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BY SPECIAL MESSENGER

Lieutenant General ~~Hotz~~ S. Vandenberg  
Director  
Central Intelligence Group  
Room 2166  
New War Department Building  
21st and Virginia Avenue, N. W.  
Washington, D.C.

Dear General Vandenberg:

I have arranged for a conference to be held with Colonel William H. Harris, who has been designated to represent your office. It is contemplated detailed plans will be formulated concerning the security investigations of employees of the Central Intelligence Group, which are to be made by the Federal Bureau of Investigation. I have designated Assistant Director Rosen to represent the Bureau in this matter. Assistant Director W. R. Glavin will be available to discuss the method of reimbursing the Bureau for the investigations which will be conducted.

Sincerely yours,

Signed/ J. Edgar Hoover

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Director, Federal Bureau of  
Investigation  
Department of Justice  
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. Hoover:

It is understood that representatives of our respective offices have reached a verbal understanding that the Federal Bureau of Investigation will conduct security investigations of employees of the Central Intelligence Group on a reimbursable basis. It is further understood that the Bureau will be reimbursed at the rate of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) per case.

The above agreement is satisfactory and your confirmation is requested.

I wish you would designate a representative of your office to meet with my representative, Colonel William H. Harris, (REpublic 6700, ext. 76943) to work out the detailed procedures to be followed. These details will include methods of reimbursement, procedure for referring cases, standards desired, and similar administrative problems.

Sincerely yours,

HOYT S. VANDENBERG  
Lieutenant General, USA  
Director of Central Intelligence

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