS:

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REFERENCE: Washington Field letter to Bureau, dated 12-19-51.

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Reference is made to Bureau letters dated November 30, 1951, and December 28, 1951, concerning captioned subject.

Enclosed for the Los Angeles and New York Offices [redacted]

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should be included in the next report concerning Malina by the Los Angeles Office. [redacted]

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[redacted] The report should bear the security classification "Secret" [redacted]

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-164610) DATE: 2/11/52

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (100-8196)

SUBJECT: FRANK J. MALINA, Wa.
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Rerep of SA [redacted] dated 1/25/52 in the above captioned matter, particularly to Page 14 thereof, under the caption, "Enclosures".

There are being transmitted to the Bureau and interested offices amended pages of Page 14, which eliminate the last eight words under the caption, "Enclosures", which identifies [redacted] There are also transmitted amended pages of Page 15 of rerep.

Encls. ← enclosures removed and inserted as directed in serial 48

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cc: New York (100-95266)(Encls.)
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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-164610)

DATE: February 28, 1952

FROM : SAC, WFO (105-668)

SUBJECT: FRANK J. MALINA, wa.,
INTERNAL SECURITY - R

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Reference: Report SA [redacted] dated January 31, 1952.

SA [redacted] ascertained that Department of State Document [redacted] was not filed in the passport file of [redacted] or that of the subject.

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[redacted] Department of State, advised SA [redacted] that the above State Department Document could not be located in the files of the Security Division or the Division of Communications and Records, Department of State.

There was no additional information concerning the subject in the files of the Security Division or the Division of Communications and Records.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-164610)

DATE: February 26, 1952

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (100-8196)

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SUBJECT: FRANK J. MALINA, wa, Frank Parma
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Reference: Bureau letter dated January 30, 1952

There is being forwarded to the Bureau as an enclosure of this letter the report of SA [redacted] dated February 21, 1952, captioned FRANK J. MALINA, wa, Frank Parma, Internal Security, R.

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Reference is made to the report of SA [redacted] dated 2-26-52, at Los Angeles, California, concerning captioned subject. Further reference is made to Los Angeles letter to the Bureau dated 2-26-52, requesting that the Legal Attache in Paris, France, [redacted]

(S) [redacted]

For the information of the Los Angeles Office, New York has been in contact [redacted]

(S) [redacted] concerning the subject.

Therefore, during New York's contacts [redacted]

(S) [redacted] concerning the subject, an attempt should be made to ascertain [redacted]

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cc - Los Angeles (100-8196)

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INFORMANTS

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T-2 Bureau sources mentioned in paragraph 3, page 1 of Bureau letter to Los Angeles dated January 30, 1952.

Information copies are being furnished to Offices shown inasmuch as they are presently conducting leads in this matter.

REFERENCE: Bureau letter to Los Angeles dated January 30, 1952, captioned FRANK J. MALINA, wa, Frank Parma, Internal Security - R.

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SECURITY INFORMATION - CONFIDENTIAL

Assistant Attorney General
James M. McInerney

April 10, 1952

Director, FBI

FRANK J. MALINA, wa.,
Frank Parma
INTERNAL SECURITY - R

Reference is made to our communication dated February 25, 1952, requesting an opinion as to the possibility of prosecution of captioned subject under 18 U.S.C. 1001 or related statutes.

Your early attention to this matter is requested.

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Frank Parma
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Enclosed for the information and assistance of Los Angeles is a copy of a communication dated February 25, 1952, addressed to Assistant Attorney General James M. McInerney, outlining the available evidence against the subject and requesting an opinion with respect to possible prosecution for a violation of 18 U.S.C. 1001 or related statutes.

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Also enclosed is a copy of AAG McInerney's reply dated April 18, 1952, advising that the case is being referred to the U. S. Attorney at Los Angeles for his opinion as to prosecution.

AAG McInerney requested that all pertinent data developed in this case be furnished to the U. S. Attorney at Los Angeles.

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Accordingly, Los Angeles is requested to furnish a copy of the following reports to the U. S. Attorney at Los Angeles:

Report of SA [redacted] dated November 28, 1942, at Los Angeles.

Report of SA [redacted] dated July 26, 1949, at Los Angeles.

Report of SA [redacted] dated April 26, 1950, at Los Angeles.

Report of SA [redacted] dated July 13, 1950, at Los Angeles.

Report of SA [redacted] dated December 13, 1950, at Los Angeles.

Report of SA [redacted] dated January 30, 1951, at Los Angeles.

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cc - Washington Field (105-668)
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Report of SA [redacted] dated January 25, 1952, at Los Angeles, with enclosures.

Report of SA [redacted] dated January 31, 1952, at Washington, D. C., with enclosures.

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Report of Special Employee [redacted] dated February 1, 1952, at St. Louis, with enclosures.

Report of SA [redacted] dated February 26, 1952, at Los Angeles.

With respect to the St. Louis report dated February 1, 1952, as mentioned above, Bufiles reflect that Los Angeles is not in possession of the enclosures thereto. Accordingly, there is enclosed one set of enclosures to this report for submission to the U. S. Attorney. It is suggested that Los Angeles have an extra set of these enclosures made for retention in its own files.

With respect to the Washington Field Office report dated January 31, 1952, as mentioned above, Bufiles reflect that Los Angeles is not in possession of the enclosures thereto. Accordingly, there is enclosed one set of enclosures to this report for submission to the U. S. Attorney. It is also suggested that Los Angeles have an extra set of these enclosures made for retention in its own files.

Los Angeles should also furnish to the U. S. Attorney a copy of the Personnel Security Questionnaire dated October 24, 1944, which was executed by Malina. San Francisco furnished Los Angeles a copy of this PSQ by letter dated January 28, 1952.

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In addition, Los Angeles should appropriately inform the U. S. Attorney of the data contained in paragraph 1, page 2, of the letter to AAG McInerney dated February 25, 1952.

Los Angeles should closely follow this matter with the U. S. Attorney and the Bureau should be immediately informed of his opinion with respect to prosecution when it is received.

The Washington Field Office should insure that [redacted] b1 b2 b7E

New York should contact [redacted] (S) and ask that the information previously requested of him concerning the subject be expedited. New York should not relate to the informant at this time that this matter has been presented to the U. S. Attorney for an opinion as to prosecution.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Mr. Tolson
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Mr. Clegg
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Miss Gandy

TO : Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation

DATE: April 18, 1952

FROM: James M. McInerney, Assistant Attorney General
Criminal Division

JMM:JAC:bjn

SUBJECT: Frank J. Malina, wa.
Frank Parma
Internal Security - R

146-1-12-1769
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Reference is made to your memorandum of February 25, 1952, in the captioned matter, wherein you requested that the Department furnish its opinion concerning possible prosecution of subject on charges of violating 18 U.S.C. 1001, or related statutes.

A review of the facts in the above file indicates that there is a possible violation of 18 U.S.C. 1001.

For your information, this case is being referred by the Department to the United States Attorney at Los Angeles, California for his opinion relative to prosecution. In this connection, it would be appreciated if you would make available to the United States Attorney all information in this case developed through your investigation to date for his consideration.

There is an indication on the record that subject is still residing at Paris, France. In order that the Department may be immediately apprised of Malina's return to this country, it is requested that your Bureau place appropriate stop notices.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-164610) DATE: May 1, 1952

FROM : SAC, WFO (105-668)

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SUBJECT: FRANK J. MALINA, was.,
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Re Bureau letter dated April 28, 1952.

[redacted] notice that was placed with the [redacted] will remain in effect until the Los Angeles Office specifically requests that it be cancelled.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR (100-164610) DATE: May 27, 1952

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (100-8196)

SUBJECT: FRANK J. MALINA, wa.
Frank Palma
INTERNAL SECURITY - R
FRAUD AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT

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ON 3-25-97

Re: Bulet 4/18/52.

The reports and enclosures mentioned in referenced Bureau letter have been furnished to the United States Attorney at Los Angeles marked for attention of Assistant United States Attorney, Mr. ANGUS D. MC EACHEN. Mr. MC EACHEN has advised that the material will be reviewed and opinion as to prosecution will be given shortly. The Bureau will be advised of this decision.

For the information of the Bureau, [redacted]

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From: John Edgar Hoover, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation

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Subject: FRANK J. MALINA, wa.,
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NOTE: Investigation of Malina conducted in 1942 and reopened in 1949. He is a naturalized American citizen presently employed by UNESCO in Paris. A reliable confidential informant has informed that he was a CP member. [redacted]

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(S) [redacted] On February 25, 1952, we requested an opinion of the Department as to possible prosecution of the subject for fraud. The Department replied on April 18, 1952, requesting that all pertinent data be furnished to the U. S. Attorney at Los Angeles inasmuch as the U. S. Attorney was being asked for an opinion. Opinion not yet received from U. S. Attorney or from Department.

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Assistant Attorney General
James M. McInerney

July 18, 1952

Director, FBI

FRANK J. MALINA, wa.,
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INTERNAL SECURITY - R
FRAUD AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT

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Reference is made to your communication dated April 18, 1952, your number JMM:JAC:bjn, 146-1-12-1769, advising that the facts in instant case indicate that there is a possible violation of 18 U. S. C. 1001 and that the case was being referred to the United States Attorney at Los Angeles, California, for his opinion relative to prosecution. (U)

For your information, copies of all pertinent reports and other material in this case were furnished to the Office of the United States Attorney at Los Angeles, California. Subsequently, Assistant U. S. Attorney Angus D. McEachen has been periodically contacted, and he has stated that he has not been able to review the matter thoroughly for an opinion as to prosecution due to an administrative project in his office which has consumed all of his time. We will continue to contact Assistant U. S. Attorney McEachen at periodic intervals until a decision is rendered.

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For your further information, several potential witnesses in this case [redacted] They are:

[redacted]

Assistant U. S. Attorney McEachen at Los Angeles, California, is aware [redacted] of the above-named individuals.

The [redacted] through purchase, now has custody of the records of [redacted] and they are available to this Bureau.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-164610) DATE: July 3, 1952

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (100-8196)

SUBJECT: FRANK J. MALINA, wa. Frank Parma
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Rebulet 4-18-52; Los Angeles letter 5-27-52.

AUSA ANGUS D. MC EACHEN has been contacted for an opinion as to prosecution several times since the date of reference Los Angeles letter and has been advised on each instance that he has not been able to review the matter thoroughly due to an administrative project within his office which has taken up all his time. However, he states that he will give a decision as to prosecution in this matter shortly.

As you were advised. [redacted]

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The original fascimile registration form for MALINA's CP membership has been secured from [redacted] which now has custody of all of [redacted] records through purchase.

The above information has been given to Mr. MC EACHEN and is submitted to you for information purposes.

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Assistant United States Attorney, Los Angeles, declined prosecution of subject for failure to list Communist Party membership in Personnel Security Questionnaires and in applications for passports with the State Department on the following grounds: (1) Insufficient available documentary evidence regarding the subject's membership in the Communist Party; (2) Lack of sufficient supporting evidence of subject's membership in the Communist Party.

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DETAILS: The facts in this matter concerning the subject's failure to list membership in the Communist Party in executing Personnel Security Questionnaires with respect to Federal employment and in executing applications for passports with the State Department, were presented to Assistant United States Attorney, ANGUS D. McEACHEN, Los Angeles, on May 26, 1952.

On August 7, 1952 Mr. McEACHEN advised that he had reviewed the matter thoroughly and declined prosecution of the subject for fraud against the government for the following reasons:

[redacted]

(1) Insufficient available documentary evidence regarding MALINA'S membership in the Communist Party. (Mr. McEACHEN referred here to the absence of a Communist Party card or book made out to the subject).

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(2) Mr. McEACHEN stated that it is his belief that an omission to state membership in the Communist Party in a Personnel Security Questionnaire is not a sufficient basis to conduct a successful prosecution for perjury, or in this case, fraud against the government. He stated that in the situation at hand there is a lack of sufficient supporting evidence to successfully prove subject's membership in the Communist Party and pointed out that other than [redacted] there is no person available who can authoritatively testify as to MALINA'S membership in the Communist Party; and added that [redacted] could only do so in an indirect manner.

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A copy of this report is being forwarded to the Washington Field Office inasmuch as this office has maintained stop notices placed against FRANK J. MALINA.

LEADS:

NEW YORK OFFICE

(S) At New York City, New York: Will report information received from [redacted] regarding subject as requested in Bureau letter dated 4/28/52.

REFERENCE:

Report of SA [redacted] dated 2/26/52 at Los Angeles, California.

Bureau letter to Los Angeles dated 4/28/52.

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Assistant Attorney General
Charles B. Murray
Director, FBI

September 12, 1952

FRANK J. MALINA, wa.,
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FRAUD AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT

Reference is made to our letter dated February 25, 1952, addressed to the Criminal Division, furnishing the facts of instant case and requesting an opinion as to possible prosecution of the subject for a violation of 18 U.S.C. 1001 or related statutes. Mr. McInerney's reply of April 18, 1952, file JMM:JAC:bjn, 146-1-12-1769, stated that a review of the facts indicates there is a possible violation of 18 U.S.C. 1001. Mr. McInerney informed that the case was being referred to the U. S. Attorney at Los Angeles, California, for his opinion relative to prosecution.

As you are aware from our letter dated July 18, 1952, addressed to the Criminal Division, we have maintained contact with Assistant U. S. Attorney McEachen at Los Angeles for his opinion as to prosecution.

On August 7, 1952, Assistant U. S. Attorney McEachen advised he had reviewed this matter and declined prosecution for the following reasons:

"(1) Insufficient available documentary evidence regarding Malina's membership in the Communist Party.

"(2) Mr. McEachen stated that it is his belief that an omission to state membership in the Communist Party in a Personnel Security Questionnaire is not a sufficient basis to conduct a successful prosecution for perjury, or in this case, fraud against the government. He stated that in the

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situation at hand there is a lack of sufficient supporting evidence to successfully prove subject's membership in the Communist Party and pointed out that other than [redacted] there is no person available who can authoritatively testify as to Malina's membership in the Communist Party; and added that [redacted] himself could only do so in an indirect manner."

With respect to Mr. McEachen's opinion that there is insufficient documentary evidence to prove Malina's membership in the Communist Party, you will note from our letters of February 25, 1952, and July 18, 1952, and from the investigative reports previously furnished to the Criminal Division, that the Immigration and Naturalization Service [redacted] 1952, at Los Angeles, California, a copy of which was furnished with our letter of February 25, 1952.

You will further note that our letter of July 18, 1952, reported that [redacted]

With respect to Mr. McEachen's opinion that there is a lack of sufficient supporting evidence to successfully prove Malina's Communist Party membership and that there is no person available to authoritatively testify as to Malina's former Communist Party membership, your attention is called

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to the signed statements by [redacted] which appear in Special Agent [redacted] report of January 25, 1952. [redacted] related in his statements that he was a Communist Party member, attended Communist Party meetings, and among others who attended the meetings was Frank J. Malina. [redacted] also related that he recalled Frank Malina as being a member of the same Communist Party unit that he, [redacted] was a member of and that some of the meetings were held at Malina's home on Cordova Street in Pasadena.

You will also note that the report of Special Agent [redacted] dated January 30, 1951, at Los Angeles, California, reports that [redacted] admitted that he was a former [redacted] Unit 122 of the Pasadena Branch of the Los Angeles County Communist Party and that he recalled that Frank Malina was a member of this unit and that Malina "dropped out" of the unit in 1939 or 1940. [redacted] also confirmed her former Communist Party membership and stated that she recalled Malina's being present at various meetings of Professional Unit 125 of the Los Angeles County Communist Party in 1938 and 1939.

In addition, you will also note that the report of Special Agent [redacted] dated July 13, 1950, at Los Angeles, California, reflects that [redacted] admitted his own former membership in the Communist Party and stated that in 1939, [redacted] told him that he had a new recruit (for the Communist Party) who was Frank Malina. [redacted] related that thereafter, he saw Malina at at least two meetings of the Communist Party which were held either at [redacted] quarters.

In view of the above, it is requested that this case be reconsidered by you and that this Bureau be informed of your opinion with respect to prosecution.

In accordance with our prior communication concerning this matter, it is our understanding that the Statute of Limitations will run on December 31, 1952.

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According to referenced let of July 3, 1952, Assistant U. S. Attorney McEachen informed that he has not been able to review the matter thoroughly due to an administrative project in his office which has taken up all of his time.

For your information, the Criminal Division of the U. S. Department of Justice was informed of Assistant U. S. Attorney McEachen's remarks on July 18, 1952, and was also informed that the Los Angeles Office of this Bureau would continue to contact him at periodic intervals until a decision is rendered.

In view of the delinquency on the part of Assistant U. S. Attorney McEachen, you are requested to again contact him for an opinion in this matter. If he still delays giving an opinion, you are requested to furnish the Bureau a detailed memorandum which should include the dates of each contact with him concerning this matter together with his replies.

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Note: Upon receipt of above-requested memorandum from Los Angeles, consideration will be afforded toward advising the Department.

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TO : Director, FBI (100-164610)

DATE: September 10, 1952

FROM : SAC, New York (100-95266)

SUBJECT: FRANK J. MALINA, was
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The Bureau previously requested that [redacted] be contacted for any information he might have relative to [redacted]

The informant advised that his office had no additional information concerning this individual other than that which [redacted]

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No further action contemplated. RUC.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-164610)

DATE: 10/10/52

FROM SAC, LOS ANGELES (100-8196)

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Reurlets 10/3/52 and 9/12/52.

At his request, AUSA ANGUS D. McEACHEN was recontacted 10/9/52 by SA [redacted] in connection with the above-captioned matter.

Facts this matter briefly reviewed. Additional evidence also presented in form corroborating signed statement furnished 10/7/52 by [redacted] Los Angeles, an admitted former member of CP, Professional Unit 122, Pasadena, California, during 1938-1939.

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[redacted] therein stated he definitely recalled MALINA as having attended several meetings Professional Unit 122 at [redacted] residence and his active participation at these meetings. Because of his attendance at more than three meetings, [redacted] also stated he felt sure MALINA was, in fact, an active card-carrying member of CP during period in question.

At conclusion of above conference with McEACHEN, he indicated he would authorize prosecution in this matter and would proceed to secure indictment against subject in immediate future.

Bureau will be kept advised of all pertinent developments.

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There is attached a copy of a communication which was received from the Criminal Division of the Department dated September 25, 1952, indicating that the U. S. Attorney at Los Angeles was being requested to furnish his opinion concerning the feasibility of seeking an indictment in view of the expiration of the Statute of Limitations on December 31, 1952.

You are requested to maintain contact with the U. S. Attorney at Los Angeles in order to obtain his opinion in this regard. The Bureau should be promptly advised when an opinion is received from the U. S. Attorney in connection with this matter.

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TO : A. H. BELMONT

DATE: October 3, 1952

FROM : W. A. BRANIGAN

SUBJECT: FRANK J. MALINA, was.,
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PURPOSE:

The Criminal Division advised evidence of subject's Communist Party membership would be inadmissible as hearsay evidence. Department has requested U. S. Attorney's views as to feasibility of securing an indictment in view of the expiration of the Statute of Limitations on December 31, 1952. In the opinion of the Criminal Division, the possibility of securing a conviction is doubtful because of the nature and quality of the evidence available and the prominence of the subject in the scientific world.

BACKGROUND: FRANK JOSEPH MALINA - Summary

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Subject, Frank Joseph Malina, born October 2, 1912, Brenham, Texas, received a Ph.D. Degree in aeronautics at California Institute of Technology in 1940. He was employed as Chief Engineer and Director of the U. S. Army Air Force Jet Propulsion Research Project from 1938 to 1946, and is presently Deputy Director of the National Science Division of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization. The subject and [redacted] are presently employed in their present positions in Paris, France.

Results of Investigation:

An investigation of the subject was initiated on the basis of information received from [redacted] to the effect that the subject had held Communist meetings at his home and had passed out Communist literature.

Informants [redacted] from a 1939 Communist Party Membership Book issued to Frank J. Malina reported that Malina was a Communist Party member of the Pasadena Section, Professional Unit, in 1939, and possessed Party Book No. 1020 under the name of Frank Parma.

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Several former Communist Party members have furnished statements to the effect that the subject attended Communist Party meetings in 1938 and 1939.

Prosecution:

The Criminal Division of the Department, in a memorandum dated February 25, 1952, was requested to furnish an opinion as to prosecution of the subject for making false statements on Personnel Security Questionnaires executed in 1944 in that he failed to admit membership in the Communist Party. A follow-up letter was sent to the Criminal Division on April 10, 1952, and a report was received on April 18, 1952, to the effect that the case was being referred to the U. S. Attorney at Los Angeles for his opinion relative to prosecution. On July 18, 1952, the Criminal Division was advised that frequent contacts with the U. S. Attorney at Los Angeles had been made but that he was unable to render an opinion as to prosecution due to an administrative project in his office. It was pointed out to the Department that several potential witnesses had died during May and June, 1952.

On August 7, 1952, the U. S. Attorney at Los Angeles declined prosecution for insufficient documentary evidence and in view of his belief that there was an insufficient basis to conduct a successful prosecution. The Criminal Division was requested to reconsider the decision of the U. S. Attorney in a communication dated September 12, 1952. In answer to the above communication, the Department advised on September 25, 1952, that a re-examination of the case had been made. The Criminal Division reported that it believed the Government would be unable to introduce into evidence documents prepared by deceased witnesses relating to subject's membership in the Communist Party under the hearsay rule. In addition, the Criminal Division stated that it was cognizant of the difficulty in prosecuting a case of this type because

of the nature and quality of the evidence and due to the prominence of the subject in the scientific world. The Criminal Division stated, however, that it was of the opinion that adequate evidence existed upon which a true bill could be returned, and accordingly, the U. S. Attorney is being requested to furnish his opinion as to the feasibility of seeking an indictment with the evidence at hand in view of the expiration of the Statute of Limitations on December 31, 1952, and with the view that further evidence may be developed which would strengthen the Government's case.

ACTION:

There is attached a letter to the Los Angeles Office enclosing a copy of the Criminal Division's letter and instructing that it maintain contact with the U. S. Attorney at Los Angeles in order to obtain his opinion with regard to seeking an indictment.

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TO : Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation

DATE: September 25, 1952
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FROM : Charles B. Murray
Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division

SUBJECT: FRANK J. MALINA, was.,
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Reference is made to your memorandum of September 12, 1952, in which you request the Department to reconsider the record in the captioned matter and inform you of its opinion with respect to prosecution.

Upon re-examination of the subject's file, the Department is of the belief that the Government would be unable to introduce into evidence either the documents or the information contained therein which pertain to Frank Malina's membership in the Communist Party and which are now in the possession of the Immigration and Naturalization Service, in view of the prohibition against the admissibility of hearsay evidence and the recent deaths of the authors of these documents, [redacted] The Department, therefore, agrees with Assistant United States Attorney McEachen that no documentary evidence is available pertaining to the subject's Communist Party membership. The Department was previously cognizant of the difficulty in prosecuting a case of this type because of the nature of the particular question posed and the quality of the evidence available but, due to the prominence of the subject in the scientific world, the Department was of the opinion that the United States Attorney's views concerning the feasibility of prosecuting the subject for fraud against the Government should be sought.

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On reconsideration of the evidence in the record at the present time, the Department is of the opinion that adequate evidence apparently exists upon which a true bill could be returned. The possibility of securing a conviction, however, is still doubtful in view of the acquittal received in the [redacted] case, the facts of which closely parallel those contained in the instant matter, the apparent hostility [redacted] inability to recollect Malina, and the absence of documentary proof.

The Department is furnishing a copy of the Bureau's memorandum of September 12, 1952, in order that the United States Attorney at Los Angeles may comment thereon. He is also being requested to furnish his opinion concerning the feasibility of seeking an indictment with

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the evidence at hand in view of the expiration of the statute of limitations on December 31, 1952, and the possibility that further evidence may be developed at a later date which will strengthen the Government's case.

I will keep you advised of all future developments in the above matter.

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THIS CASE ORIGINATED AT LOS ANGELES

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FRANK J. MALINA, wa.	INTERNAL SECURITY - R; FRAUD AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT

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SYNOPSIS OF FACTS: [redacted] Los Angeles, California, a self-admitted former Communist Party member, recalls subject as member of Professional Unit 122, Pasadena, California during 1938-1939, his attendance at meetings, and active participation therein. Signed statement furnished. Above additional facts presented to Assistant United States Attorney on 10/9/52, who indicated he will now authorize prosecution and proceed toward an indictment. [redacted]

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DETAILS:

[redacted] Los Angeles, California, a self-admitted former member of the Communist Party, Professional Unit 122, Pasadena, California [redacted] was interviewed on October 7, 1952 by Special Agent [redacted] and the writer.

[redacted] advised that he, himself, was a card carrying member of Professional Unit 122 of the Los Angeles County Communist Party in Pasadena, California during 1938 and 1939, at which time he resided in the [redacted] Pasadena, California. During that period a number of meetings of this group were held at his home. He definitely recalls FRANK J. MALINA as having attended several of these meetings and his active participation therein. [redacted] explained that he is of the opinion that MALINA was also an active card carrying member of the Communist Party because

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of his frequent attendance at these meetings. [redacted] added that it was the practice of the group to secure group approval of the membership before any outsider was invited to attend a meeting. If the person invited did not meet with the approval of the group and thus become an active member, he was not invited to attend more than two or three meetings. Since he recalled MALINA's presence at more than three meetings of the group, he therefore feels sure, he continued, that MALINA was in fact a member of the Communist Party.

[redacted] was also exhibited a number of miscellaneous photographs including those of subject. [redacted] readily identified those of MALINA.

[redacted] furnished the following signed statement incorporating substantially the above information: b6 b7C

"Los Angeles, California
October 7, 1952

"I, [redacted] do hereby freely make the following statement to [redacted] whom I know to be Special Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. No threats or promises were made to me to make this statement, and I realize it may be used in a court of law.

"I was born in [redacted] California. During the Period involving 1938 and part of 1939 I resided in the [redacted] Pasadena, California, and was a card carrying member of Pasadena Professional Unit #122 of the Los Angeles County Communist Party.

"During the period covered above there were held at my residence numerous meetings of the above described group. I definitely remember the presence of Frank J. Malina at several of these meetings and his active participation in same. It was the practice to secure group approval of the mambership before any outsider was invited to a meeting. If an invited person did not meet with the approval of the group and become an active member thereof they were not invited to attend more than two or three meetings. In view of the fact I remember Frank Malina's presence at more than three meetings of the group I feel sure that he (Frank J. Malina) was in fact an active card carrying member of the Communist Party during the period in question.

"I have personally typed the above statement on my own typewriter and it is correct to the best of my knowledge."

"/s/[redacted]

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"Witnesses:
/s/[redacted] FBI, Los Angeles, Calif. 10/7/52
/s/[redacted] FBI, Los Angeles, Calif. 10/7/52"

On October 9, 1952, at the suggestion of Assistant United States Attorney ANGUS D. McEACHEN, the facts of this case were again briefly reviewed with McEACHEN. The above mentioned new evidence regarding the subject's membership in the Communist Party, Professional Unit 122, Pasadena, California, was also presented. At the conclusion, thereof, Assistant United States Attorney McEACHEN indicated that he would authorize prosecution in this matter and that he would proceed to secure an indictment.

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At Los Angeles, California: Will maintain contact with United States Attorney's Office.

REFERENCE: Los Angeles letter to Bureau 10/10/52.
Bureau letter to Los Angeles 10/3/52.
Report of SA [redacted] Los Angeles, 8/19/52.

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cc - Mr. Belmont

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Assistant Attorney General
Charles B. Murray

November 20, 1952

Director, FBI

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FRANK J. MALINA, WO.,
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Reference is made to your communication dated September 25, 1952, your number CBM:JRC:ub, 146-1-12-1769, advising that the U. S. Attorney at Los Angeles, California, was being requested to furnish his opinion as to the feasibility of seeking an indictment against captioned subject in view of the expiration of the Statute of Limitations on December 31, 1952. (U)

For your information, there is enclosed one copy of the report of Special Agent [redacted] dated October 28, 1952, at Los Angeles, California. b6 b7C

You will note that Assistant U. S. Attorney Angus D. McEachen indicated that he would proceed to secure an indictment against the subject. You will be informed of pertinent developments in this matter.

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Rerep LA [redacted] dated 10-28-52 at Los Angeles, California, in which it was reported that Assistant United States Attorney Angus D. McEachen stated he would authorize prosecution and proceed to secure an indictment against the subject.

This matter should be immediately and closely followed with the Office of the United States Attorney inasmuch as the Statute of Limitations expires on December 31, 1952.

The Bureau should be immediately informed when the indictment is returned.

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TO : A. H. BELMONT

DATE: December 18, 1952

FROM : W. A. BRANIGAN

SUBJECT: FRANK J. MALINA, was.,
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DETAILS:

Los Angeles teletype dated December 17, 1952, advised that a Federal Grand Jury returned a true bill at Los Angeles, California, [redacted]

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Frank Joseph Malina, born October 2, 1912, Brenham, Texas, received a Ph.D. Degree in aeronautics at California Institute of Technology in 1940. He was employed as Chief Engineer and Director of the U. S. Army Air Force Jet Propulsion Research Project from 1938 to 1946, and is presently Deputy Director of the National Science Division of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization. The subject [redacted] presently employed in their present positions in Paris, France.

BASIS FOR PROSECUTION:

Investigation of subject revealed that he was issued a Communist Party membership book at Pasadena, California, in 1939 under the name, Frank Parma. Several former Communist Party members have furnished statements to the effect that subject attended Communist Party meetings in 1938 and 1939. The prosecution is based on false statements on Government personnel security questionnaires executed in 1944 in which Malina failed to admit membership in the Communist Party. The Statute of Limitations would have run on December 31,1952 if an indictment had not been obtained.

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ACTION:

The file will be reviewed regarding the action that can be taken to obtain Malina's return to the U.S. for prosecution. You will be advised of the results of this review.

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Los Angeles teletype dated December 17, 1952, informed that [redacted] by a Federal Grand Jury at Los Angeles, California, for a violation of 18 U.S.C. 1001. The United States Attorney at Los Angeles informed that he instructed [redacted]

Bufiles reflect that the subject was last known to be employed as Deputy Director, National Science Division, United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization in Paris, France.

The question has now arisen as to the possibility of having Malina returned to the United States for prosecutive purposes. In this connection the Washington Field Office is requested to obtain all pertinent up-to-date data concerning the subject's passport from the State Department. It should be ascertained when and where his passport was originally issued; date of expiration; countries where valid; and when, where and how renewal was obtained, extended or revalidated, if applicable. [redacted]

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New York should attempt to discreetly ascertain from reliable sources the nature of the subject's present duties with the UN, the correct title of his present position, dates and places of employment with the UN, identities of his superiors and any additional pertinent data that is available. It is presumed that the subject is an employee of the Secretariat of the United States Delegation to the UN and this fact should be ascertained.

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Los Angeles should ascertain from the office of the United States Attorney any plans, proposals or suggestions for the return of the subject to the United States and subsequent prosecution. In this connection it should be ascertained whether or not a warrant has been issued for the subject's arrest and whether or not the subject is considered a fugitive. If a warrant has not been issued it should be determined whether or not the office of the United States Attorney intends to have one issued and if not, the reasons therefor, together with what prosecutive steps are contemplated.

The Legal Attache in Paris is requested to discreetly ascertain from reliable sources any additional pertinent data concerning the subject's present activities, employment and passport status that are available.

All offices are reminded that the indictment against the subject is secret and under no circumstances should anyone be informed of it.

The investigation requested herein should be immediately instituted and the results submitted to the Bureau within ten days of the receipt of this communication.

NOTE: When the above investigation is completed, consideration will be afforded to the preparing a comprehensive memorandum as to the possibility of having the subject returned to the United States for prosecution.

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TO : Director, FBI

DATE: 1/9/53

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FROM : SAC, New York (100-95266)

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Rebulet January 2, 1953, requesting the New York Office to obtain information concerning the nature of subject's employment and other pertinent data.

The Bureau points out that subject's last known employment was as Deputy Director, National Science Division, United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (Unesco) in Paris, France.

(S) On 1/8/53, [redacted] advised that headquarters for Unesco is Paris, France, and that Unesco is only a Specialized Agency to the United Nations. NYC. [redacted]

For the information of the Los Angeles Office, if subject were an employee of the United States Delegation to the United Nations, he would per se be a United States Government employee of the State Department.

In view of the above the New York Office has not attempted to ascertain the nature of employment of subject through its U. N. [redacted] concerning subject but it is felt that this inquiry would easily arouse their suspicion due to all the recent publicity given to Communists at the U. N. Secretariat.

On 11/13/52, [redacted]

Under Unesco employees "(as of July 1, 1952)" appears the name of Dr. F. MALINA. On the same page of names the note "most at Paris" appears. In view of the above it would appear that subject was an employee of Unesco, in Paris, France, on 7/1/52.

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It is suggested that the Bureau may wish to contact [redacted] to obtain any further information desired concerning subject's employment. RUC.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-164610) DATE: 1/12/53

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (100-8196)

SUBJECT: FRANK J. MALINA, Wa.
INTERNAL SECURITY - R;
FRAUD AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT

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Rebulet 1/2/53.

Assistant U. S. Attorney ANGUS D. McEACHEN, Los Angeles, California, was recontacted on 1/8/53, at which time he stated that he has no plans, proposals, or suggestions for subject's return to the United States, inasmuch as he has no plans for subsequent prosecution.

McEACHEN explained that notwithstanding his previously expressed opinion of weakness in this case and resulting difficulty of a successful prosecution, he had gone ahead and secured an indictment against MALINA because of the Department's communications to him and his awareness of a considerable interest in this matter by the Bureau. With reference to the latter comment, the Bureau's attention is called to the fact that a copy of the Bureau's letter, dated 9/12/52, addressed to Assistant Attorney General CHARLES B. MURRAY of the Department, setting forth a review of available evidence and requesting a reconsideration of this matter, was forwarded to Assistant U. S. Attorney McEACHEN by the Department and is now a part of his file.

Although no active steps will be taken by McEACHEN to secure MALINA's return to this country for prosecution, he stated that in the event MALINA voluntarily returns to the United States, the outstanding warrant would, of course, then be served on him, and the Department would then presumably proceed with prosecution or otherwise make a determination at that time.

As to the practical aspect of securing the return of a United States citizen to this country from abroad, McEACHEN advised that the matter is controlled exclusively by the International Extradition Treaty existing between the United States and the foreign country involved, and further, whether or not such treaty specifically covered the violation for which the citizen's return is sought. In this instance the existing treaty between the United States and France would necessarily have to include the violation of Fraud Against the Government or its equivalent. Whether or not it does in fact is currently unknown to him.

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It has also been ascertained from the U. S. Attorney's Office that [redacted] indictment against MALINA was officially filed on [redacted] A Bench Warrant currently in possession of the U. S. Marshal's Office was issued [redacted] and bond set at $10,000.00. Because of the impossibility of service of this warrant, MALINA is now considered a fugitive by the U. S. Attorney's Office.

In view of the above indicated attitude of Assistant U. S. Attorney McEACHEN toward prosecution in this matter, no further contact with him is contemplated by this office at this time. It is suggested that the Bureau may at a later date again desire to present this matter to the Department for its reconsideration as to active prosecution.

SAC, Washington Field Office (105-668) January 22, 1953

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INTERNAL SECURITY - R
FRAUD AGAINST GOVERNMENT

Reference is made to Bulet dated January 2, 1953, to New York letter dated January 9, 1953, to Los Angeles letter dated January 12, 1953, and to Washington Field Office letter dated January 14, 1953, concerning captioned subject.

You will note that referenced letter dated January 12, 1953, from Los Angeles informed that following [redacted] indictment [redacted] a bench warrant was issued for the subject which is now in possession of the U.S. Marshal in Los Angeles, California, and bond was recommended at $10,000. Inasmuch as it is known that the subject is presently located in Paris, France, he cannot be considered a Bureau fugitive. However, Los Angeles should consider placing a stop against the subject, in lieu of a fugitive form letter, with the Identification Division of the Bureau.

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Referenced Bureau letter dated January 2, 1953, requested New York to ascertain details concerning the subject's employment for the United Nations in Paris, France. Inasmuch as New York was unable to determine complete details, Washington Field Office should attempt to determine from established sources at the [redacted]

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1. Letter from WFO to Director, dated January 14, 1953.
2. Letter from New York to Director, dated January 9, 1953.
3. Letter from Los Angeles to Director, dated January 12, 1953.

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Washington Field Office should note that referenced letter dated January 9, 1953, from New York stated that if the subject is an employee of the United States Delegation to the United Nations, he would be "per se" a U.S. Government employee of the State Department. If this is true, Washington Field Office should also ascertain whether or not the subject is actually an employee of the State Department, where he was hired, when he was hired, who hired him, who recommended him, who pays his salary, the amount of his salary, and if he has returned to the United States on business or pleasure since his original employment in Paris, France.

Washington Field Office is also requested to ascertain if the United States has a treaty with France that is presently in existence and is valid which specifically contains extradition procedures of 18 USC 1001. If so, the provisions of this part of the treaty should be obtained.

This inquiry must be afforded expeditious and preferential attention, and the results submitted to the Bureau within five days of the receipt of this communication.

NOTE:

When above requested investigation is completed, all pertinent details will be submitted to the Criminal Division of the Department for opinion as to what steps should be taken to secure subject's return to the United States for prosecutive purposes.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-164610)

DATE: January 14, 1953

FROM : SAC, WFO (105-668)

SUBJECT: FRANK J. MALINA, wa.
INTERNAL SECURITY - R
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Attached hereto are five copies of report of SA [redacted] dated 1/14/53, at Washington, D. C., captioned as above.

[redacted] the French Government has been very lenient in permitting Americans to remain in France indefinitely without American passports. Also, the Department of State has attempted, on several occasions, to have United States citizens who are not in possession of valid passports returned to this country without "any luck". He knows of no reason why the French would consider subject's case in a different light than those of other Americans the Department of State requested returned to this country. In his opinion, MALINA may reside indifinitely in France without an American Passport as there is no way this government, without the cooperation of the French Government, can require subject to return.

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[redacted] stated that MALINA can be requested to return to the United States but from a practical standpoint, such a request is of little value since the French will not cooperate in the event subject does not desire to comply with such a request. Without cooperation from the French Government, [redacted] stated he knows of no way to insure subject's return to the United States.

Since subject is a native born American citizen, his status as an American citizen cannot be jeopardized by his continued residence outside of the United States.

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SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

MALINA's most recent passport, #8609 (Series FS 261536), was issued 4/11/49, by American Consul at Paris, France; subject requested passport be validated for France and other European countries for purpose of official business in connection with UNESCO employment; passport expired 4/11/51. On 3/16/51, MALINA applied for renewal of Passport #8609; passport renewal refused by Department of State and American Embassy, Paris, instructed to hold subject's passport. In 11/51, Department of State requested American Embassy to answer MALINA's request for reasons for non-renewal of his passport by advising him "It is considered that his further travel would be contrary to the best interests of the U.S."

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DETAILS: AT WASHINGTON, D. C.

The files of the Passport Division, United States Department of State, reflect that MALINA's most recent Passport, #8609 (Series FS 261536), was issued to him at Paris, France, on April 11, 1949, by the American Consul. This passport expired on April 11, 1951.

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The subject's application for passport, dated April 11, 1949, at Paris, France, requested that his passport be validated for "France and other European countries" for the purpose of "official business". A letter dated March 11, 1949, from [redacted] Head of the Bureau of Personnel, United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization, Paris, France, which accompanied subject's request for a passport, reflected that Dr. FRANK MALINA was a member of the Secretariat of UNESCO and "was still under contract". Special United States Passport #796 that had been issued on March 13, 1947, by the Department of State at Washington, D. C., was surrendered by MALINA to officials of the American Embassy in Paris when he applied for a passport on April 11, 1949.

On February 3, 1951, the American Embassy at Paris was instructed to refer to the Passport Division any request by MALINA for a renewal of his passport.

On March 16, 1951, subject applied for renewal of his Passport #8609 by completing an application for renewal of passport. This renewal application listed his legal residence as 618 South Baylor Street, Brenham, Texas; foreign address as 89 rue Erlanger, Paris 16, France, and indicated that he was still employed as a member of the Secretariat of UNESCO in Paris.

[redacted] a representative of UNESCO, by letter dated March 16, 1951, at Paris, certified that MALINA had been a member of the Secretariat since April 18, 1947, and that his contract "extends to January 15, 1953". His position as of March, 1951, was described by [redacted] as Division Head in the Department of Natural Sciences which entitled him to the privileges accorded to members of the Diplomatic Corps.

Subject's application for renewal of passport, dated March 16, 1951, was forwarded to the Department of State because of their prior instructions that a passport not be issued to the subject without the express authorization of the Department.

On May 26, 1951, the Department of State, in an air gram, advised the American Embassy at Paris that subject's renewal of

passport was to be refused. The American Embassy at Paris was instructed to hold MALINA's Passport #8609 at the Embassy.

By letter dated September 27, 1951, [redacted] American Consul, American Embassy, Paris, France, advised the Passport Division that the following letter dated September 21, 1951, had been received from MALINA:

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"Last April my passport expired. In May, you informed me that the renewal of my passport had not been granted and at your request I handed to you my passport.

"I have an appointment as an International Civil Servant with the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization in Paris. I have informed the authorities of UNESCO of the State Department's refusal, up to the present time, to grant me a renewal of the passport which I have held since 1946.

"UNESCO has made efforts to clarify this matter and was informed that the reasons for non-renewal of my passport up to the present time could only be given to me personally. I would, therefore, greatly appreciate a letter from you informing me of these reasons."

The Passport Division requested the American Embassy, on November 10, 1951, to inform MALINA that the Department had "again given careful consideration to his case but that it does not feel warranted in reversing its previous decision declining to renew his passport since it is considered that his further travel would be contrary to the best interests of the U.S."

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The Passport Division, by letter dated January 12, 1953, was requested to notify this office in the event any communications concerning passport matters are received from the subject.

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REFERENCE: Report of SA [redacted] dated 1/31/52, at Washington, D. C.

Bureau Letter to Los Angeles dated 1/2/53.

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cc - 1 - Mr. Belmont

Assistant Attorney General
Charles B. Murray

January 19, 1953

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[redacted] allegedly has been associating in Paris with Frank Malina and [redacted] UNESCO employees.

Various reports concerning [redacted] were furnished Alexander W. Campbell, Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, by letter dated March 7, 1949, bearing the caption "Loyalty of Government Employees - Communists Working for the United States Government."

Investigations are being currently conducted by this Bureau concerning Frank Malina and [redacted] and results thereof have been furnished for your attention.

In the absence of a specific request, this Bureau contemplates no additional investigation of [redacted]

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From: Legat, Paris (105-159)

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Subject: [redacted]
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ReBulet 10/30/52.

(S) [redacted] (S)

Under date of 6/20/52 th[redacted] in response to our original inquiry on 5/6/52, that a search had failed to reveal subject's presence in the Paris area.

Subsequent inquiries furnishing subject's exact employment and place of residence have not yet been answered. Follow-ups to this inquiry have been made, and the entire inquiry was restated on 11/20/52. Upon receipt, the results will be furnished to the Bureau.

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(U) (S) [redacted] recently advised that the [redacted] into the activities and contacts of [redacted] described as a former State Department employee whose loyalty was declared to be beyond reasonable doubt by State's Loyalty Security Board in February 1952. The instruction reflected that [redacted] is presently employed by UNESCO in Paris, and that the Department had received information that [redacted] was associating in Paris with FRANK MALINA, cited by the HUAC in early 1950 as a Communist employed by UNESCO, and with [redacted] alleged Communist.

(U) (S) [redacted] said that his inquiries as a result of this instruction had been inconclusive, but had reflected that [redacted] and MALINA, being employees of the same rank at UNESCO in Paris, have been seen chatting together in the halls of UNESCO. [redacted] said that on e informant had been invited to a breakfast by [redacted] some time ago. According to this informant, [redacted] was at that time temporarily subleasing the home of [redacted] another American employed by UNESCO whose loyalty to the United States has been questi[illegible].

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[redacted] advised that in early November 1952, upon instructions from the Department of State, [redacted] of the permanent

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(S) U. S. Delegation to UNESCO, together with [redacted] Administrative Division, U. S. Embassy, Paris, had personally called on [redacted] of UNESCO, and presented him with the Department of State's urgent request that [redacted] FRANK J. [illegible]ALINA and [redacted] be discharged from their UNESCO positions because of the alleged Communist connections of these Americans. According to [redacted] had replied that definitive action could only be taken upon the expiration of the various work contracts of the individuals cited and had pointed out that one or two of them have clauses in their employment contracts which give them the right to renew the contract upon termination for a stated period of time.

It will be noted that, as the Bureau has already been informed, the UNESCO employment of the above-mentioned [redacted] has already been terminated, and he is scheduled to leave France on the SS Liberte on 12/2/52 for permanent return to the United States.

Extra copies of this communication are being furnished to the Bureau for inclusion in the files of the various individuals named.

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