

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

DATE: 6/4/68

FROM : SAC, WFO (44-703) (P)

SUBJECT: MURKIN

ReWFOtel and airtel to Bureau 5/10/68, Butel 5/14/68, re review of passport applications.

In view of recent developments in this matter in Canada, and to conserve manpower urgently needed for other matters in the WDC area, WFO is postponing further review of records at the Passport Office, USDS.

It is to be noted that WFO has completed about one-third (about 750,000 applications) of the project to date. WFO has maintained notes of work completed in the review of passport applications and is in position to reinstitute such review without duplication at any time completion of work might be deemed necessary. Further, arrangements have been made with authorities at the Passport Office for postponement of review of records.

WFO is also postponing further steps in review of DMV, WDC, records for locating an operators permit for RAY. WFO has taken steps to have all pertinent records preserved in connection with this matter and the project can be renewed at any time the Bureau desires.

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