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TO :

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Date: 9 July 1951

FROM :

SUBJECT:

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On 23 June 1951

[redacted] was contacted by telephone by [redacted] a lie detector operator [redacted] regarding a course of instruction in hypnotism. At that time [redacted] stated that instruction could begin anytime that the student presented himself [redacted]

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On 2 July 1951 approximately 1:00 p.m. the instruction began with [redacted] relating to the student some of his sexual experiences. [redacted] stated that he had constantly used hypnotism as a means of inducing young girls to engage in sexual intercourse with him. [redacted] the performer in [redacted] orchestra was forced to engage in sexual intercourse with [redacted] while under the influence of hypnotism. [redacted] stated that he first put her into a hypnotic trance and then suggested to her that he was her husband and that she desired sexual intercourse with him. [redacted] further stated that many times while going home [redacted] he would use hypnotic suggestion to have a girl turn around and talk to him and suggest sexual intercourse to him and that as a result of these suggestions induced by him he spent approximately five nights a week away from home engaging in sexual intercourse.

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[redacted] claimed that during the Second World War he had worked for [redacted] (characterized by [redacted] as such a top secret intelligence organization that no was not permitted to give the words that the initials represented). His work for [redacted] consisted in hypnotizing subjects and causing them to memorize detailed material while under the influence of hypnotism. After the subject was awakened he would go to some other place and there be re-hypnotized and repeat verbatim the material he had memorized while previously under the influence of hypnotism. [redacted] stated that while mentally transporting this information the subject could not be made to reveal any of the material as due to post hypnotic suggestion he had completely forgotten it until he was re-hypnotized.

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[redacted] stated that [redacted] and a former student of [redacted] was considerably advanced in thought projection by hypnotism. [redacted] could cause a subject in hypnotic trance to read from a closed book a considerable distance away. [redacted] stated that about one out of twenty subjects have sufficient clairvoyance to be able to do thought projection.

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On the last day of the period of training [redacted] introduced the student to a man who was waiting for an appointment with [redacted]. The student was introduced as an expert hypnotist who wished to try an experiment on the man. The student at that time hypnotized the man and suggested that he would feel no pain. The student then suggested that he would be deaf for two minutes after he awoke. When the man awoke he could hear nothing, and to test for fakery the

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[REDACTED]

The student approached the man from behind and shouted in his ear and clapped his hands by his ear with absolutely no apparent effect upon the man's hearing.

H. [REDACTED] was most cooperative throughout the lessons and made for the student a series of tape recording of his various methods of hypnotism.

A [REDACTED]

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