

THE DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE

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Office of Legislative Counsel

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Honorable Harold C. Cap Hollenbeck
House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Mr. Hollenbeck:

b)(6) Thank you for your letter of 19 September 1977 forwarding a request from your constituent [redacted] who wanted to ascertain if Admiral Turner had received her letter of 9 August 1977.

Please advise [redacted] (b)(6) that our records reflect that her letter was received at the Agency on 13 August. However, through an administrative oversight, no action was taken on her letter. We regret any inconvenience this delay may have caused [redacted] (b)(6)

The Agency does not and did not have any programs which involved surreptitiously controlling individuals' behavior through the use of radiation. The recently discovered files of Project MKULTRA do contain evidence that research involving human testing was conducted in the fields of behavior control using techniques involving hypnosis, drugs, etc. Our records indicate such testing on unwitting subjects ceased in 1964. Unfortunately, neither Project MKULTRA files nor any other files thus far located contain the names of persons who may have been used as subjects. Therefore, in our search of relevant files, [redacted] (b)(6) name was not found.

Admiral Turner has assured the Congress that the CIA will attempt to identify those persons who were the subjects of unwitting testing conducted under Project MKULTRA. To this end, the institutions where Project MKULTRA testing took place have been notified of their involvement with the project. Admiral Turner has offered these institutions his full cooperation in helping them identify the persons who were test subjects. Please be assured I will inform you immediately if any institution notifies CIA that it has identified [redacted] as having been a Project MKULTRA test subject. (b)(6)

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We hope we have provided you with sufficient information to fully respond to your constituent. If we can be of any further help, please let us know.

Sincerely,

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