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Mr. Harold Weisberg 7627 Old Receiver Rd. Frederick, MD 21701

Dear Mr. Weisberg:

This is in reply to your letter of 14 March 1981, concerning your earlier requests under the Freedom of Information Act. Our last previous letter was inadvertantly mailed without a date affixed. Our records show that the letter was dispatched to you on 5 March 1981.

You are correct in your assessment of FOIA referrals, concerning records which have been transferred. That is why your earlier request was referred to the Washington National Records Center: records with permanent retention from the Military District of Washington are retired to that center. It was anticipated that some time could be conserved in your search, if a direct referral was made, rather than through the offices of MDW.

In our letter mailed on 5 March, we do refer to "inquiries to that agency", referring to the Assistant Chief of Staff for Intelligence which is clearly identified in the preceding paragraph. Your request of 14 March, along with previous requests, has now been referred to that agency for direct reply to you.

Sincerely,

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