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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania May 6, 1969

DR. ZALMAN MORDECAI SHAPIRO

Investigation in this matter was instituted at the request of the Attorney General to establish the nature and extent of Shapiro's relationship with the Government of Israel. This could be connected with, or in addition to, or as a result of, his association with Israel officials and sympathizers in the United States.

On May 5, 1969, a source, who has furnished reliable information in the past, disclosed that on that date subject discussed with employees at Nuclear Materials and Equipment Corporation (NUMEC), Apollo, Pa., a dangerous "spillage" which is occurring at NUMEC as the result of scrap collection drums which are corroding. The corrosion, according to subject, is the result of fluoride having been added to the drums for the prevention of decay and the fact that they were not checked, advised source. According to source, subject stated that he was not only worried about the "spillage," but that "actually they are operating outside compliance."

Source further disclosed that subject was informed that they are currently getting a reading of "100,000 counts" from the "spillage" and it was estimated by subject that they have 200 drums of which approximately six drums a day would corrode.

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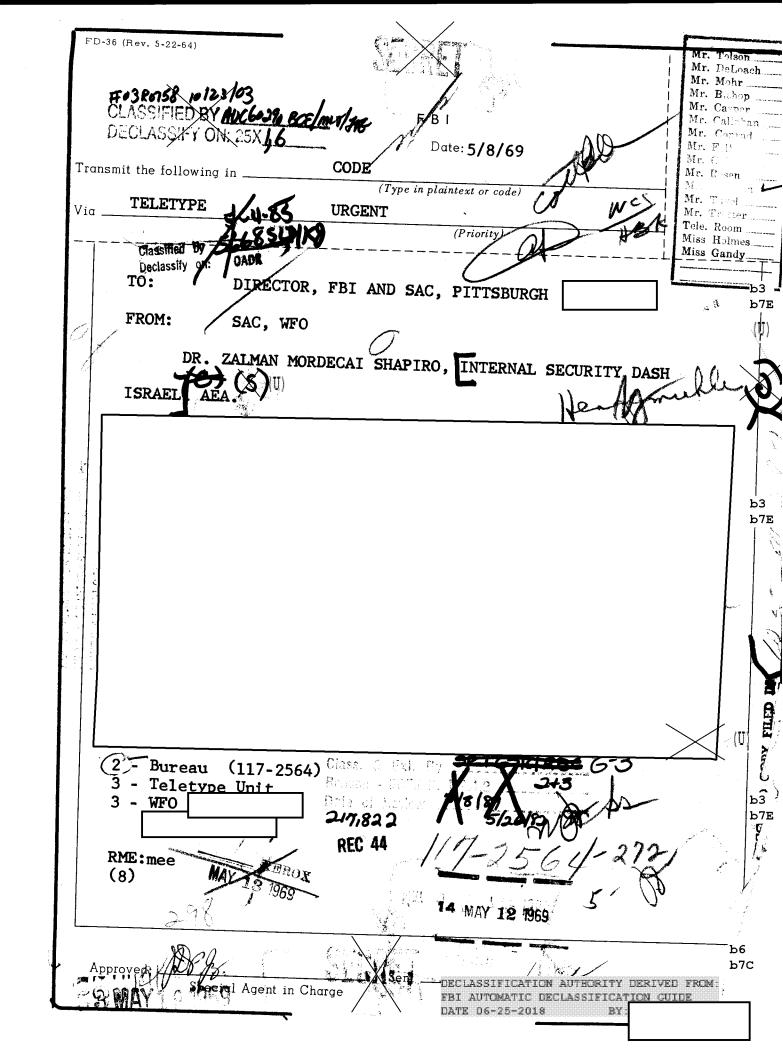
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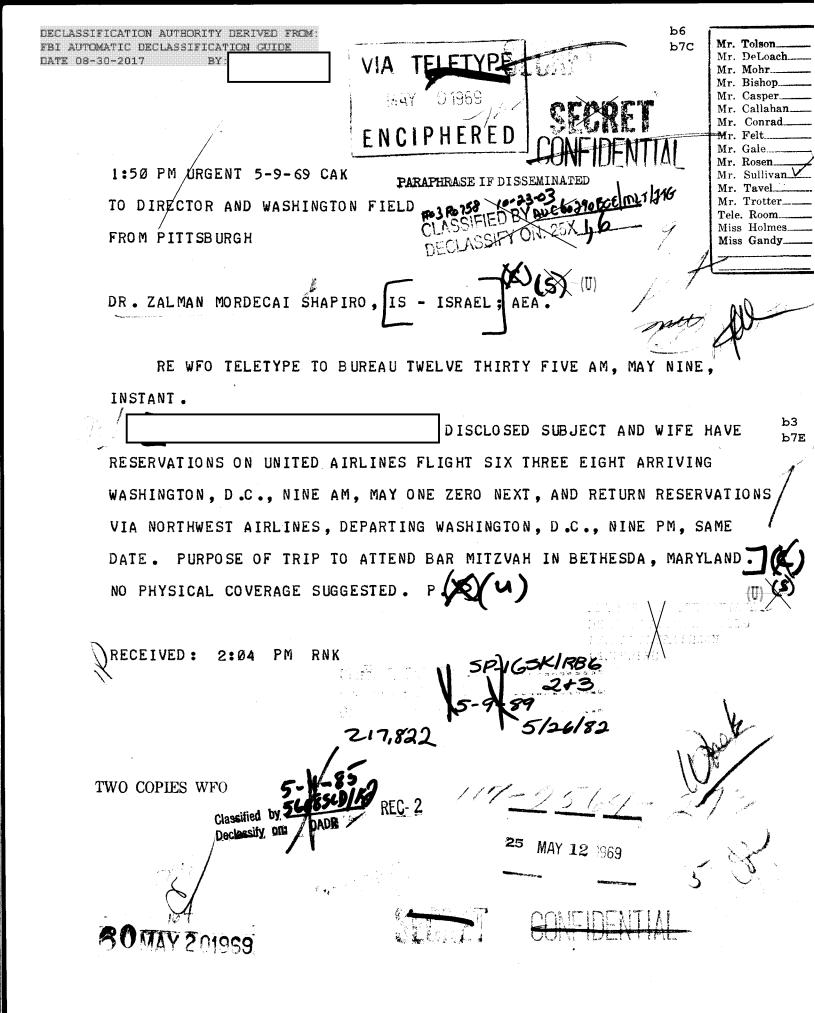
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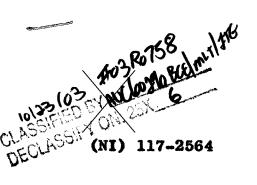
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May 13, 1969

To: Director, Division of Security

Atomic Energy Commission

From: John Edgar Hoover, Director

Subject: DR. ZALMAN MORDECAI SHAPIRO

/Internal security - Israel

ATOMIC ENERGY ACT

Reference is made to your memorandum dated May 6, 1969, relating to the "spillage" which is occurring at Nuclear Materials and Equipment Corporation (NUMEC), Apollo, Pennsylvania, of which the subject is the head. On May 8, 1969, you indicated to Special Agent Joseph M. Fitzgerald of this Bureau that you were deeply concerned regarding this matter and indicated that Atomic Energy Commission officials undoubtedly would contact subject and officials of his firm concerning this apparent violation of Atomic Energy Commission regulations.

As indicated to you by Special Agent Fitzgerald the information in the referenced memorandum was obtained from a highly sensitive source and should be protected in any confrontation with Shapiro or others at NUMEC. Special Agent Fitzgerald also advised that it has come to our attention that there are a number of disgruntled employees at NUMEC, anyone of whom could have reported the information to the Atomic Energy Commission. As suggested by Special Agent Fitzgerald the information in the referenced memorandum could have been reperied to your agency by an unidentified disgruntled employed to your agency by

Prior to your contacting the subject or others, at 65 NUMEC it is requested that we be advised what pretext you plan to

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Director, Division of Security Atomic Energy Commission

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This letter classified "Secret" due to the sensitive nature of the source and also because unauthorized disclosure of information concerning this investigation could cause serious damage

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Subject is head of NUMEC, Apollo, Pennsylvania; has the top AEC clearance for access to classified information and his company currently has AEC classified contracts. He is definitely pro-Israeli and has contacts with Israeli officials in U.S. and Israel |

have furnished complete details of investigation to Department and AEC and on 2/18/69 we requested AEC to advise what action would be taken concerning current security clearance held by Shapiro and classified contracts held by his company. Attorney General is cognizant of this case.

Referenced memorandum pointed out that subject was worried about a dangerous "spillage" occurring at NUMEC as a result of scrap collection drums which are corroding. Subject indicated he was "operating outside a compliance," apparently meaning he was violating AEC regulations. The information in the memorandum was from

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OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10 UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT Tolson DeLoach Mohr MemorandumBishon Casper. Callahan Conrad . Mr. D. J. Brennan, Jr Gale. 5/13/69 DATE: Rosen Sullivan Tavel Trotter J. M. Fitzgerald Tele. Room Holmes _ Classified by Declassify 97: SUBJECT: DR. ZALMAN MORDECAI SHAPIRO INTERNAL SECURITY - ISRAEL ATOMIC ENERGY ACT Subject is head of Nuclear Material and Equipment Corporation, Apollo, Pennsylvania, which company currently has classified Atomic Energy Commission (AEC) contracts. Subject has top AEC clearance. He has pronounced sympathy for Israel and is in frequent contact with Israeli officials here and abroad, Complete details of our investigation have been furnished AEC and the Department. AEC has been requested to advise of action taken with regard to subject's security clearance and classified contracts held by his company. The Department has advised b7E subject not in violation of Federal statutes. On 5/8/69 Mr. William T. Riley, Director of AEC Security, who has been keeping Liaison informed of developments at AEC in this matter, on a strictly confidential basis, advised that subject visited AEC Chairman Glenn T. Seaborg at AEC Headquarters on 5/6/69. Prior to the visit, it was felt that he might bring up something about the Bureau's recent investigation of him. However, he made no reference to any investigation but talked with Dr. Seaborg on other matters concerning the work his company is doing for AEC. (XXXII) Riley also advised confidentially that he understood that on 5/6 or 7/69 Chairman Seaborg called the Attorney General and suggested that the Attorney General himself call Chairman Chet Holifield of the Joint Congressional Committee on Atomic Energy and tell Holifield that FBI reports on subject cannot be

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made available to the Committee. Riley added the Attorney General

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Attached are details conference held by Assistant Attorney
General Yeagley with members of
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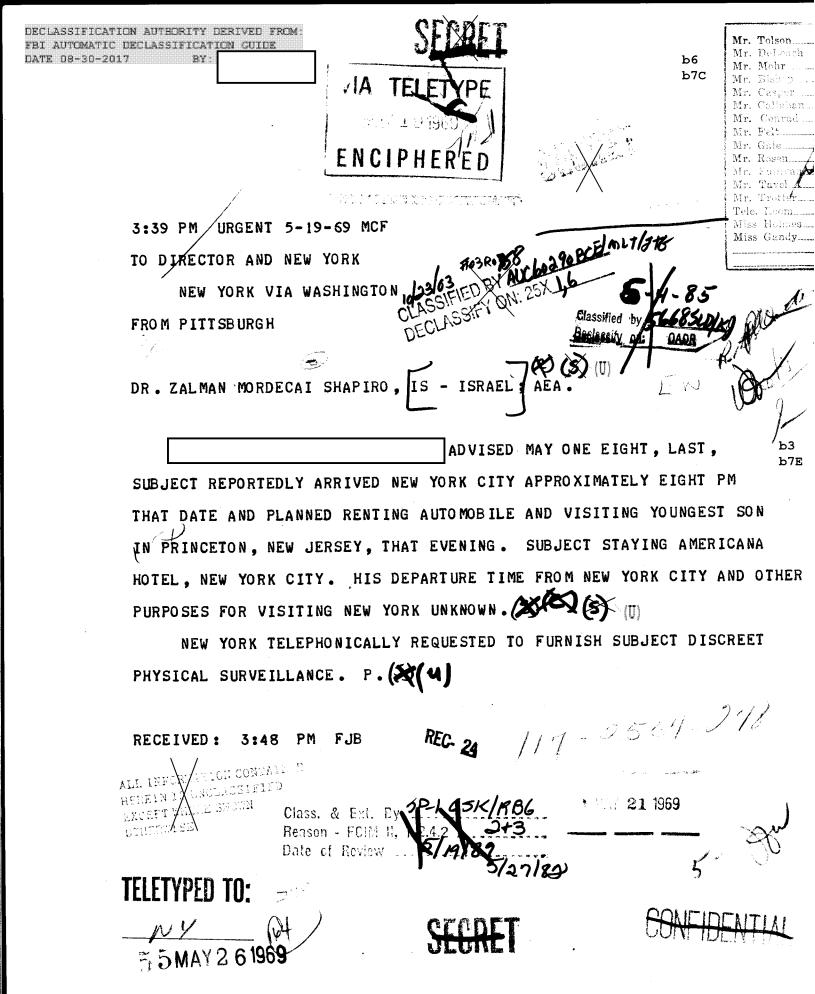
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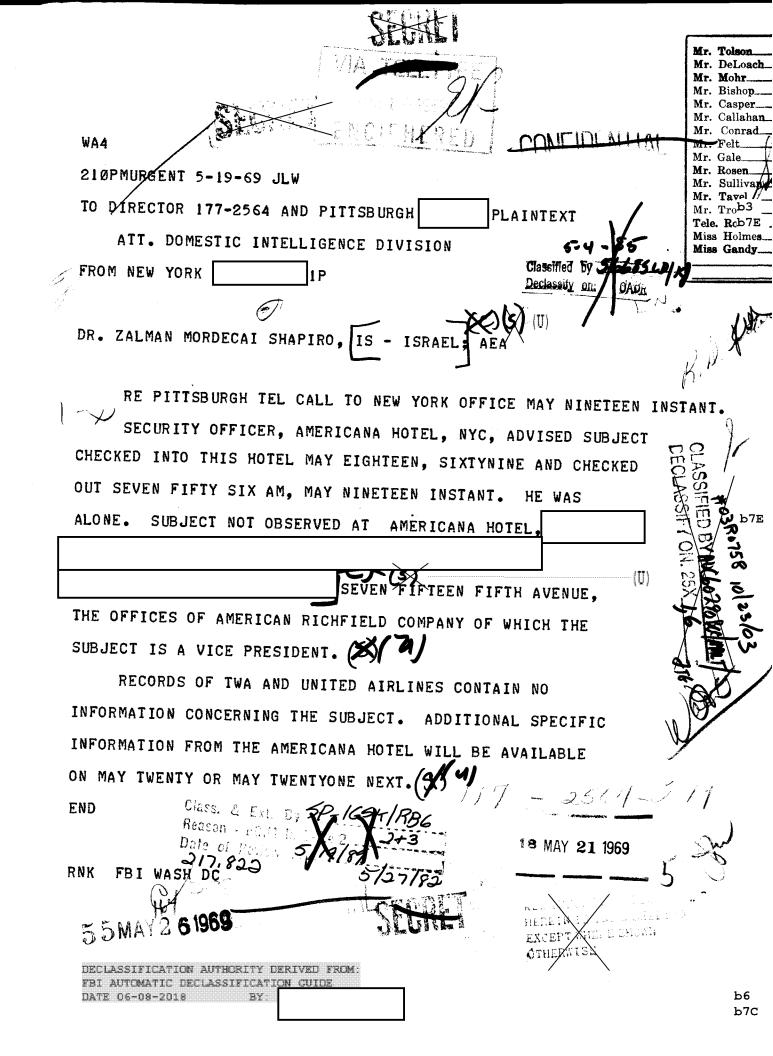
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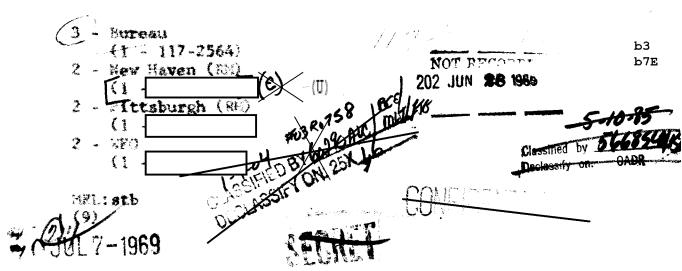
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INFORMATIVE NOTE

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Yeagley previously advised he had
met with Joint Congressional
Committee on Atomic Energy and had
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written summary of case. Letter
from Yeagley and proposed summary
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We will advise Yeagley we have no comments with respect to the letter and it is up to him whether is forwarded to the Committee.

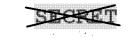
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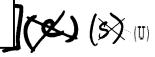
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UNITED STATES GOVEL

Memorandum



TO : Director, FBI

DATE: May 21,

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J. Walter Yeagley

: Assistant Attorney General Internal Security Division Classified by Declassify.

SUBJECT: Dr. Zalman Mordecai Shapiro - NUMEC

Atomic Energy Matter

Internal Security - Israel

Reference is made to my memorandum of May 14, 1969, advising you of my conference with Congressman Holifield, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, concerning the Committee's request to examine the AEC file on the captioned matter including FBI reports.

I am enclosing herewith a summary memorandum marked "Secret captioned "Summary of Investigation" and consisting of seven pages prepared by the Atomic Energy Commission and forwarded to me by Mr. William T. Riley, Director, Division of Security. It is proposed that the Joint Committee be given a summary of the investigation such as the enclosure rather than having access to original FBI memoranda or materials.

This is submitted to you for your observations and comments. I would particularly call your attention to the last paragraph.

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Assistant Attorney General Internal Security Division May 26, 1969

Director, FBI

DR. ZALMAN MORDECAI SHAPIRO INTERNAL SECURITY - ISRAEL (\$ ATOMIC ENERGY ACT

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Reference is made to your letter dated May 21, 1969, with which you furnished a copy of a summary memorandum prepared by the Atomic Energy Commission (AEC) which AEC proposes to furnish to the Joint Congressional Committee on Atomic Energy. You requested our observations and comments with respect to the contents of this summary.

We have studied the summary memorandum and we have no comments to make with respect to the memorandum. It is being left to your discretion as to whether AEC forwards it to the Joint Congressional Committee.

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Copies of reports in this case have been disseminated to AEC and the Department.

Yeagley has previously advised he had met with the Joint Congressional Committee and had refused to produce FBI 4.33 Areports but had agreed to provide the Committee with a written summary of this case. The summary he forwarded points out the important facts in the case but does not disclose our confidentia sources. There appears to be no reason why the Joint Congression Committee Ashauld not have the summary memorandum.

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INFORMATIVE NOTE

Date ____ 5/26/69

Shapiro, head of company in Pennsylvania, has highest Atomic Energy Commission (AEC) security clearance and his company has AEC classified contracts. He is contracts definitely pro-Israeli. Copies of reports have been furnished AEC and Department. Attorney General 2/12/69 was advised we believed Bureau interview with Shapiro would not be productive. AEC has indicated it desires to interview subject. In attached Assistant Attorney General Yeagley inquires as to whether Bureau intends to conduct interview with Shapiro or if Bureau Agent would be present during an ARC interview with him. Letter being sent Yeagley advising we do not intend to conduct interview with Shapiro and do not desire an Agent be present

DECLASSIFICATION AUTHORITY DERIVED FROM: BI AUTOMATIC DECLASSIFICATION GUIDE b7C May 28, 1969 Classified by Declassify Mr. Wacks Reference is made to your letter dated May 26, 1969, concerning possible interview with the subject by representatives of the Atomic Energy Commission (AEC). (25(4) As indicated in our letter to the Attorney General dated February 12, 1969, we do not believe that a Bureau interview with the subject would be productive. At this time we do not Par Dol intend to conduct any interview with Shapiro; however, we have no objections to AEC representatives contacting him as indicated in your letter. In the event AEC does interview the subject, we do not desife to have a representative of this Bureau present. It is being left to your discretion as to whether the information set forth in the enclosure to your letter pertaining to the areas to be covered in an AEC interview with Shapiro is MAILED 10 COMM-FBI Classified "Secret" since it repeats information from a Yeagley letter so classified. Shapiro, head of a company in Pennsylvania, has the highest AEC security clearance and his company has AEC classified contracts. He is definitely pro-Israeli. Copies of all reports in this case have been furnished AEC and the Department. In his letter Yeagley inquired as to whether the Bureau intended to conduct an interview with subject or if Bureau Agent would be present during an AEC interview with him. He also requested our comment as to the areas which would be covered by AEC in the enclosure. St does not appear that our confidential sources would be compromised. GROUP 1 Excluded from automati downgradia g and declassification

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ReAllet to the Bureau, 4/30/69.

Transmitted herewith is a copy of a Department of Defense PSQ, dated November 17, 1965, executed by DAVID I. SCHERAGA. This PSQ gives SCHERAGA's background information.

The above PSQ was furnished on 5/23/69 by Mr. M. MERKER, Security Officer, General Electric, 5 st St. and Lexington Ave., NY, NY. He stated that SCHERAGA is an engineer with this company and is serving in the Manufacturing Training Program, Room 2509. He added that SCHERAGA has a company clearance of "Confidential" was granted to him in 1961. He stated that this indicates that his access to information is very limited. that all information of a security nature "of any importance" is classified higher than "Confidential" and that SCHERAGA would have no access to drawer space containing confidential information. He concluded that his clearance entitles him to information which is not very different from unclassified

Referenced AL letter suggests that NY consider contacting HALBERT MILLER, Vice President of General Electric, 570 Lexington Ave. It is felt that, at this time, the NYO will not interview MILLER because of the sensitive nature of this investigation. The NYO will interview MILLER if PG so directs.

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(412) 681-4502

The 1968 Pittsburgh and Suburban Telephone Birectory published by the Bell Telephone Company of Pennsylvania, reveals that telephone number 681-4502, is listed to A. I. BRAUDE, M.D., 204 Tennyson Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Concerning A. I. BRAUDE, Albany is referred to Pittsburgh mirtel to Bureau and enclosed LHM dated 11/7/68, which includes information concerning BRAUDE from Pittsburgh credit records.

The following investigation was conducted on 5/8/69, by SA DONALD F. WISHMAN:

Records of the Allegheny County Voters Registration Commission, Pittsburgh, Pa., disclosed that ABRAHAM I. BRAUDE, a white male, 5'9½", brown hair, brown eyes, was born 6/15/17, in Illinois. BRAUDE first registered to vote in the Pittsburgh area on 9/12/58, indicating that he resided at 4014 Fifth Avenue, Pittsburgh 13, Pa., and as of 1960, has resided at 204 Tennyson Avenue, Pittsburgh. In 1958, BRAUDE indicated his occupation was that of a doctor and expressed preference for one of the two major political parties.

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Allegheny County Voters Registration Commission records further disclose that GITA S. BRAUDE, a white female, 5'4", brown hair, brown eyes, born 4/14/19, in Visconsin, first registered to vote in the Pittsburgh area on 9/12/58, indicating that she resided at 4014 Fifth Avenue and thereafter at 204 Tennyson Avenue, Pittsburgh. She indicated she had previously resided in Texas in 1956.

directory (1965), contained the following information concerning Professor ABRAHAM ISAAC BRANDE:

Personal Data

He was born 6/15/17, Chicago, Ill., married, two children

Education

University of Chicago, BS Degree, 1987, MD Degree, 1940

University of Minesota, Ph.D. Degree, 1950.

Imployments

Instructor, Internal Medicine, University of Minnesta, 1948-1950.

Assistant Professor of Medicine, University of Michigan, 1950-1953.

Associate Professor, South Medical School, Texas, 1958-1858;

Professor, School of Medicine, University of Pittsburgh, 1958 to present:

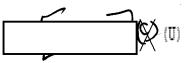
Military Service

Medical Corps, U, S, Army, 1941-1945

Organizations

Society of Clinical Investigation Society of Micro-biology American Physician







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Records of the Pittsburgh Police Department and the Allgheny County Detective Bureau, Pittsburgh, Pa., contain no information identifiable with BRAUBE or his wife.

Pittsburgh indices contain no identifiable information concerning ABRAHAM ISAAC BRAUDE or Mrs. GITA S. BRAUDE.

(412) 521-5222

The current Pittsburgh Telephone Directory reveals that telephone number 521-5222 is listed to ZALMAN M. **h6** b7C b3 SHAPIRO. It is noted that subject's residence contacted the b7E SHAPIRO residence on 9/30/68. For the information of Albany.

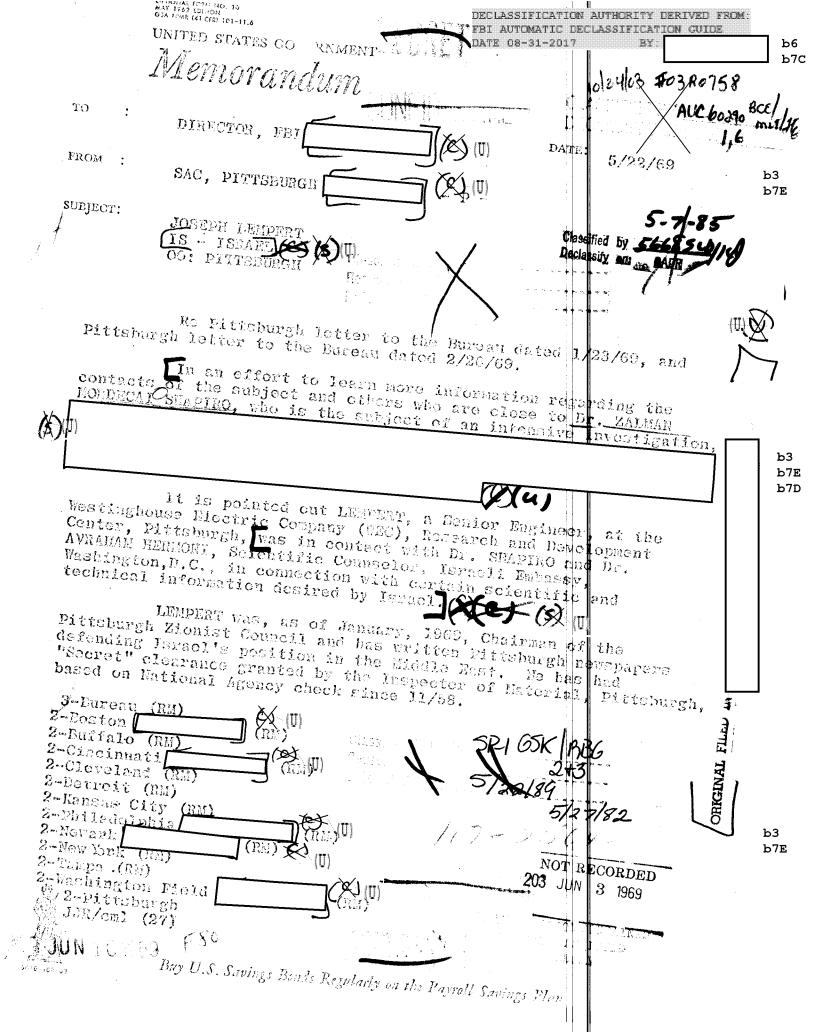
A review of to information furnished by source on 9/30/88, disclosed as unknown male conversed with SHAPIRO on \$/30/68, for approximately 25 minutes during which time, according to source, approximately 25 minutes during which time, account not further an AEC contract was mentioned, but source could not further elaborate concerning this conversation,

(412) 793-9283

The current Pittsburgh Telephone Directory reveals that telephone number 793-9283 is listed to JOSEPH LEMPERT of 140 Spring Crown Road, Penn Hills, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Concerning JOSEPH LEMPERT, Albany is referred to aforementioned Pittsburgh airtel and LHM dated 11/7/68.

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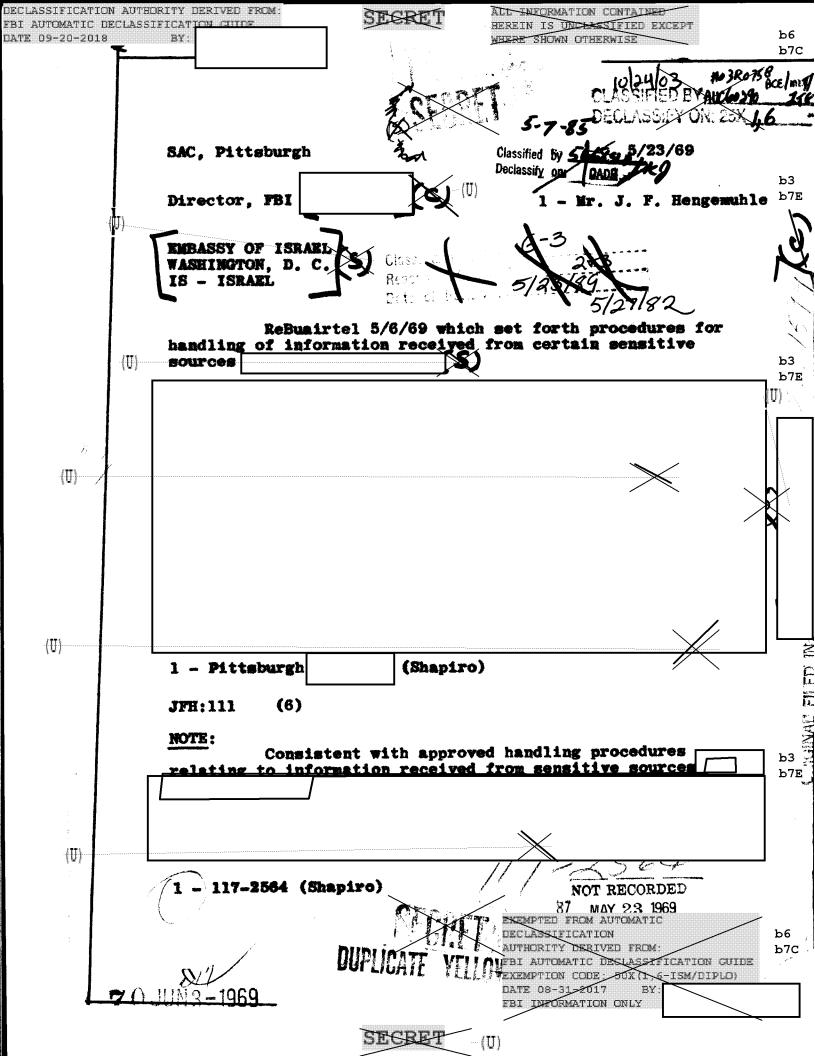




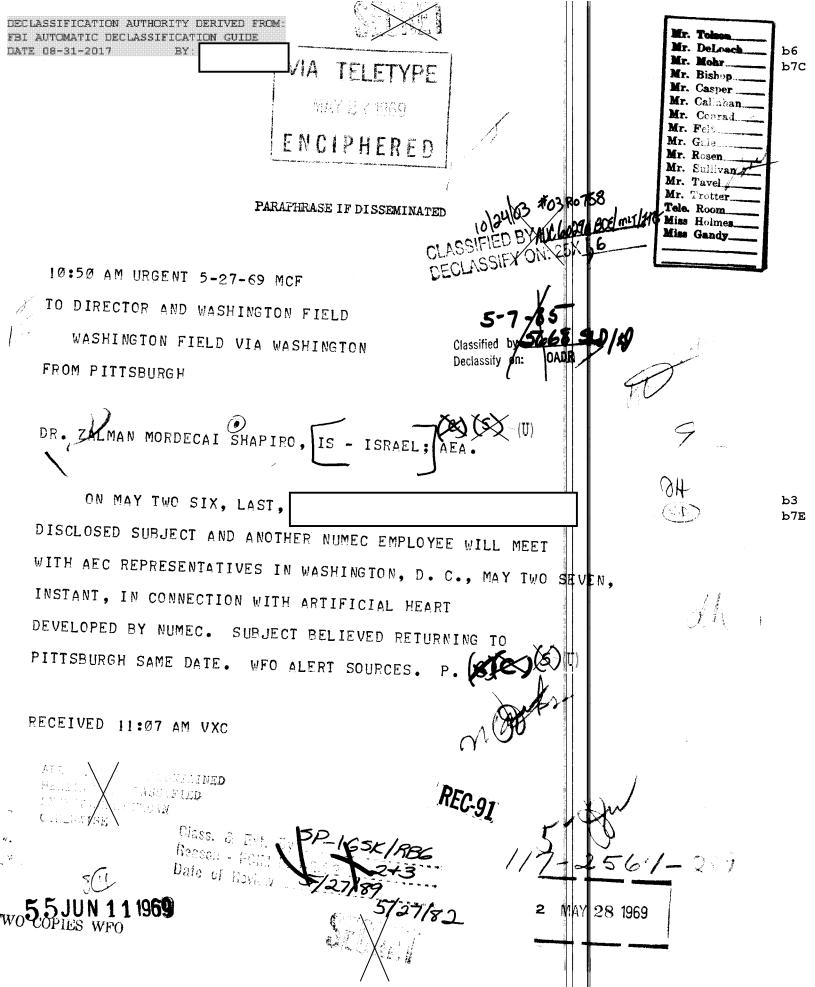
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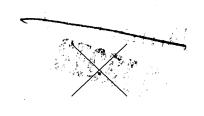
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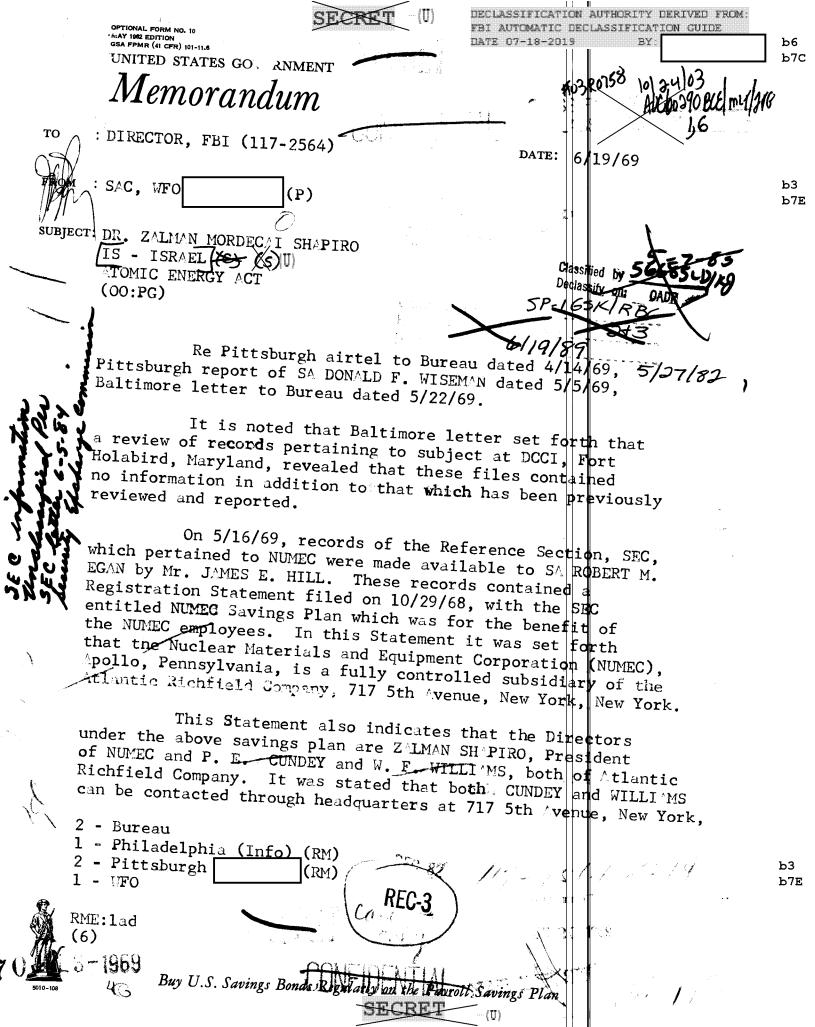
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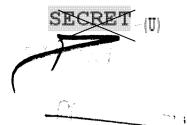
New York. In this Statement it is indicated that the NUMEC Savings Plan was administered by an 'dministrative Committee appointed by the President of NUMEC. At present wice President H. W. JONES, P. MC KEN, and W. REEDER, office located at 260 South Broad Street, Philadelphia, of the plan is for the investment of the NUMEC employee contributions in U. S. bonds and the like.

Also included in the Statement under the section was a statement which revealed on 4/17/69, Richfield Company had acquired all assets of Nuclear Material and Equipment Corporation.

These records also contained copies of a letter to all stockholders from the NUMEC Corporation dated 3/30/67, in connection with a special meeting of the stockholders, which was supposed to be held on 4/14/67. In this letter subject has recommended reorganization with 'tlantic Richfield Company. One of the reasons listed was the loss of 2.6 million dollars in 1966 by NUMEC which had put NUMEC in a position of technical default on various loan agreements.

This letter also set forth that the contemplated plan was that NUMEC stockholders would receive a .255 share of stock in Atlantic Richfield Company for each share of NUMEC stock. It was indicated as of close of business on 2/28/67, NUMEC Company had outstanding 323,390 shares of common stock of which 19,588 shares of NUMEC stock were held by the subject.

Concerning other information regarding the original incorporation, identities of the founders, etc., which would have occurred back to 1957, Mr. HILL advised that this information would not be found in the present files of the SEC but would have been shipped back to one of its various warehouses.



Since this information most likely could be determined through records of the Pennsylvania Securities Commissioner (lead previously set forth), WFO is making no further efforts to obtain this information at this time.

of the records of the Visa Office, United States Department of State, pertaining to a check for information concerning G. BEN ARIS and AMIREM LEVY who were in contact with subject as reported in re Pittsburgh report to Bureau 5/5/69

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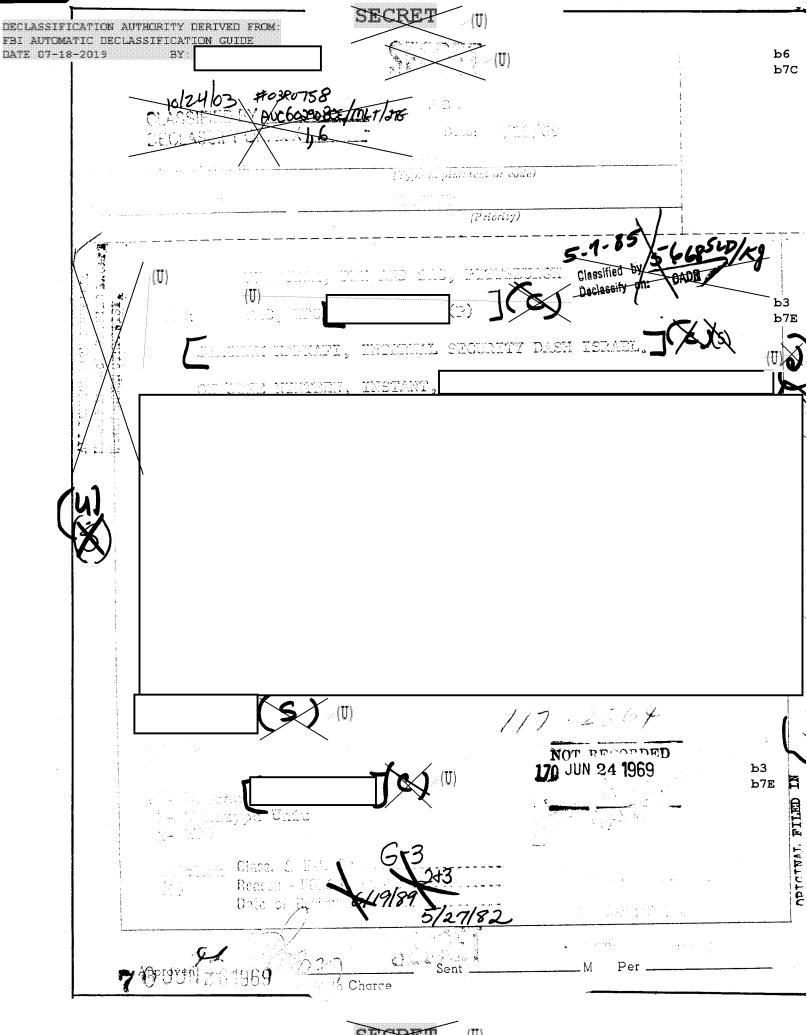
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No additional leads are being set forth at this time concerning the above-mentioned property reportedly purchased by subject as it is not anticipated a dwelling will be completed on this property until at least the latter part of the year.



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Investigation in this matter was instituted at the request of the Attorney General to establish the pature and extent of Snapiro's relationship with the Government of Israel. This could be connected with, or in addition to, or as a result of, his association with Israel officials and sympathizors in the United States.

On May 30, 1969, a cource, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised that on that date, Dr. Ealman Shapiro disclosed that for a period of approximately two weeks during the latter part of Juno, 1988, he would visit Sweden, Germany, and Switzerland for the purpose of conducting Nuclear Materials and Equipment Corporation (NUMBC) business. according to source, revealed that he would be accompanied on this trip by Cleveland Anderson, his chief sales purger. Shapiro added that he planned to depart from Pittaburgh, Pa., on Jamo 22, 1969, and then proceed to Sweden. According to source, Shapiro did not mention the method of transportation he would utilize in traveling to Sysden.

The following description of Shapiro was ottained through observation of the subject by Special Agents of the FBI during May, 1969:

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DR. ZALMAN MORDECAI SHAPIRO

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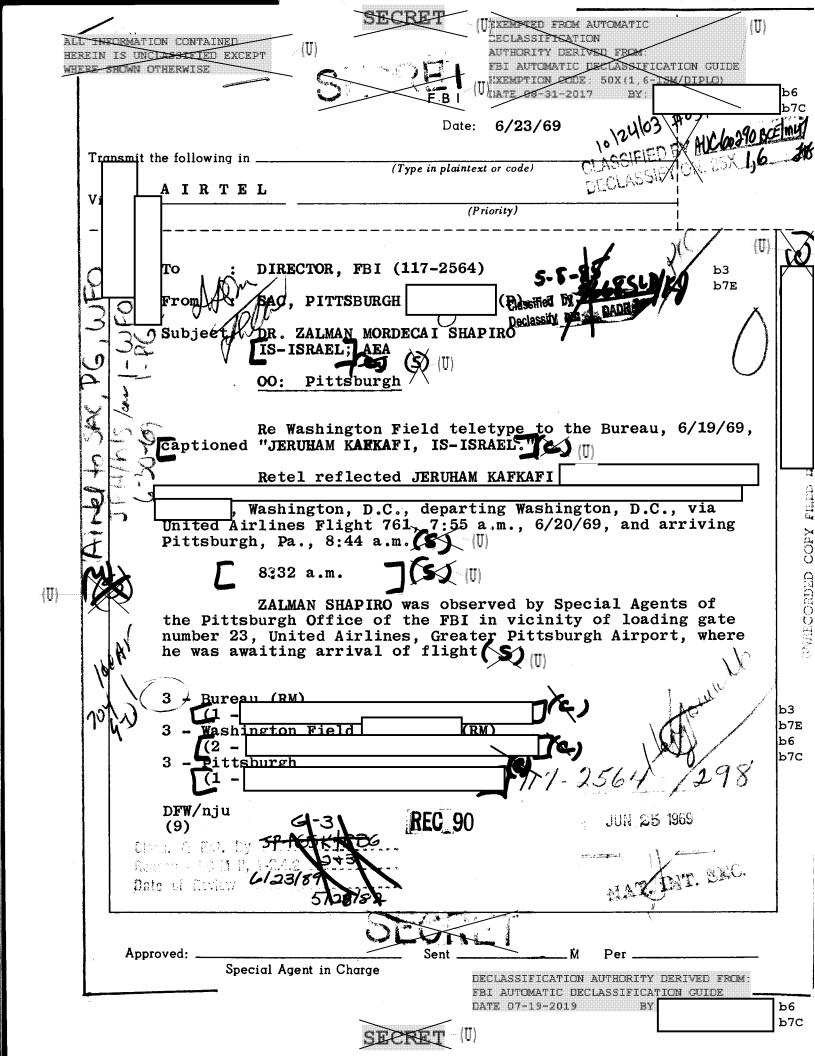
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President, Nuclear Materials and Equipment Corporation, Apollo, Pa. Pittsburgh, Pa.

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	met. 28:49 a.m. 28:49 a.m. arrived terminal area, where she was met by man and remaie, age Man described as: (U) Race: White	ь6 ь7с
	Sex: Height: Weight: Hair: Complexion: Male 6' 160 Dark, thinning on top Ruddy	
	when entering terminal area, walked past SHAPIRO with no greeting. KAFKAFI, on arriving terminal area, was greeted by SHAPIRO. A third individual who had departed plane also greeted SHAPIRO, but not observed to speak to KAFKAFI. Third individual described as:	
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	young girl and man who had greeted her departed gate 23 area and proceeded on the ground level of building in direction of baggage claim area (I) KAFKAFI and SHAPIRO departed gate 23 areaabout same	ъ6 ъ7С
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KAPKAFI and SHAPINO took escalator to first floor of terminal building, through main terminal area, and to second floor of terminal

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KAFKAFI and SHAPIRO entered Ambassador Club, located on second floor of terminal building. (It should be noted that this is an exclusive membership club and SHAPIRO was immediately recognized and allowed to enter without exhibiting any identification.)

[9:04 a.m.] (U)

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Race: Sex:

Age:

Height:

Weight:

Apparel:

White Male

45 5' 9"

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Brown, with sideburns
Gold sportcoat and dark

Gold sportcoat and dark slacks

observed in main terminal area. Both girls were now carrying one piece each of small luggage which they had not previously had. They proceeded to metered parking area in front of terminal, where they entered a 1960 blue Bodge sedan, Pennsylvania license and departed airport.

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KAFKAFI and SHAPIRO departed Ambassador Club, proceeded to main terminal area and separated.

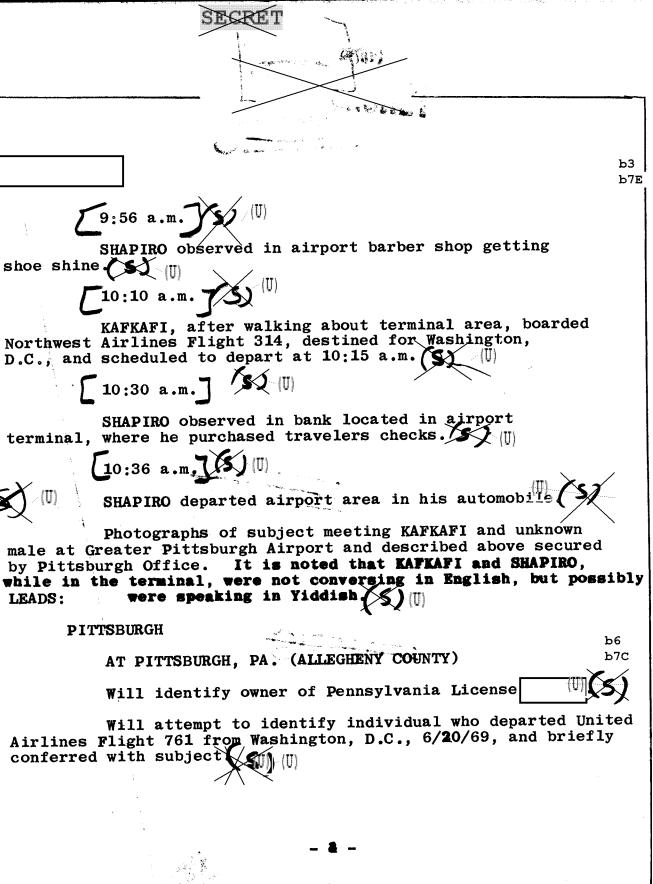
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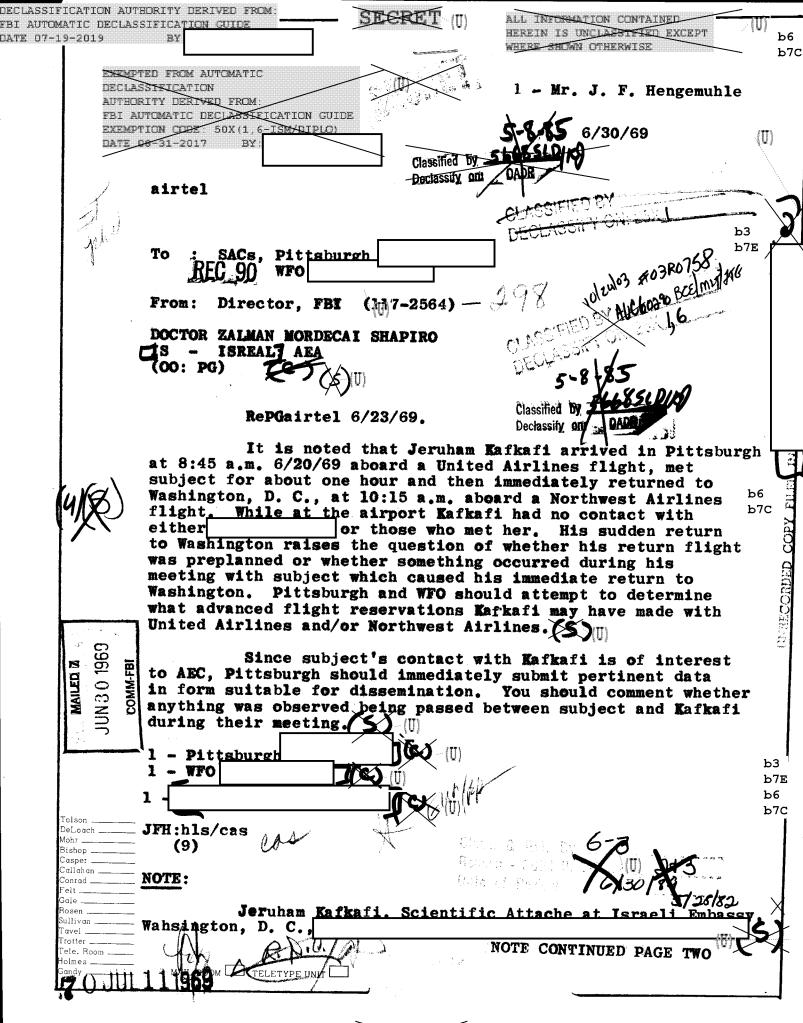
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KAFKAFI observed in public telephone booth making telephone call (S) $\langle \mathbb{U} \rangle$





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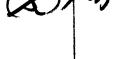
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Dog Receives **Nuclear-Powered** Heart Device

WASHINGTON, June 10 (AP)-The government announced today the world's first known nuclear-powered Cardiac Pacemaker—a potential weapon against a serious form of heart disease-has been implanted in a dog.

The device is designed to operate for at least 10 years, and its implantation was hailed as a potential "major milestone" in the cardiac field.

The Atomic Energy Commission, which developed the device, announced the operation had taken place at the public health service's National Heart Institute.

It is the first of several implantations planned during the next eight months in heatlhy dogs. The first human trials are tentatively scheduled sometime thereafter at Beth Israel Hospital, Newark, N. J., the AEC said.

The nuclear-powered device, only twothirds the size of a pack of cigarets, and weighing only 31/2 ounces, is hopefully designed as a long-lasting replacement for battery-operated artificial cardiac Pacemakers now used by 20,000 Americans.

The new device was developed largely by the Nuclear Materials and Equipmen Corp. (NUMEC) in Apollo, Pa.

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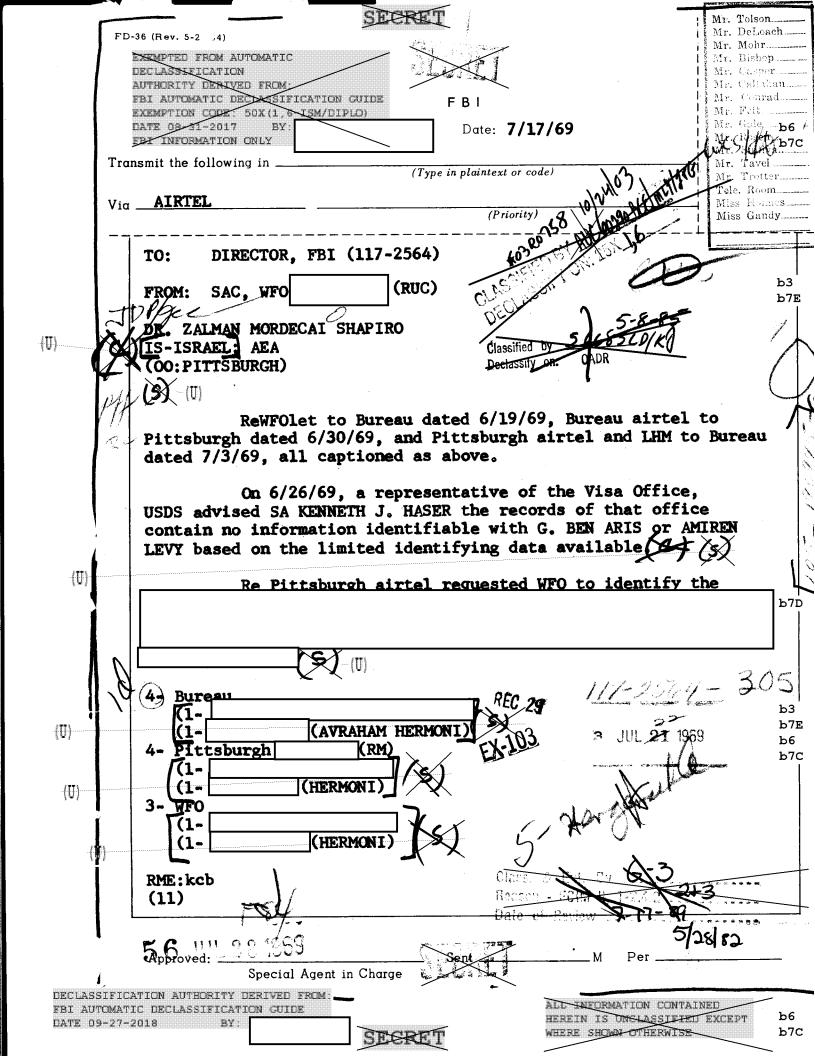
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TO SUBJECT: DR. ZALMAN MORDECAI SHAPIRO Classified by IS-ISRAEL; (5) Declassify AEA 00: PITTSBURGH Re Pittsburgh letter to Director 6/19/69.

> On June 13, 1969, SE SAMUEL T. MORRIS caused a search to be made of the files of the Credit Bureau Incorporated, Wasnington, D.C. and was advised that the files contained no record identifiable with DR. DAVID P. STERN.

On June 13, 1969, IC KENNETH SHAFFER determined that no record was contained in the Metropolitan Police Department files concerning DR. DAVID P. STERN.

On July 23, 1969, CONNIE DOWNING, Clerk Central Records Division, Prince Georges County Police Department advised that ner files contain no information concerning DR. DAVID STERN.

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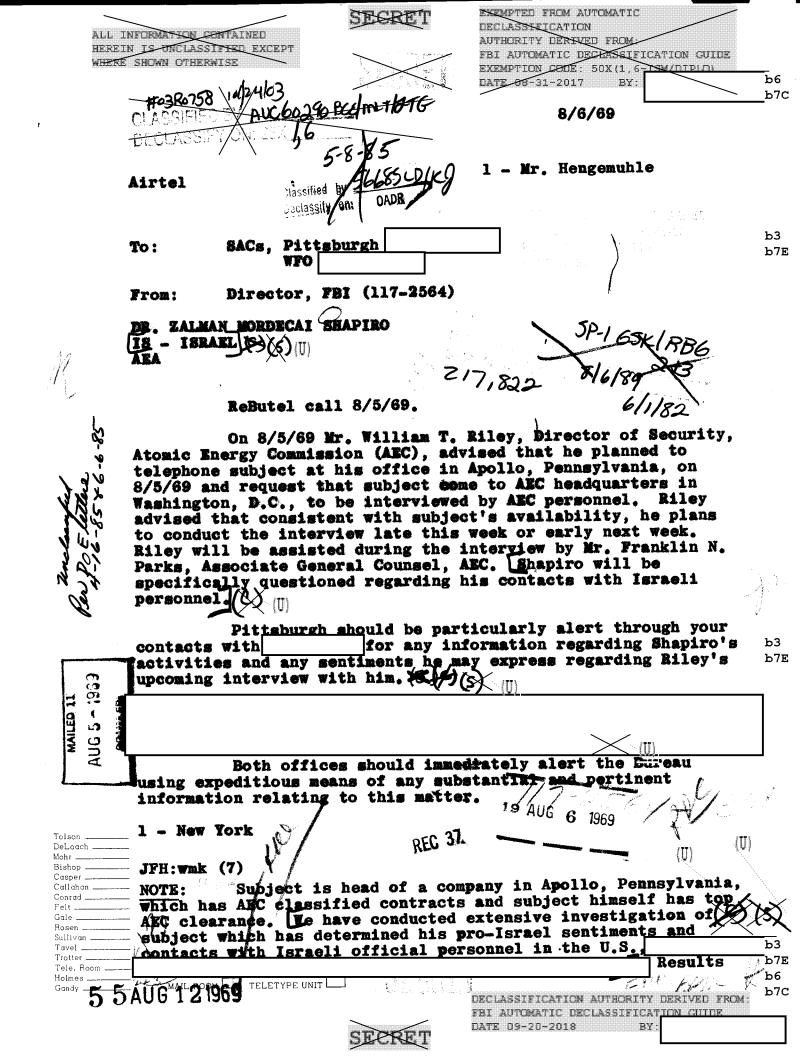
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Acc. Department has advised that subject has not violated federal statutes. Acc now plans to interview subject and we are alerting our pertinent field offices to this interview.

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Airtel SACs, Pittsburgh To: WFO b3 Director, FBI (117-2564) b7E From: ZALMAN MORDECAI SHAPIRO Classified by 5 ISRAEL Declassify on: ABA ReBuairtel 8/6/69.

On 8/5/69 Mr. William T. Riley, Director of Security, Atomic Energy Commission (AEC), advised that he contacted subject at his office in Apollo, Pennsylvania, approximately 4 p.m. on 8/5/69. It was arranged that Shapiro would be in Washington, D.C., for the interview at 9:45 a.m., 8/14/69. Shapiro did not question Riley as to the nature or reason for the interview and evidenced no reaction in this regard.

Above for information.

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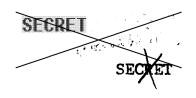
JFH: wmk b7E (7) Subject is head of a company in Apollo, Pennsylvania, which has AEC classified contracts and subject himself has top AEC clearance. We have conducted extensive investigation of subject which has determined his pro-Israel sentiments and contacts with Israeli official personnel in the U.S. contacts with Israeli official personnel in the U.S. C)Results or our investigation have been furnished to the Department and Department has advised that subject has not violated federal statutes. [AEC contacted subject 8/5/69 and made arrangements to interview him in Washington, D.C., on 8/14/ Mohr -Bishop Casper . Callahan -Conrad . Gale 19 AUG 7 Rosen -Sullivan -Tavel -Trotter Tele. Room MAIL ROOM Holmes -

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Mr. William T. Riley

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Under these circumstances, we are discontinuing our active investigation of the subject. We will, of course, continue to keep interested agencies advised of any pertinent information concerning the subject which may be received from our sources.

NOTE:

See memo Cotter to Sullivan dated 9/2/69, same subject, prepared by RDC:mea.

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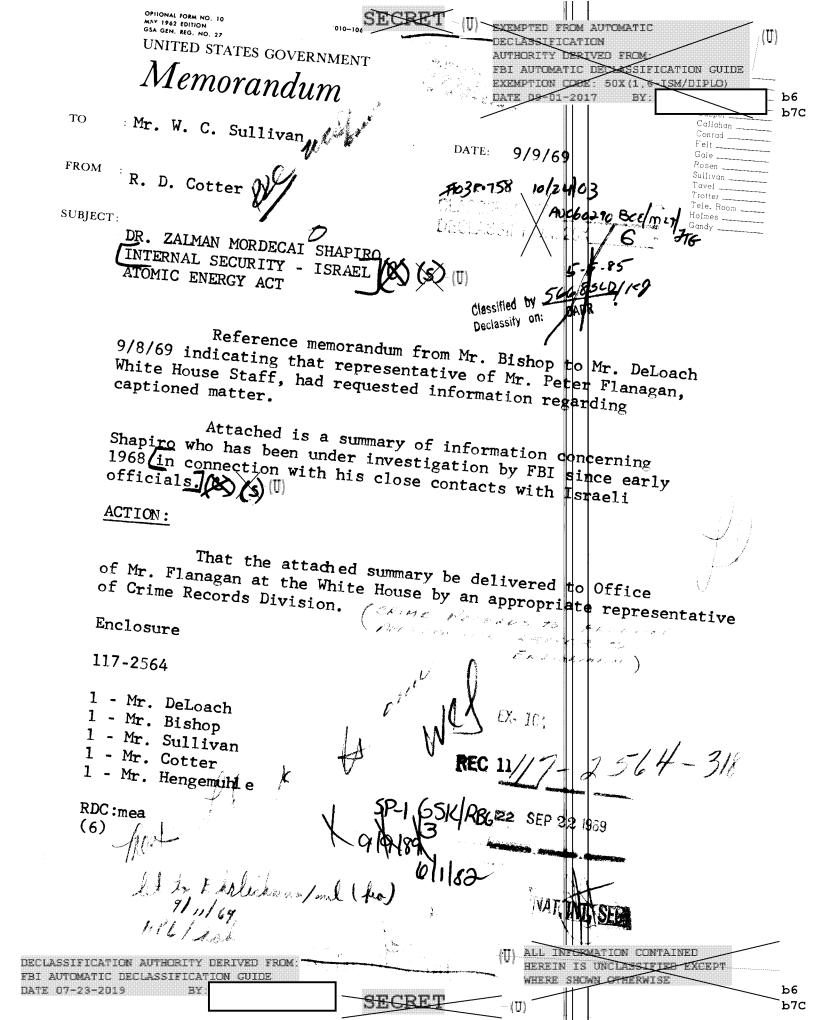
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Shapiro has been described as an active support of Israel, a frequent visitor to that country, and he has indicated he may settle in that country in a few years. Callaham Conrad Original to Mr. Peter Flanagan, White House Staff.

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Dr. Zalman Mordecai Shapiro

The results of this investigation were furnished to the Department of Justice. By letter dated April 15, 1969, Assistant Attorney General J. Walter Yeagley advised that the available facts indicated no violation of Federal statutes.

In August, 1969, Shapiro was interviewed by representatives of the AEC. He advised that his commercial interests were such that he had frequent and continuing contacts with Israeli officials. He avowed that he never furnished classified information to the Israelis nor were any requests for this type of information ever made. He professed a fragmentary recollection of the November, 1968, meeting at his residence and was unaware of the identities of those in attendance (excepting Hermoni)

AEC contemplates no further action in this matter and this Bureau has concluded its investigation.

NOTE:

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September 11, 1969

BY LIAISON

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Honorable John D. Ehrlichman Counsel to the President The White House Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Ehrlichman:

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Reference is made to the telephonic request of September 8, 1969, of Tom Whitehead in the office of Mr. Peter Flanagan for current information regarding Dr. Zalman Mordecai Shapiro and the Seafarers Political Activity Donation Committee.

Attached are separate memoranda regarding Dr. Shapiro and the Seafarers Committee.

This letter of transmittal may be declassified when it is removed from the classified enclosure:

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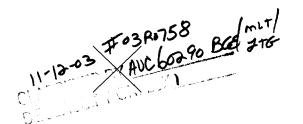
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Consideration being given to interview subject in connection with his attendance at 11/3/68 meeting at home of Zalman Shapiro. ReLHM, page 12, notes subject had heart attack about three years ago. Your LHM 1/21/69, page 4, reports subject had minor heart attack a "few years ago" while traveling in England.

Immediately endeavor to discreetly determine subject's current state of health and promptly advise Bureau.

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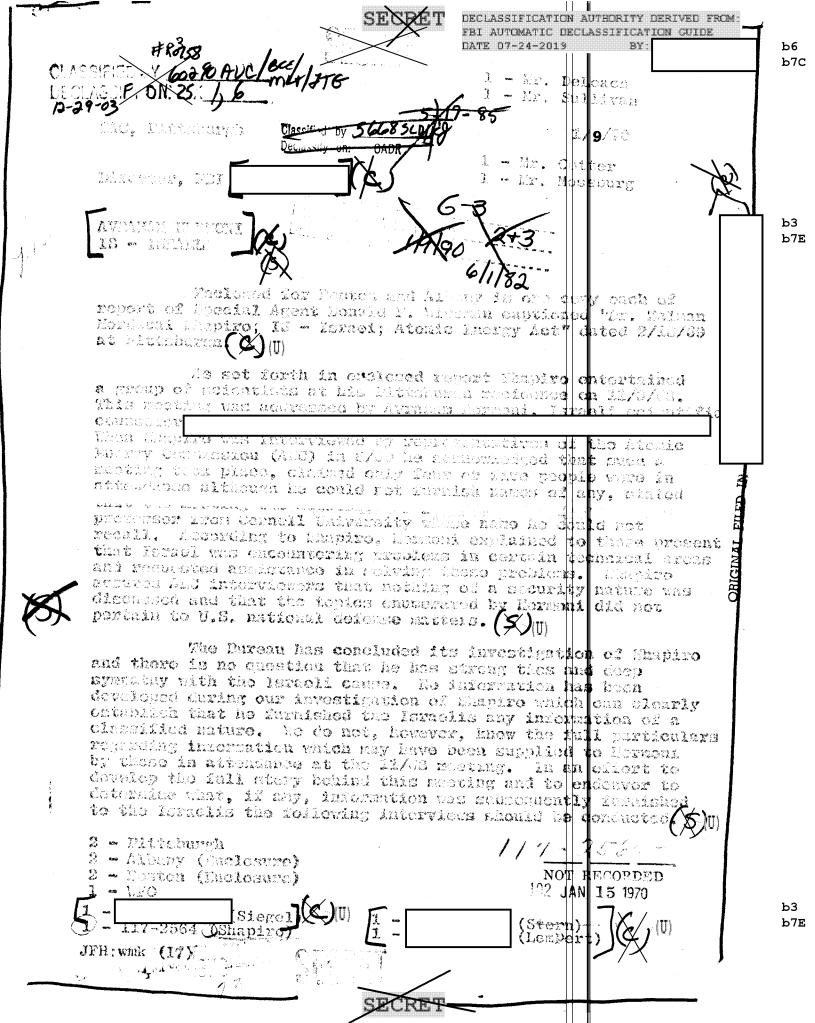
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and Theodore Stern both employees of Westinghouse Electric Company in Pittsburgh. Pittsburgh is in possession of full connection with Shapivo.

Albany is authorized to interview Benjamin Morton Siegel, Professor, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York. It appears that Siegel made the arrangements for the meeting and acted as coordinator between Hermoni and others in attendance.

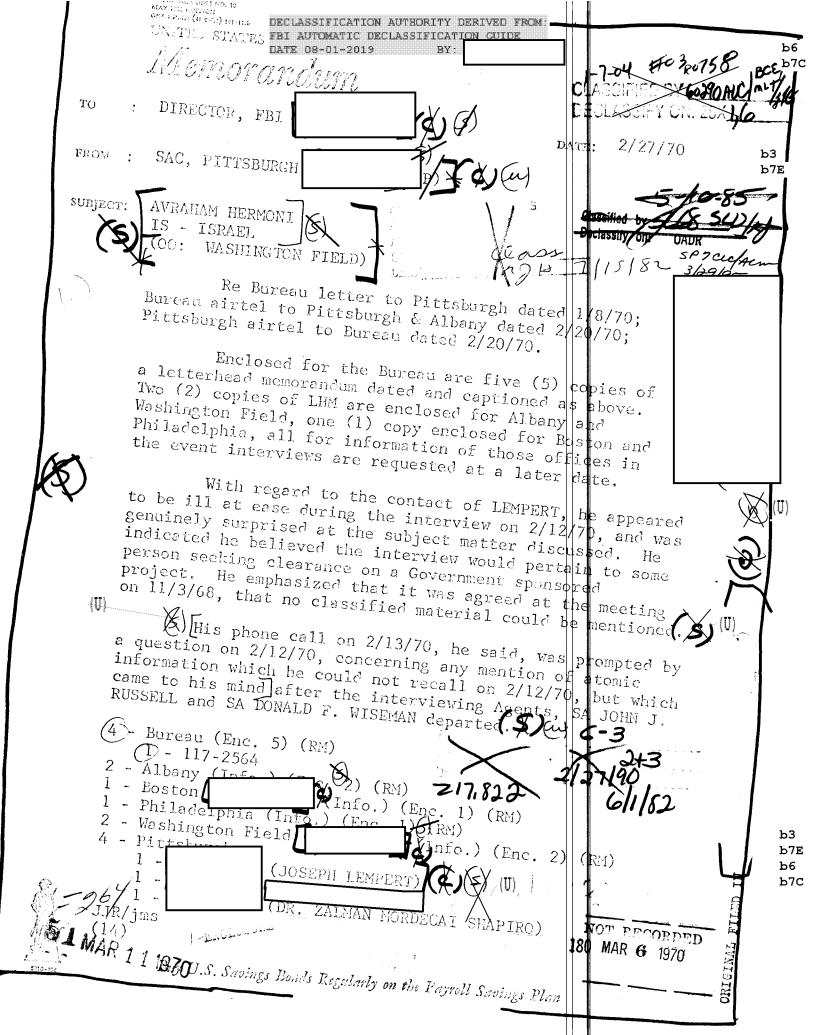
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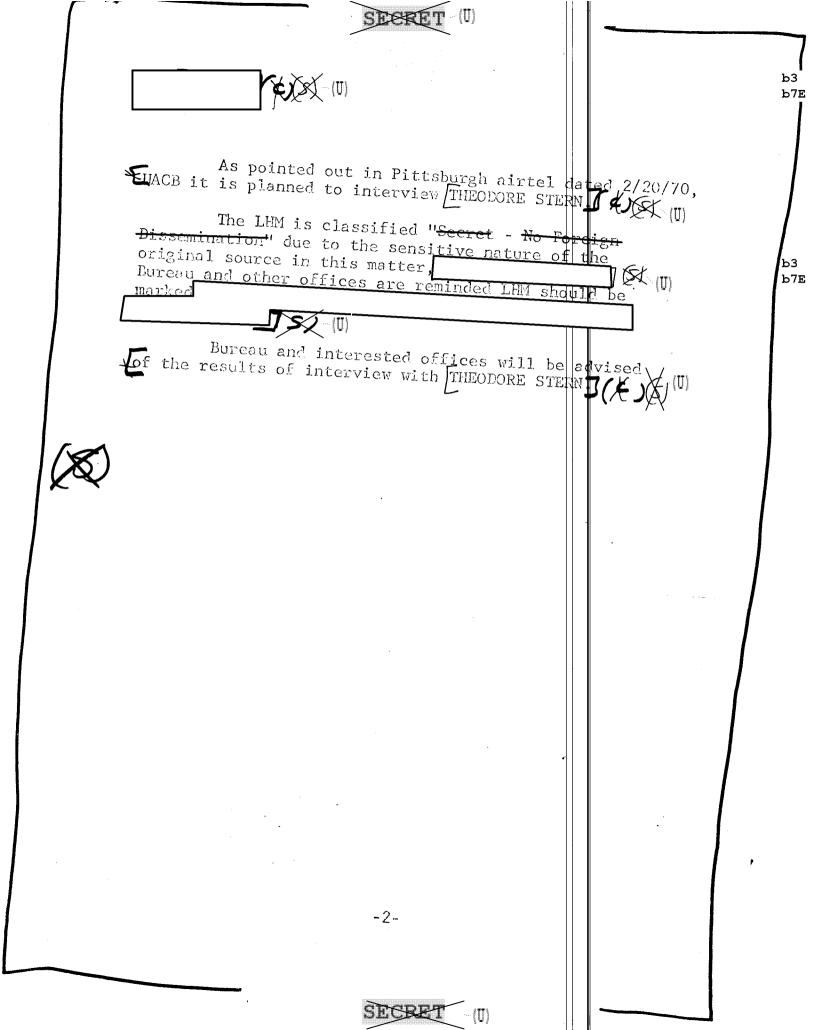
Because of the censitivity of several sources who supplied much of the information in this eatter, each interview should be conducted by mature and experienced Agents and each individual interviewed should be apprised of the Burdau's responsibilities in the internal security field. These interviewed should be advised that the Bureau has developed in praction that they attended a meeting in Pittsburgh on 11/3/68 at the home of Shapiro. They should further be advised that we are aware that the meeting was addressed by an Israeli official who solicited their assistance regarding certain technical matters. While no specific limitations are being placed on these interviews, other than the protection of our sensitive sources, specific questions should be directed to determine the full pature of the matters discussed at the meeting and more particularly any information which was subsequently furnished to the ligracits as a result of the meeting. These interviews should be promptly conducted and reported under instant case captioned with an information copy designated for WFO. In cases of import, Stern and Siegel copy should be designated for Bureau subjectative

Two extra copies of this letter are being furnished Pittsburgh Office for its files on Lempert and Stern Stern



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Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania February 27, 1970

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On February 12, 1970, Joseph Lempert, who resides at 140 Spring Grove Road, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, and is employed as a Senior Engineer, Westinghouse Electric Corporation (WEC), Research and Development Laboratory, in nearby Churchill Borough, Pa., was contacted at his place

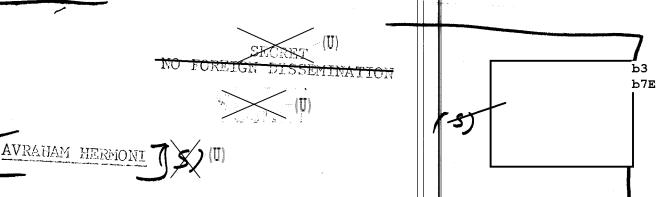
Lempert related that he recalled attending a meeting at the home of Dr. Zalman Mordecai Shapiro in Pit sburgh, Pa., in late October or early November, 1968. He said he first heard about the meeting about three or four weeks prior to that date from one Ben Seigel. He said Seigel is a professor at Cornell University, Ithaca, New York, and Lempert met him several years ago when Lempert worked for WEC in Elmira, New York, and took a course from Seigel at Cornell. He stated Seigel telephoned him about the get together at Shaprio's home and he next saw Seigel at Shapiro's home the day of the meeting.

He said the meeting which was of about one and one half hours duration was attended by Dr. Avraham Hermoni, an Israeli Embassy representative from Washington, D.C.; Ben Seigel and Dr. Zalman Shapiro, the host; another man from Cornell, name not recalled; a metallurgist from Carnegie-Mellon University (CMU), Pittsburgh, Pa., hame not recalled; a chemist from Cambridge, Massachusetts, name not recalled; a man in his thirties or early forties, name not recalled from the General Electric Company and a person from either CMU or the University of Pittsturg!

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He said it was stated prior to and at the meeting that the object of the conference was to assist Israel in technical and scientific matters. Also, Lempert pointed out, at the outset of the meeting it vas agreed that no restricted material would be discussed and Lempert said he believed Hermoni firmly emphasized that he was not interested in anything but unclassified information.

Lempert said he got the impression Hermoni was interested in reference literature for various industrial and defense problems. He said Hermoni asked him, Lempert, for information regarding qualities of night light, especially with regard to the various spectrum studies in the night light field. He said he told Hermoni there certain studies to Hermoni.

Lempert said he could not recall all the subjects discussed at the meeting but he did recall that instrumentation in connection with new industries in Israel were discussed; that Israel apparently has management problems in the computer field. Lempert reiterated the meeting from his point of view and recollection was really a literature search in the sense that those present informed solve Israel's problems (I)

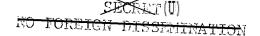
He pointed out that he mailed Hermoni some literature or told him where to find it a week or two after the meeting but has never received a reply from Hermoni. He said he has a vague impression that either Hermoni or someone else at the meeting inferred that of the United States but he could not be sure of this information or who mentioned it

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Lempert said he has not discussed the meeting with Shapiro, Hermoni, Seigel, or others since it took

In conclusion, Lempert said, the meeting left him with the impression that not much was really accomplished as the participants merely advised Hermoni what literature is available and either directed Hermoni how to obtain it forward same to him (II)

By way of background Lempert asserted he was formerly the head of the Pittsburgh Zionist Council and that he became acquainted with Dr. Shapiro through Zionist work and knows Shapiro is very much concerned over the plight of Israel.

On February 13, 1970, Lempert telephonically advised that he was able to recall some more information regarding the November, 1968, meeting at Shapiro's home. He said as the meeting was breaking up someone (probably said he had written to WEC on that subject but never received by himself, Lempert said Ted Stern was mentioned (probably in that field. He said someone called Stern on the phone and Hermoni talked to Stern about literature available

Lempert added that he recalled also that a prior meeting with Seigel, Shapiro and a man from General Electric in the latter's New York City apartment was held in the Fall of 1968. He said Hermoni did not attend the New York City meeting but it was agreed Israel needed all

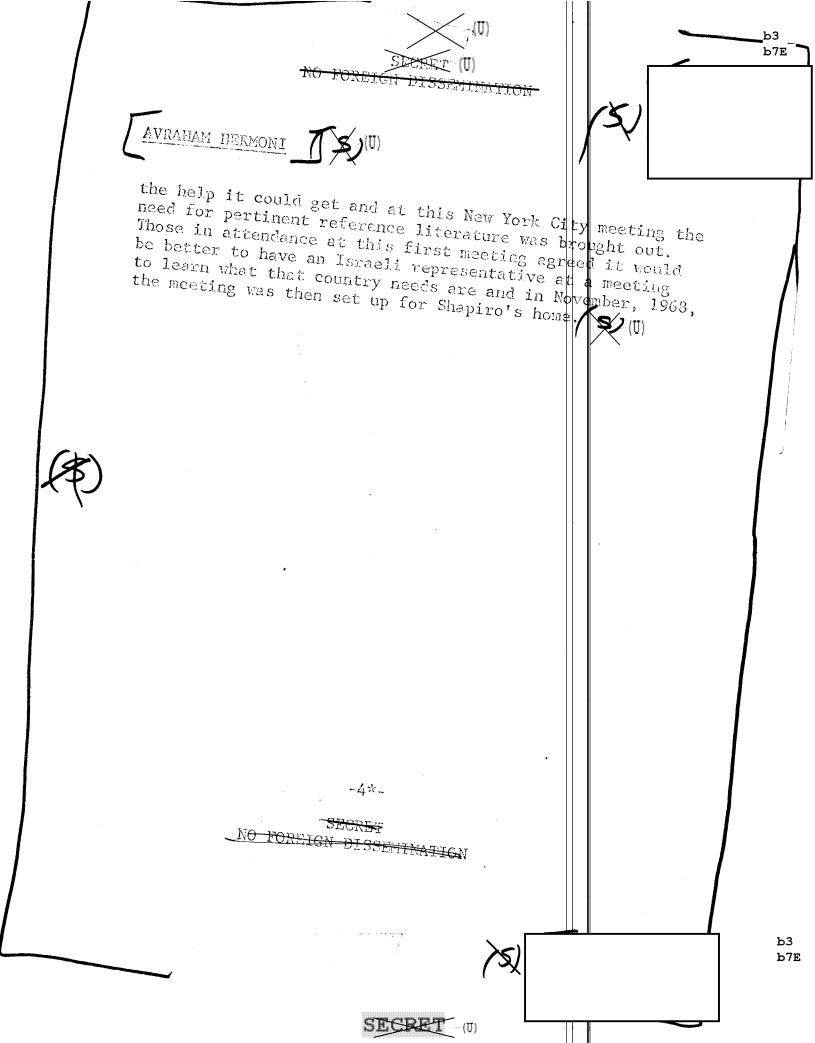
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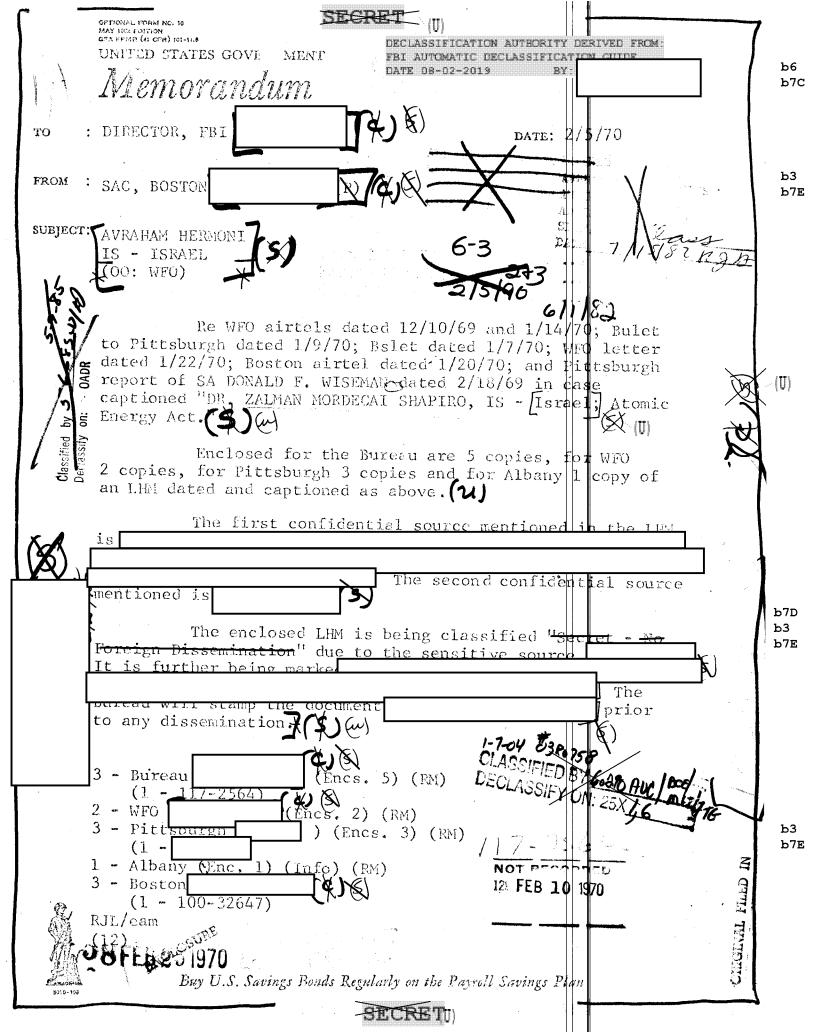
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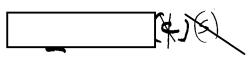
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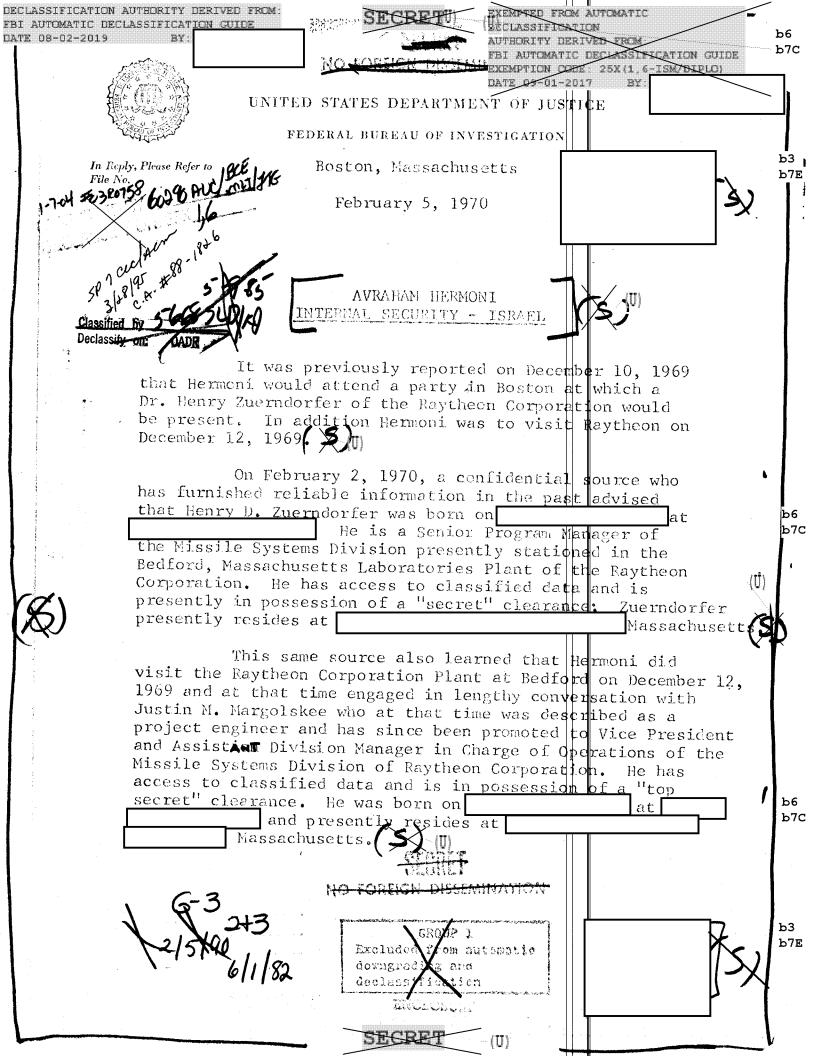


Concerning the meeting held in Newton, Mass. on 1/14/70 and reported in referenced Boston airtel dated 1/20/70, the interview of WALTER JUDA reflected he was in Israel at this time and did not volunteer any information indicating he was aware of any such meeting. However, an interview of Dr. HENRY ZUERNDORFER at this time might be fruitful as it is felt he and others at Raytheon Company may have been present at the aforementioned 1/14/70 indicated that material to be discussed involved the Raytheon Company. Any possible interview of ZUERNDORFER and/or MARGOLSKEE is being left to the discretion of the Bureau and WFO as Office of Origin.

Xerox copies of letters furnished by WALTER JUDA are being maintained in a 1-A section of the Boston file. During the interview of JUDA conducted by SA's R. OSEPH L'ITALIEN and ROBERT B. NADEAU, it was noted that he answered questions candidly and it is also being noted that the correspondence furnished was being kept in an open company business file cabinet which he requested his secretary to obtain during the interview.

Bureau instructions as contained in referenced Bulet to Pittsburgh dated 1/9/70 relative to the interview of JUDA were observed by the interviewing agents

HENRY ZUERNDORFER, JUSTIN M. MARGOLSKEE, ALLEN I. SWARTZ, EDNA H. HUNT, EDNA C. HOMA and MITCHELL J. MARCUS (U)





On January 15, 1970, a second confidential source who has furnished reliable information in the past advised he had learned that Hermoni had been in contact with Allen Swartz of Malden, Massachusetts

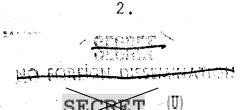
Source advised that Swartz' home telephone number to be 617-322-9373 and that he could also be listed at his office telephone number 617-391-5550

Telephone directories for the Boston area reflect that 322-9373 is subscribed to by Allen I. Swartz, 39 Ivy Road, Malden, Massachusetts and telephone number 391-5550 is subscribed to by the Tray-Con, Inc., 55 North Street, Medford, Massachusetts. It was determined that the Tray-Con Company is involved in the manufacture of synthetic resins and does not have access to any classified information and is not engaged in any classified contract work

Allen Irving Swartz was born on February 22, 1924 at Malden, Massachusetts and was engaged as a research assistant at Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, Massachusetts from September, 1942 to June, 1949 while he was attending school at Massachusetts Institute of Technology

On January 27, 1970, Walter Juda, President, Prototech Division of Bolt, Beranek and Newman, Inc., 50 Moulton Street, Cambridge, Massachusetts was interviewed by two Special Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation and furnished the following information:

He stated he recalled attending a meeting of scientifically oriented people at the home of his good friend, Dr. Zalman Mordecai Shapiro in early November 1968. He recalled having made this trip in conjunction with business which he conducted at NUMEC (Nuclear Naterials and Equipment Corporation), Apollo, Pennsylvania. Juda was a house guest of Shapiro on this occasion. The only other persons he could recall having attended this meeting were





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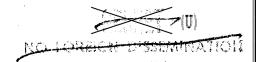
Ben Siegel from Cornell University and Dr. Shapiro. He recalled that there was a section of eight or ten men attending this meeting who represented various companies some of which were in the electronics industry. He further recalls that the group had been addressed by an official of the Israeli Embassy in Washington, D. C. He was not able to recall the identity of this individual until he found a business card identifying him as Avraham Hermoni. Juda vaguely remembered one of those in attendance to be a representative of the Westinghouse Company. The main purpose of this meeting according to Juda was to discuss "science-based industry" for Israel. Juda explained that he is an active supporter of Israel and in fact visits Israel quite often. He believed that all persons in attendance at this meeting in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania were of the same conviction concerning Israel.

Juda stated the meeting was prefaced by someone in the group who made particular caution of the classified data was to be discussed and Juda improper requests were made at any time and to his knowledge nothing took place to jeopardize the security of the United States. He continued that Hermoni had made requests for information from individual members; however, he was not aware of the requests made by other members in attendance. Hermoni requested Juda for information concerning fuel cells and their application for industrial purposes in Israel. Juda advised at this point that he is considered to be one of the leading experts in the fuel cell industry, which cells are manufactured by Bolt, Beranek and Newman, Inc. Juda made available copies of correspondence from company files which are set out as follows:

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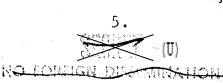
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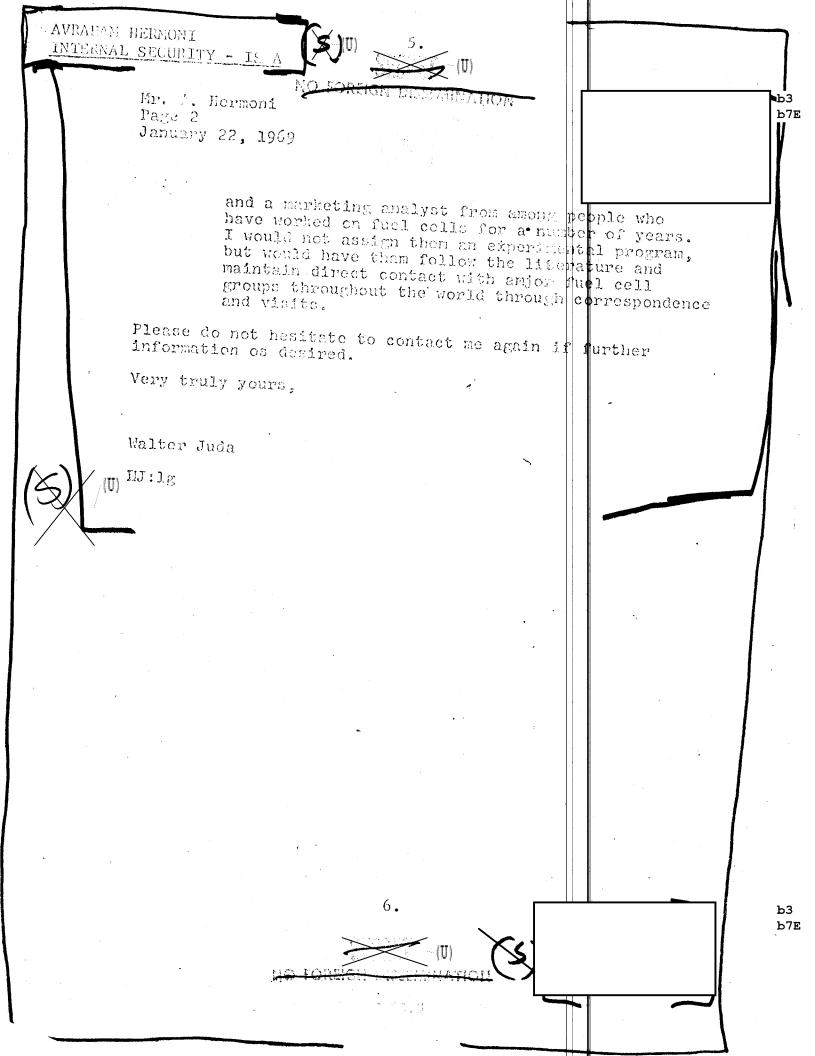
I apologize for my delay in answering your letter of December 20, 1968, and I hope the following information is helpful to the Scientific Department in their decision on fuel cells.

- 1. There is much in the literature on the specific uses of fuel cells. They range from low power cells for navigational aids such as buoys, to higher power cells for space vehicles and submersibles, lift trucks and heavy moving equipment, and many othersuses.
- 2. To my knowledge, there is not as yet any commercial fuel cell in use. The time of their introduction is difficult to predict.
- 3. Probably the most critical problem in the development of a commercial cell is the cost.
- 4. The most advanced fuel cells today have been used for the production of electricity in the space program. The Gemini missions used the ion-exchange fuel cell, and the Apollo mission utilized the Bacon cell.
- 5. In my opinion, Pratt & Whitney, Allis-Chalmers, and General Electric have developed the most advanced cells in the United States.
- 6. Just a handful of people can develop a laboratory model of a fuel cell. To convert such device into one reads for major markets requires millions of dollars and the skills of many technical and non-technical people, such as chemical engineers, electrical engineers, production engineers, marketing analysts, and others.
- 7. I would hire an electrochemist, a chemical engineer,





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In addition to the meeting in November, 1968 Juda advised that an organizational meeting was held in a midtown Manhattan apartment in New York City, New York in the spring This meeting was a prelude to the Pittsburgh meeting and to the best of his recollection was attended for the most part by the same individuals, including Shapirp, Siegel and Hermoni. He could furnish no specific details concerning this organizational meeting which he stated was of short duration. He recalls that general discussions were held on how to help scientific industries in Israel. From this meeting which was formulate and directed by Ben Siegel, the Pitsburgh meeting resulted.



Juda has not attended any further medtings of this type since Pittsburgh and to his knowledge, there have been no similar type meetings since Pittsburgh. He advised that he had recently returned from a trip to Israel on January 19, 1970. He displayed a hotel bill from the Sheraton - Tel Aviv Hotel, Tel Aviv, Israel indicating he had stayed at the hotel from January 3-19, 1970. Juda discussed food development problems and was attempting to develop company business for possible fuel cell applications in Israel. He pointed out that fuel cells could be used in the communications field and possibly as navigation aids. He is also attempting to find a market for fuel cells for his company in Japan and England. He advised that Bolt, Beranek and Newman, Inc. does not deal with any classified information or contracts and he stated that he did not have any security clearance. | He stated he was born on February 16, 1916 at Berlin, Germany and he became a naturalized citizen on June 9, 1947. He currently resides at 12 Moon Hill Road, Lexington, Massachusetty.



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Re Washington Field letter to Bureau dated 1/21/70, which requested Pittsburgh to identify the subscriber to telephone #842-0111/50

Telephone #842-0111 is listed, according to the 1969 Bell Telephone Directory, to the Nuclear Materials and Equipment Corporation, (NUMEC), Apollo, Pa./

The indices of the Pittsburgh Office contain no identifiable information concerning Doctor SOLOMON SHAPIRA(

Pittsburgh Telephone and Address Directory contains no information concerning SHAPIRA.

On 2/11/70, records of the Pittsburgh Credit Bureau, Inc., were checked by IC GEORGE C. DIPPOLD and no record could be located concerning Doctor SHAPIRA.

On 2/17/70, the records of the Identification Division, Pittsburgh, Pa., PD, and Allegheny County Detective Bureau, Pittsburgh, disclosed no information regarding Doctor SHAPIRA.

On 2/19/70, records of the Voters Registration, City County Building, Pittsburgh, contain no identifiable information concerning SHAPIRA.

As WFO is aware, Doctor ZALMAN MORDECAI SHAPIRO is the president of NUMEC and a pretext telephone call to NEMEC for Dr. SOLOMON SHAPIRA resulted in the caller being connected with Dr. SHAPIRO's secretary. NOT RECORDED

In view of the above, it would appear that Drea SHAPIRA and Dr. SHAPIRO are one and the same persons. It is further pointed out that SHAPIRO is frequently referred to as SOL

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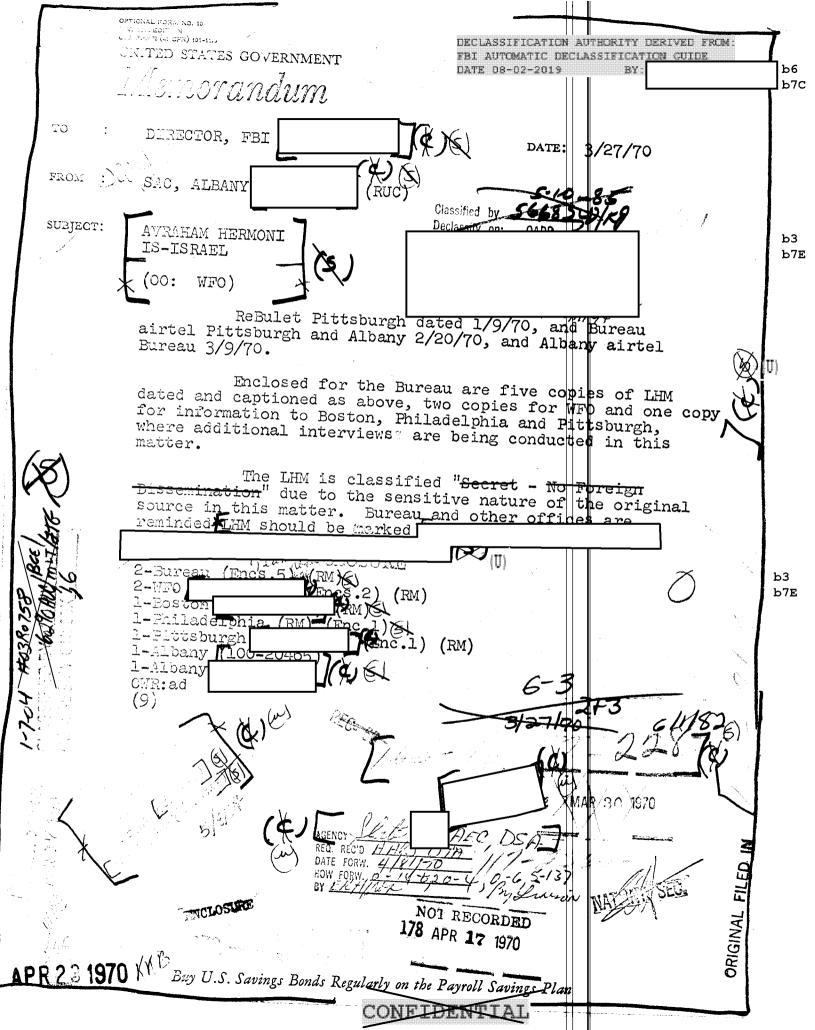
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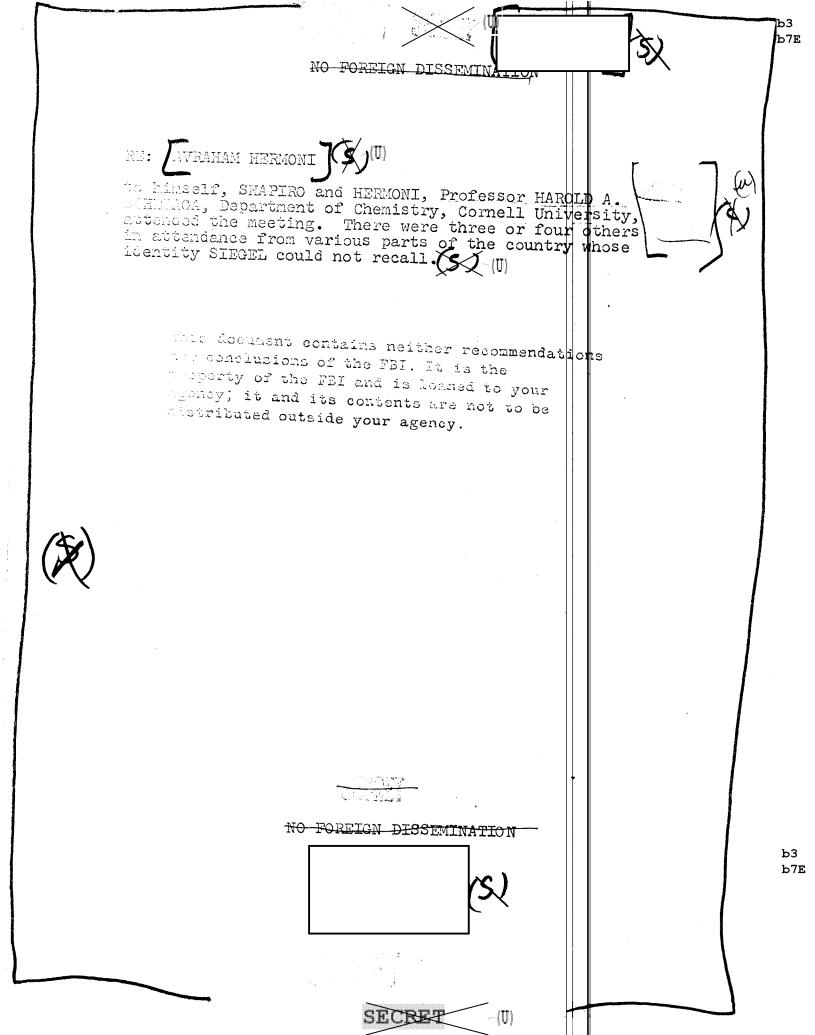
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b3 UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION - A. A. B. Picase Refer to Albany, New York March 27, 1970 1(16) A. & Decla Professor BENJAMIN MARTIN SIEGEL, Department Applied Physics, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York, was interviewed March 23, 1970, at his residence 208 Foret Drive, Tohaca, New York, at which time he related the following: SINCEL recalled attending a meeting at the home of DR. ZALMAN SHAPIRO at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, in November, 1968, along with five or six other scientists and EVRAHAM HERMONI who was then a scientific advisor at the Israeli Embassy in Washington, D. C. SIEGEL had net SHAPIRO on two or three previous occasions in connection with rejentific matters of mutual interest. Those in attendance of the meeting were generally regarded as experts in their ecientific matters of mutual interest. field of study, who were also interested in assisting the dove enment of Israel in technical and scientific matters. the was agreed at the outset of the meeting that no classified nowledge in functioning of "image tubes", denied having SIEGEL who has extensive access to any classified materials and is confident that none was dircussed at the meeting in this area. . The meeting covered a number of technical matters and explored the means of obtaining information in these matters through legitimate sources such as technical publications, industrial literature, and the like. SIEGEL was unable to recall specific technical matters discussed other than "image tubes" and technical problems relative thereto. While atomic power may have been and probably was the subject of some discussion SIEGEL was unable to recall any specific conversation in this regard. He pointed out that HERMONI emphasized many times during the discussion that he was interested only in sources of unclassiried information that would be of assistance to istael in vechnical and research matters. There have been no such mostings since, according to SIEGEL and he had no further contacts with HERMONI or SHAPIRO. He was unable to recall exactly who arranged for the meeting, but feels that all who participated had some part in its preparation. In addition DECLASSIFICATION AUTHORITY DERIVED FROM: FBI AUTOMATIC DECLASSIFICATION GUIDE DATE 08-02-2019 b6 b7C FOREIGN DISSEL b3 b7E uded om automat **VCLOSURE**



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FD-122 (Rev. 11-14-69) OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10 MAY 1962 EDITION GSA GEN, REG, NO. 27 DECLASSIFICATION AUTHORITY DERIVED FROM: 5010-106 FBI AUTOMATIC DECLASSIFICATION CUIDE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT DATE 09-05-2017 BY: b7C MemorandumТО Director, FBI (Bufile- 117-2564 DATE: 7/1/70 **b**3 **PITTSBURGH** b7E Cards UTD Cards Sent OO SUBJECT: DR. ZALMAN MORDECAI SHAPIRO ATOMIC ENERGY ACT Report of SA DONALD F. WISEMAN dated 7/1/70 at It is recommended that a Security Index Card be Pittsburgh prepared on the above-captioned individual. The Security Index Card on the captioned individual should be changed as follows (specify change only): Name DR. ZALMAN MORDECAI SHAPIRO Aliases Tab None Native Bon Priority I' Naturalized Priority II Alien X Priority III ANA BPP MIN DLP AWC PRN COMMUNIST ☐ SN C SWP ON NOI PPA BNT SDS ☐ JFG SPI WWP Miscellaneous (Specify) Date of Birth Place of Birth Race Sex Male Business Address, Name of Employing Concern and Address, Nature of Employment, and Union Affiliation, if any. Female Residence Address Consultant, Nuclear Materials and Equipment Corporation (NUMBE) Classified by Apollo, Pa. Declassify on: Key Facility Data Geographical Reference Number _ Responsibility REGISTERED MAIL NOT RECORDED - Bureau (RM) - Pittsburgh JUL 1970

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LEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania July 27, 1970

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SUBJECT:

Dr. Zalman Mordecai Shapiro

CHARACTER:

REFERENCE:

Report of Special Agent Donald F. Wiseman, Pittsburgh, Pa., 7/1/70.

Referenced communication contained subject's residence and/or employment address. A recent change has been determined and is being set forth below (change only specified):

Residence:

Employment:

Consultant,

Nuclear Materials and Equipment Corporation,

Apollo, Pennsylvania

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Acting Assistant Attorney General

Internal Security Division

Mr. Felt. Mr. Gale. Mr. Rosen_ Mr. Tavel Mr. Walters. Mr. Sames

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Attached is a copy of a proposed Security Stat submitted by the Atomic Energy Commission with respect to

Subject is now employed by Kawecki Berylco Industries, Inc., which has available all current and advanced veapons concepts and techniques related to beryllium weapons components.

The proposed Security Statement charges that subject has "knowingly established an association with individuals reliably reported as suspected of espionage" and that subject has "engaged in conduct which tends to show that subject hay be subject to influence or pressure which may cause him to act to contrary to the best interests of national security.

The information submitted in support of the proposed charges is set forth in the lettered paragraphs of the proposed Security Statement.

The Bureau is requested to advise whether any individuals are currently available to testify at an AEC Personne Security Board hearing to any of the information set porth in the lettered paragraphs of the proposed Security Statement; or alternatively whether such information can be introduced in a summarized form without substantial harm to the national interest at an AEC Personnel Security Board hearing under an appropriate certification under Section 4 of Executive

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that each person at the meeting was given a specific assignment to obtain information needed by Israel and was to furnish the information to Dr. Hermoni either orally or in writing. It was also reported that you expressed the hope that the persons at the meeting who were given assignments by Dr. Hermoni would be productive as Dr. Hermoni was probing in many fields and Israel needed the information on an urgent basis. On August 14, 1969, you advised AEC representatives that the meeting referred to above was held in your home, that Dr. Hermoni was in attendance, but could not recall the names of all the individuals who attended. You further advised that the general tone of the meeting concerned ways and means the group could be of assistance to Israel in solving some of its technical profess. It was reported in 1961 that Dr. Abraham Kermoni was a mamber of the Israeli Intelligence Service; that in 1963 Br. Hermoni was known to be engaged in the establishment of a technical intelligence network in the United States; and that prior to his assignment as Scientific Counselor of the Israeli Embansy, Washington, D. C., he was intimately connected with Israeli efforts to develop nuclear weapons in his capacity as Technical Director, Armament Development Authority, Ministry of Defense. 5

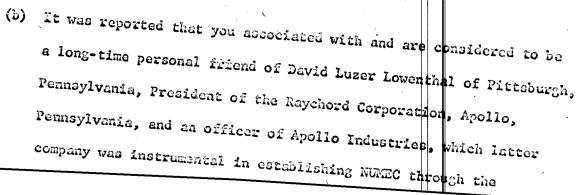
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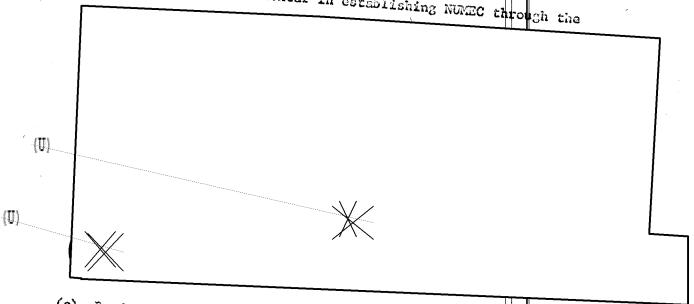
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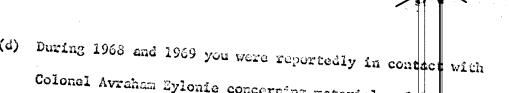
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(c) During an interview with FDI agents in 1966 you advise that you have had a business association in connection with Issaad (joint company by NUMEC and Israeli Covernment) during 1965-67 with Joseph Eyal who was Soldmaistic Assemble at the Israeli Impassy,

Washington, D. C. from October 1963 to May 1967.





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Israel among them Plutonium 238.

II. Reliable information indicates that you have engaged in conduct which tends to show that you may be subject to influence or prossure which may cause you to act contrary to the best interests of the national security, within the meaning of Paragraph (b) (13), Section 10.11, 10 CFR-Part 10, Criteria and Procedures for Determining Eligibility for Access to Restricted Data or Defense Information. The information which provides

 $\{U\}$ the basis for such belief is that:

(a) It was reported that on October 16, 1968 you expressed a belief that if fighting became necessary, you would prefer to fight in (U)Israel where a just cause existed. It was further reported that you also stated that you had given some consideration to resettling in Israel on a permanent backs.

(FBI Rpt, Pictsburgh, Pa., 2/18/69, p. 46, PG 1-3)

(b) It was reported that on December 15, 1968 you advised an

individual that you were seriously considering the possibility of $\{U\}$ settling in Israel within the next five years.

[(F51 Rpt, Pittsburgh, Pa., 2/18/69, p. 47, PG T 3.]

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(c) It was reported that you have financial ties with the State of
Israel and that you feel a
Israel and that you feel a natural kinship toward the State of
(U) (TET Rpt, New York City, 12/23/58, p. 2,
(d) It was reported that you are so
(d) It was reported that you are an active supporter of Israel; have traveled there frequently; and have directed that all profits from
NUMEC vending machines be used for CARE packages for terael. (FBI Rpt, Pittsburgh, Pa., 2/13/69, p. 27, Pc 7-1)
(e) It was reported that a meeting was held in your home on November 3,
Scientific Counselor. Torseld To your home on November 3,
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(I) FBI Rpe, Piccsburgh, Pa., 2/10/69, p. 30, PG T-B.
(f) It was reported that subsequent to the November 3, 1988 meeting
you stated that the mosting was productive and that Avraham Hermoni
was also provided ancuers to most of his questions or was put in
contact with people who could not all the put in
contact with people who could get the answers for him. (II) (FBI Rpt, Pittsburgh, Pa., 2/18/69, p. 2,3(5))
(g) It was reported that in discussing the November 3, 1968 meeting
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that Hermoni was probing in many fields and needs the requested information on an expedite basis, as Israel's needs are many and urgent./ (h) It was reported that you expressed the hope that people who were given assignments at the November 3, 1968 meeting by Hermoni would be patient and productive. (FBI Rpt, Pittsburgh, Pa, p. 9, dtd 11/20/68.) It was reported that on November 8, 1963 you related to an (E) individual that Israel is in need of all available information $\{IJ\}$ concerning the poisoning of municipal water supplies. individual to whom you related this information reportedly has $\{U\}$ done research work in this field. (FBI Rpt, Pittsburgh, Pa. 11/29/68, p. 4.) It was reported that in connection with your expressed interest in migrating to Israel, your son indicated he felt you would be of more value to Israel by remaining in the United States and helping Israel's problems from hore (U.S.A.) $\{IJ\}$ (FBI Rpt, Pittsburgh, Pa. 11/29/68, p. 5.)

(k) It was reported that you planned to head up a new corporation to operate a chemical plant for the production of high grade boric acid, itrium oxide, hydrobromic acid and uranium and to operate this plant between Dimona and Arad near the Dead Ser.

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(1)	It was reported that you have a very strong alliance to Israel
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74,	and have contributed heavily to Israeli organizations and fund drives.
	It was further reported that during the 1967 Israeli-Arab six-day
	war you organized an Israeli fund drive in connection with a
	social affair in Pittsburgh and raised over one million dollars
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(FBI Rpt, Pittsburgh, Pa., 8/21/68, p. 2.)

(m) It was reported that you have a very strong allegiante to the Government of Israel and would do anything in your power to aid that country. It was also reported that you have been very active in fund-raising drives and bond sales to obtain money for Israel and are a heavy contributor to Jewish activities in the United States

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(FBI Rpt, Pittsburgh, Pa, 7/25/68, p. 4.)

involving the commercial application of atomic energy with the
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between NUMEC and the Government of Israel in the Israel NUMEC
Isotopes and Radiation Enterprises and 30 thousand curies of Cobalt
have been shipped to Israel for use in experimental facilities

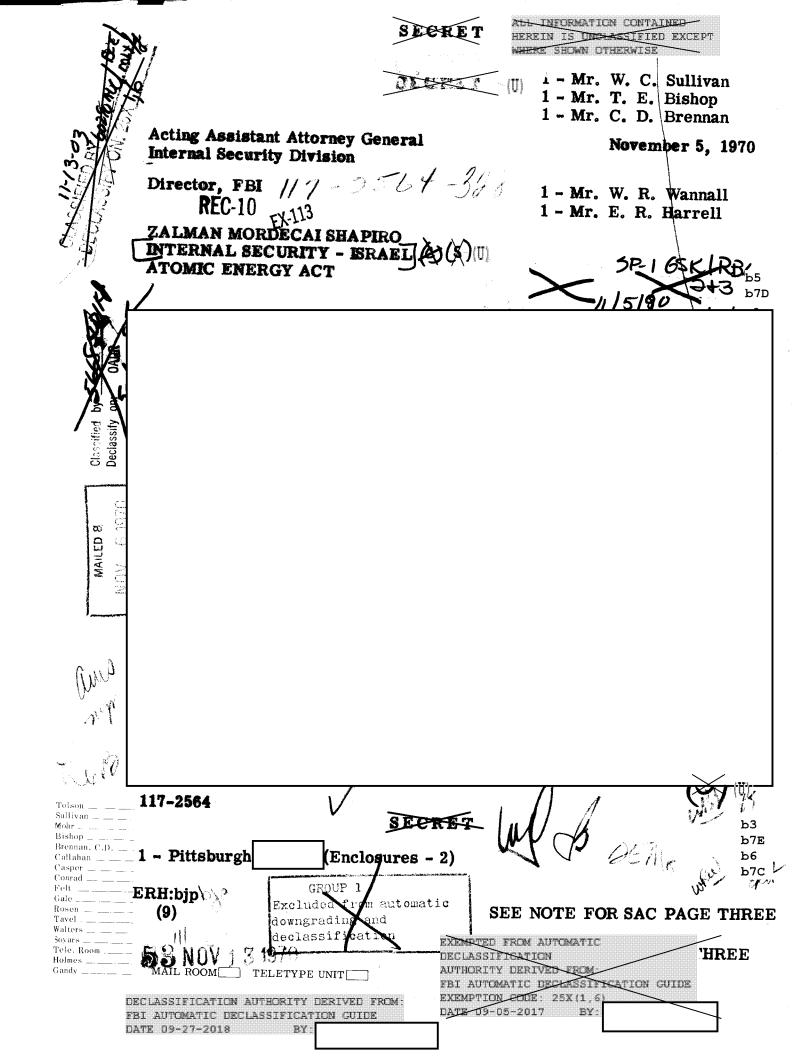
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	(o) It has been reported that you are a friend of David L. Lowenthal, who is with high ranking officials of the I Israel as a Freedom Fighter in 1950, Israel on the average of approximatel	sraeli Government, fought for	b3
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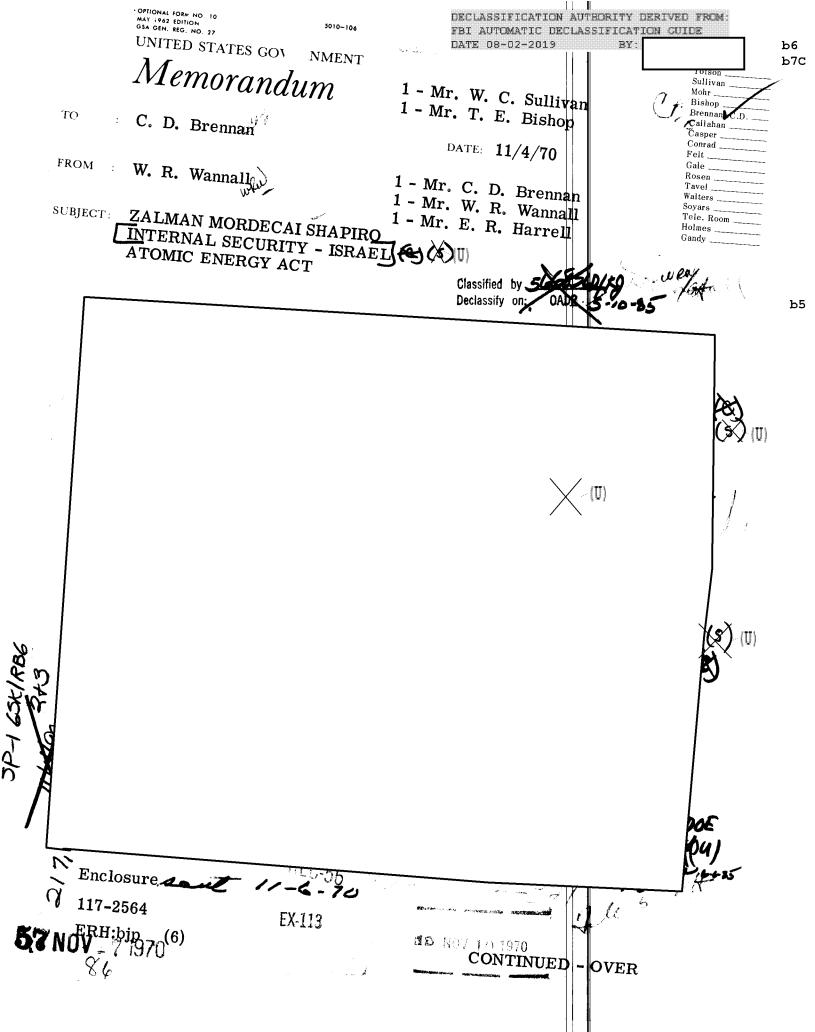
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See cover memorandum W.R. Wannall to C.D. Brennan, dated 11/4/70, captioned as above, prepared by ERH:bjp.

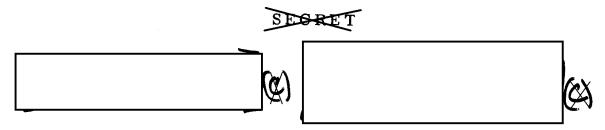


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	NOTE FOR SACS, PITTSBURGH, NEW YORK AND WFO:				
(E)	along with a single copy of referenced letter dated 10/20/70, which is self-explanatory.				
	Recipient offices should be alert for the receipt of any information regarding the subject responsive to the areas of interest expressed by information should be furnished immediately upon receipt in form suitable for dissemination accompanied by recommendation for any				
	additional investigation believed warranted. NOTE:				
	NOTE:				
	Shapiro has been alleged to have furnished information to Israeli Government in the past regarding nuclear developments via Israeli Embassy officials interested in this field for the benefit of Israeli defense efforts. He is carried on the Security Index by Pittsburgh due to his activities. He has recently acquired a new and sensitive position with a nuclear development company in Pennsylvania				
	No specific allegation has been made of violation by subject in areas under Bureau's jurisdiction and we should refrain from conducting investigation of a fishing expedition type The subject's access to classified matters is a problem within the primary area of responsibility of Atomic Energy Commission (AEC) and the Defense Supply Agency. We have previously advised the military that we propose no investigation of subject purely because of his access to classified information or because of alleged shortages in AEC material which occurred in a company subject previously headed. Those matters were in AEC province and earlier investigation. NOTE CONTINUED PAGE 3				
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TO

DIRECTOR, FBI (117-2564)

PITTSBURGH

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SUBJECT: ZALMAN M. SHAPIRO IS-ISRAEL (S ATOMIC ENERGY ACT

Subject, who formerly resided at Pittsburgh, Pa., and resigned as president of Nuclear Materials and Equipment Corp. (NUMEC), Apollo, Pa., during 6/70, is a Security Index subject (Priority III), of the Pittsburgh Office.

On 11/16/70, it was ascertained by suitable pretext at NUMEC that subject was employed with Kawecki Berylco Industries, Inc., Reading (Temple), Pa.

On $\frac{11/24}{70}$,

(Reliable-Protect By Request), advised that

subject was currently residing at 955 North Park Road, Wyomissing, Pa.

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Will, through established sources only, verify subject's residence and employment.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania January 29, 1971

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File No.

SUBJECT:

Dr. Zalman Mordecai Shapiro

CHARACTER:

REFERENCE:

Report of Special Agent Donald F. Wiseman, Pittsburgh, Pa., 7/1/70.

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Referenced communication contained subject's residence and/or employment address. A recent change has been determined and is being set forth below (change only specified):

Residence:

855 North Park Road

Wyomissing, Pennsylvania

Employment:

Vice-President in Charge of Research, Kawecki-Berylco Industries, Inc., Tuckerton Road, Muhlenberg Township,

Reading, Pennsylvania

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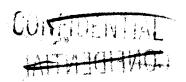
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FD-128 (Rev. 5-7-70) OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10 MAY 1962 EUITION GSA GEN. REG. NO. 27 ALL LAUGH ATTOR COR UNITED STATES GEVERNMENT HEREIN IS LUCELY TO Cards UTD $\it 1emorandum$ Cards Sent OO ТО Director, FBI (Bufile - 117-2564 1/29/71 ttsburgh SUBJECT: DR. ZALMAN MORDECAI SHA IS-ISRAEL (A) The captioned individual has been the subject of a security or racial investigation by this office. The Philadelphia Division has verified the permanent presence of the subject in its division as residing and working at the addresses listed below. The Philadelphia Division is being considered the new office of origin. Business Address, Name of Employing Concern and Address, Nature of Employment, and Union Affiliation, if any. Residence address Vice-President in Charge of Research, 855 North Park Road Kawecki-Berylco Industries, Inc., Wyomissing, Pennsylvania Tuckerton Road, Muhlenberg Township, Reading, Pennsylvania **Key Facility Data** Geographical Reference Number 2 Responsibility Check the following applicable statements: This individual is the subject of a X Security Index Card Agitator Index Card. Reserve Index Card.

(The Bureau is requested to make the appropriate changes in the X Security Index Agitator Index at the Seat of Government. The Philadelphia Division should affix the addresses indicated above and of Government. The Phila the appropriate case file number.)

This subject is tabbed Priority III This subject was carried as a Top Functionary. Handwriting specimens have been furnished to the Bureau. A photograph has been furnished to the Bureau. X Dissemination made Secret Service locally re above information. A security flash notice has been placed on subject and a copy of this form is being designated for the Identification Division for appropriate action. The following pertinent items are being forwarded to the new Office of Origin with its copies of this letter:

X Security Index Cards (2) Third SI card will follow. Agitator Index Card Reserve Index Cards Serials (specify) Photograph of subject (check appropriate item listed below) X Negative and three copies of most recent or best likeness photograph. (taken 19 None available. EX 105 Previously furnished. 2 - Bureau (Registered Mail) Philadelphia Enc. 22 (Registered Mail) RFS **ENCLOSURE** Philadelphia is in possession of all pertinent DECLASSIFICATION AUTHORITY DERIVED FROM: FBI AUTOMATIC DECLASSIFICATION GUIDE DATE 08-02-2019



Enclosures for Philadelphia:

19. FD-366, Pittsburgh, 1/29/71.

1. 2.	(3) Photographs of subject taken 1965.(2) Security Index cards.	
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11.	Evaluation memo, Pittsburgh, 9/1/70.	
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ATOMIC ENERGY ACT Re Pittsburgh FD-128, dated 1/29/71. Enclosed herewith for Philadelphia is the third Security Index card of above subject. 2 - Bureau (RM) 1 < Philadelphia b3 1 - Pittsburgh (Encl.-1) (RM) b7E bky (4) Classify on: 12 FEB 8 1971 Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan

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REQUEST OF THE BUREAU:

It is requested that the Bureau make appropriate with AEC at WDC to determine the nature of the project in order that an intelligent determination can be made regarding the reason for SHAPIRO's interest in this particular project. this particular project.

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AT APOLLO, PA.:

Will through established sources, attempt to determine the reason for subject's resignation at NUMEC and subsequent acceptance of the position at Kawecki Berylco Industries, Inc., Reading, Pa.

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AT READING, PA.:

Will maintain contact with established sources regarding subject.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

February 3, 1971

ZALMAN M. SHAPIRO COMP. # 30

On January 28, 1971

contacted the rederal sureau of investigation and furnished the following information:

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ZALMAN M. SHAPIRO

Miss JOSHEPHINE FERRO, Receptionist, Credit Bureau of Reading and Berks County, Reading, Pa., advised their records show ZALMAN M. SHAPIRO, and his wife EVELYN, 855 North Park Road (Wynnewood at Wyomissing Apartments), Wyomissing, Pa., have been in file since August 1970.

Miss FERRO further advised the Credit Bureau made a check on December 23, 1970, and verified that SHAPIRO and his family reside at 855 North Park Road, Wyomissing, Pa., and that he is presently employed as Vice President in Charge of Research at Kawecki Berylco Industries, Inc. (formerly Berylium Corporation), Tuckerton Road, Muhlenberg Township, Reading, Pa. He has been employed there since July 20, 1970. His date of birth is May 12, 1920. His credit record is good and the file does not contain any derogatory information.

Miss FERRO stated their files indicate SHAPIRO moved to the Reading area from Pittsburgh, Pa. A credit report from the Pittsburgh Credit Bureau dated August 1970, indicates SHAPIRO was formerly President of Nuclear Materials Equipment Corporation, no address given. The report shows he was with the Nuclear Materials Equipment Corporation from 1956 until August 1970. He has four dependents including his spouse. The Pittsburgh report indicates SHAPIRO owned the residence at and had lived there since 1956.

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1 - Mr. E. R. Harrell (NI) 117-2564 11-13-03 BY COURIER SERVICE Date: February 18, 1971 To: Director, Division of Security Atomic Energy Commission From: John Edgar Hoover, Director Subject: ZALMAN M. SHAPIRO INTERNAL SECURITY - ISRAEL ATOMIC ENERGY ACT Reference is made to this Bureau's memorandum, & dated February 3, 1971, at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, which set forth information regarding inquiries being by Shapiro It was noted in the referenced communication that Shapiro had made his inquiries as a result of his assumption of the position of Vice President in Charge of Research for the Kawecki Berylco Industries, Incorporated (KBI), ofb3 Reading, Pennsylvania. It was further noted that security officers of KBI had stated You are requested to furnish information which would assist this Bureau in basis for evaluating the need for additional investigation in this matter and to additionally advise if the subject, yes. in his current position, has been granted clearance by your Commission for access to projects under Atomic Energy Commission jurisdiction. In the absence of any additional information in this matter, no additional investigation is contemplated by the Federal Bureau of Investigation into the subject's attempt to obtain ERH:jd (4)NO FOREIGN DISSEMINATION BY COURIER SVC. SEE note pace two 9 1 TEB 1 5 COMM-FBI Exclude from automatic

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fissionable material missing from his prior place of employment, Nuclear Materials Equipment Company, in Pittsburgh. He has recently changed positions, and our Philadelphia Office

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reported information set forth herein as it pertains to his present activities.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

New York, New York March 3, 1971

Dr. Zalman Mordecai Shapiro

The records of New York (NY) T-1, an organization which maintains records of business establishments in the NY area, as reviewed on March 3, 1971, reflect the following in relation to the Nuclear Materials and Equipment Corporation (NUMEC):

As of October 21, 1970, NUMEC (a Delaware corporation), was a subsidiary of Atlantic Richfield Company, Incorporated, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. MUMEC is located at North 7th and Warren Avenues and Park Township, Apollo, Pennsylvania, in Armstrong County and is also located at Lewiston, NY. NUMEC is the manufacturer of nuclear alloys and specialized laboratory test equipment. R. R. Chambers, Ph. D., is the President and Chief Executive.

The records of NY T-1 reflected the following pertinent information in relation to this organization:

Highlights

This Delaware corporation is a subsidiary of Atlantic Richfield Company (Incorporated), Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. It is successor to a Pennsylvania corporation of similar name which was acquired by Atlantic Richfield on April 17, 1967. The old Pennsylvania corporation was subsequently liquidated, and the subject succeeded to all of the activities of the former company. Since the acquisition by Atlantic Richfield, parent management has declined issuance of financial and operating statements, although information available indicates upward sales trends continuing with volume now estimated at about \$15,000,000 yearly.

Included in the transfer of assets from the predecessor company to the present subsidiary were fixtures and equipment, buildings and inventories. On financial statements of the predecessor, these aggregately showed in seven-figure proportions. However, a complete balance sheet and specific financial details have not been included under current control

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and consequently an estimation of worth is not possible. Indications are, however, that the company is substantially backed by the large capital resources of its financiallystrong parent componention. A major expression has recently lean amounted with this consisting of a \$5,000,000 expansion in research and processing facilities. The company's individual payment record has shown material improvement with a majority of discount and prompt payment experiences reported in all recent trade clearances. Indications are that ample financial resources are available to this subsidiary if reduired, through its parent corporation.

Changes

Dr. R. R. Chambers has replaced Zalman M. Shapiro, Ph. D. as president and chief executive and general manager of this corporation. Dr. Chambers was born about is married and appears as a vice-president of the parent corporation, Atlantic Richfield Company (Incorporated). He holds an AB Degree from the University of Nebraska and a Ph. D. in organic and physical chemistry from the University of Illinois. In his earlier working career, Dr. Chambers started at Sinclair Research in Chicago, Illinois in 1947, as a research chemist. He also holds a law degree from the University of Chicago, 1951 class. He is a former vicepresident of Sinclair Oil Company and prior to his presidency here, had been vice-president of Atlantic Richfield in charge of Products Division, Research and Development. He became president here in July 1970.

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1411 In addition, William Bonner has been made assistant secretary of the company, replacing R. Wade. Antededent details on Bonner are not immediately available.

Replacing Dr. Shapiro on the Board of Hitectors of the company, is Dr. Chambers, but otherwise the Board remains unchanged.

Toward the earlier part of 1970, the company announced a \$5,000,000 expansion of research and intelear metals proceeding facilities at Apollo, Permaylvada. This apparaion is understood to be substantially backed by the parent company and will take place at the processing facilities

located at Parks Township, Armstrong County, about five miles removed from the town of Apollo itself. The initial phase of the expansion program included the enlargement of a plutonium processing plant and possibly executive headquarters which would be relocated to the Parks Township location. However, according to ______ in the current interview, executive headquarters continue at Morth 7th and Warren Avenues in the town of Apollo itself.

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Banking:

Banking relations have been established at a Pittsburgh depository. The balances are sizable, but full details regarding the corporation's borrowing accommodations, if any, are not available. Relations are indicated as satisfactory.

History

Incorporated: Delaware, on or about April 17, 1967. Authorized Capital Stock: Not yet available. Outstanding Capital Stock: Not yet available.

Control: The entire issue of outstanding capital stock of this corporation is controlled by its parent, Atlantic Richfield Company, Incorporated, Fhiladelphia, Pennsylvania.

This corporation is successor to a Pennsylvania corporation chartered on December 31, 1956 with the atest authorization of 500,000 shares of common, no par value. Its activity had been the same as the subject with outstanding issue widely held by some 1,500 shareholders. That company continued in operation until April 17, 1967, at lincorporated. Subsequently, by charter amendment, name was changed to N. M. E. Liquidating Corporation, Apollo, Pennsylvania disposition of the affairs of the predecessor.

Operation

NUMEC (Delaware) operates as a direct and wholly owned subsidiary of Atlantic Richfield Company, Incorporated, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, operating under the parent's Arco Chemical Division, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. The parent was incorporated in Pennsylvania on April 29, 1870 and acquired property of Atlantic Oil Storege Company. For a complex network of subsidiary companies and divisions, the parent corporation develops oil and gas lands and leases and deals in all phases of the purchase, sale, transportation and refining of crude oil, its products and derivatives and the transportation and subsequent marketing of these petroleum and natural gas products. The parent is known world-wide as a leader in its industry and conducts its activities on both a foreign and domestic basis. Inter-company relations between the subject and parent reportedly include substantial parent backing. This is in the nature of capital provided for expansion purposes for the subject itself reaching into the middle seven figure range at least. Details as to the arrangements under which this backing is taking place, however, have not been clearly defined. There are no general guarantees or endorsements

Froducts: Produces, melts, fabricates and recovers a variety of special materials which are used primarily, although not exclusively in the nuclear power industry. These materials include particularly the metals, alloys and compounds required for nuclear fuel and control purposes. Not only are materials manufactured but also used in the production and testing of materials and other special services.

l. Fuel Materials: Manufactured items include alloys such as uranium, zirconium, uranium-alchlum and uranium-aluminum. In addition, prepares special uranium orides of the proper size and other physical characteristics required for the manufacture of aluminum and stainless steel dispersion elements. Also products thorium and its alloys, manufactures pluntonium fuel alloys. Company not only prepares raw materials, alloys and compounds, but also machines them and pelletizes them into required sizes and shapes.

- 2. Neutron and Radioisotopic Heat Sources: Used for start-up of reactors and other industrial purposes (such as oil well logging).
- 3. Control Materials: The company manufactures and fabricates into finished control rods hafmium, cadium-silver, copper-barem carbide and europium.
- 4. Specialized Equipment: Also manufactures specialized equipment used in the production and testing of materials, such as cathodic vacuum etchers; arc-melting, vacuum and special atmosphere furnaces; high-pressure inert gas purification units; high-vacuum valves; inert gas welding chambers and other specialized mechinery and equipment.
- 5. Other Opecial Services: Derives revocues from chemical, analytical and metalurgical product evaluation, such as corrosion, testing, spectrographic and analysis and also isotopic assays.

To perform these functions and services, the corporation has a complete chemistry laboratory including advanced mechanical and physical metallurgical equipment necessary for a well-rounded reactor materials research and development program. These laboratory facilities include complete wet analytical and instrumental facilities and a separate physical chemical laboratory equipped to now undertake advances physical chemical measurements involving high vacuum and high temperature engaged in development laboratory-scaled production activities in connection with scrap recovery, the production of materials such as uranium oxides and compounds and chemical separations.

In addition to the above facilities as noted, subject has moved into the function of operating contractor, managing Boron Isotope separation facility for the Atomic Energy Commission. Also designs and produces portable irraliators and complete isotopic-powered electric generating systems for terrestrial applications.

Distribution: Sales are to industrials, the United States Atomic Energy Commission, universities and colleges and atomic power laboratories.

Territory: World-wide. Principal market in the United States. Terms: Various terms depending on product but generall net 30 days, progress payments in some instances completion of job. As operating contractor, terms are cost plus fixed-fee.

Facilities: The location at Apollo, Ferragia and is thirty-three allos northeast of Pittsburgh. The plant is housed in a brick and steel building adjacent to the Kiskininetas River. Plant equipment includes bridge, crane and railway and production area. The company also occupies a modern 25,000 square feet of laboratory and production area. The company also occupies a modern 25,000 the headquarters locations. This location is currently the handling work on intensely radioactive materials. It is located on a 58 acre site and facilities there also include the recently constructed buildings for handling plutonium.

Branches: This company has branch activities at lewiston, New York. The physical location at that point is 397 Pletcher Road, Model City, although concern uses the mailing address of Post Office Box 306, Lewiston, New York. At that point, company manufactures isotopes for the Atomic Energy Commission.

Subsidiary

NUMEC (Delaware) has one subsidiary. It is wholly owned NUMEC Instruments and Controls Corporation (NUMECO) located at North 7th and Warren Avenues, Apollo, Fannsylvania. It is a Pennsylvania corporation chartered October 1961 with an authorized capital of 37,500 shares preferred at \$4 ber share and 200,000 shares common, no par value. The company is active as a marketing and sales agent. Statements are not available, relations in the form of loans, advances, guarantees or

Manager Zalman M. Shapiro, Ph. D., President-General

Oscar S. Gray, Vice President

P. E. Cundey, Treasurer W. C.

R-Wade, Assistant Secretary

Leonard P. Pepkowitz, Ph. D., Vice President

R. G. Melson, Secretary

Irwin Becker, Assistant Secretary

Directors: R. D. Bent, Chairman, R. W. Reed, L. M. Richards, H. B. Weaver and Dr. Zalman M. Jhapiro

Management Background

Shapiro born 1920, is married. Completed his formal education in 1948 one holds a B. A. M. A. and Ph. D. Degree from John Hopkins University. Was a research associate at John Hopkins, 1942 to 1946. In 1948 he became employed by Westinghouse Electric Corporation and continued with that organization until 1956. During his employment with Westinghouse, he was supervisor of Zirconium Process Development, manager physical chemistry and chemical control, manager of chemical metallurgy and uranium oxide development and manager reactor 4 esign, P. W. R., Core 2. Shapiro holds four patents on production and has 17 patent disclosures pending. The is a member of the American Chemical Society; A. A. A. S., A. S. M.; 150,000 of life insurance is carried on his life for the benefit of the business. Is Chairman of the Board of NUMEC Instruments and Controls, Corporation, Apollo, Pennsylvania and President of Muclear Decontamination Corporation. He

education in 1943 and holds a B. S. Degree from the University of Minnesota; earned his Fh. D. at Rutgers University. He was employed as assistant chemist of the Rhode Island Experiment Atomic Laboratory; 1945 to 1944 to 1945 chemist Los Alamos Atomic Laboratory. In 1947 the became chemistry, Los Alamos Atomic Laboratory. In 1947 the became employed by Knolls Atomic Power Laboratory and continued business. He served as manager of metallurgical and chemical business. He served as manager of metallurgical and chemical or co-author of over 30 papers and scientific journals as American Chemical Society, A. A. A. S.; New York Academy of is carried on his life for the benefit of the business. He

corporation April 1, 1957. Graduated from Yale College and Yale Law School and holds a B. A. Degree and L. L. B. Degree. From 1951 until becoming associated with this organization, he was a member of the legal advisor office of the and legal matters of this corporation. Sloo, odo of life insurance is carried on his life for the benefit of the Controls Corporation and is Treasurer of Nuclear Decontamination Corporation.

Richfield Company.

Cundey is an official of Atlantic Richfield's Arco Chemical Division and is also the Treasurer of Atlantic Richfield Company.

this company for one and one-half years and had previously worked for three years for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration latterly as planning engineer. Prior Corporation for eight years. Becker is a graduate of the City College of New York, holding a BCHE degree and also holds a MS degree from Columbia University.

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Wade, middle aged, has been connected with the corporation for approximately one and one-half years. Is a local practicing attorney and is not found generally active in the daily affairs of the company.

Bent is a Senior Vice President of Atlantic Richfield and Fresident of Arco Chemical.

Richfield. Reed is Financial Vice President of Atlantic

Richards is President of Atlantic Richfield Hanford Company and Vice President of Arco Chemical Company.

Weaver is Vice President and general counsel of

The records of NY T-1 reflect that no information identifiable with Brylco Industries, Incorporated nor Kuwecki Brylco Industries, Incorporated, both of Reading, Pennsylvania, was located.



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Mr. William T. Riley Director Division of Security Atomic Energy Commission

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NOTE:

Shapiro, long a subject of interest to Atomic Energy Commission (AEC) and Bureau due to his position in nuclear development field and close ties with Israeli Government, has recently assumed a new research position with a firm at Reading, Pennsylvania.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION Washington, D. C. 20535 April 27, 1971

ZALMAN MORDECAI SHAPIRO

The files of the Passport Office, Department of State, reviewed by a Special Agent of the FBI on April 26, 1971, disclose that Zalman Mordecai Shapiro was last issued Passport B-727830 at Philadelphia, Pa., on April 15, 1971 for proposed 8-10 days' travel to England on business. In his application dated March 30, 1971 at Reading, Pa., he stated his intention to depart by air about April 9, 1971. This passport was valid for 5 years' travel to all countries except Cuba, North Korea and North Vietnam.

This individual, who stated that he was born on May 12, 1920 in Ohio, gave his permanent residence and mailing address as 855 North Park Road, Apt. C-304, Wyomissing, Pa., telephone 376-8880. In the event of death or accident, he requested that Evelyn G. Shapiro, his wife, be notified at the home address. He submitted his previous Passport F-753461 issued on June 25, 1965 to be cancelled and returned to him.

The following description appeared in his file:

Height: Hair: Eyes:

Occupation:

Social Security Number:

5 feet 9 inches ... Mixed Brown

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Brown Chemist

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UNITED STATES DETAILED OF JUSTICE FEDERAL BUREAU OF ANVESTIGATION

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania July 3, 1971

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SUBJECT:

DR. ZALMAN MORDECAI SHAFIRO

CHARACTER:

REFERENCE:

Fittsburgh communication dated 1/29/71

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DIRECTOR, FBI (117-2564)

DATE:

7/23/71

P/ITTSBURGH

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SUBJECT:

SHAPIRO ISRAEL / S ATOMIC ENERGY

Re Pittsburgh letter to Bureau, dated 5/17/71, and Philadelphia letter to Bureau, dated 6/30/71.

On 6/16/71, a source, who has furnished reliable information in the past and has knowledge of subject's activities and whose identity is furnished to the Bureau on the non-symbol source page, advised that subject has been employed for approximately three weeks on a consultant basis for Westinghouse Electric Corporation

On 7/15/71, above source advised that as of that date, subject was residing at

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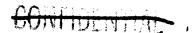
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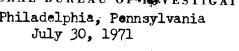




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SUBJECT:

DR. ZALMAN MORDECAI SHAPIRO,

CHARACTER:

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REFERENCE:

Philadelphia communication dated 7/8/71

Referenced communication contained subject's residence and/or employment address. A recent change has been determined and is being set forth below (change only specified):

Residence:

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Employment: Consultant, Westinghouse Electric Corporation, Monroeville Nuclear Center, Pittsburgh, Pa.

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1	BJECT: DR. ZALMAN MORDECAI SHAPIRO IS—ISRAEL (U) ATOMIC ENERGY ACT (U) RE: Pittsburgh letter to Director, 7/23/71.
	The captioned individual has been the subject of a security or racial investigation by this office. The PITTSBURCH Division has verified the permanent presence of the subject in its division as residing and working at the addresses listed below. The PITTSBURCH Division is being
	considered the new Office of Origin.
	Business Address, Name of Employing Concern and Address, Nature of Employment, and Union Affiliation, if any. Residence address
(8)	Consultant,
XX	Westinghouse Electric Corporation Monroeville Nuclear Center
(v)	Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
101	Key Facility Data Geographical Reference Number
	Identification Division Data Check OR note the following applicable statements: A security flash on subject has been PREVIOUSLY placed in FBI #; therefore, copy of this form is designated for Identification Division. A security flash on subject has been PREVIOUSLY placed in Identification Division; however, FBI number is NOT KNOWN. The following information, therefore, is being furnished and a copy of this form is designated for Identification Division.
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	Date and Place of Birth: Fingerprint Classification:
	NOTE: Do NOT designate COPY of FD-128 for Identification Division if FD-165 previously RETURNED to field office because no fingerprints located on subject.
	Check the following applicable statements: This individual is the subject of a XX Security Index Card Reserve Index Card. (The Bureau is requested to make the appropriate changes in the Security Index at the Seat of Government. The PITTSBUFS Division should affix the addresses indicated above and the appropriate case file number.) This subject is tabbed
	Subject is designated a Key Black Extremist. Subject is designated a Key Activist. This subject was carried as a Top Functionary. Handwriting specimens have been furnished to the Bureau.
	A photograph has been furnished to the Bureau. Subject is included in the Black Nationalist Photograph Album (BNPA). The new Office of Origin should submit a new complete FD-432 showing the new address and Office of Origin of subject. Dissemination made Secret Service locally re above information.
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	The following pertinent items are being forwarded to the new Office of Origin with its copies of this letter: Security Index Cards
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DIRECTOR, FBI (117-2564)

DATE: 9/28/71

SAC, PHILADELPHIA

DB. ZALMAN MORDECAI SHAPIRO

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00: Pittsburgh

Reference Philadelphia airtel and LHM to Bureau dated 2/3/71; Pittsburgh FD-128 to Bureau, 1/29/71; and Pittsburgh letter to Bureau, dated 8/17/71.

For the information of Pittsburgh subject was by the Bureau on return of referenced

Subject's reportable activity while in the Philadelphia Division has been reported in a form suitable for dissemination in referenced Philadelphia LHM, a copy of which was submitted to Pittsburgh. The issuance of a passport to subject is recorded in WFO LHM, dated 4/27/71. Pittsburgh has recently verified his residence and employment in that

UACB, in view of the fact all reportable activity by subject during residence and employment in the Philadelphia Division has been reported in a form suitable for dissemination, Philadelphia will not submit an additional report.

It is recommended subject be retained on security index Classified by 566856 (2)Bureau (117-2564) (RM) Declassify on: 2-Pittsburgh **REC 70** 1-Philadelphia DAR:emk (5) R_{NED}SEP 29 1971 HERF!

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advised that ZALMAN MORDECAI SHAFIRO is currently employed for	111-
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Nuclear Energy Center, Westinghouse	
Electric Corporation, Monroeville, Fa. advised SHAPI	
holds no security clearance at Westinghouse and does not have	
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FD-400 (3-6-68) optional form no. 10 may 1962 Edition gsa gen. reg. no. 27 ASSIFICATION AUTHORITY DERIVED FROM: FBI AUTOMATIC DECLASSIFICATION GUIDE DATE 09-05-2017 b6 UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT b7C AemorandumТО Director, FBI (117-2564) 2/15/73 **FROM** TSBURGH b3 b7E SUBJECT: MORDECAL SHAPIRO REFERENCE: FD-4 dated 2/12/73. This letter is submitted in lieu of a report inasmuch as no pertinent data has been developed since date of referenced communication. RESIDENCE: X Subject's employment X residence X remain EMPLOYMENT: Source: b6 b7C Energy Center, Westinghouse Blectric Corp. Subject's employment residence has changed to: Monroeville, b7D Source: ACTIVITY: The following security informants and established sources were contacted on the indicated dates and were unable to furnish any pertinent information regarding subject: Informant Date Contacted Not applicable. Established Source Date Contacted b6 2/14/73 b7C Nuclear Energy Center b7D Westinghouse Electric **Declassify** of Corp., Monroeville, Pa. Enc. 1 Bureau ¹ Pittsburgh DFW/map (2)



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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C. 20535 July 3, 1974



In Reply, Please Refer to
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ZALMAN MORDECAI SHAPIRO

The records of an Agency of the United States Government were reviewed by a Special Agent of the FBI on July 1, 1974, and disclose that Zalman Mordecai Shapiro was last issued Passport E-516375 at New York, New York, on March 9, 1974, for proposed seven-day travel to Israel on emergency (death). In his application dated March 9, 1974, he indicated his departure would be by air. This passport was a limited passport, good until June 8, 1974, issued to replace a lost/stolen passport. In his statement of inability to present previously issued passport, Shapiro indicated that "his wife put it in a safe place and forgot where she placed it."

Shapiro, who stated he was born on May 12, 1920, in Ohio, gave his permanent residence and mailing address as He indicated his last passport to be F-753461.

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The following description appeared in his file:

Height:

5 feet 9 inches

Hair:

Gray-brown

Eyes:

Brown

The file indicated that on June 24, 1974, Shapiro applied for extension of his passport which was granted on June 26, 1974, extending same for June 26, 1974 to March 8, 1979. In his application for extension he gave his residence telephone as and business telephone as 373-4300. A review of his passport showed travel March 10, 1974 to Israel; departure from Israel on March 17, 1974; and arrival in New York, New York, on March 17, 1974.

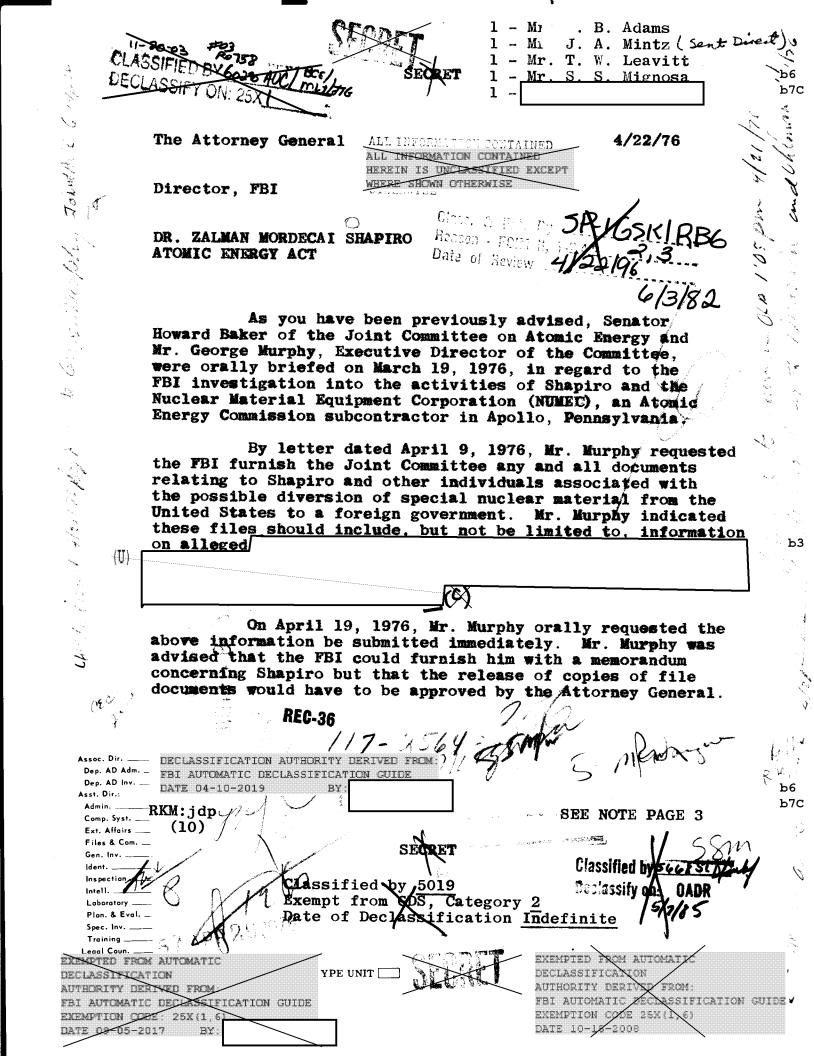
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The Attorney General

Consequently, the attached memorandum and copies of pertinent file documents are being submitted to you for review and determination concerning the release of this memorandum and pertinent documents to George Murphy of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy.

This Bureau suggests you forward the attached memorandum to Mr. Murphy but we are concerned about releasing copies of investigative file documents to the Joint Committee. This release of our documents has not been done in the past and it is believed that if done in this instance it will establish a precedent. The only exceptions to this have been the documents provided the Senate and House Intelligence Committees.

It is noted that the request for file copies of FBI documents were not received from the Chairman or from members of the Joint Committee but from George Murphy the Executive Director.

For the information of the Attorney General the attached documents

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Enclosures

- 1 The Deputy Attorney General (Enclosure)
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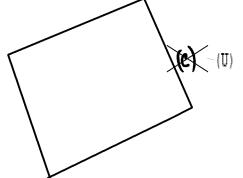
Senator Baker has expressed extreme interest in this

and Mr. Murphy, upon their requests, were orally briefed of the FBI investigations of Shapiro and NUMEC.

Mr. Murphy therefore has requested copies of FBI file documents be furnished to the Committee. The Legal Counsel Division on 4/19/76, advised Mr. Murphy that a LHM concerning this material would be furnished to him but the release of copies of file documents would have to be approved by the Attorney General.

The attached memorandum and pertinent file documents are therefore being furnished the Attorney General for his review and appropriate action in accordance with instructions of the Legal Counsel Division as set forth in their memorandum to Mr. J. B. Adams, dated 4/19/76.

and one The original of the LHM is being furnished the Attorney General with copies to the Deputy Attorney General and the Assistant Attorney General-Legislative Affairs.



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DR. ZALMAN MORDECAI SHAPIRO ATOMIC ENERGY ACT

The Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) has conducted two investigations of Dr. Shapire. The first investigation was prompted by the Atomic Energy Commission (AEC) advising this Bureau in 1965 that the Muclear Materials Equipment Corporation (NUMEC), an AEC subcontractor in Apollo, Pennsylvania, was negotiating with the Government of Israel to establish a joint company in Israel to be known as Israeli NUMEC Isotopes and Radiation Enterprises (ISCRAD), Limited. The firm was to engage in the irradiation of citrus fruit. Poroign Agents Registration Act investigation was initiated to determine if Shapiro was acting as an agent of the Israeli Government in the United States. During the course of this investigation, Shapiro was interviewed. He claimed his close relationship with the Israeli Government was strictly a business matter.

The results of this investigation were furnished to the Justice Department. In September, 1966, the Justice Department advised that the activities of Shapiro and MUNEC did not fall under the purview of the Foreign Agents Registration Act.

In February, 1966, the AEC advised there were indications that NUMEC was lax in the management of nuclear materials. Since April, 1957, AEC had made extensive internal technical checks at NUMEC and had reported the situation to the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy (JCAE). The Joint Committee was told by AEC on February 14, 1966, that in the absence of evidence or suspicion of a violation of the law. AEC had

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According to AEC, NUMEC received 1,012 kilograms of uranium-235 from AEC to process into fuel elements for nuclear reactors for space propulsion. This subcontract was completed on October 31, 1964. In April, 1965, an AEC inventory indicated a loss, fixed by a later ABC check in November, 1965, at 61 kilograms valued at \$764,000. In addition, a survey of the plant's operations since 1957 revealed that NUMEC had experienced a total cumulative loss on all AEC subcontracts of 178 kilograms, all but 61 of which AEC considered properly accounted for by normal processing losses. AEC was unable to say unequivocally that theft or diversion of the 61 kilograms had not taken place, but AEC believed that NUMEC consistently underestimated its processing losses and that the loss of the 61 kilograms charged to the latest subcontract actually reported an accumulation of losses over an 8-year period. AEC pointed out, however, that because the NUMEC records system was not then so set up, no determination could be made as to when the various losses occurred or whether material provided for the latest subcontract was used knowingly or inadvertently, to offset losses on other contracts. 34

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The FBI advised ARC on March 1, 1966, that the FBI had given full consideration to this matter and that under the circumstances presented by AEC, the FBI did not intend to assume any investigative responsibility; however, it was requested that AEC advise the FBI of any further developments coming to its attention concerning this matter which would indicate there had been a violation within FBI jurisdiction.

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The investigation, which included the use of sensitive sources, determined that Shapiro had a very strong personal sympathy for the Israeli cause. His immediate circle of friends included a number of persons known to be active or ardent sympathizers with the Israeli cause. Shapiro was a close personal friend of David Lowenthal, a former Freedom Fighter for Israel,

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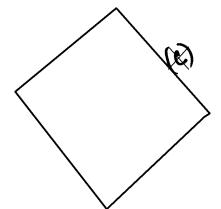
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Raychord Corporation in Apollo, Pennsylvania. Lowenthal is also an officer of Apollo Industries in Pittsburgh, a company which was instrumental in establishing NUMEC through investment of a substantial amount of money in NUMEC stock. The investigation also determined that Shapiro made a number of visits to Israel where he was treated with consideration that exceeded what his position would normally call for.

Several sources advised that Shapiro felt so strongly for the Israeli cause that he seriously considered emigrating to that country Shapiro was active in fund raising and bond drives and was a heavy contributor to activities on behalf of Israel in the United States.



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It was also established that Shapiro was acquainted with Avrahan Hermoni, Scientific Attache of the Israeli Embassy in Washington, D. C. On November 3, 1968, apparently at the request of Hermoni, Shapiro arranged a meeting at his home which was attended by 11 United States scientific and technical people, some of whom in the past have been associated with the AEC program. During this meeting Hermoni apparently requested that each of the individuals undertake certain information gathering assignments on behalf of Israel. Further investigation was unable to determine whether any of the information requested or subsequently passed by any of those individuals involved classified information. Hermoni was assigned to the Israeli Ministry of Defense and specifically assigned weapon production responsibility.

In September, 1968, Colonel Avraham Eylonie, a senior official of Israel's Military Intelligence Service, was in the United States and had several meetings with Shapiro in Apollo, Pennsylvania, and Washington, D. C.

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June, 1970. In January, 1972, Shapiro was employed as the Assistant in Charge of the Breeder Reactor Division, AEC, Westinghouse Electric Corporation, Monroeville, Pennsylvania. He held no security clearance and did not have access to classified materials. By letter dated April 15, 1969, the Department of Justice advised that based on the results of the FBI investigation conducted to date, the facts of the matter were not such as to warrant action against Shapiro.

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Reference is made to my memorandum of 4/22/76, at which time a summary memorandum of the FEI's investigation concerning captioned matter was furnished to you for approval and forwarding to the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy. In accordance with your decision as communicated to of this Eureau by ________ of your office, the summary memorandum was delivered to George Murphy, Executive Director of the aforementioned committee at 6:14 p.m., 4/21/76.

With regard to the other documents furnished to you by referenced memorandum. I remain opposed to furnishing such material to the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, however, if you should decide to furnish documents, it will be necessary that certain excisions be made.

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Employment

Mr. Shapiro held numerous part-time jobs between the years of 1937 and 1941. Beginning in June, 1942, and ending in June, 1946, Mr. Shapiro was employed as a research associate at Johns Hopkins University. From June, 1946, through February, 1948, he was a Junior Instructor at the University. From August, 1948, to February, 1949, when he applied for his clearance, he was employed as an engineer at Westinghouse Electrical Corporation, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Marital Status

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Interviews

Dr. Walter Patrick, Chemistry Department, Johns Hopkins University, advised in 1949 that he had known Mr. Shapiro for about six years and that the applicant had studied and conducted research work directly under him for about two years prior to 1948. Dr. Patrick considered Mr. Shapiro to be an excellent chemist and well-mannered, of excellent moral stability and throughly He stated that the applicant was a loyal American reliable. citizen and is anti-communist. He stated Mr. Shapiro's political views agreed with many of the opinions expressed by the progressive citizens of America as opposed to the views of the more conservative political parties. Dr. Patrick advised that Mr. Shapiro could be trusted with confidential data. He stated that Mr. Shapiro had performed valuable work on a confidential research project during the war and had done an excellent job.

Dr. Richard Evans, Catalyst Research Corporation, Falls Road, Maryland, advised in 1949 that he had worked with Mr. Shapiro on a confidential research project for the government at Johns Hopkins University from July, 1942, until

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July, 1946. Dr. Evans stated he had trusted Mr. Shapiro with the most confidential data. Dr. Evans believed Mr. Shapiro to be entirely loyal and trustworthy and stated Mr. Shapiro associated with persons of reputable character at the University. Dr. Evans recommended Mr. Shapiro most highly for a position of trust and responsibility.

Eighteen additional persons, consisting of neighbors, references, professional associates and social acquaintances were interviewed. They commented favorably concerning his character, loyalty, reputation, associates and morals. They recommended him for a position of trust and confidence with the U. S. Government.

Those persons acquainted with his close relatives described them as reputable and loyal individuals.

Close Relatives

Mr. Shapiro's parents, Abraham and Minnie, were born in Poland and became citizens of the United States. In 1949, Abraham Shapiro was deceased. In addition to his wife mentioned previously. Mr. Shapiro, in 1949, had a sister, Zipparah Shapiro,

Credit and Arrest Checks

Information was received from appropriate credit reporting agencies indicating their files contained either no record or no additional pertinent information concerning Mr. Shapiro.

Information was received from appropriate law enforcement agencies indicating their files contained no information concerning Mr. Shapiro or his close relatives.

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Miscellaneous

In filling out the personal security questionnaire in 1949, Mr. Shapiro indicated that he was a member of the Independent Citizens Committee of the Arts, Sciences and Professionals from 1946 to 1947. It is noted that the "Guidelines to Subversive Organizations and Publications" prepared and released by the Congressional Committee on Un-American Activities in May, 1951, cited the Independent Citizens Committee of the Arts, Sciences and Professionals as a communist front organization.

On August 10, 1953, an Atomic Energy Act employee re-investigation of Shapiro was instituted at the request of the Atomic Energy Commission. This investigation was to bring the original applicant investigation up to date. The results of this investigation are as follows:

Employment

Mr. Shapiro began employment at the Atomic Power Division of the Westinghouse Electrical Corporation at West Mifflin, Pennsylvania, on March 1, 1949, and as of October, 1953, he was still employed there. He had previously been employed at the Westinghouse Research Laboratories, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Interviews

Nine persons, consisting of neighbors, professional associates, acquaintances and references were interviewed. These individuals recommended Mr. Shapiro highly for any position of trust. In general, they advised that Mr. Shapiro and his wife were of excellent character and reputation and they knew of no questionable associates or associations and believed Mr. Shapiro to be a loyal American. One individual commented that Mr. Shapiro was not the type to have anything to do with communism or subversive organizations.

Credit and Arrest Checks

Information was received from appropriate credit reporting and law enforcement agencies that indicated there was no derogatory information contained in their files in regard to Mr. Shapiro.

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Original and one copy were furnished to the Attorney General, one copy to the Deputy Attorney General and one copy to the Assistant Attorney General, Office of Legislative Affairs.

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An Atomic Energy Act Applicant investigation was instituted on February 24, 1949, in accordance with the provisions of the Atomic Energy Act of 1946. This investigation concerned the character, associates and loyalty of Er. Shapiro.

Mr. Shapiro had applied to the Atomic Energy Commission for a security clearance on the basis of his contemplated employment as a Research Engineer at Westinghouse Electrical Corporation, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

The investigation of Shapiro revealed the following:

Birth and Citizenship

Mr. Shapiro was born on May 12, 1920, in Ohio, and is a United States citizen.

Education

Mr. Shapiro attended Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Maryland, beginning on September 22, 1938, as a candidate for an AB Degree. He received his degree on June 2, 1942. He re-entered the University as a graduate student in the chemistry department on October 18, 1943. He received his MA Degree in chemistry November 5, 1945. He continued at the University as a graduate student and received his Ph.D in chemistry on June 8, 1948.



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Enclosed for your review prior to transmittal Mr. George Murphy, Executive Director of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, is a summary memorandum of the Federal Dureau of Investigation Atomic Energy Act Applicant investigation conducted of Dr. Shapire in 1949 and 1953.

Please advise this Bureau if you furnish this memorandum to Mr. Murphy.

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At a meeting on 4/23/76, between the Director and the Attorney General, it was decided that the enclosed LHM be submitted to George Murphy of the Joint Committee.

Murphy had requested the FBI investigative reports regarding the FBI applicant investigation of Shapiro conducted in 1949 and 1953. It was decided at the above-mentioned meeting that in lieu of FBI investigative reports, the summary memorandum would

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On 5/3/76, Special Agent Liaison Officer contacted Mr. Robert E. Tharp, Deputy Director, Division of Safeguards and Security, ERDA, on the Secure Voice System in connection with captioned matter. Mr. Tharp was advised that the FBI at the specific instructions of the Attorney General was conducting investigation of captioned individual regarding possible diversion of special nuclear material from the Nuclear Material and Equipment Corporation (NUMEC) involving possible violation of the Atomic Energy Act or other applicable Federal statutes.

In connection with the above investigation, Tharpe was asked to furnish the current title and location of the below indicated former elements of Atomic Energy Commission (AEC) having records of to the Shapiro matter. It should be noted that on Public Law 93-438 (the Energy Reorganization Act abolished the AEC replacing it with ERDA and NRC. indicated by the names of the new Agencies, ERDA continue with research and development concerning and other sources of power while NRC was to take over matters of licensing nuclear reactors and controlling the disposition of radioactive wastes.

Tharp advised that the former AEC Division of Compliance is now the Inspection and Enforcement Division of NRC and the AEC Division of Licensing and Regulation is currently an element of NRC, the title of which was unknown to Tharp (review of ERDA organization chart indicated this former AEC component appears to be the Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation). The former AEC Office of Safeguards

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and Material Management as well as the AEC Division of Security, Tharp noted have been merged into the current ERDA Division of Safeguards and Security located at Germantown, Maryland. The AEC Office of the Controller is now part of ERDA also located at Germantown, Maryland, and the AEC Office of General Counsel is currently an element of ERDA, part of which is located in Germantown, Maryland, and part at the Washington, D. C., Headquarters of ERDA at 20 Massachusetts Avenue, Northwest. Tharp added that records of the Office of the General Counsel pertinent to this inquiry would be located at Germantown, Maryland. Tharp advised SA that any files in ERDA's possession germane to this investigation would be promptly made available to the FBI and, on behalf of ERDA, pledged full and complete cooperation.

The above information was promptly furnished wing the Secure Voice System to Supervisor of WFO who advised SA that he planned to promptly dispatch two Agents to FRDA to review those files still within its possession.

In view of the foregoing and in the absence of a Secure Voice System at NRC, Liaison Officer during the afternoon of 5/3/76, personally contacted Mr. Lee V. Gossick, Executive Director for Operations, NRC, 7920 Norfolk Avenue, Bethesda, Maryland. Mr. Gossick was advised that at the specific request of the Attorney General, the FBI is conducting an investigation of Zalman Mordechai Shapiro and possible diversion of nuclear material from NUMEC. Mr. Gossick advised that he did not know how much information concerning this matter would be in the possession of NRC but noted that in his opinion the

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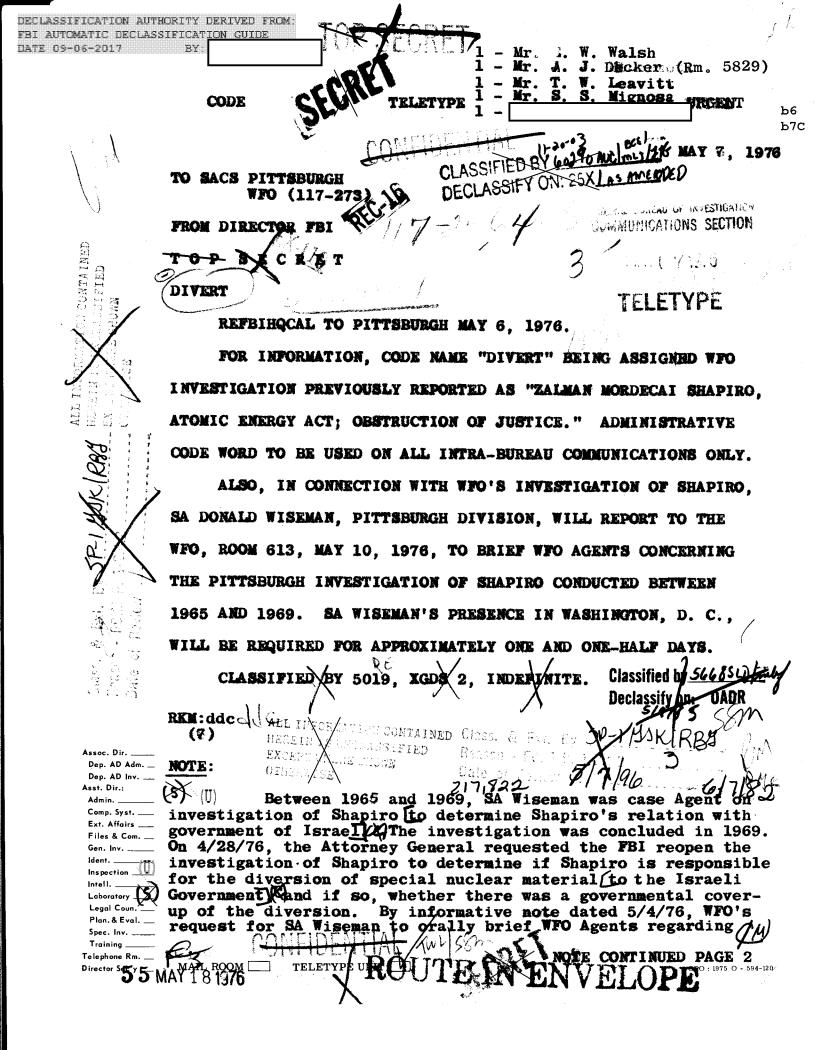
two men most familiar with the Shapiro/NUMEC situation would be Kenneth R. Chapman, Director, Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards, 7735 Old Georgetown Road, Bethesda, Maryland, and Mr. Harold D. Thornburg, Acting Director, Office of Inspection and Enforcement, 4350 East-West Highway, Bethesda, Maryland. Mr. Gossick pledged complete NRC cooperation with the FBI

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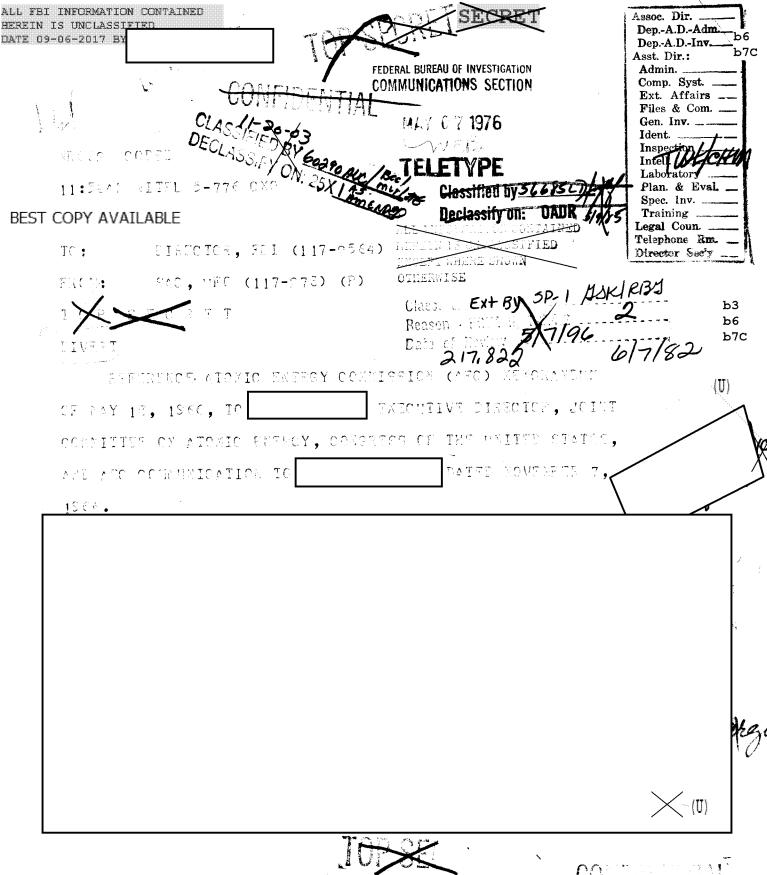
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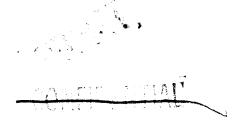
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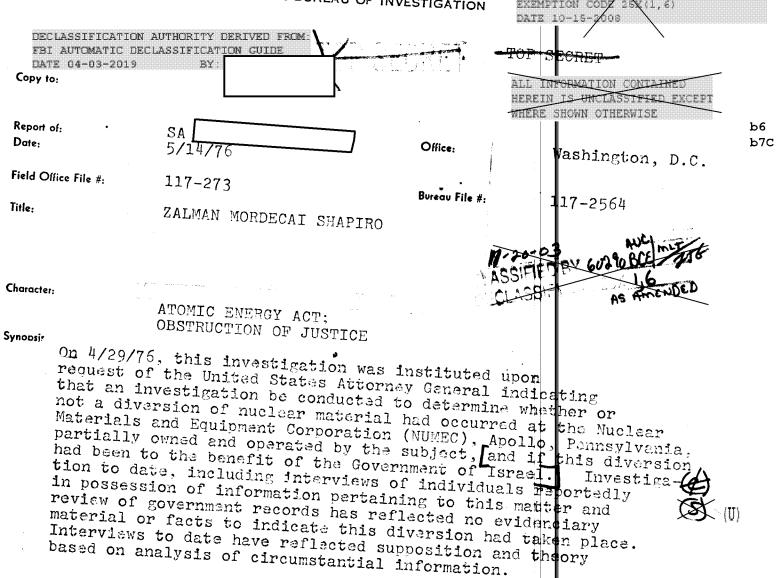
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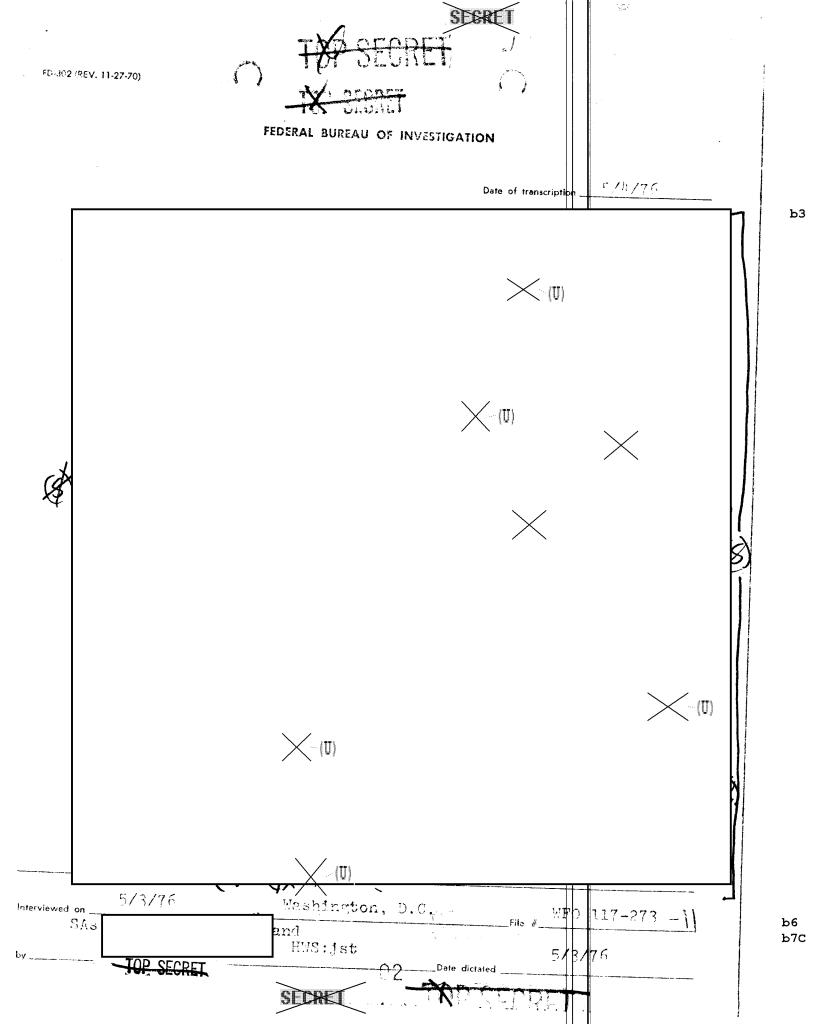
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The Attorney General of the United States requested that an investigation be conducted pertaining to the question of whether or not a diversion of nuclear material had taken place at the Nuclear Materials and Equipment Corporation (NUMEC), Apollo, Pennsylvania, partially operated and owned by the subject, ZALMAN MORDECAT SHAPIRO, and if this diversion had been for the benefit of the Government of Israel Investigation was initiated on April 29, 1976

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On May 3, 1976, ROBERT E. THARP, Deputy Director of Safeguards and Security, Energy Research and Development Agency (ERDA), furnished the following information to who had identified themselves to THARP as Special Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI):

The Nuclear Materials and Equipment Corporation (NUMEC) was founded by ZALMAN MORDECAI SHAPIRO at a time when the Atomic Energy Commission (AEC) was attempting to interest industry in the manufacture of nuclear fuel rods. As part of the inducement to manufacturers, the AEC excercised very little control over the handling of material and over physical security. There was no resident on-site inspection or audit and what inspections and audits were conducted were conducted infrequently. In addition to NUMEC there were a number of other manufacturers under contract to the AEC for the production of nuclear fuel rods, but most of the other firms held only one contract at a time. NUMEC was possibly the only firm at that time to have a series of overlapping contracts spanning several years. In each contract of the NUMEC type let by the AEC there was a provision that the manufacturer must return 100% of the material provided by the government. Loss of material is inherent in the production of the U-235 used in the fabrication of the nuclear fuel rod and at the time a bid is made on the contract the manufacturer is aware of financial penalties imposed for any loss of Presumably, loss of material and the consequent material. financial penalty exacted was taken into account in the bidding. When the average contracter completed his contract, the material not lost in production was returned to the AEC and the contractor paid for any loss of material. It was the opinion of AEC that in the case of NUMEC, because that corporation held a series of overlapping contracts, it would have been possible for the firm, when completing one contract, to return to the AEC the full amount of material called for by the contract. This could have been accomplished by borrowing material from the following and overlapping contract. It is felt by AEC that this was apparently done over a series of contracts and over a span of years. In any event, when

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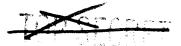
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NUMEC completed its final contract it had no follow-on contract material to borrow from and NUMEC had to admit to a serious shortage of material which it paid for under the terms of the last contract. THARP was unaware as to whether NUMEC may have returned 100% of the material on all but the last contract; whether it may have paid for only minimal losses or just how the loss discovered at the conclusion of the final contract was accrued.

SHAPIRO was interviewed by representatives of the AEC concerning the lost material but he made no admission to indicate that he was juggling material from one contract to another. He merely attributed the loss to the fact that the loss contained in the waste material had been underestimated. He had to concede that the loss had to have occurred over a number of contracts and could not have been attributed solely to his final contract.

THARP advised that SHAPIRO actually developed the process used by industry for the manufacture of nuclear fuel and is of the opinion that when AEC conducted an examination of NUMEC's performance it was found that the shortage of material experienced by NUMEC over the years and over the span of its contracts was more or less in line with that experienced by other manufacturers under contract to AEC at that time.

THARP considers that no diversion of material took place because SHAPIRO could not have accomplished it alone. THARP feels that a successful diversion of material would have required a conspiracy of considerable magnitude extending through a number of departments of NUMEC.

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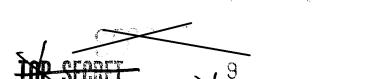
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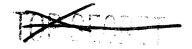
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THARP displayed to the interviewing Agents five boxes of material which he stated consists primarily of the







complete AEC investigation of NUMEC with supporting documents. He noted that much of the material in the five boxes was of a highly technical nature and said that Agents may require the assistance of a man trained in the field of nuclear fuel for its full understanding

THARP noted that a personnel and security file maintained on SHAPIRO is now in possession of the Congressional Joint Committee on Atomic Energy. It will be made available for review upon its return

THARP continued that he has also recently furnished to the White House two black loose leaf books containing an overall unclassified summary and fact sheet involving the situation regarding NUMEC. Also contained in this material are thirty-three letters through which the AEC reported on the matter to the Congressional Joint Committee on Atomic Energy. Also furnished to the White House by THARP were three red covered books containing a summary survey report of AEC interviews with former and current employees of NUMEC; a report on all overseas shipments of U-235 and a copy of the SHAPIRO interview conducted in August of 1969 by a representative of the Division of Security and the General Counsel Office of AEC

THARP also noted that there were two General Accounting Office reports made on the "NUMEC matter". In the presence of interviewing Agents, THARP initiated inquiries with the following offices of ERDA for the purpose of determining what, if any, files are available through those offices concerning the NUMEC matter:

Office of Internal Review and Audit, Office of the General Counsel, Office of the Controller and the Contracts Division.

On May 4, 1976, recontact was made with Mr. THARP at which time the following was determined. He has not had a full response from inquiries initiated by him the previous day directed at locating additional files relating to NUMEC, possibly held by ERDA. However, certain additional files have been located and he specifically noted that all contracts executed between the AEC and NUMEC are in the possession of ERDA. They have been located and will be made available for review.



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On May 7, 1976, THOMAS JAMES HAYCOCK, JR., Assistant Director for Information Support, Division of Safeguards and Security, Energy Research and Development Agency (ERDA), advised as follows:

He is familiar with the investigation of Nuclear Material and Equipment Corporation (NUMEC) conducted by the Atomic Energy Commission (AEC) in the 1960s, although he was b3 not a member of the AEC staff conducting the investigation. $\{U\}$ In 1962 he was the second United States citizen to visit the Israeli reactor at Dimona, Israel. At that time he was given a tour of the facility, including a tour of the building under construction next to the reactor itself. b3 On arriving back in the United States [following $\{U\}$ his tour of Dimonal he wrote a trip report b3 5/7/76 Germantown, Maryland File # WFO 117-273 Interviewed on SAs b6 and

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As regards NUMEC, it is his feeling that NUMEC's losses of U-235 compared favorably with U-235 losses from other facilities involved in the same type of work at the same time.

In support of this contention he provided the two documents from ERDA files showing losses of U-235 suffered by NUMEC and other privately owned companies from 1957-1966 and 1966-1968 which are attached.

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5/13/76 Date of transcription... 1 **b**3 On May 11. 1976. JAMES T. ANGLETON, a former official of the Central Intelligence Agency (CIA), advised as follows after having been advised that the inquiry of him was being conducted at (U)the request of the Attorney General in connection with an investigation [Mr. ANGLETON made the following statement at the "In connection with the sensational period from December, 1974, to my way of thinking, the President of the United States was totally delinquent in separating the executive from the legislature (sic), and I feel very strongly that he has jeopardized in the process, together with COLBY (WILLIAM COLBY, former Director of the CIA), sources and methods, that he has not made a constitutional issue of CHURCH's (Senator FRANK CHURCH) and PIKE's (Representative OTIS G. PIKE) inquiries, and that he has done undue harm to (U)this country which will not be recovered for many years to come, and therefore I feel that the Attorney Gereral's request is to me one that causes me deep concern whether, in fact, it will be kept secret and whether he is acting responsibly in this matter . . . I am very suspicious of any inquiry that comes up on any subject from the Administration at this date." Mr. ANGLETON suggested that in its possible He continued: "I personally cannot evaluate the reports which were received on this "Pennsylvania business" (a prior case concerning Nuclear Materials and Equipment Corporation at Apollo, Pennsylvania). In fact, I don't know whether I can evaluate from my own knowledge any of the reports." Mr. ANGLETON suggested at this point that was Mr. ANGLETON's be contacted at CIA inasmuch as principal case officer on this matter and in all scientific and technical matters. Mr. ANGLETON related that information concerning the subject matter in question usually was hand carried to then CIA Director RICHARD HELMS and from there 5/11/76 Interviewed on b6 and SAs b7C jst This document contains neither recommendations nor conclusions of the FBI. It is the property of the FBI and is loaned in your agency;

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probably to Mr. CARL DUCKETT. This type of information was considered "high grade." Mr. ANGLETON added: "I had no way of evaluating it as my experience which was very limited technically is that you cannot account for waste materials. In other words, the controls are very poor in terms of what they do when a material has been used and refined; the accountability factor has been very remiss. From what I have heard, the procedures are not firm or concrete. The accountability is a question mark. Whether 'the thing' is being used by any foreign power—all I can say is it would'nt surprise me. I cannot evaluate the reports which were generated on the acquisition of nuclear material.

Mr. ANGLETON also referred to a recent item in "The New York Times" to the effect that Israel during the "Yom Kippur War" had thirteen bombs assembled and loaded onto aircraft. Mr. ANGLETON commented: "I find this totally false. It's not conceivable! It goes against everything! This would have been tantamount to destroying the state.' He indicated that because of the timing of that article it raises the whole question of disinformation on a broad basis. He then referred to articles in recent issues of "Penthouse" magazine in which the article's author, TAD SZULC, reported that Mr. ANGLETON had conspired with Israeli Intelligence before the "Six-day War" to assassinate NASSER (former President of Egypt) and do a number of other things and had also aided Israel in acquiring a nuclear weapons capability. Mr. ANGLETON observed: "I think it's a concerted propaganda business of disruption. It certainly would serve the Soviet purpose--the KGB--to get these stories all out which isolate Israel more and more with the United States in a conspiracy.

Mr. ANGLETON commented further: "As to the Pennsylvania case, it's exotic. It boggles the imagination, because this would be an act of the State which, if discovered, could probably break the relationship with the United States—an act with so much political significance. I find this extraordinary. I find that politically, I personally feel, that this would be a risk factor that could not take place without the personal approval of the Prime Minister."

Mr. ANGLETON also made the following observations:
"They have some of the finest nuclear brains in the world.
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in Africa. It would not surprise me that they would get the bomb. It is inconceivable to me that any Prime Minister, starting with BEN GURION, would not have developed at the highest priority the ultimate weapon in terms of the ultimate security of the State, and therefore, without reference to the reports, I would have projected, knowing these people, that they had acquired some as the ultimate weapon. But what bothers me in the whole thing is the lack of confirmation

Mr. ANGLETON commented that he did not feel there was anything which prevented a thorough investigation by the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) when it was investigating the "Pennsylvania matter" several years ago. He made the observation that from an investigative standpoint, the time is too late for an investigation. "Too much water has gone over the dam on this." He said that "except for the files" he has certain misgivings about the reliability of the basic information in this matter.





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Furthermore. reported that his conclusions regarding this case actually amounted available data, and he contended it involved a sound judgement. He acknowledged that he was unable to separate in his own mind the various sources of information in this matter because of the lapse of time involved: however, he recalled he gained much of his insight

straight to the President with this information; however, he was never apprised of the results of this contact.

 $\{IJ\}$ advised that to put this whole thing in proper perspective it was necessary to understand certain events He related

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plant known as NUMEC (Nuclear Materials and Equipment Corporation) which was the first laboratory to handle materials suitable for nuclear weapons. It was the first civilian unit so authorized.

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Furthermore, he recalled there was a suspicious fire at NUMEC which destroyed records of inventories of nuclear materials at NUMEC during the period in question. In addition, he believed the financing of NUMEC was a questionable area in that the setting up of a plant such as NUMEC is an extremely expensive undertaking, and there was the incident when NUMEC was penalized approximately one million dollars by the United States Government for the unexplained loss of an unrecalled quantity of U-235. Who was the source of this money?

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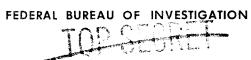
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never able to get AEC to reopen their investigation into the loss at NUMEC. He stated was the highest AEC official with whom he personally met and regarded as a fine man who he felt was following orders.

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WFO 117-273 staff, and was working as a consultant to Representative FRANK HORTON from New York. Further, he furnished home address as recalled that doggedly pursued the investigation at NUMEC because he had strong feelings there could be a diversion involved. However, at no time did furnish him anything to hang his hat on. He remarked that if there would have been the slightest evidence of a diversion he would have pushed for a vigorous investigation. Also, he reported that at the time of the JCAE probe, the AEC Safeguards Group was inspecting SHAPIRO's operation regarding licensing arrangements because NUMEC was then dealing in government materials. He was unable to recall the specific nature of these contracts but was aware they were United States Navy contracts calling for the fabrication of nuclear fuel elements. He added that a residue loss is inherent in an operation of this nature, and there is always a dispute on the Normal Operating Loss (NOL) figures attributed to such a process. remembered there was an inability to account for this loss at NUMEC, but no hard evidence surfaced which pointed to any diversion. In this regard, he stated he had no first-hand knowledge of the situation at NUMEC; however, he was very interested in it at the time. He personally suspected that the loss at NUMEC involved a "kiting" operation rather than an actual theft, but he did not have facts to support this. With respect to the "kiting", he pointed out that NUMEC was involved in a number of overlapping contracts; consequently, any shortages could be made up by receiving credit for material he did not use in connection with another contract. The only way this loss could finally be pinned down would be to shut down the plant completely and conduct

Additionally, advised he was casually aquainted with Dr. ZALMAN SHAPIRO, and his last personal meeting with him occurred approximately one week ago. This meeting was in connection with an organization known as Americans for Energy Independence (AEI) for which SHAPIRO is a primary fund raiser. He stated SHAPIRO's current employer, the Westinghouse Electric Corporation, assigned SHAPIRO to this position.

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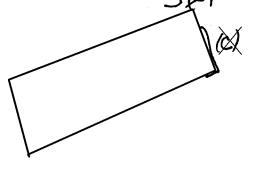
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KENNETH R. CHAPMAN, Director, Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards, Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC), Suite 10718, 7735 Old Georgetown Road, Bethesda, Maryland, furnished the following information:

He retired as a Major General from the United
States Air Force and joined NRC about one year ago. He
stated that he possessed no independent information concerning
ZALMAN MORDECAI SHAPIRO or the Nuclear Materials and Equipment
Corporation (NUMEC) of Apollo, Pennsylvania. However, he
was present durng a briefing conducted in the first part of
February, 1976, by CARL DUCKET, described as Number Three Man
at the Central Intelligence Agency, concerning
NUMEC. Present at this briefing had been the five NRC
Commissioners, as well as BENJAMIN HUBER, Director, Office
of Policy Evaluation, NRC, and CARL H. BUILDER, Director,
Division of Safeguards, NRC. Information was furnished at
the briefing concerning an alleged "tie-in" between NUMEC and
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HAROLD D. THORNBURG, Acting Deputy, Director, Office of Inspection and Enforcement, Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC), Room 321-C, 4350 East West Highway, Bethesda, Maryland, furnished the following information:

From 1960 to 1963, he served as a Reactor Inspector at the Atomic Energy Commission (AEC) Headquarters, Germantown, Maryland.

From 1963 to 1971, he served as a Senior Reactor Inspector for AEC Region 3, Glen Ellyn, Illinois.

From 1971 to the present, he served at AEC Headquarters and NRC Headquarters.

He stated he had never been briefed and possessed no personal or independent information concerning ZALMAN MORDECAI SHAPIRO and the Nuclear Materials and Equipment Corporation (NUMEC) of Apollo, Pennsylvania.

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RALPH G. PAGE, Deputy Director, Division of Safeguards, Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC), 7735 Old Georgetown Road, Bethesda, Maryland, furnished the following information:

He commenced employment for the Atomic Energy Commission (AEC) in 1955 at Oak Ridge, Tennessee. During the period from 1962 to 1967, he had been Chief of the Enforcement Branch of the Division of State and Licensee Relations, which was a part of the Regulatory Organization of AEC, at AEC Headquarters, Germantown, Maryland. During this period he had read the results of AEC reports reporting the loss of about 100 kilograms of U-235 by the Nuclear Materials and Equipment Corporation (NUMEC), Apollo, Pennsylvania, in 1965, as well as reports of AEC investigations concerning this loss and other losses by NUMEC. Prior to 1965, AEC had no safeguards to protect against such losses, except for AEC Manual Chapter requirements in contracts. He stated that AEC investigations had developed no evidence that NUMEC losses involved an actual theft or diversion of U-235. Further, subsequent continuing losses by NUMEC and succeeding firms using the NUMEC plant, as well as losses suffered by the Nuclear Fuel Services plant in Erwin, Tennessee, have indicated that the losses were possibly due to the uniqueness of these two plants. Neither plant was originally designed for the nuclear operations being conducted there and both are conducting similar operations using gaseous diffusion techniques in recovering U-235 from scrap which also involve similar problems. (\$) wy problems 6/6/85 5668 560/mby 6/7/85

PAGE stated he possessed no personal or independent information concerning ZALMAN MORDECAI SHAPIRO or NUMEC which would offer evidence to contradict earlier AEC investigative results.

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GEORGE MURPHY, Jr., Executive Director, Joint Committee on Atomic Energy (JCAE), was interviewed in his office in the Capitol by Special Agents (SAs) who had identified themselves as SAs of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI).

MURPHY proceeded to relate the background and a brief history of the "SHAPRIO-NUMEC" case from about November, 1965, on as he knew it from information provided him or the JCAE by the Atomic Energy Commission (AEC) in 1966 and from information set out in a 1967 General Accounting Office (GAO) report on that subject, and he referred the interviewing agents to pertinent AEC and GAO reports for further detailed information.

MURPHY suggested that the following individuals employed by the AEC in the mid 1960s be contacted for further possible information of relevance in the matter in question:

MURPHY advised further that neither he nor anyone on the JCAE staff had conducted prior independent investigations in the SHAPIRO-NUMEC matter. He reiterated that all information known to him came from AEC or GAO reports or from the above-mentioned AEC officials. He indicated he had no current information to provide the FBI to assist it in its current inquiry.

MURPHY stated further that he had no concrete evidence which would indicate any possible diversion of any nuclear materials from NUMEC or any other facility. With reference to the possibility that there might have been interference from any source whatsoever which might have influenced or limited prior investigations in the SHAPIRO-NUMEC case, MURPHY replied that "he had no specific knowledge or even basis for speculation concerning any possible curtailment of the previous investigation conducted concerning NUMEC."

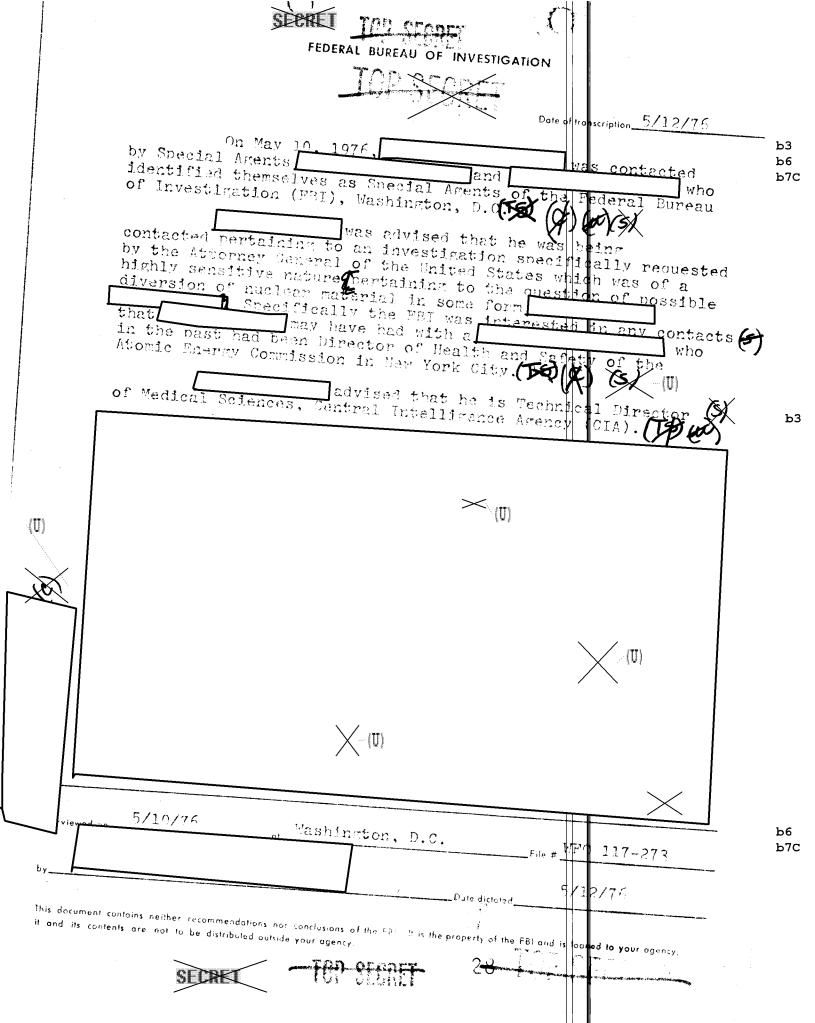
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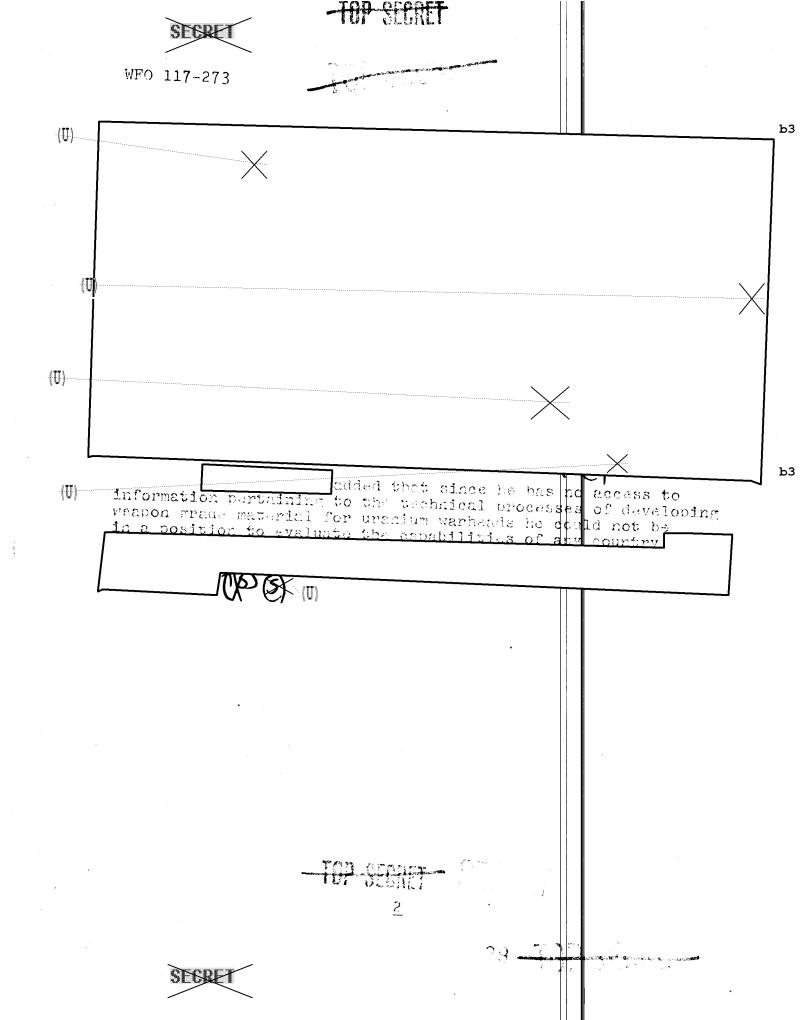
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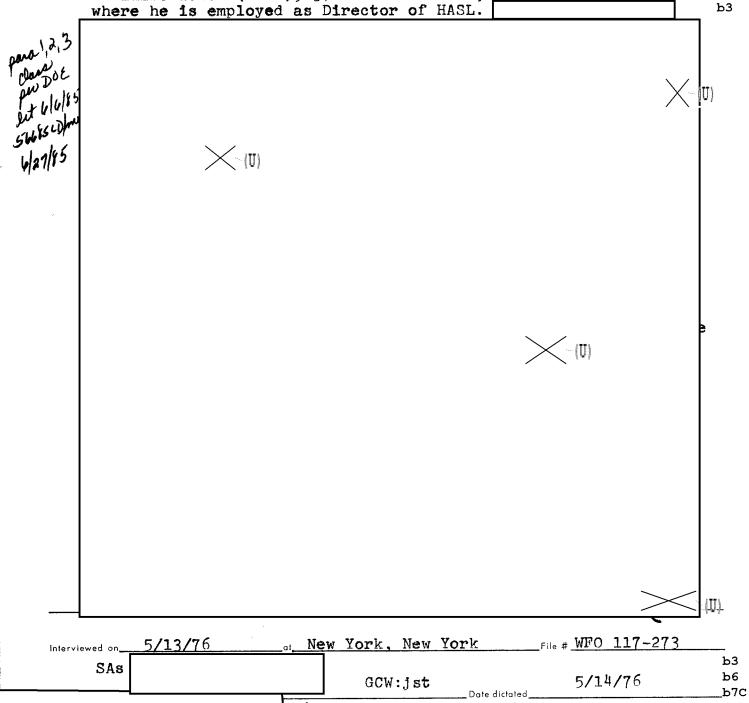


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Dr. JOHN H. HARLEY was contacted at the Health and Safety Laboratory (HASL), Energy Research and Development Administration (ERDA), 376 Hudson Street, New York, New York, where he is employed as Director of HASL.



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Dr. HARLEY advised he did not make a report of this matter to the Atomic Energy Commission (AEC) Headquarters in Washington, and did not receive any instructions or pressures to do so. He remembered this matter did come to the attention of their Chief of Security at HASL then, HARRY WALSH, during the normal course of business. He believed this notification to WALSH actually resulted when WALSH reviewed the visitor logs and desired to know the nature of this visit, which is a routine inquiry. Dr. HARLEY advised the did not personally consult WALSH regarding this matter.

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Also, Dr. HARLEY related that he was not acquainted by with a Dr. SHAPIRO, who is associated with NUMEC.

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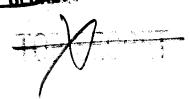
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On May 11, 1975, the following was obtained from JAMES CONNOR, Secretary to the Cabinet and Staff Secretary to the President, by who identified themselves to Mr. CONNOR as Special Agents of the FBI:

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Mr. CONNOR served as the Director of Flanning and Analysis at the Atomic Energy Commission (AEC) from May, 1972, until the end of 1974 when he assumed duties at the White House. He has no first hand knowledge of the Nuclear Materials Equipment Corporation (NUMEC) or ZALMAN SHAPIRO, nor any real knowledge of the NUMEC situation obtained through his service at AEC. The first time Mr. CONNOR heard of NUMEC was four or five months aso when it was mentioned by his Secretary.

Who during the 1960s, was the "prime" secretary to the Science Advisor on the White House Staff, a position which no longer exists. The above mention of NUMEC by his secretary was forgotten.

His current interest in the NUMEO situation was kindled indirectly by an article which appeared in "Time Magazine" about six weeks ago which was titled to the effect "How The Israelis Got The Bomb." Mr. CONNOR said that he is not technically knowledgeable in matters pertaining to nuclear weapons, but has learned enough to sense that there were a number of inconsistencies in the article.

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However, the above set of circumstances prompted Mr. CONNOR to look into the NUMBER effort

Was available through the AEC, particularly their investigation of NUMEC's shortages of U-235 material. He described himself

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as appalled over what he felt was the superficiality of the AEC investigation with regard to NUMEC and SHAPIRO. He specifically noted the following items he considered to be weaknesses in the AEC effort:

NUMEC was believed to be in a weakened financial position, yet was able to pay about \$800,000 to the AEC for lost uranium. It was reported that the above was possible through a bank loan but insofar as Mr. CONNOR has been able to determine, no effort was made to verify the existence of a bank loan.

Mr. CONNOR felt that the AEC interview of SHAPIRO was not of a penetrating nature and that AEC officials failed to ask a large number of logical questions.

LOWENTHAL Failure to explore SHAPIRO's contacts with DAVID puzzled Mr. CONNOR. (2)

Mr. CONNOR did not understand the ready acceptance by AEC that significant records and material may have been destroyed in a vault fire at NUMEC.

He considered that the AEC's continued acceptance of NUMEC's sloppy procedures might be merely a glaring example of beaurocratic incompetence, but he is puzzled as to why the investigative effort directed at SHAPIRO and NUMEC seemed suddenly to come to a stop.

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JOHN MARSH, Counselor to the President, and WILLIAM HYLAND, Deputy Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs, were interviewed at the White House on May 12 and

14, 1976, respectively, by SAs Both Mr. MARSH and Mr. HYLAND advised that they had no personal or first-hand knowledge of ZALMAN SHAPIRO and the Nuclear Materials and Equipment Corporation. Both advised that they are privy to only that information furnished by JAMES CONNOR. Secretary to the Cabinet and Staff Secretary to the President, and some of that information gathered by

It is noted that the results of Mr. CONNOR's interview are

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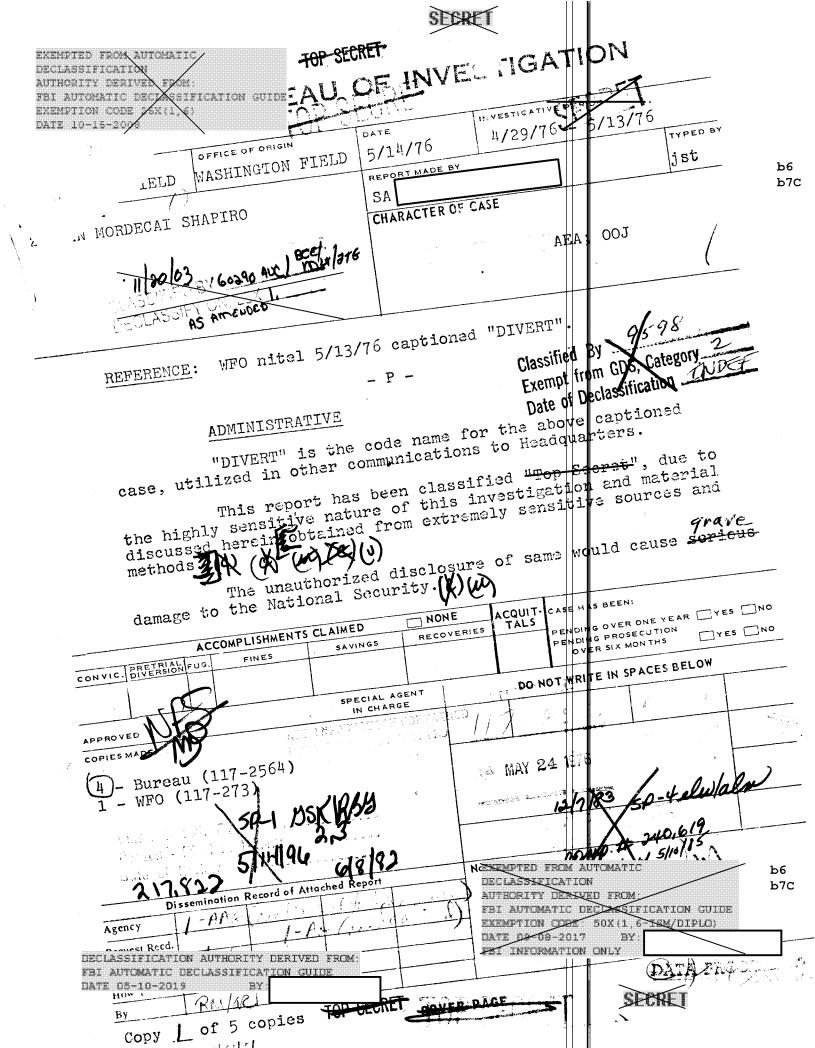
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Much background information obtained from interviews noted in this report has been reported in the Administrative Background portion of the cover page inasmuch as this type information is not of the nature normally reported utilizing the FD-302 form.

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In addition to information in FD-302, on May 11. 1976, HAROLD D. THORNBURG, Acting Deputy Director, Office of Inspection and Enforcement, Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC), advised that JOHN A. HIND, Chief of the Safeguards Branch, NRC Region 3, 799 Roosevelt Road, Glen Ellyn, Illinois. had formerly been employed by Atomic Energy Commission at Oak Ridge, Tennessee, and had been involved in the inspections of the NUMEC plant in the past. Further, | Energy Research and Development Administration had conducted investigations (ERDA), telephone number at NUMEC in the past relative to unexplained losses by the plant of U-235. who is currently employed by ERDA at Brookhaven National Laboratories, Upton, New York, telephone number also had indicated to THORNBURG that he had been involved in previous AEC inquiries at NUMEC. a health physicist currently at the Albuquerque Operations Office of ERDA, had indicated in the past that he had been interested in possible health hazards at NUMEC and had commented that he had been involved in any inspection at NUMEC during which he had spent most of an entire night sitting in the rain at the NUMEC plant while attempting to discover any wrongdoing there. Division of Safeguards, NRC, is currently conducting inquiries

THORNBURG expressed the opinion that current techniques employed by ERDA and NRC would readily differentiate between plutonium poisoning and poisoning resulting from overexposure to U-235. He added that urine and feces specimens from persons suffering from poisoning from U-235 would show a low beta reading while plutonium poisoning would show a high gamma reading, as well as an Americium content. He concluded that U-235 poisoning should be readily detectable from any other type radiation poisoning.

on behalf of NRC concerning the NUMEC plant.

THORNBURG also informed that NRC considers U-235 enriched to 20 percent higher to be classified as weapon grade; although NRC and ERDA usually strive for 93 to 97 percent. Further, U-235 beyond 20 percent requires very little additional treatment to be incorporated into an actual or operation atomic bomb.

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unclass pro NRC Letter 2/15/15 5668 5-0/mbf 5/10/45 In addition to information in FD-302, on May 11, 1976, KENNETH R. CHAPMAN, Director, Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards, Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC), advised that one of the best-qualified persons at NRC to furnish information concerning SHAPIRO and NUMEC was RALPH G. PAGE, Deputy Director, Division of Safeguards, NRC, who had been involved with the reports of investigation conducted by the Atomic Energy Commission concerning SHAPIRO and NUMEC. He also advised that both with Energy Research and Development Administration (ERDA) have an interest in and should be knowledgeable concerning the NUMEC plant.

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In connection with the reported loss (MUF) of about 100 kilograms of U-235 by the Nuclear Materials and Equipment Corporation (NUMEC) which was discovered by the Atomic Energy Commission (AEC) in 1965, AEC investigation subsequently determined this loss to be about 60 kilograms and to have occurred over a six-year period from about 1959 to 1965. Prior to 1965, AEC had not required NUMEC to make a complete physical inventory of U-235. In late 1965 or 1966. AEC sent a task force headed by Dr. SAMUEL C. T. MC DOWELL to conduct an inquiry into NUMEC operations. This task force submitted a report in 1966 to Dr. GLEN SEABORG, Chairman of AEC and based upon recommendations arising from the task force report, AEC established in 1967 the Office of Safeguards and Materials Management and a new Division of Nuclear Safeguards, with a view to preventing future losses such as occurred at NUMEC

As related by PAGE, DOUGLAS GEORGE was the head of the AEC Division of Nuclear Materials Management in 1965 and would be knowledgeable concerning NUMEC. GEORGE is presently a Vice President of a private firm, Nuclear Surveillance and Auditing Corporation (NUSAC), in the Washington, D.C. (WDC), area.

At this same time in 1965, JOHN VINCIGERRA (phonetic), was AEC Assistant General Manager for Administration and should be knowledgeable concerning NUMEC. He is retired from AEC and is a Vice President of an unknown firm in Joplin, Missouri.

The following other persons were also at AEC in 1965 and should be knowledgeable concerning the NUMEC matter:

HAROLD PRICE, former AEC Director of Regulations.

CHRISTOPHER HENDERSON, former AEC Assistant Director of Regulations, who is now retired, residing on the Eastern Shore of Maryland.

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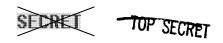


EBER R. PRICE, former AEC Chief of State and Licensee Relations, who is retired in the WDC area and involved with an Episcopal Church on Massachusetts Avenue in WDC.

WILLIAM T. RILEY, former AEC Director of Security. who was rumored to have been terminated at AEC for borrowing money from AEC subordinates in order to gamble on horseracing.

PAUL GAUGHRAN, former Director of Security at AEC, who succeeded RILEY and who retired and is currently a consultant to the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy (JCAE).

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During interview of JAMES COMMOR, Secretary to the Cabinet and Staff Secretary to the President. on May 11, 1076 CONNER advised that the President is awars of instant matter and extremely into respect in it. The President feels that it is nicessary as best as possible to understand what happened at MUFC and circumstances surrounding the situation. He is particularly concerned with any indication of a prior cover-up. The President has met with Senators PASTOPT and RAMEP of the Joint Courtessional Committee on Attoric Engrav relative to this matter and it has been acreed that the Cosmitte will take no action until the investigation is ocmplete. It has also been agreed that the manufir is on a need to-know basis at the White House and at the Committee. is CONTOR's understanding that only Scartors PASTORS and DAKET and GEORGE MURPHY of the Committee are aware of the the investigation and it is the home of the White House that the law attraction will not come to the attention of the general public.

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JAMES T. ANGLETON,
former Central Intelligence Agency (CIA) official,
was interviewed on May 11, 1976, at his residence. At his
request a tape recording of the conversation was made by WFO
agents. This tape runs about 80 minutes. Pertinent portions
thereof have been incorporated in the attached FD-302 setting
forth the interview of ANGLETON. There follow additional
comments made by ANGLETON during the interview, comments not
considered appropriate for the 302 by virtue of content or
its administrative nature. A complete transcript of this
tape will be forwarded to FBI Headquarters under separate
cover

As noted in the attached 302, ANGLETON held the President and WILLIAM COLBY, former CIA Director, directly responsible for having disregarded their statutory duties under the National Security Act of 1947 and for the fact that they did not take necessary action to force a constitutional issue with the Supreme Court in order to define a separation of powers. He was critical of the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence Activities and the Congress, and he was critical of the Bureau whenever it did not stand up to challenges from the Joint Committee. He expressed admiration for Assistant to the Director JAMES ADAMS, who "did a good job under the circumstances," and he was critical of former Bureau employee WILLIAM BRANIGAN's performance before the Select Committee.

ANGLETON made reference to the alleged breakfast meeting at CIA about a month ago at which information was It made him wonder

what s going on in the agency."

ANGLETON indicated he had conferred with (both former FBI employees)

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He referred to a Mr. CONRAN (phonetic) at ERDA as an individual involved with dereliction and accountability and said CONRAN had had access to "some of our reports."

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 $ext{Mr.}$ ANGLETON was asked whether the United States, by means of a possible "signature file on nuclear elements"

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WFO 117-273 manufactured in the United States," He indicated the following individuals at CIA were privy to information in the matter in question and should be contacted for further information: CIA Director GEORGE BUSH; Deputy Director HENRY KNOCHE: "one "one of my officers who handled this thing;" of the Israeli Desk at CIA. He added that had prepared the reports on this matter at CIA and was deeply involved in the ANGLETON said that predecessor, would know a great deal about the origins of the case and how we got into the "Pennsylvania case." would hand carry his reports to former Director HELMS. ANGLETON did not know what disposition HELMS made of that information (TS) (W) (U) ANGLETON suggested that SAM PAPICH, former FBI official, be contacted since he had full access at all times to CIA's information in this matter (TB) WCSK (U) ANGLETON acknowledged that CIA had occasional In response to queries about the identities of individuals outside the CIA who might have knowledge relevant to this inquiry, ANGLETON commented that all those names would be in the files. (I) ANGLETON was asked to comment about the possibility speculate on the matter beyond that



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GEORGE MURPHY was interviewed in his office, Room H 403, in the Capitol on May 13, 1976, for over an hour, during which time he provided no substantive information and the names of only four individuals at the Atomic Energy Commission (AEC) to be contacted for information, names already recognized by WFO as individuals to be contacted in this matter. After attempts to determine the reason for his committee's renewed interest in this case, MURPHY finally and apparently reluctantly responded by saying that for such information the interviewing agents would have to contact JOHN MINTZ at FBI Headquarters. When asked whether the committee was in possession of any information whatsoever which would be of assistance to the Bureau in its current investigation, he again referred the agents to MINTZ for such data. He declined to discuss the current state and the degree and the nature of the Committee's interest at this time.

Of possible interest is a reference made by MURPHY to an opinion rendered by the Department of Justice on March 3, 1966, to the effect that the circumstances suggesting a possible conflict of interest on the part of and his employment by NUMEC did not warrant further inquiry. He also noted that he had not received any information of the SHAPIRO-NUMEC matter from the Central Intelligence Agency or FBI in the 1960s. The added that there is no one on the Committee staff now who is knowledgeable in the matter in question. MURPHY said the matter is being held quite close on the staff, and he prided himself in the fact that his committee and staff have had an outstanding record for maintaining necessary security.

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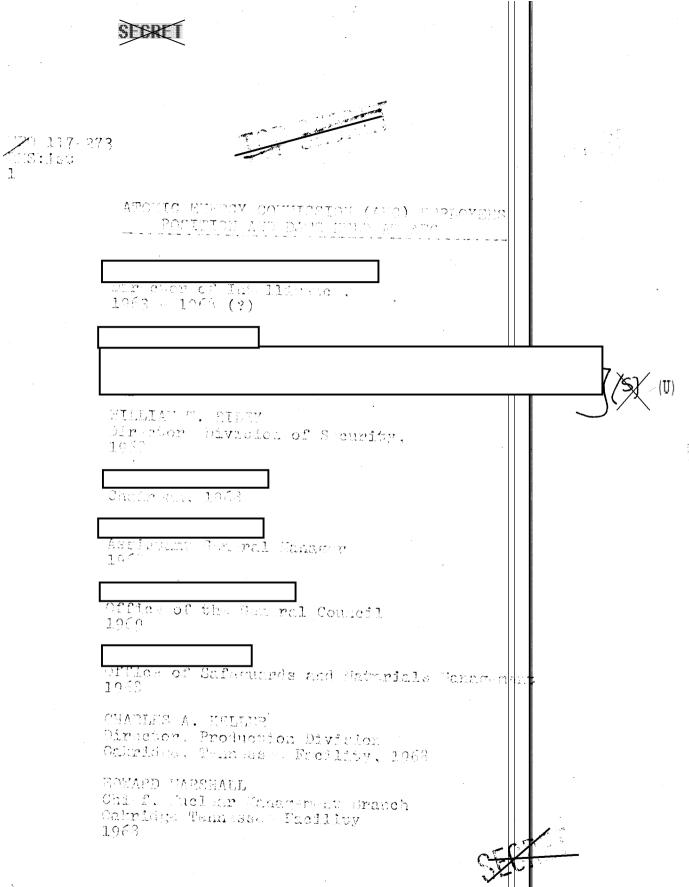
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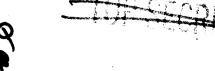
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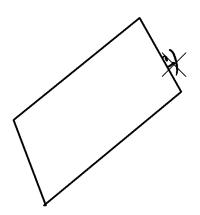
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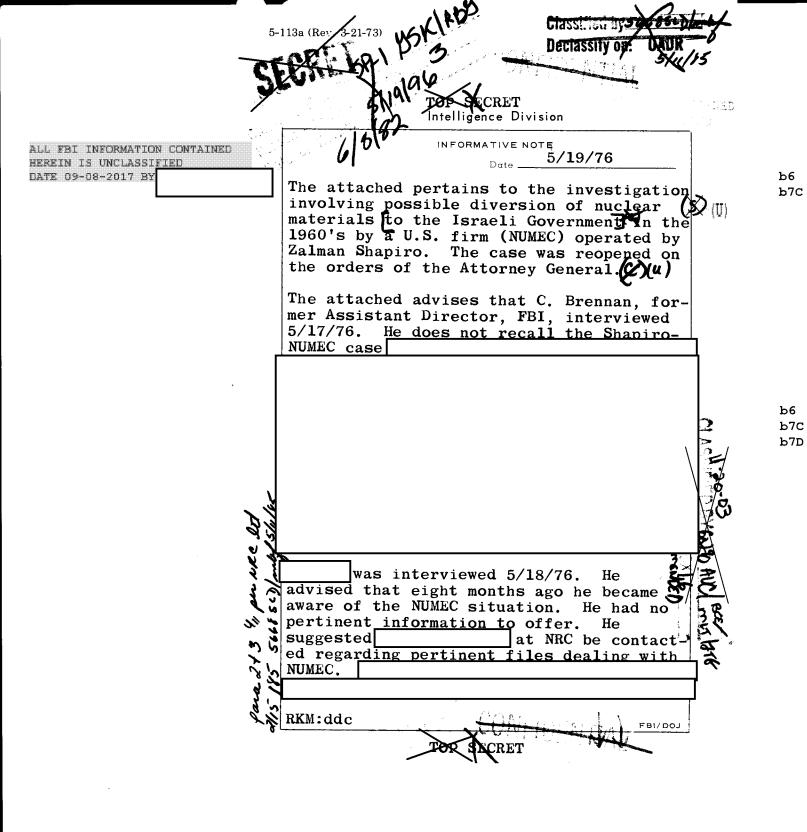


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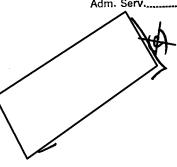


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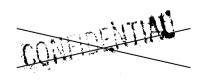
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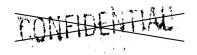
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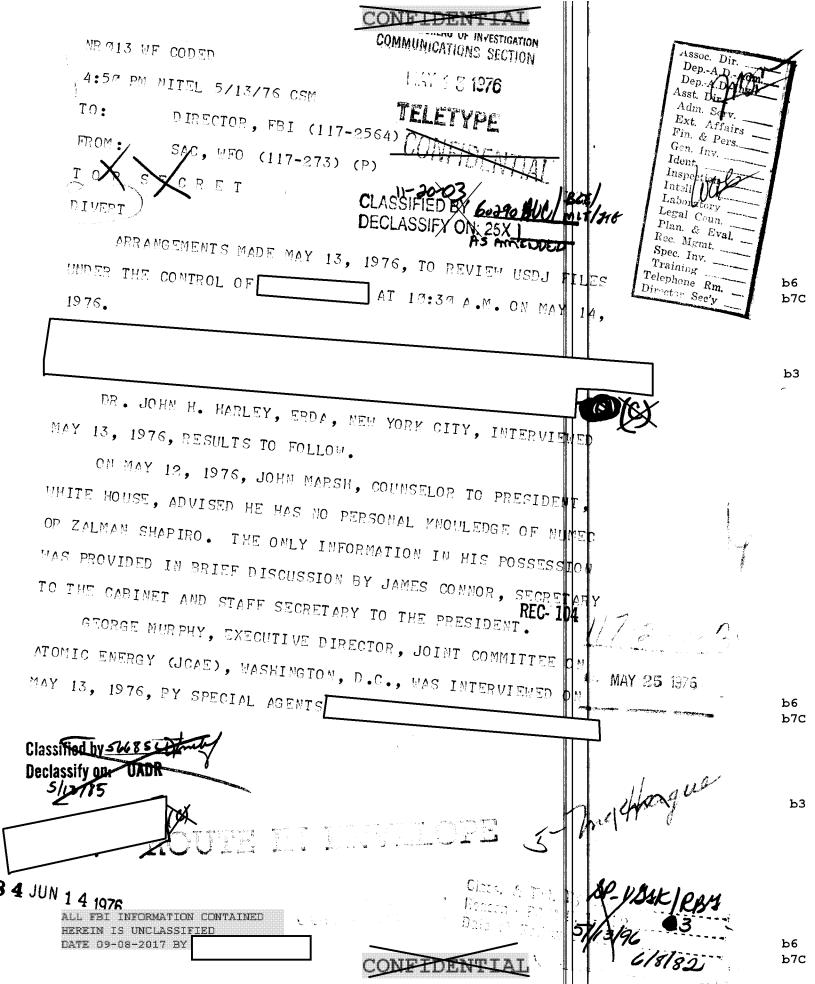
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More than 200 pounds of highly enriched uranium, suitable for manufacturing bombs, disappeared from a Pennsylvania defense plant in the mid-1960s. No one is sure where it went.

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The Nuclear Regulatory Commission has admitted only that 50 pounds of uranium disappeared. Secret documents reveal the loss was more than four times that amount.

It has been whispered in nuclear circles that he uranium was smuggled out of the country to help the Chinese or the Israelis detonate their first nuclear bombs. But this is pure speculation.

The fact is that no one knows what happened to the missing uranium. This raises some urgent questions about nuclear safeguards. An investigation by Rep. John Dingell (D-Mich.), for example, has revealed that the safeguard-reporting system for nuclear facilities is totally inadequate.

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission is supposed to keep track of the plutonium and bomb-grade uranium in this country. But no one monitors the NRC to make sure its figures are right.

NRC officials admit, for example, that they would not disclose the disappearance of plutonium from a nuclear plant — not even to CONGRESS. It would be too risky, they claim. An extortionist maight learn how much plutonium was missing and use the figure in a phony blackmail attempt.

Not only does the NRC withhold nuclear information from Congress, but it cannot be sure the information is correct in the first place. For the NRC relies wholly on private companies to tell it whether plutonium is missing from their atomic plants.

The companies, not wishing to create trouble for themselves, are not always eager to disclose that they have lost some plutonium. At the Nuclear Fuel Services plant in Tennessee, for example, investigators alleged that the company was juggling its plutonium figures. The company has denied the charges, and the NRC is now investigating.

Even if the top corporate brass recognized the urgency of reporting the dis-

appearance of plutonium at once, their subordinates may be reluctant to confess that they lost any plutonium. The plutonium inventories are prepared, of course, at the lower levels.

On top of all these problems, physical security at many nuclear plants is less than stringent. At the Kerr-McGee plant in Oklahoma, for example, one of the guards turned out to be a convicted felon working under an alias.

The same plant produced the first known case of plutonium smuggling. Plutonium was found in the apartment of Karen Silkwood, a Kerr-McGee employee. She was klled in an auto incident on her way to discuss the lax Kerr-McGree safeguards with a reporter.

It wasn't until Ms. Silkwood's untimely death that Kerr-McGee officials discovered where some of ther plutonium had disappeared. Earlier, they had shut down the plant twice because of the large amount of plutonium that had turned up missing.

The NRC itself is aware that the nuclear safeguards are woefully inadequate. A confidential memo, written by a high NRC official, calls urgently fortightening security at the nation's nuclear facilities. But the NRC has failed at yet to strengthen safeguards.

This attitude could lead to a national

Minor Watergate: We recently reported that Federal Energy Administration official James Rubin had destroyed some embarrassing documentsthat were sought by a House Energy subcommittee.

The subcommittee is investigating the FEA's cozy relationship with the oil and gas industry.

But now a witness, who might be called to testify before the subcommittee, has charged that Rubin tried to intimidate her. The witness, FEA employee Cathy Hamilton, alleges that Rubin approached her in the hallway and asked whether she was going to testify.

When she answered in the affirm tive, she swears Rubin told her: "I just want to warn you that if you do, yo's might lose your job."

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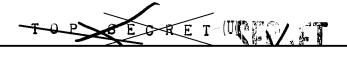
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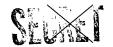


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Investigation to date, including (A) interviews of individuals reportedly in possession of information pertaining to this matter and review of some government records has resulted in locating no evidenciary material or statements of fact which are evidenciary in this matter.

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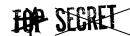
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- (3). Will immediately advise PRIMO of any major policy decision from other government agencies which will affect this investigation.





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On May 17, 1976, CHARLES D. BRENNAN, 487 North
Owen Street, Alexandria, Virginia, a former Assistant
Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), was
advised by and who had
identified themselves as Special Agents of the FBI, that
he was being interviewed regarding his possible knowledge of
prior FBI investigations concerning Dr. ZALMAN MORDECAI
SHAPIRO and his firm, Nuclear Materials and Equipment
Corporation (NUMEC) in Apollo, Pennsylvania, in connection
with an investigation requested by the Attorney General.

BRENNAN stated at the outset that he does not remember or recall any such case from his FBI investigative and administrative experience. He surmised that another possible reason for the contact with him might be his recent connection with the Mitre Corporation of Mc Lean, Virginia, for which firm he was under contract until last fall for the preparation of a research study on possible threats to nuclear facilities (Mitre Technical Report - MTR 7022 - dated September, 1975. and entitled "The Threat to Licensed Nuclear Facilities.")

BRENNAN related that during the period of the above of the Nuclearba contract, he became acquainted with Regulatory Commission (NRC) in Bethesda, Maryland, who had b6 been assigned as the project monitor for the above-referredb7C who, according to BRENNAN, in to study. It was connection with his duties at NRC in the fall of 1975, related that he recognized certain exploitable loopholes in the NRC security system. According to BRENNAN, based on his past experience within the Atomic Energy Commission (AEC) and on his current awareness of recognized opposition to the above-mentioned research study, for example, and other similar opposition, expressed grave concern that there had been a deliberate cover up by the AEC of a major incident several years ago involving the NUMEC facility at Apollo. Pennsylvania. also referred to material At this time losses involving a nuclear facility in Erwin, Tennessee. of Alexandria, Va. File # WFO 117-273 and b6 SAs 5/20/76 HWS:jst b7C Date dictated

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BRENNAN said this was the first time he became aware of a "NUMEC problem."	
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BRENNAN stated further that in March, 1976, told him that he was in touch with GEORGE MURPHY and an assistant on the JCAE staff. BRENNAN said he also arranged for to meet with one of Senator BAKER's aides, one Shortly after Easter of 1976, BRENNAN received a call from Senator BAKER, who wondered whether he should see personally. BRENNAN said he suggested that, since he was not certain had anything valid to offer, Senator BAKER's staff handle any contact with	ъ6 ъ7С
BRENNAN commented that who seemed very sincere in his concern about the existence of a tremendous danger to this country, was an unknown quantity to him.	
BRENNAN concluded by suggesting that at the Energy Research and Development Administration in Germantown, Maryland, be contacted for further information on Dr. SHAPIRO, NUMEC, and related matters.	b 3



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5/21/76 Date of transcription_ 1 DAN J. BRENNAN, JR., Retired, was contacted at his residence, At the outset of the interview, BRENNAN was advised by SA this inquiry involved possible illegal b6 b7C collaboration by a Doctor ZALMAN SHAPIRO, who was associated with NUMEC (Nuclear Materials and Equipment Corporation), With the Israeli Government in that country's nuclear weapons program. Turther, BRENNAN was informed this matter was extremely sensitive and should be treated with the utmost confidentiality. He furnished the following information (BRENNAN advised he was a former Special Agent with the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI). He retired from the FBI during January, 1973. From approximately 1962 until 1971, he served at FBI Headquarters, Washington, D.C. (WDC), as a Section Chief in the Liaison Section. In this position he collected written reports from Special Agents who had the responsibility of maintaining regular contact with assorted government agencies regarding matters of interest to the FBI. The Central Intelligence Agency (CIA) and the b3 Atomic Energy Commission (AEC), were included in these FBI **h6** contacts. He recalled that SAM PAPICH b7C wa.s assigned liaison duties with the AEC Upon receipt of reports from employees like PAPICH and FITZGERALD, he would channel the information to the particular section which had the investigative responsibility for the violation in question. Regarding his reported handling of documents from PAPICH dealing with Dr. SHAPIRO and NUMEC, BRENNAN stated he did not recall any information concerning SHAPIRO or He advised his administrative duties involved a voluminous quantity of paperwork, thereby making it impossible to become personally acquainted with every case that passed across his desk. Furthermore. BRENNAN reported he was not familiar b6 and he was vaguely familiar with with b7C however, he was unable to attach any a significance to <u>5/19/76</u> Sea Girt, New Jersey File # <u>WFO 117-273</u> Interviewed on_ b6 SAs b7C 5/21/76 GCW:jst

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5/25/76 1 Date of transcription_ On May 18, 1976, b6 Safeguards Analyst, Safeguards Division, Nuclear Regulatory Commission b7C (NRC), Bethesda, Marvland, was advised by Snecial Agents (SAs) and after they had identified themselves as SAs of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), that the Attorney General (AG) of the United States (US) had specifically requested the FBI to conduct an investigation into the matter of the unexplained losses at a company called Nuclear Materials and Equipment Corporation (NUMEC), Apollo, Pennsylvania, and a man named ZALMAN SHAPIRO. The FBI was instructed to determine if, in fact, a diversion of material had taken place during the advised that he has worked for the Atomic Energy Commission (AEC) since 1970. He has been with NRC since September, 1975. About eight months ago he came across the NUMEC situation during a safeguards study for the NRC. Previously, had been detailed by the NRC to help on the Mitre Technical Report, published by the Mitre Corporation 5/13/85 in September, 1975. advised that he has reviewed the NUMEC files at Energy Research and Development Administration (ERDA) and these files indicated that there had been unexplained losses at NUMEC during the 1960s. [b3 b6 b7C advised that he has no specific information pertaining to any details as to any possible diversion of special nuclear materials (SNM) at NUMEC. He does not know anyone who might possess this information. He advised that he knows of no specific files at NRC that might contain this information, 5/18/76 Bethesda, Maryland Interviewed on File #WFO 117-273 **b6** SAs and b7C AES:jst 5/21/76 Date dictated This document contains neither recommendations nor conclusions of the FBI. It is the property of the FBI and is loaned to your agency;



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advised that the percentages of unaccountable
SNM have increased, although the controls supposedly have been
tightened by the Government. He advised that one really
cannot definitely tell from the records available where the
control over SNM is weak, allowing for a diversion.
feels that a diversion has taken place and may be still taking
place inasmuch as the unaccountable SNM is larger now than
in the past. This may be due to poor procedures, but b6
since he has tried to focus on the issue at NRC and has b70
encountered opposition to his suggestions to solve the
problems of unaccountability, he feels that someone is trying
to keep information suppressed. Also, since SNM can be sold
for a high price, there may be more than political motives
involved, if a diversion had occurred and may currently be
going on at NUMEC, and for that matter at other facilities
such as the Nuclear Fuel Services (NFS), Erwin, Tennessee.

At the present time, the Safeguards Division of NRC provides control over the SNM so it can be accounted for and not diverted. There is an accounting every 60 days at various facilities. Although the system is much tighter with more regulations and controls, the loss is still greater on a percentage basis than in the past. ______advised that he has had technical experience in the past, and has worked in other areas with SNM, and not just safeguards. He feels that the current standards allow for too wide a margin of error as it is, not counting the unexplained losses.

In his opinion, unidentified individuals have been using the system for their personal gains by diverting material on an ongoing basis.

In the past when there has been a substantial unexplained loss of SNM and after inspections by NRC, the Director of the Regional Office, NRC, has signed the report in fact writing off the loss, without any penalty to the licensed company involved.

He stated that one report that can be obtained from NRC for background information, that includes some of the 1960s' losses at NUMEC, is the "Overview Study of Existing Safeguards Regulations," dated April 16, 1976, as the first draft. The final draft is dated April 29, 1976. In addition, a report numbered S/HO - 75, pertaining to the compilation of material and accounting data of SNM, may be of interest.



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When there was too much unexplained loss or "MUF", there was and is no effective action being taken to keep this from happening again. He stated that there have been excessive MUFs at NFS and NUMEC, as licensed companies, of SNM on an ongoing basis for years. He also advised that also ERDA's accounting procedures have reflected very bad losses at their facilities.

feels that U-235 can be traced back to the facility which has processed it, based on the isotopic differences.

He feels that the following areas should be looked into for any possible suppression of information for any motive: (1) Inspectors on the site; (2) Individuals on the Regional Levels with decision-making potential; and (3) the matter of those who control MUF, and weapons design information. If these areas are investigated, then one may be able to determine if there was a systematic diversion. He added that aspects of a classified nature would have to be cleared with RAY BRADY, Chief of Security, NRC, before felt that he could go into specifics.

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5/27/76 1 Date of transcription On May 24, 1976, Security Officer, Lawrence Livermore Laboratory (LLL), Livermore, California, b7C was advised of the identities of the contacting agents. was advised that contact was being made in conjunction with an investigation requested by the Attorney General of the United States pertaining to possible diversion of nuclear materials from Nuclear Materials and Equipment Corporation (NUMEC), Apollo, Pennsylvania. at the time ZALMAN SHAPIRO was in charge of that company. cautioned that this investigation was of a highly sensitive nature. advised that he is a former Special Agent (SA) of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI). stated that at the present time there are about 1.5 million classified documents at LLL, located in about 100 different locations. However, there were less documents at LLL during the early 1960s. He was not sure of the location of charge out for the files used in the 1960s. made available the following from the personal file of Dates of employment at LLL: Extended military leave: Date of birth: Place of birth: Height: 610" Weight: 180 pounds Hair: Brown Eyes: Grav On July 13, 1959, went to Rocketron to discuss ion rocketry. He worked on the "Rover" project pertaining to the slow nuclear reaction that fueled rockets. project proved to be successful. Dr. THEODORE MERKLE was his immediate supervisor who died in the mid 1960s Livermore. 5/24/76 California Interviewed on File # WFO 117-273 **b6** SAs and b7C AES:jst 5/27/76 Date dictated

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WFO 117-273 legally changed his name from to in 1957. At the time he was hired, he was expecting to obtain a PhD in nuclear physics and was in the upper 10 percent of his class at Harvard University. His references were: Dr. NORMAN RAMSEY, Professor, Harvard University Dr. J. C. STREET, Chairman, Physics Department, Harvard University Dr. W. PRESTON, Director, Cyclatron Laboratory, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts $\{U\}$ On May 20, 1969 the Atomic Energy Commission (AEC) expressed an interest in since he had left the United States for Israel and had changed his name to THEODORE MERKLE was deceased at that time, the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy interviewed MERKLE's assistant. The results of these inquiries were not noted in file. added that he had no personal knowledge of or of NUMEC operations.

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Position:	Assistant to the Deputy Director, LLL, Livermore, California Director, Nevada Test Site, LLL, and part of the "Z" Division of LLL.	
Clearance:	Top Secret Q, Fabruary, 1948, to May, 1951, worked at Berkeley with clearance reverified June 2, 1948 October, 1952, to present carried clearance	
Employment:	February, 1948, to May, 1951 at LLL. April, 1943, to January, 1946, in military. May, 1951, to October, 1952, recalled. October, 1952, to present, LLL.	
Education:	1948 AB Degree from Berkeley, University of California	
Date of birth:		b6 b7C
Place of birth:		
Height:	6 fest, 2 inches	
Weight:	185 pounds	
Eyes:	Blue	
Hair:	Brown	
Function at LLL:	Engineer for management functions and testing	

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Married with four sons

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2nd wife, RUTH HAUVER

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HARRIS

1966 and 1968 travelled in Europe. In Tel Aviv December 9,

1968, through December 12, 1968

Special Materials procurement

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•	Materials and Equipment Corporation (NUMEU) in Apollo,	
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•	with LLL and was dealing in plutonium (P 238). The whole	
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1 On May 24, 1976, MAX EARL HARRIS, Mechanical Engineer, Lawrence Livermore Laboratory (LLL), Livermore, California, was advised by who identified themselves as Special Agents (SAs) of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), that the interview was with reference to a highly sensitive investigation being conducted on request of the Attorney General of the United States. HARRIS advised that he has been aware of the problems LLL has had with Nuclear Materials and Equipment Corporation (NUMEC) for years. LLL commercial purchasing people had problems with NUMEC because the costs during the contract work had accelerated beyond the normal expected range. Plutonium, NUMEC also handled Uranium (U-235). HARRIS recalled that at one time 20 grams of special nuclear material (SNM) from NUMEC was located at the Coors facility, for no explained reason. This type of incident was frequent and caused problems of accountability. HARRIS said that he would make available a copy of his file pertaining to dealings with NUMEC and reported unaccountable losses of SNM. Oak Ridge National Laboratories, who is in charge of the light water reactor and in charge of the U-235 facility, may know more about NUMEC's problems of accountability than anyone else, since he has dealings with NUMEC. Because of the continuing problems with NUMEC, HARRIS decided to keep a file on NUMEC activities with LLL, which contain both direct and indirect information pertaining to separate incidents. HARRIS advised that he did not remember and could not place him as an LLL employee in the "Pluto" project HARRIS added that he once met ZALMAN (2) SHAPIRO when SHAPIRO visited the LLL, but did not have personal contact with SHAPIRO to the extent that would be considered a personal acquaintance. Livermore, California File # WFO 117-273 5/24/76 Interviewed on_

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	On May 24, 1976, Livermore Laboratory (LLL), Livermore, California, after being advised of the identity of the interviewing agents, was advised that the Attorney General of the United States had requested an investigation into the possible diversion of nuclear material by an East Coast firm, and in conjunction with this investigation some background data was requested at LLL. He stated that he remembered as working on the "Fluto" project during the early 1960s was a heavy-set individual with dark features. He was best described as a loner. He worked for an individual named formerly with LLL. reactor project for nuclear powered missiles. probably worked very little with highly classified material since he was also working on some more advanced concepts along with the "Pluto" project. Nevertheless, some LLL employees did get involved in weapons research activity. stated that he cannot recall if personally had access to weapons information. and paper work that was sent to the computer center where weapons material was processed.	ье ьт
[was a very religious individual. He was a canter at the Synagogue in San Francisco, California. lived in San Francisco proper and drove back and forth to work each day. This was quite a task then, since there was no four-lane highway to Livermore during the early 1960s. had a friend, who might know more about activities at that time. Weapon documents used by LLL at that time, during	b6 b7
[the early 1960s went into storage during 1966 and 1967. used to work with the documents and may know where the records pertaining to document charge outs are located. apparently moved to Washington, D.C., and may be employed by a company known as "IDA."	
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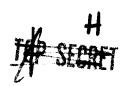
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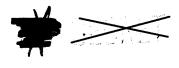


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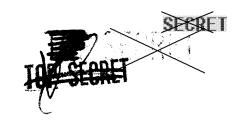
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on May 14, 1976. SA was in contact with JOHN MARTIN, Acting Deputy Chief, Internal Security Section, Criminal Division, U.S. Department of Justice, Section, D.C., who made available for review those Washington, D.C., who made available for review those Departmental files (two in number) pertaining to Dr. ZALMAN MORDECAI SHAPIRO and the Nuclear Materials and Equipment Corporation (NUMEC). Those files contained intradepartmental Corporation, Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) investigative memoranda, Federal Bureau of Investigation primarily to and from the Atomic Energy Commission.

No communication was observed which specifically qualified the investigative direction to be taken in the FBI's 1968 inquiry in the SHAPIRO-NUMEC matter. Nor was there observed a copy of reported correspondence between

and the then Attorney General, RAMSEY CLARK, supposedly dated in early April, 1968. It should be noted that with reference to the latter, MARTIN advised that he had requested a search to be made through any RAMSEY CLARK correspondence still maintained by the Department of Justice. This search was carried out without locating the correspondence in question, according to MARTIN.

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littsburgh, Fennsylvania February 25, 1972

SUBJECT:

Dr. Zalman Mordecai Shapiro

CHARACTER:

REFERENCE:

Memorandum dated July 30, 1971, at Thiladelphia, la., captioned as above

Referenced communication contained subject's residence and/or employment address. A recent change has been determined and is being set forth below (change only specified):

Residence:

Employment:

Assistant in charge Breeder Reactor Division Nuclear Energy Center Westinghouse Electric Corporation Honroeville, Tennsylvania

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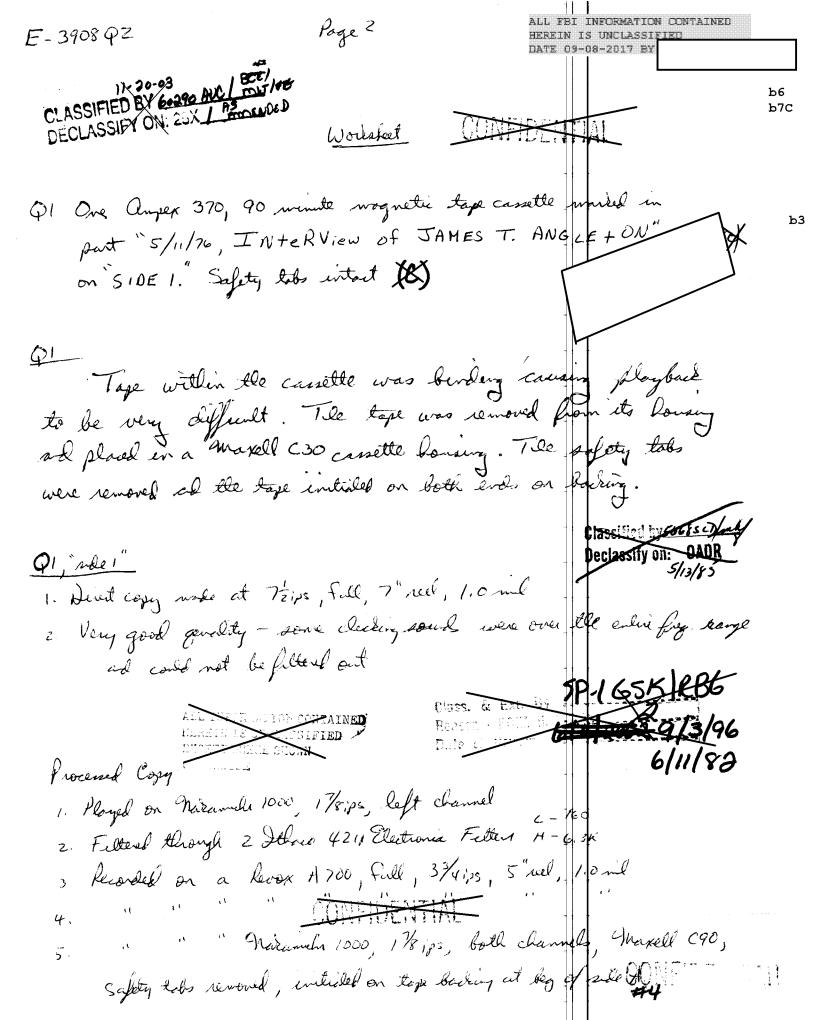
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From: Director, FBI

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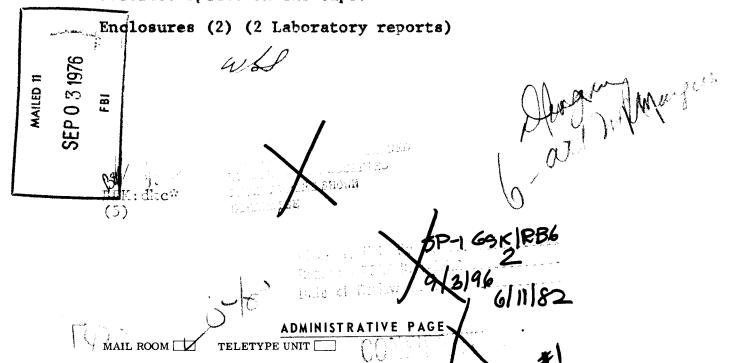
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Results of examination:

Examination of Ql revealed that the reels within the cassette housing were binding causing erratic playback of the tape. The QI tape was removed from its original cassette housing and placed in a Maxell C30 cassette housing to allow proper playback of the tape.

Three electronically processed copies were made of each side of Q1. One copy was on a magnetic tape cassette and the other two copies were made onto five inch reels of magnetic tape in a full-track configuration at a recording speed of 3 3/4 inches per second. Only a slight improvement in voice intelligibility could be obtained on the processed copies of side 2 due to the rapid speed fluctuations on the recording.

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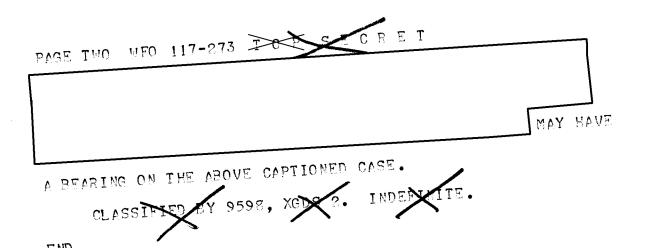
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