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Dear Harold:

Enclosed are three documents from the CIA files on you. Are they from Office of Security files? I do not have the covering letter which accompanied their release in the file they were in, so I am not sure whether they are or not. Since they are numbered, I assume they provided some description of them in the covering letter.

I am in contact with an attorney from Massachusetts who is representing someone who is doing an authorized biography on Paul Robeson and is seeking additional FBI records (Legat) on Robeson. As I recall, you have told me that you once escorted Robeson around town and have suggested that you were probably included in some of the surveillance on Robeson. If you provide me some of the details--date, time, place, phones which might have been used, etc.--I will pass them on so he can keep an eye open for such material.

The last ten days I have been sidetracked by interruptions on other cases which flared up and have had to lay 78-0322 aside. I should get back on it tomorrow, hopefully with no more interruptions for the rest of this week.

The Paisley decision which just came down from the Court of Appeals (Skelley Wright) may have a major impact on both of Mark's two suits for HSCA records. I'm sending you a copy separately.

The materials which were not in the one "JUNE" volume were not supposed to be "JUNE" materials. I just thought you might be interested in them. At this point we have no description of them. We are supposed to get the worksheets when the FBI does its Vaughn sampling index, assuming we agree on the procedures for this. The Court (June Green) refused to order them to provide the worksheets free of charge and they are insisting on being paid except for those which they have said they will provide in connection with a Vaughn motion to allow Mark to select the documents to be Vaughned.

Best regards,


Jim