

EMBASSY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Dec 8, 1961

MOSCOW

American Embassy  
Moscow,  
March 2, 1961.

I am writing in regard to a letter which I sent to the Embassy on Nov 12, in which I asked:

"Does the American Embassy feel that in the light of the fact that my temporary Soviet passport for residence in the Soviet Union expires on Jan. 9, 1962, that the deprivation of my exit visa after this date, and therefore the forecasted denial of me against my expressed desire; is unlawful?"

I would like a written reply to this question before the expiration date of Jan 9, 1962, in order to have a basis for my refusal to give my permission for the legal expiration on this document.

Sincerely,  
 [Signature]

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
DIVISION OF INVESTIGATION  
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New York, N.Y.

I am inquiring how long it normally takes to effect a passport

Will the application process take place at the Embassy or must the passport be sent to the cons?

Will I be required of the passport for any amount of time?

If so for how long?

I am writing in order to find out whether a special type of passport is absolutely necessary.

I and my wife have then owned this our visa will be granted, by the Embassy has not already received the documents for my wife, from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, then I am sure you will shortly

I think that when the Embassy writes to the passport for the final immigration papers etc., for my wife,

I will, at that time, fill out the  
application papers for my passport.  
However, if the length of time  
for the removal process is very long  
then I shall consider making a  
special trip to procure it, or also  
in removal of my expired passport.

W. H. Powell

MR. WSK

MR. KALININ

NO. 4, 1924

OSWALD, LEE W.

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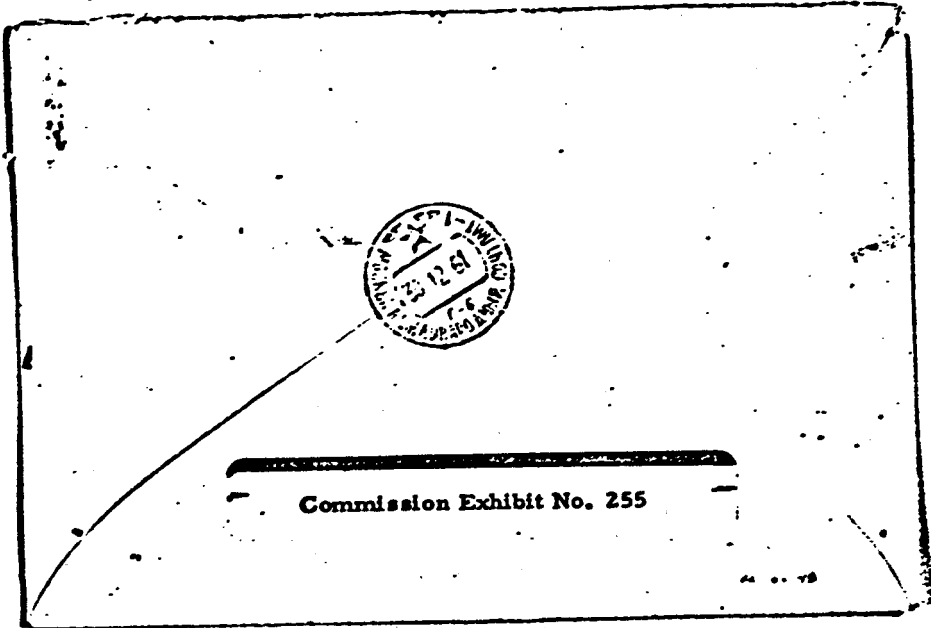
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Commission Exhibit No. 255

EMBASSY OF THE UNITED STATES
OF AMERICA
1700 22ND STREET, N.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20037
MOSCOW

January 6, 1962

Dear Sir:

I apply to you for information  
later of January 5.

Since I signed and paid for  
an immigration petition for my wife  
in July 1961, I think it almost  
certain to get it approved or refused.

I hope you will inform me

if any other documents are needed  
and not wait until the last minute.

The enclosed applications are as  
close as I can come to meeting the

requirements under the law, Section 212(a)(5)(C),  
Immigration Act, I hope they will suffice for now.

You suggest that because of the  
documentation necessary I go to the  
United States alone.

I certainly will not consider  
going to the U.S. alone for my reasons,  
particularly since it explains my

purpose will be emphasized upon  
my mind in the United States.  
I would like for all documents  
to be completed, at or by, the Embassy in  
process.

We have not had on any time  
getting our spirit from the  
local authorities, as the Embassy  
will know. I would not like this  
whole thing repeated because of  
a lack of this or that on my side  
part. I am sure you understand  
also, we will have a child  
in mind and although the Bureau  
proceeding in this case will be to write  
in, eye, tip and place of kind of the  
child, on my wife's travel papers,  
(in process of your day, in process),  
I would like to know what you  
will advise in this event.

Commission Exhibit No. 256

Sincerely,  
Hall B. [Signature]