

June 13, 1957

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. TOLSON  
MR. BOARDMAN  
MR. BELMONT  
MR. ROSEN  
MR. NICHOLS  
MR. TAMM

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED  
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I had occasion, following the Attorney General's conference this morning on the Hoffa case, to speak to Deputy Attorney General Rogers about the subpoena which has been issued, at the direction of Assistant Attorney General Olney through the United States Attorney's office at New York City, to one of our Agents to sit at a trial involving a theft from Interstate Shipment case. Mr. Nichols had previously taken up this matter with Mr. Rogers at my direction.

I told Mr. Rogers there had been no developments in this matter other than our Agent being required to sit in the courtroom wasting time and serving no legitimate purpose and that my patience was very sorely tried by the fact that no action had been taken. Mr. Rogers stated he had talked to the Attorney General about it and the Attorney General had been willing to have the subpoena cancelled, but Mr. Rogers had asked that he be allowed to take it up with Mr. Olney to see whether Mr. Olney could arrange for the cancellation of the subpoena. Mr. Rogers had not heard from Mr. Olney. In my presence, Mr. Rogers put in a call for United States Attorney Williams at New York City but Mr. Williams could not be reached at once. Mr. Rogers will advise me of the results of his talk with Mr. Williams as soon as he has concluded it.

*Pawl. W. J. NY, -DC.*

I told Mr. Rogers that the situation is intolerable and that all that the action of Olney and Williams amounted to is a punitive action against the FBI. Mr. Rogers agreed that it was entirely an unwarranted action upon the part of Mr. Olney.

Very truly yours,  
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John Edgar Hoover  
Director

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