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THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

March 4, 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR:

THE PRESIDENT

FROM:

PHILIP BUCHEN *P.W.B.*

SUBJECT:

CIA Dossiers on Representatives  
Mink and Abzug

Bill Colby has reported to me and has supplied me with copies of material from the CIA files being supplied to the above Representatives on their demand.

In the case of Representative Mink, there are only two CIA cables reporting her visits with the Provisional Revolutionary Government of South Vietnam in Paris during 1972 and a list of newspaper and magazine articles about her.

In the case of Representative Abzug, there are the same cables on her contact in Paris with the PRG: two of her letters in 1958 and 1960 sent to addressees in the Soviet Union which were copied as the result of a CIA mail cover in the years 1953-73; the listing of her name as part of the mail listing of the World Council on Peace; her name on a list of persons subject to a study related to possible foreign links with American dissident groups; and other miscellaneous materials.

Undoubtedly, the recipients of this information will release it to the press, possibly as early as tomorrow, and I wanted you to be forewarned about the news reports which will result.

Insofar as I am informed, there exist in the files similar CIA information on only two other present members of Congress, and no demand has been made for this information.

I have advised Bill Colby to inform other agencies in the Intelligence Community of this development, and he will continue to keep my office informed of any developments about which you may want to be forewarned.