

# Colby Calls Killing Amin 'Moral'

Chicago

Former CIA Director William Colby told Playboy magazine it would be "moral" for the Ugandan people to kill President Idi Amin and it would be moral for the CIA to morally aid in the assassination, it was disclosed yesterday.

In an interview in Playboy's July issue, Colby said he believes, "If a man is a total tyrant, then somebody under him has the right to shoot him.

"But that doesn't mean a separate country has a right to do it. If I am being oppressed by someone — my family has been destroyed, I've been sent to jail and all the rest — then I have the right to respond."

He noted, as an example, it would be a "moral act" for the Ugandan people to kill Amin.

Asked whether the CIA would encourage such an act, Colby responded:

"No, that's different . . .

"But helping them in what they want to do? There it would be moral if the safety and welfare of the United States could somehow be related to it."

Colby said he doubted Amin would "die a natural death."

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