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Honorable John Marshall Butler  
United States Senate  
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Senator Butler:

This is in reply to your letter of October 5, 1961, concerning Mr. Maurice H. Klein.

The Director of Security has no recollection and there is no indication in our records that either General Canine or General Sanford were informed of the discrepancies in Mr. Klein's personal history statements filed in 1949 and 1953. When certain of these misstatements were first brought to my attention in March of 1961, it was my opinion, based on the information then available and my previous associations with Mr. Klein, that they were isolated instances of error and were not intentional misstatements of fact. Since then, certain additional information has become available with respect to other instances of misstatements by Mr. Klein on official forms. It is now my opinion that these two misstatements were intentionally made; and that they are incompatible with the responsibilities required of the incumbent of the important and sensitive position of Assistant Director for Management Services with responsibility for maintaining for the Agency the highest standards of accuracy in personnel records.

Sincerely,

L. H. FROST  
Vice Admiral, USN  
Director

cc: DIR   
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M/R: Self-explanatory.

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