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Q. *What is the real reason the British government is deporting or has deported Philip Agee, the former CIA agent, from Great Britain?—P.F., McLean, Va.*

A. Agee not only made a career of blowing the cover of CIA agents overseas, he trafficked with the Soviets and Cubans. This past summer, for example, he was spotted in Moscow, where he reportedly hoped to get published a Russian edition of his book "Inside the Company; CIA Diary." He was also seen visiting the Cuban embassy in London. The British regard him as a potential troublemaker, no longer want him on their soil.