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U.S. Department of Justice

Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D.C. 20535

April 20, 2018

MR. JOHN GREENEWALD JR.
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FOIPA Request No.: 1401552-000
Subject: JOHNSON, CLARENCE LEONARD

Dear Mr. Greenewald:

Records responsive to your request were previously processed under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act. Enclosed is one CD containing 4 pages of previously processed documents and a copy of the Explanation of Exemptions. This release is being provided to you at no charge.

Documents or information referred to other Government agencies were not included in this release.

Records which may have been responsive to your request were destroyed on March 1, 1990; April 1, 1990; August 1, 1994; and January 1, 1995. Since this material could not be reviewed, it is not known if it was responsive to your request. Record retention and disposal is carried out under supervision of the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA), Title 44, United States Code, Section 3301 as implemented by Title 36, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 1228; Title 44, United States Code, Section 3310 as implemented by Title 36, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 1229.10.

For your additional information, records that may be responsive to your Freedom of Information/Privacy Acts (FOIPA) request has been transferred to the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA). You may desire to direct a request to NARA, 8601 Adelphi Road, College Park, MD 20740-6001. Please reference the file number 31-HQ-46634 and 173-HQ-4399.

Please be advised that additional records potentially responsive to your subject may exist. If this release of previously processed material does not satisfy your information needs for this request, you may request an additional search for records. Submit your request by mail or fax to – Work Process Unit, 170 Marcel Drive, Winchester, VA 22602, fax number (540) 868-4997. Please cite the FOIPA Request Number in your correspondence.

For your information, Congress excluded three discrete categories of law enforcement and national security records from the requirements of the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA). See 5 U.S. C. § 552(c) (2006 & Supp. IV (2010)). This response is limited to those records subject to the requirements of the FOIA. This is a standard notification that is given to all our requesters and should not be taken as an indication that excluded records do, or do not, exist.

For questions regarding our determinations, visit the www.fbi.gov/foia website under "Contact Us." The FOIPA Request Number listed above has been assigned to your request. Please use this number in all correspondence concerning your request.

You may file an appeal by writing to the Director, Office of Information Policy (OIP), United States Department of Justice, Suite 11050, 1425 New York Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. 20530-0001, or you may submit an appeal through OIP's FOIAonline portal by creating an account on the following web site: <https://foiaonline.regulations.gov/foia/action/public/home>. Your appeal must be postmarked or electronically transmitted within ninety (90) days from the date of this letter in order to be considered timely. If you submit your appeal by mail, both the letter and the envelope should be clearly marked "Freedom of Information Act Appeal." Please cite the FOIPA Request Number assigned to your request so it may be easily identified.

You may seek dispute resolution services by contacting the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) at 877-684-6448, or by emailing ogis@nara.gov. Alternatively, you may contact the FBI's FOIA Public Liaison by emailing foipaquestions@fbi.gov. If you submit your dispute resolution correspondence by email, the subject heading should clearly state "Dispute Resolution Services." Please also cite the FOIPA Request Number assigned to your request so it may be easily identified.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D Hardy", with a stylized flourish at the end.

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

Enclosures

EXPLANATION OF EXEMPTIONS

SUBSECTIONS OF TITLE 5, UNITED STATES CODE, SECTION 552

- (b)(1) (A) specifically authorized under criteria established by an Executive order to be kept secret in the interest of national defense or foreign policy and (B) are in fact properly classified to such Executive order;
- (b)(2) related solely to the internal personnel rules and practices of an agency;
- (b)(3) specifically exempted from disclosure by statute (other than section 552b of this title), provided that such statute (A) requires that the matters be withheld from the public in such a manner as to leave no discretion on issue, or (B) establishes particular criteria for withholding or refers to particular types of matters to be withheld;
- (b)(4) trade secrets and commercial or financial information obtained from a person and privileged or confidential;
- (b)(5) inter-agency or intra-agency memorandums or letters which would not be available by law to a party other than an agency in litigation with the agency;
- (b)(6) personnel and medical files and similar files the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy;
- (b)(7) records or information compiled for law enforcement purposes, but only to the extent that the production of such law enforcement records or information (A) could reasonably be expected to interfere with enforcement proceedings, (B) would deprive a person of a right to a fair trial or an impartial adjudication, (C) could reasonably be expected to constitute an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy, (D) could reasonably be expected to disclose the identity of confidential source, including a State, local, or foreign agency or authority or any private institution which furnished information on a confidential basis, and, in the case of record or information compiled by a criminal law enforcement authority in the course of a criminal investigation, or by an agency conducting a lawful national security intelligence investigation, information furnished by a confidential source, (E) would disclose techniques and procedures for law enforcement investigations or prosecutions, or would disclose guidelines for law enforcement investigations or prosecutions if such disclosure could reasonably be expected to risk circumvention of the law, or (F) could reasonably be expected to endanger the life or physical safety of any individual;
- (b)(8) contained in or related to examination, operating, or condition reports prepared by, on behalf of, or for the use of an agency responsible for the regulation or supervision of financial institutions; or
- (b)(9) geological and geophysical information and data, including maps, concerning wells.

SUBSECTIONS OF TITLE 5, UNITED STATES CODE, SECTION 552a

- (d)(5) information compiled in reasonable anticipation of a civil action proceeding;
- (j)(2) material reporting investigative efforts pertaining to the enforcement of criminal law including efforts to prevent, control, or reduce crime or apprehend criminals;
- (k)(1) information which is currently and properly classified pursuant to an Executive order in the interest of the national defense or foreign policy, for example, information involving intelligence sources or methods;
- (k)(2) investigatory material compiled for law enforcement purposes, other than criminal, which did not result in loss of a right, benefit or privilege under Federal programs, or which would identify a source who furnished information pursuant to a promise that his/her identity would be held in confidence;
- (k)(3) material maintained in connection with providing protective services to the President of the United States or any other individual pursuant to the authority of Title 18, United States Code, Section 3056;
- (k)(4) required by statute to be maintained and used solely as statistical records;
- (k)(5) investigatory material compiled solely for the purpose of determining suitability, eligibility, or qualifications for Federal civilian employment or for access to classified information, the disclosure of which would reveal the identity of the person who furnished information pursuant to a promise that his/her identity would be held in confidence;
- (k)(6) testing or examination material used to determine individual qualifications for appointment or promotion in Federal Government service the release of which would compromise the testing or examination process;
- (k)(7) material used to determine potential for promotion in the armed services, the disclosure of which would reveal the identity of the person who furnished the material pursuant to a promise that his/her identity would be held in confidence.

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FROM: SAC, WFO (116-39702) (P)

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CLARENCE LEONARD JOHNSON
aka Kelly - WA-7882
AEA-A
BUDED: 12/18/67

ReBulet to LA 11/16/67.

Enclosed for BA is copy of referenced Bulet and applicant's PSQ.

CIA files indicate National Agency Name Check conducted in March, 1960

b3 per CIA

BA check DCII for NIS and OSI file references and review pertinent files at Ft. Holabird.

Previous AEA-A investigation conducted by FBI in 1949; however, none of the above files were reviewed at that time.

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On December 1, 1967, SA [redacted] determined that the following record concerning the applicant was contained in the Personnel Security Files, Division of Security, United States Atomic Energy Commission (AEC), Germantown, Maryland.

Security file WA 7882 disclosed that CLARENCE LEONARD JOHNSON, was born February 2, 1910, in Ishpeming, Michigan, and was granted a "Q" clearance on August 31, 1949. The clearance was terminated on July 1, 1959. On

[redacted]

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OGA
letter

On November 13, 1967, a supplemental investigation 9/3/96 was requested by the AEC.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to:

Report of: SA MARVIN E. LEWIS
Date: 12/29/67

Office: WASHINGTON, D.C.

Field Office File #: 116-39702

Bureau File #: 116-147804

Title: CLARENCE LEONARD JOHNSON WA 7882

Character: ATOMIC ENERGY ACT - APPLICANT

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Synopsis: Applicant's passport record set forth.

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DETAILS: AT WASHINGTON, D.C.

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The files of the Passport Office, United States Department of State, reviewed by SA [redacted] on December 21, 1967, disclose that since the last review of August 1, 1949, CLARENCE LEONARD JOHNSON was next issued Passport #388158 on February 27, 1951, at Washington, D.C. (WDC), for three weeks travel to Australia on business for the Lockheed Aircraft Corporation. This was renewed on February 9, 1953, at WDC, for three weeks travel to Switzerland and other Western European countries for the same reason. The applicant was next issued Passport #750216 on August 8, 1955, at WDC for three weeks travel to The Netherlands on business for the above named company. This passport was renewed on August 26, 1957, at Los Angeles for two weeks travel to Italy for the same reason. He was next issued Passport #1738197 on November 17, 1959, at Los Angeles for two weeks travel to England, France and Italy on business for the Lockheed Aircraft Corporation. This was renewed on November 8, 1962, at Los Angeles for three weeks travel to England, France, Germany and Italy for the same purpose. He was last issued Passport #F708640 on July 2, 1965, at Los Angeles for six weeks travel to England, France, Germany, Italy, Japan and Hong Kong on business for Lockheed.

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SA ROBERT F. ROBINSON, JR. caused a search to be made of the files of the Central Intelligence Agency (CIA), and was advised on December 26, 1967, that the files contained no derogatory information concerning the applicant.

b3 per CIA

[redacted] Personnel Officer, CIA, advised SA ROBINSON on December 27, 1967, [redacted]