

'Successful' CIA Killing

Cleveland

Representative James V. Stanton (Dem-Ohio) says he has been informed the Central Intelligence Agency was involved in the successful assassination of at least one foreign leader, the Cleveland Plain Dealer reported last night.

The Plain Dealer said in a copyright story from its Washington office that Stanton refused to name the victim of the successful plot.

Stanton, who is from Cleveland, is chairman of a House subcommittee investigating the CIA.

The Plain Dealer quoted Stanton as saying, in re-

sponse to a question, that it was his understanding that there were assassination attempts "in which the CIA participated."

Asked if any of the attempts were successful, the Plain Dealer said Stanton responded: "One. In one instance, and the record will show it when it's disclosed. It's my understanding that there was a successful attempt."

The Plain Dealer listed Congolese leader Patrice Lumumba, Dominican Republic leader Rafael Trujillo and General Rene Schneider of Chile as among the foreign leaders assassinated in recent years.

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