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Washington, D.C. 20535

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Subject: LETTER FROM J. EDGAR
HOOVER TO HONORABLE WILLIAM P
ROGERS DTD 01/13/1953

Dear Requester:

This is in response to your Freedom of Information Act request concerning the above-mentioned subject.

The enclosed document is being released in its entirety.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D Hardy", is positioned below the "Sincerely yours," text.

David M. Hardy
Section Chief
Record/Information
Dissemination Section
Records Management Division

January 13, 1953

Honorable William P. Rogers
1000 Vermont Avenue, N. W.
Washington, D. C.

PERSONAL

Dear Mr. Rogers:

I am transmitting to you herewith the following list of memoranda, some of which I have furnished to Mr. Brownell several weeks ago, inasmuch as some of these memoranda might be of interest to you for informative purposes in the new position which you are taking over in the Department:

Memorandum summarizing the Department's Program for Apprehension and Detention of Persons Considered Potentially Dangerous to the Defense and Public Safety of the United States, dated November 22, 1952.

Memorandum concerning the value of a commission to study the menace of Communism to internal security, dated December 11, 1952.

Memorandum concerning Bureau policies pertaining to employee procurement, personnel indoctrination and training and placement policies of the FBI, dated December 19, 1952.

Memorandum describing a program of inspections which has been in effect in the FBI for a number of years dated December 10, 1952.

Memorandum concerning the leakage of classified information to newspaper sources, dated December 8, 1952.

Memorandum concerning the activities of the FBI designed to lift the standards of law enforcement through training

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local, county, and state law enforcement officers,
dated December 10, 1952.

Memorandum concerning a summary of FBI Coverage
of Communist Activities from 1940 to 1952, dated
November 28, 1952.

Memorandum and several charts reflecting the
administrative and operational aspects of the FBI,
dated December 9, 1952.

Memorandum pertaining to matter of listing additional
organizations under the President's Loyalty Order,
dated December 8, 1952.

Memorandum entitled "Defense Functions of the
Federal Bureau of Investigation," along with series
of charts depicting our activities in the Internal
Security Field, dated December 8, 1952.

Memorandum dealing with wire tapping, setting forth
Bureau's policy and referring to legislation which
has been introduced, dated December 5, 1952.

Memorandum setting forth details on current proposals
for establishment of Federal agency to disseminate
information on crime and setting forth certain proposals
of American Bar Association for control of local police
and prosecutors, dated December 9, 1952.

Memorandum concerning Bill introduced in the Senate
by Senator Eastland on April 7, 1952. The Bill was
designed to correct previous Act of Congress which

was construed to prevent the FBI from investigating such offenses as bribery, fraud against the Government, and corruption in the Treasury Department, dated December 8, 1952.

Memorandum dealing with the confidential character of FBI files and the necessity of keeping them inviolate, dated December 11, 1952.

With best regards, I am

Sincerely,

J. Edgar Hoover

Attachments