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MR. JOHN GREENEWALD JR.
THE BLACK VAULT

Dear Mr. Greenewald:

This is in reference to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request.

By letter dated September 4, 2013, you indicated your willingness to pay $15.00. The Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) has located approximately 4,877 pages of records potentially responsive to the subject of your request. By DOJ regulation, the FBI notifies requesters when anticipated fees exceed $25.00.

Releases are made on CD unless otherwise requested. Each CD contains approximately 500 reviewed pages per release. The 500 page estimate is based on our business practice of processing medium and large track cases in segments. DOJ regulations provide 100 pages or the cost equivalent ($10.00) free of charge. If all potentially responsive pages are released, you will owe $140.00 in duplication fees to receive the release on CD. Should you request that the release be made in paper, you will owe $477.70 in duplication fees.

Please remember this is only an estimate, and some of the information may be withheld in full pursuant to FOIA/Privacy Act exemption(s). Also, some information may not be responsive to your subject. Thus, the actual charges could be less. **No payment is required at this time.** However, you must notify us in writing within thirty (30) days from the date of this letter of your format decision (paper or CD) and your commitment to pay the estimated fee.

You have the opportunity to reduce the scope of your request; this will accelerate the process and could potentially place your request in a smaller processing queue. This may also reduce search and duplication costs and allow for a more timely receipt of your information. The FBI uses a three-queue processing system to fairly assign and process new requests. Requests track into one of the three queues depending on the number of responsive pages - 500 pages or less (small queue), 501 pages to 2500 pages (medium queue), or more than 2500 pages (large queue). Small queue cases usually require the least time to process. Please advise in writing, if you would like to discuss reducing the scope of your request, and your willingness to pay the estimated search and duplication costs indicated above. Provide a telephone number, if one is available, where you can be reached between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Eastern Time. Mail your response to: Work Process Unit; Record Information/Dissemination Section; Records Management Division; Federal Bureau of Investigation; 170 Marcel Drive; Winchester, VA 22602. You may also fax your response to: 540-868-4997, Attention: Work Process Unit.

Sincerely,

David M. Hardy
Section Chief,
Record/Information
Dissemination Section
Records Management Division
FOIPA Request No. 1226735-0  
Subject: CANNON, HOWARD WALTER

Dear Mr. Greenewald:

This is in response to your request for a fee waiver for the above referenced Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request. Fee waivers are determined on a case by case basis. See 5 U.S.C. § 552(a)(4)(A)(iii).

To be granted a fee waiver or a reduction in fees, two requirements must be satisfied. First, you must demonstrate that "disclosure of the [requested] information is in the public interest because it is likely to contribute significantly to public understanding of the operations or activities of the government." Second, you must establish that "disclosure of the information . . . is not primarily in the commercial interest of the requester." See 5 U.S.C. § 552(a)(4)(A)(iii). The burden is on the requester to show the statutory requirements for a fee waiver have been met. If these requirements are not satisfied, a fee waiver is unavailable under the statute.

To determine whether disclosure is in the public interest, we consider these factors: (1) whether the subject of the requested records concerns "the operations or activities of the government;" (2) whether the disclosure is "likely to contribute" to an understanding of government operations or activities; and (3) whether disclosure of the requested information will contribute "significantly" to "public understanding." See 28 C.F.R. §16.11(k)(2).

If the first requirement has been met, we must then determine whether disclosure of the requested information is primarily in the commercial interest of the requester. To make this determination, we consider these factors: (1) whether the requester has a commercial interest that would be furthered by the requested disclosure and (2) whether the magnitude of the identified commercial interest of the requester is sufficiently large, [compared to] the public interest in disclosure, that disclosure is "primarily in the commercial interest of the requester." See 28 C.F.R. § 16.11(k)(3). If the requester's commercial interest in disclosure is greater than the public interest to be served, then a fee waiver is not warranted.

We have reviewed the information you provided in support of your request for a fee waiver and have found that you do not satisfy either requirement. Quoting or paraphrasing the statute, without also providing factual detail or support specific to your request, is not sufficient under the law. Consequently, your request is denied.

You may file an appeal by writing to the Director, Office of Information Policy (OIP), U.S. Department of Justice, 1425 New York Ave., NW, Suite 11050, Washington, D.C. 20530-0001, or you may submit an appeal through OIP's eFOIA portal at http://www.justice.gov/oip/efoia-portal.html. Your appeal must be received by OIP within sixty (60) days from the date of this letter in order to be considered timely. The envelope and the letter should be clearly marked "Freedom of Information Appeal." Please cite the FOIPA Request Number in any correspondence to us for proper identification of your request.

Sincerely,

David M. Hardy  
Section Chief,  
Record/Information Dissemination Section  
Records Management Division
FM DIRECTOR FBI
TO FBI ALEXANDRIA PRIORITY
FBI BALTIMORE PRIORITY
FBI CINCINNATI PRIORITY
FBI LAS VEGAS PRIORITY
FBI PHOENIX PRIORITY
FBI PITTSBURGH PRIORITY
FBI RICHMOND PRIORITY
FBI SALT LAKE CITY PRIORITY
FBI SAINT LOUIS PRIORITY
FBI WASHINGTON FIELD PRIORITY
BT
UNCLAS
HOWARD W. CANNON, SPIN {A3}, BUDED: 4/10/87.
BUREAU HAS BEEN REQUESTED TO CONDUCT EXPEDITED INVESTIGATION OF CANNON FOR PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENT, WHICH REQUIRES SENATE CONFIRMATION AS A MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF

WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE
3/27/87

NOTE: REQUEST RECEIVED 3/27/87 FROM
RETURN TO
COUNSEL TO THE PRESIDENT
ROOM 18035

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
COMMUNICATIONS CENTER
MAR 28 1987

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TRUSTEES OF THE GOLDWATER SCHOLARSHIP AND EXCELLENCE IN
EDUCATION FOUNDATION.

APPOINTEE IS DESCRIBED AS BORN ON JANUARY 26, 1912, IN
ST. GEORGE'S, UTAH, AND HAS SSN: 530-16-8384.

RESIDENCES: 1938 TO 3/41, ST. GEORGE'S, UTAH; 3/41 TO
7/46, MILITARY SERVICE; 7/46 TO 3/51, LAS VEGAS, NEVADA; 4/59
TO 8/65, KENSINGTON, MARYLAND; 3/51 TO 5/70, LAS VEGAS,
NEVADA; 8/65 TO 5/75, BETHESDA, MARYLAND; 7/70 TO 6/75,
LAS VEGAS, NEVADA; 5/75 TO PRESENT, 6300 EVERMAY DRIVE,
MCLEAN, VIRGINIA; 6/75 TO PRESENT, 844 VEGAS VALLEY DRIVE,
LAS VEGAS, NEVADA.

EDUCATION: DIXIE JUNIOR COLLEGE, ST. GEORGE'S, UTAH,
1929 TO 1931, GRADUATED; FLAGSTAFF STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE,
FLAGSTAFF, ARIZONA, 1931 TO 1933, RECEIVING A B.E. DEGREE;
UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA LAW SCHOOL, TUSCON, ARIZONA, 1933 TO
1937, RECEIVING AN LL.B. DEGREE.

MILITARY: 6/33 TO 10/33, ARIZONA NATIONAL GUARD; 5/2/39
TO 5/21/39, UTAH NATIONAL GUARD; 5/39 TO 5/41, UNITED STATES
NATIONAL GUARD; 1941 TO 1946, UNITED STATES ARMY; 1950 TO
1972, UNITED STATES AIR FORCE RESERVE.
EMPLOYMENT: 1937 TO 1939, SELF-EMPLOYED LAWYER AND REAL ESTATE BROKER, ST. GEORGE, 3/3/41 TO 7/17/46, MILITARY SERVICE; 10/46 TO 1/59, LEWIS AND HAWKINS, LEWIS, HAWKINS AND CANNON, AND HAWKINS AND CANNON, AS AN ATTORNEY, SUPERVISOR: NOT LISTED; 5/19/49 TO 11/58, LAS VEGAS CITY ATTORNEY; 1/3/59 TO 1/3/83, UNITED STATES SENATOR; 1/84 TO 86, STATE OF NEVADA, CARSON CITY, NEVADA, IN COMMITTEE ON AGING; 1/83 TO PRESENT, FIRST WESTERN SAVINGS/LOAN, LAS VEGAS, NEVADA, AS DIRECTOR, SUPERVISOR: NOT LISTED; 1/83 TO PRESENT, FIRST WESTERN FINANCIAL, LAS VEGAS, NEVADA, AS DIRECTOR, SUPERVISOR: NOT LISTED; 1/83 TO PRESENT, UNIVERSITY OF NEVADA, LAS VEGAS, NEVADA, AS AN ADJUNCT PROFESSOR, SUPERVISOR: NOT LISTED; 1/83 TO PRESENT, HOWARD W. CANNON AND ASSOCIATES, 499 SOUTH CAPITOL STREET, WASHINGTON, D. C., AND P.O. BOX 19136, LAS VEGAS, NEVADA, AS A CONSULTANT.

REFERENCES AND ASSOCIATES: GENERAL R. G. TAYLOR, LAS VEGAS, NEVADA, TELEPHONE

SENATOR BARRY GOLDWATER, BOX 1601, SCOTTSDALE, ARIZONA, TELEPHONE NOT LISTED

LAS VEGAS, NEVADA, TELEPHONE
LAS VEGAS, NEVADA, TELEPHONE
MARYLAND, TELEPHONE
LAS VEGAS, NEVADA, TELEPHONE

APPOINTEE WILL BE REQUIRED TO MAKE DECISIONS CONCERNING
POLICY AND PERSONNEL MATTERS; THEREFORE, DURING INTERVIEWS,
DETERMINE IF APPOINTEE HAS EXPRESSED OR MANIFESTED ANY BIAS OR
PREJUDICE AGAINST ANY CLASS OF CITIZEN, OR ANY RELIGIOUS,
RACIAL OR ETHNIC GROUP. ALSO DETERMINE IF APPOINTEE USES
ILLEGAL DRUGS OR ABUSES ALCOHOL.

INVESTIGATION SHOULD RECEIVE PRIORITY ATTENTION AND
RECEIVING OFFICES SHOULD TELEPHONICALLY ADVISE FBIHQ OF ANY
DEROGATORY INFORMATION DEVELOPED, CONFIRM BY TELETYPE; AND
RECORD PERTINENT INTERVIEWS RELATING TO DEROGATORY INFORMATION
ON FD-302'S.

RECEIVING OFFICES NOTE THAT ALL PERIODS OF APPOINTEE'S
LIFE MUST BE ACCOUNTED FOR AND IF DURING THE COURSE OF
INVESTIGATION UNEXPLAINED OR UNACCOUNTED FOR GAPS ARE
IDENTIFIED, LEADS SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO FIELD OFFICE COVERING
APPOINTEE'S CURRENT EMPLOYMENT TO HAVE APPOINTEE CONTACTED TO
HAVE HIS ACTIVITIES DURING THOSE PERIODS IDENTIFIED.

SF 86 AND RECORDS RELEASE FOLLOW BY AIRTEL; ENCLOSURE FOR WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE FORWARDED BY SPECIAL MESSENGER.

AS THIS IS PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENT, FIELD OFFICES ARE EXPECTED TO MEET DEADLINE.

LEADS:

BALTIMORE AT FORT MEADE, MARYLAND: CHECK DCII.

CINCINNATI AT CINCINNATI: CHECK DISCO.

LAS VEGAS, AS PRINCIPAL OFFICE, INSURE AT LEAST THIRTY PERSONS KNOWLEDGEABLE CONCERNING APPOINTEE ARE INTERVIEWED. CHECK NEVADA STATE BAR, STATE ELECTION COMMISSION, AND STATE ATTORNEY GENERAL’S OFFICE.

PITTSBURGH AT BOYERS CENTER, PENNSYLVANIA: CHECK OPM.

SAINT LOUIS AT FEDERAL RECORDS CENTER: CHECK FRC {C AND M}.

WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE WILL IMMEDIATELY INTERVIEW APPOINTEE TO INSURE INFORMATION PROVIDED ON SF-86 IS COMPLETE AND ACCURATE {REFERENCE SAC LETTER DATED 7/8/86}. ANY LEADS RESULTING FROM THIS INTERVIEW SHOULD BE SENT TO HQ AND APPROPRIATE OFFICES PROMPTLY. NOTIFY HQ IMMEDIATELY IF DELAY...
IS ENCOUNTERED IN CONTACTING APPOINTEE OR ARRANGING INTERVIEW SO THAT APPROPRIATE COURSE OF ACTION CAN BE CONSIDERED. REPORT INTERVIEW ON INSERT OR FD-302 IF SIGNIFICANT DEVIATION FROM SF-86 IS NOTED. WASHINGTON FIELD: CHECK WHITE HOUSE, UNITED STATES SECRET SERVICE, PUBLIC INTEGRITY SECTION, DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, FEC; CHECK D. C. BAR.

ALEXANDRIA, BALTIMORE, LAS VEGAS, PHOENIX, SALT LAKE CITY, AND WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE ARE ALSO INSTRUCTED TO CONTACT THE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY’S OFFICES WHEREVER APPOINTEE HAS LIVED OR WORKED AS AN ADULT TO DETERMINE IF THERE IS ANY INDICATION APPOINTEE HAS BEEN INVOLVED IN A MATTER HANDLED BY THE USA’S OFFICE (EITHER CRIMINAL OR CIVIL, IN CLOSED OR CURRENT FILES).

ALL OFFICES: SUBMIT RESULTS OF COMPLETED INVESTIGATION TO REACH FBIHQ NO LATER THAN COB BUDED; USE EXPRESS MAIL OR OVERNIGHT DELIVERY SERVICE IF NECESSARY.

DIRECT RESULTS TO ATTENTION OF: SPIN UNIT, ROOM 1B035.

BT
Cannon, Howard Walter    W 5-8    1-26-12 CIVIL

Identification Division
FBI

A search of the fingerprints on the above individual has failed to disclose prior arrest data.
19. HAVE YOU EVER HAD A NERVOUS BREAKDOWN OR HAVE YOU EVER HAD MEDICAL TREATMENT FOR A MENTAL CONDITION?  □ YES □ NO.
(If your answer is "Yes," give details in item 28.)

20. FOREIGN COUNTRIES VISITED (SINCE 1930). (Exclusions of military service.)

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<td>Japan &amp; China</td>
<td>May '37</td>
<td>Sept. '37</td>
<td>Musician on Ship Tour</td>
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(See attached Sch.)

21. ARE YOU NOW, OR HAVE YOU EVER BEEN, A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY, U.S.A., OR ANY COMMUNIST OR FASCIST ORGANIZATION?  □ YES □ NO.

22. ARE YOU NOW OR HAVE YOU EVER BEEN A MEMBER OF ANY FOREIGN OR DOMESTIC ORGANIZATION, ASSOCIATION, MOVEMENT, GROUP, OR COMBINATION OF PERSONS WHICH IS TOTALITARIAN, FASCIST, COMMUNIST, OR SUBVERSIVE, OR WHICH HAS ADOPTED, OR SHOWS, A POLICY OF ADVOCATING OR APPROVING THE COMMISSION OF ACTS OF FORCE OR VIOLENCE TO DENY OTHER PERSONS THEIR RIGHTS UNDER THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES OR WHICH SEeks TO ALTER THE FORM OF GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES BY UNCONSTITUTIONAL MEANS?  □ YES □ NO.

23. IF YOUR ANSWER TO QUESTION 21 OR 22 ABOVE IS "YES," STATE THE NAMES OF ALL SUCH ORGANIZATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS, MOVEMENTS, GROUPS, OR COMBINATIONS OF PERSONS AND DATES OF MEMBERSHIP: IN ITEM 20 OR ON A SEPARATE SHEET TO BE ATTACHED AND MADE A PART OF THIS FORM. GIVE COMPLETE DETAILS OF YOUR ACTIVITIES THEREIN AND MAKE ANY EXPLANATION YOU DESIRE REGARDING YOUR MEMBERSHIP OR ACTIVITIES.

NAME IN FULL | ADDRESS | FROM | TO | OFFICE HELD
--------------|---------|------|----|---------------------|
None          |         |      |    |                     |

24. MEMBERSHIP IN OTHER ORGANIZATIONS. (List all organizations in which you are now a member or have been a member, except those which show religious or political affiliations.) (If none, so state.)

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25. RELATIVES. (Parents, spouse, divorced spouse, children, brothers, and sisters, living or dead. Name of spouse should include maiden name and any other name by previous marriage. If person is dead, state "dead" after relationship and furnish information for other columns as of time of death.)

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<td>Father</td>
<td>Walter Cannon</td>
<td>7/5/1888</td>
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<td>(Dead)</td>
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<td>Mother</td>
<td>Leah Sullivan Cannon</td>
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<td>Sister</td>
<td>Ramona Cannon</td>
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<td>Sister</td>
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<td>8/26/17</td>
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<td>Wife</td>
<td>Dorothy Page Cannon</td>
<td>3/1/15</td>
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<td>USA</td>
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<td>Daughter</td>
<td>Nancy L. Bjornsen</td>
<td>9/7/52</td>
<td>4662 W.Warm Spgs,</td>
<td>USA</td>
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<td>Son</td>
<td>Alan Cannon</td>
<td>11/28/54</td>
<td>844 Vegas Vally Dr., USA</td>
<td>Las Vegas, NV</td>
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APR 3 '87

UNABLE TO IDENTIFY WITH ARREST RECORD
ON BASIS OF INFORMATION FURNISHED.
FOR IDENTIFICATION DIVISION.
TO: FBI, LIAISON

FIELD:

SUBJECT: FBI Investigations

Date of Birth: 1/26/12
Place of Birth: St. George, UT

Present Address:
6300 Evermay Dr., McLean, VA 22101
844 Vegas Valley Dr., Las Vegas, NV 89109

We request:

Name Check
Full Field Investigation
Limited Update

The person named above is being considered for:

White House Staff Position
Presidential Appointment *(PAS)

Attachments:

SF 86 1 2
SF 87, Fingerprint Card
SF 86, Supplement

Remarks/Special Instructions:

Board of Trustees of the Goldwater Scholarship
& Excellence in Education Foundation

MAR 27 1987
**SECURITY INVESTIGATION DATA**

**FOR SENSITIVE POSITION**

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Prepare in triplicate, using a typewriter. Fill in all items. If the answer is "No" or "None," so state. If more space is needed for any item, continue under item 28.

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<th>(LAST NAME)</th>
<th>(FIRST NAME)</th>
<th>(MIDDLE NAME)</th>
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<td>Cannon</td>
<td>Howard</td>
<td>W.</td>
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**OTHER NAMES USED.** (Maiden name, names by former marriages, former names changed legally or otherwise, aliases, nicknames, etc. Specify which, and show dates used.)

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| 7. IF MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED, GIVE FULL NAME AND DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH OF SPOUSE OR FORMER SPOUSE. INCLUDE WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME. GIVE DATE AND PLACE OF MARRIAGE OR DIVORCE. (Give same information regarding all previous marriages and divorces.) |

| Dorothy Pace Cannon | Jan. 4, 1915 Alamo, Nevada; Dec 21 '45 Las Vegas, NV |

| 8. DATES AND PLACES OF RESIDENCE. (If actual places of residence differ from the mailing addresses, furnish and identify both.) Begin with present and go back to January 1, 1937. (Continue under item 28 on other side if necessary.) |

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| 9. U.S. CITIZEN | ☑ |

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| 1936-1941 | 36-36 |
26a. REFERENCES (Name three persons, not relatives or employers, who are aware of your qualifications and fitness.)

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26b. CLOSE PERSONAL ASSOCIATES. (Name three persons, such as friends, schoolmates or colleagues, who know you well.)

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<td>1260 Denver, Boulder City, NV 626 So. 7th St., LV</td>
<td>89005 Las Vegas, NV</td>
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27. TO YOUR KNOWLEDGE, HAVE YOU EVER BEEN THE SUBJECT OF A FULL FIELD OR BACKGROUND PERSONAL INVESTIGATION BY ANY AGENCY OF THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT? ☐ YES ☑ NO. (If your answer is "Yes," show in item 28, (1) the name of the investigating agency (2) the approximate date of investigation, and (3) the level of security clearance granted, if known.) see attached

28. SPACE FOR CONTINUING ANSWERS TO OTHER QUESTIONS. (Show item numbers to which answers apply. Attach a separate sheet if there is not enough space here.) see attached

29. REPORT OF INFORMATION DEVELOPED. (This space reserved for FBI use.) DATE:

Before signing this form check back over it to make sure you have answered all questions fully and correctly.

CERTIFICATION

I CERTIFY that the statements made by me on this form are true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, and are made in good faith.

False statement on this form is punishable by law. 13 Mar, 1997

INFORMATION TO BE FURNISHED BY AGENCY

INSTRUCTIONS TO AGENCY: See Federal Personnel Manual Chapter 736 and FPM Supplement 296-31, Appendix A, for details on when this form is required and how it is used. If this is a request for investigation before appointment, insert "APPL" in the space for Date of Appointment and show information about the proposed appointment in the other spaces for appointment data. The original and the first carbon copy should be signed by the applicant or appointee. Submit the original and the unsigned carbon copy of the form, Standard Form 87 (Fingerprint Chart), and any investigative information about the person received on voucher forms or otherwise, to the United States Civil Service Commission, Bureau of Personnel Investigations, Washington, D.C., 20415. If this is a request for full field security investigation, submit these forms to the attention of the Division of Reimbursable Investigations; if this is a request for preappointment national agency checks, submit these forms to the attention of the Control Section.

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This Is A Sensitive Position

(SIGNATURE AND TITLE OF AUTHORIZED AGENCY OFFICIAL)
14. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN DISCHARGED FROM THE ARMED FORCES UNDER OTHER THAN HONORABLE CONDITIONS? ☐ YES ☑ NO.

(If answer is "Yes," give details in item 26.)

15. EMPLOYMENT. (List ALL employment dates starting with your present employment. Give both month and year for all dates. Show ALL dates and addresses when unemployed. Give name under which employed if different from name now used.)

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16. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN DISCHARGED (FIRED) FROM EMPLOYMENT FOR ANY REASON? ☐ YES ☑ NO.

17. HAVE YOU EVER RESIGNED (QUIT) AFTER BEING INFORMED THAT YOUR EMPLOYER INTENDED TO DISCHARGE (FIRE) YOU FOR ANY REASON? ☐ YES ☑ NO.

(If your answer to 16 or 17 above is "Yes," give details in item 26. Show the name and address of employer, approximate date, and reasons in each case. This information should agree with the statements made in item 15—EMPLOYMENT.)

18. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN ARRESTED, TAKEN INTO CUSTODY, HELD FOR INVESTIGATION OR QUESTIONING, OR CHARGED BY ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT AUTHORITY? (You may omit: (1) Traffic violations for which you paid a fine of $30 or less; and (2) anything that happened before your 16th birthday. All other incidents must be included, even though they were dismissed or you merely forfeited collateral.) ☐ YES ☑ NO.

IF YOUR ANSWER IS "YES," GIVE FULL DETAILS BELOW:

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Mar '51
Jul '46
Mar '41

Address
844 Vegas Valley Drive, Las Vegas, NV 89109
6300 Evermay Drive, McLean, VA, 22101
1117 Vegas Valley Drive, Las Vegas, NV 22101
5312 Portsmouth Rd., Springhill, Bethesda, MD
1702 W. Charleston Blvd., Las Vegas, NV
10012 E. Bexhill Drive, Kensington, MD
715 Bell Drive, Las Vegas, NV
Military Service
St. George, Utah

#10

Name of School
Univ. of Arizona
Law School
Flagstaff State
Teachers College
Dixie Jr. College
Dixie High School

Address
Tuscon, Arizona
Flagstaff, Arizona
St. George, Utah
St. George, Utah

From
1933
1931
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To
1937
1933
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Degree
LLB
BE
Graduated
Graduated

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Enlisted
Arizona N.G.

June 21 '33 to Oct. 23 '33

Enlisted
Utah N.G.

Mar 2 '39 to May 21 '39

2nd Lt.
N.G.U.S.

May 22 '39 to March 3 '41

Capt
A.U.S.

May 20 '41

Maj
A.U.S.

Nov 22 '43

Lt Col
A.U.S.

Jan 1 '45

Lt Col
A.C. Res

Apr 1 '46

Col
USAFR

May 8 '50 - Mar 7 '61

B/Gen
AF Res

Mar 7 '61 - Feb 10 '66

Maj/Gen
AF Res

Feb 10 '66 - June 30 '72

Released for ADY 17 Jul '46

Retired - Jul 1 '72

#19

Typist - indicate

US Army

Arizona National Guard June - Oct 1923

Utah National Guard May 1929

US National Guard 1932-44

US Army 1941-1946

US Air Force Reserve 1950-1972

I have visited over 50 countries in my capacity as a U.S. Senator or as a Reserve Officer during 1959, the 60's, 70's and '81 and '82. They include Western Europe countries of France; West Germany; Holland; Denmark; Belgium; Ireland; Scotland; U.K.; Austria; Switzerland; Spain; Portugal; Italy; Greece; Turkey; North Africa; Morocco; Canada;

Eastem Bloc countries of Soviet Union; East Germany; Hungary; Czechoslovakia; Rumania; Bulgaria; Yugoslavia; Poland - also Syria; Lebanon; Jordan; Iran; Saudia Arabia; Israel; India; Egypt; China; Japan; Taiwan; Korea; Philippines. South American countries of: Argentina; Brazil; Chile; Peru; Columbia; Venezuela; Mexico; Dominican Republic; Haiti. S.E. Asia countries of So. Vietnam; Thailand; Cambodia. Do not have the exact dates available.

#27

I held a Top Secret clearance in the Military and in the Senate. Do not know what agency performed the background check.

Howard Metzen

#20 (Con't.)
THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Date: March 24, 1987

MEMORANDUM FOR: 

FROM: 

SUBJECT: CANNON, HOWARD WALTER

The following information was provided telephonically by Sen. Cannon regarding his SF 86:

RE #15: 1937-1939
Self-employed Lawyer and Real Estate Broker, St. George, UT

RE #25:
Father born Pinto, UT
Mother born St. George, UT
Sister Ramona born St. George, UT
Sister Evelyn born St. George, UT
Daughter born Reno, NV
Son born Las Vegas, NV
SUPPLEMENT TO SF-86
(Attach additional pages if necessary)

1. Please furnish the names and addresses of all corporations, firms or other business enterprises, partnerships, nonprofit organizations, and educational or other institutions with which you are presently associated or have been associated during the past five years either as officer, director, trustee, sole owner, partner or stockholder with controlling interest.

Howard W. Cannon & Associates, P.O. Box 19136, Las Vegas, NV
499 South Capitol St., S.W., Washington, D.C.
University of Nevada, Adjunct Professor, Las Vegas, NV
First Western Savings & Loan Director, Las Vegas, NV
First Western Financial, Director, Las Vegas, NV
Commission on Aging, State of Nevada, Member 1984-1985
National Aeronautics Assn., Director, Washington, D.C.
Aero Club of Washington, former Director

2. Have you ever been a candidate for Federal, state or local elected office, or a treasurer or other officer of a political committee? Were there any complaints lodged with the Federal Election Commission or state or local election authorities against you or your political committee? If so, please explain.

Yes, I have been a candidate. No complaints to my knowledge.

3. Do you maintain any residence other than your permanent residence; e.g., vacation home? If so, please furnish address.

I have maintained two residences for the last 28 years. My legal and voting residence is 844 Vegas Valley Drive, Las Vegas, NV 89109. While in the U.S. Senate and in the D.C. area, the address is 6300 Evermay Drive, McLean, VA 22101, except as indicated in Basic Question #8.

4. Have you ever been disciplined or cited for a breach of ethics or unprofessional conduct by, or been the subject of a complaint to, any court, administrative agency, professional association, disciplinary committee, or other professional group? If so, please give full details.

No - The Senate Ethics Committee investigated allegations in a newspaper article when I was in the U.S. Senate. After investigation, the Committee found the allegations to be without merit.

(over)
5. To your knowledge have your activities or those of any of your business enterprises, or associates in those enterprises, ever been the subject of criminal investigation, or a civil enforcement investigation or proceeding? If so, please give full details.


6. Have you ever been a party in any civil court action? If so, please give full details.

No.

I understand that the information being provided on this supplement to the SF-86 is to be considered part of the original SF-86 dated 13 Mar 87 and a false statement on this form is punishable by law.

Signed [Signature]

Howard W. Cannon
MEMORANDUM FOR PROSPECTIVE APPOINTEES

FROM: COUNSEL TO THE PRESIDENT

This letter confirms in writing your express consent for the Federal Bureau of Investigation to investigate your background in connection with the consideration of your application for employment.

You should be aware that the authority to collect this background information is based on the President's executive powers in Article II of the Constitution. The information will be used to obtain necessary clearances to assist you in your work. The background information, which includes a review of FBI files, will be disclosed to another Federal agency, to assist in its process of clearing you. Willfully making a false statement, or concealing a material fact, may constitute a violation of Section 1001, Title 18, of the U.S. Code.

If you provide any information which indicates a violation of law, whether civil, criminal or regulatory in nature, it will be referred to the appropriate Federal, state, local or foreign agency.

By volunteering information concerning activities protected by the First Amendment, it will be assumed that you are expressly authorizing the maintenance of this information in the records of any Federal agency.

The FBI investigation will include the collection and use of relevant information in the files of various Federal agencies and it is necessary that you authorize the disclosure of such information to the FBI.

If you consent to such an investigation, and to the disclosure of relevant information by other Federal departments and agencies to the FBI, please sign your name below and return this original letter of consent to me.

Thank you.

Name (please print) Howard W. Cannon

Signature __________________________ Date 13 Mar. 1987
AUTHORITY TO RELEASE INFORMATION

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

I hereby authorize any Special Agent or other authorized representative of the Federal Bureau of Investigation bearing this release, or copy thereof, within one year of its date, to obtain any information in your files pertaining to my educational records including, but not limited to, academic, achievement, attendance, athletic, personal history, and disciplinary records; employment records; regulatory agency records; professional board certification and grievance records; law enforcement records (including, but not limited to any record of charge, prosecution, or conviction for criminal or civil offenses); and credit records, including credit card and payment device numbers. I hereby direct you to release such information upon request of the bearer. This release is executed with full knowledge and understanding that the information is for the official use of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. Consent is granted for the FBI to furnish such information, as is described above, to third parties in the course of fulfilling its official responsibilities. I hereby release you, as the custodian of such records, and any school, college, university, or other educational institution, credit bureau or consumer reporting agency, professional board, regulatory agency, retail business establishment, law enforcement agency, or criminal justice agency, including its officers, employees, or related personnel, both individually and collectively, from any and all liability for damages of whatever kind, which may at any time result to me, my heirs, family or associates because of compliance with this authorization and request to release information, or any attempt to comply with it. Should there be any question as to the validity of this release, you may contact me as indicated below:

Full Name: [Signature]

Parent or Guardian
(if required):

Date: 13 Mar 1987

Current Address: 6300 Evermay Drive, McLean, VA 22101
844 Vegas Valley Drive, Las Vegas, NV 89109

Telephone Number: (703) 356-5471
(702) 732-1850
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
Records/Operations Sections

- Name Search
- Service Unit
- Special File Room
- Forward to File Review
- Attention
- Return to

Scope of Search: (Check One)
- Automated Data Base (ADB) (Individual Born 1962 and After)
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- Unrestricted (Active & Inactive Index)

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- Main

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Subject: Cannon, Howard W.

Birthdate & Place

Address

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FROM: SPECIAL INQUIRY Room 13035 TL 254

SUBJECT: Howard W. Cannon

The Bureau has been requested to conduct an expedite investigation of the above-captioned subject, who is being considered for an unspecified Presidential appointment. The indicated unit is requested to check available indices based upon available information concerning subject, employment, and all close relatives. It is requested that the results of your checks, positive or negative, be indicated in the spaces provided below, and relayed to the Special Inquiry Unit (SPIN), Room 5161, TL 233, via routing slip marked "URGENT", on or before BUDED.

Subject is described as follows:

Result
SA
NR

Name: Howard W. Cannon
DOB: January 26, 1912
POB: St. George, Utah
SSN: 536-11-8384
Current residence: 844 Vegas Valley Drive, Las Vegas, NV
Employment: Howard W. Cannon & Associates
Washington, D.C. + Las Vegas, NV

Close Relatives

Result Relationship Name DOB Residence
NR Father Walter Cannon 7/5/1888 deceased
NR Mother Leah Sullivan Cannon 5/25/1889 deceased
NR nee: Sullivan aka: Mrs. Walter Cannon
SA Sister Pamela Cannon Schmutz 9/4/50 deceased
SR Sister
NR Daughter
NR Son
SA Spouse Dorothy Price Cannon 11/4/15
nee: Hall aka: Mrs. Howard W. Cannon

Check conducted by

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Captioned individual, who you advised was born January 26, 1912, in St. George, Utah, and holds Social Security Number 530-16-8384, is a former U.S. Senator from Nevada. Our central files contain the following information pertaining to him.

In February, 1964, a reliable confidential source advised that U.S. Senator Howard Cannon was present at the funeral services in Las Vegas, Nevada, for Claire Levinson, wife of Edward Levinson. Cannon reportedly had made a special trip from Washington, D.C., to attend the funeral, which made him miss several important votes in the Senate.

Comments were made at the funeral that Cannon was one of the few friends the gambling establishments in Las Vegas still had; that he was the only one of any stature who was willing to stand up and be counted and to show himself as a friend of Edward Levinson.

Edward Levinson, President of the Fremont Hotel, Las Vegas, was an Anti-Racketeering investigation by the FBI from 1962 to 1969. He pleaded nolo contendere to one count of a two count indictment by a Federal Grand Jury (FGJ) in Las Vegas, in 1968 (income tax evasion). He was fined $5,000 for making a false tax return and count two was dismissed.

In 1965, at the request of the Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice (DOJ), an investigation was conducted by the FBI into certain allegations made against Cannon by in testimony given before the Committee on Rules and Administration of the U.S. Senate on December 1, 1964.

1 - SAC, Chicago (183A-1882) Enclosure
   Attn: SA
   1 - SAC, Las Vegas (183A-455) Enclosure
   Attn: SA
   1 - Room 3058
   1 - Room 1B035
   1 - Attn: SEE NOTE ON PAGE 4

Bicentennial of the United States Constitution (1787-1987)
Attended is a copy of an interview conducted by the FBI with Cannon on January 13, 1965, and FBI letters dated January 18 and 28, 1965, which were furnished to the Acting Attorney General, DOJ, with the results of the FBI investigation of the allegations.

Our files also contain an allegation received in 1965 that an individual in Las Vegas claimed responsibility for the re-election of the then Senator Howard Cannon by stealing 600 votes in the 1964 election. Cannon reportedly won the election by about 60 votes. No action was taken by the FBI as there was no indication he knew about this situation.

It was brought to our attention in 1965 that Cannon was reportedly attempting to obtain a full presidential pardon for an individual convicted and sent to prison for income tax evasion in the 1950's. This individual who resided in Las Vegas had a wide acquaintance among major hoodlums throughout the United States and a criminal record dating back to 1924. The individual eventually became disillusioned with Cannon's efforts and made other contacts.

In 1980, Cannon, a U.S. Senator from Nevada, became one of the subjects of an extensive Racketeering Influenced and Corrupt Organizations investigation by the FBI under the code name "Pendorf." Attached is an FBI letter which gives the details of his reported involvement.

On May 22, 1981, an 11 count indictment was returned against Allen Dorfman, Ray Williams, who was the current President of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, a "capo" in the Chicago La Costra Nostro (LCN) and others regarding conspiracy to bribe a U.S. Senator.
Howard Walter Cannon

In addition to the above information obtained concerning his involvement in the Pendorf case, the following allegations were also received regarding Cannon.

Allen Dorfman reportedly gave $5,000 to Cannon in 1976, at the direction of a hotel corporation in Las Vegas, for the purpose of obtaining some information on an individual suspected of being an informant; however, it was possible the money could have been for an entirely different reason. Dorfman was later queried by a top Chicago LCN member about whether he delivered the money to Cannon and Dorfman insisted that he did.

Turk Torello (deceased Capo in the Chicago LCN family) in 1979 reportedly made the statement that Cannon had been a big help in the past and was expected to be a lot of help in the future.

Additionally in 1979, a Kansas City, Missouri, LCN member reportedly made contact with the Administrative Assistant of Senator Cannon on behalf of an incarcerated Kansas City LCN member. During the execution of a Federal search warrant in February, 1979, at the residence of a Kansas City LCN member, a piece of paper was seized with the following notation "Cannon -- Dunes Wednesday 10th or Thursday 11th." The details of this contact are unknown to this Bureau.

In 1980, a politically influential Oklahoma businessman who owned property in Nevada located on a river paid off Senator Cannon in order to have the river dredged by the Corp of Engineers or the Environmental Protection Agency. It was noted at that time that Senator Cannon was a member of the Armed Services Committee and sat on the Military Construction and Stockpile Committee.

The above allegations generally consist of information furnished by sources that Senator Cannon used his influence wrongly. None of these allegations were substantiated by the FBI.

Alan Dorfman was the victim of a gangland style slaying on January 20, 1983, after being convicted in the Pendorf case in December, 1982.
Howard Walter Cannon

The central files at FBI Headquarters, the records of the Identification Division and appropriate computer data bases contain no additional pertinent information identifiable with the captioned individual, based upon background information furnished in connection with this name check request.

Enclosures (4)

NOTE: Per request from Counsel to the President, at the White House. This answer was coordinated with Unit Chief Labor Racketeering Unit, OC Section, CID, SA Chicago FO and Las Vegas FO. Confidential sources are and
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Transcript of HOWARD WALTER CANNON
# Student Record

**Name:** Cannon, Howard Walter

**Admitted:** Sept. 16, 1933

**From:** Arizona State, with 1st Year Standing in the College of Law.

**Major Subject:** Teachers College at Flagstaff

**Awarded the Degree of Bachelor of Laws on:** June 2, 1937

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**Graduated:**


**Standing:**

- **Subjects**: Inc., Incomplete.

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**Entrance Conditions**

- **Units Removed**: 1.

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**Degree Requirements Completed 1st Sem. 1936-37**

- **Intra-mural Debating Award, Second Place, 1934-35.**

- **Music 20 | Concert Band**: 12 | 12

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**Fraternity:** Delta Sig

**Activities:** Band

**Honorary and Prof. Organ.: Phi Mu Alpha**

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**THE UNIT SYSTEM:** A unit usually represents 1 hour of classroom work a week for a semester of 18 weeks, and assumes 3 hours of preparation; it may stand for 1 hour of classroom work and 2 hours of preparation, or for 3 hours of laboratory work.

**GRADES:** Passing grades: 1, 2, 4; Falling grades: 3, D. Temporary grades: Inc., Incomplete; D, Condition to be made up by extra class work or by examination. W, Authorized withdrawal.

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HOWARD W. CANNON, SPIN IA3, BUDED: 4/10/87.
REFERENCE BUREAU TELETYPE TO ALL OFFICES DATED 9/7/82.
BUREAU HAS BEEN REQUESTED TO CONDUCT EXPEDITE
INVESTIGATION OF CANNON FOR PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENT, AS A
MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE GOLDWATER SCHOLARSHIP
AND EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION FOUNDATION WHICH WILL REQUIRE
SENATE CONFIRMATION.

ALL OFFICES CHECK GENERAL AND CONFIDENTIAL INDICES AND
ELSUR FILES BASED UPON AVAILABLE INFORMATION CONCERNING
APPOINTEE, CLOSE RELATIVES AND PRESENT BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENT.
INDICES CHECKS AND ALL OTHER RECORD SEARCHES MUST INCLUDE
CHECKS OF LOGICAL VARIATIONS OF NAMES OF APPOINTEE AND CLOSE
RELATIVES.

RETURN TO ROOM 1B035
161-19436-2

MAR 28 1987
ALEXANDRIA, BALTIMORE, LAS VEGAS, PHOENIX, SALT LAKE CITY AND WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE IF UTILIZING MAJOR CASE INFORMATION SYSTEM AND ARE OFFICE OF ORIGIN ON THOSE CASES SHOULD ALSO CHECK THOSE DATA BASES. PROMPTLY SUTEL RESULTS {POSITIVE OR NEGATIVE} BY TELETYPE SUMMARY AND IF POSITIVE, FOLLOW WITH COPIES OF DOCUMENTS BY AIRTEL.

ALEXANDRIA, BALTIMORE CINCINNATI, LAS VEGAS, PHOENIX, PITTSBURGH, RICHMOND, SALT LAKE CITY SAINT LOUIS, AND WASHINGTON FIELD SHOULD NOT RUC UPON COMPLETION OF THE ABOVE RECORD CHECKS AS ADDITIONAL INVESTIGATION IS FORTHCOMING.

APPOINTEE IS CURRENTLY EMPLOYED BY HOWARD CANNON AND ASSOCIATES, WASHINGTON, D.C. AND LAS VEGAS, NEVADA, IS DESCRIBED AS BORN JANUARY 26, 1912, IN ST. GEORGE'S, UTAH, HAS SSAN: 530-16-8384 AND RESIDES AT 844 VEGAS VALLEY DRIVE, LAS VEGAS, NEVADA, AND 6300 EVERMAY DRIVE, MCLEAN, VIRGINIA.

CLOSE RELATIVES: FATHER, DECEASED, WALTER CANNON, DATE OF BIRTH 7/5/1888, IN PINTO, UTAH; MOTHER, DECEASED, LEAH SULLIVAN CANNON, DATE OF BIRTH 5/25/1889, IN ST. GEORGE, UTAH; SISTER, DECEASED, RAMONA CANNON SCHMUTZ, DATE OF BIRTH 9/4/20, IN ST. GEORGE, UTAH; SISTER, ___________ DATE OF BIRTH
DOROTHY PACE CANNON, DATE OF BIRTH 1/4/15, IN ALAMO, NEVADA, RESIDES WITH APPOINTEE; DAUGHTER, DATE OF BIRTH IN RENO, NEVADA, RESIDES IN LAS VEGAS, NEVADA; SON, DATE OF BIRTH IN LAS VEGAS, NEVADA, RESIDES.

DIRECT RESULTS TO THE ATTENTION OF: SPIN UNIT, ROOM 18035.
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March 27, 1987

Director, FBI

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  Salt Lake City - Enc. (2)
  Saint Louis - Enc. (2)

HOWARD W. CANNON
SPIN (A)
BUDED: 4/10/87

ReButel today.

Enclosed are background data and release received with request for investigation.

All Offices: Direct results to attention of:

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REBUTAL TO ALL FIELD OFFICES, MARCH 27, 1987.

ANCHORAGE DIVISION GENERAL INDICES, AS CHECKED BY RCA

ON MARCH 28, 1987, AND ELSUR INDICES, AS CHECKED BY SAC
SECRETARY ON MARCH 30, 1987. NEGATIVE REGARDING
APPOINTEE, CLOSE RELATIVES, COHABITANTS, AND BUSINESS ENTITY OR
AFFILIATION.

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ON MARCH 30, 1987, A SEARCH OF BALTIMORE INDICES, GENERAL,
CONFIDENTIAL AND ELSUR, CONDUCTED BY DISCLOSED NO
IDENTIFIABLE INFORMATION REGARDING THE APPOINTEE, HIS LISTED
RELATIVE(S), OR HIS BUSINESS BASED ON THE INFORMATION PROVIDED.

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RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO ALL OFFICES. 3/27/87.

SAVANNAH GENERAL INDICES SUPPLY TECHNICIAN

CONFIDENTIAL INDICES FILE ASSISTANT AND ELSUR

INDICES FILE ASSISTANT ALL NEGATIVE REGARDING:

APPOINTEE. CLOSE RELATIVES AND PRESENT BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENT.

ON 3/30/87.

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REFERENCE BUREAU TELETYPE TO ALL OFFICES DATED MARCH 27,
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A REVIEW OF THE GENERAL INDICES BY CONFIDENTIAL INDICES BY AND ELSUR INDICES BY ALL NEGATIVE REGARDING CANDIDATE. CLOSE RELATIVES, AND BUSINESS ENTITY ON MARCH 30. 31. 30. 1987, RESPECTIVELY.
TO DIRECTOR FBI ROUTINE

ATTN: ROOM 1B035

RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO ALL OFFICES DATED MARCH 27, 1987.

ON MARCH 31, 1987, THE ELSUR INDICES OF THE RICHMOND DIVISION, AS CHECKED BY MISCELLANEOUS DOCUMENTS EXAMINER

THE INFORMANT INDICES, AS CHECKED BY CLERK AND THE GENERAL INDICES, AS CHECKED BY CLERK WERE NEGATIVE AS TO APPOINTEE AND ALL CLOSE RELATIVES.

RICHMOND DIVISION AT RICHMOND, VIRGINIA - INVESTIGATION CONTINUING.

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REBUTEL TO ALL OFFICES, DATED MARCH 27, 1987.

A REVIEW OF PITTSBURGH INDICES AND ELSUR FILES FAILED TO REFLECT ANY INFORMATION IDENTIFIABLE WITH THE APPOINTEE OR ANY MEMBER OF HIS IMMEDIATE FAMILY.

ELSUR CHECKS WERE CONDUCTED BY ELSUR CLERK AND INDICES CHECKS WERE CONDUCTED BY INDICES CLERK
FM JACKSONVILLE (161A-R-534) (RUC)

TO DIRECTOR, FBI PRIORITY

ATTN: SPIN UNIT. ROOM 1B035

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HOWARD W. CANNON, SPIN(A); BUDED: 4-10-87

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JACKSONVILLE GENERAL INDICES (IA

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FOR INFORMATION OF THE BUREAU. ON MARCH 28, 1987. THE
ALBUQUERQUE INDICES WERE SEARCHED IN ACCORDANCE WITH RE BUTEL
WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. GENERAL INDICES WERE CHECKED BY

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ATTENTION: SPIN UNIT, ROOM 1B035

HOWARD W. CANNON; SPIN(A): BUDED: APRIL 10, 1987


BASED UPON AVAILABLE INFORMATION CONCERNING APPOINTEE.

HOWARD W. CANNON, HIS CLOSE RELATIVES, AND PRESENT BUSINESS
ESTABLISHMENT. THE LOUISVILLE GENERAL INDICES WERE SEARCHED ON
MARCH 28, 1987, AND THE ELSUR INDICES WERE SEARCHED ON APRIL 1,
1987, WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

THE LOUISVILLE GENERAL INDICES WERE SEARCHED BY SECURITY
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REBUTEL TO ALL OFFICES, MARCH 27, 1987.

MOBILE GENERAL INDICES (AOSM-R) CONFIDENTIAL INDICES (FA), ELSUR INDICES (FA) AND "OPFOPEN" COMPUTER LIST (STAFF, ASST.


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RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO ALL FIELD OFFICES DATED MARCH 27, 1987.

NO REFERENCE WAS FOUND REGARDING APPOINTEE. LISTED CLOSE RELATIVES. OR BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENT. THE FOLLOWING MINNEAPOLIS DIVISION INDICES WERE CHECKED ON MARCH 31, 1987, BY THE INDICATED MINNEAPOLIS EMPLOYEES.

GENERAL INDICES:

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BT CC DEC 1:92,

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ON MARCH 30, 1987, A CHECK OF SAN FRANCISCO GENERAL INDICES BY LOCATED THE FOLLOWING REFERENCES:

87-33873-9, REFERRING TO A DOROTHY CANNON, FBI NUMBER 4456600. THAT FILE HAS BEEN DESTROYED. 196-13-1173, REFERRING TO A WALTER CANNON. A REVIEW OF THAT FILE COULD NOT DETERMINE WHETHER IT WAS IDENTICAL. 183-434-213, PAGE 3, REFERRING TO A HOWARD W. CANNON, U. S. SENATOR. A REVIEW OF 183-434 INDICATES THAT U. S. SENATOR HOWARD W. CANNON WAS INVOLVED IN A TELEPHONE CONVERSATION WITH ALAN DORFMAN, WHO WAS A SUBJECT IN AN INVESTIGATION ENTITLED "PENDORF, RICO; 00: CHICAGO." SAN FRANCISCO HAS ONLY A COPY OF
A teletype sent from Chicago on May 23, 1979, to the Director, Chicago file number 183-657, and 183-726. The conversation involves discussion of some type of land deal which they Senator's Son-in-law appears to be involved in. Chicago should have a text of the conversation.

On March 30, 1987, _______________ checked confidential indices with negative results.

On March 31, 1987, _______________ checked Elsur indices with negative results.

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TO DIRECTOR. FBI PRIORITY

ATTN: SPIN UNIT. ROOM 18035

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RE EUREAU TELETYPE TO ALL OFFICES DATED MARCH 27, 1987.

MIAMI GENERAL INDICES, IA AND

CONFIDENTIAL INDICES. AND /

EL3UR INDICES.

ALL NEGATIVE RE: CANDIDATE, CLOSE FAMILY, COHABITANTS

AND BUSINESS ENTITY. ON APRIL 2, 1987. EXCEPT THE APPLICANT HOWARD

CANNON.

MIAMI FILE 195-0-17 DATED FEBRUARY 6, 1986, REFLECTED A NEWSPAPER ARTICLE REGARDING THE CONVICTION OF FOR

ATTEMPTING TO BRIE BE THEN UNITED STATES SENATOR HOWARD CANNON. THE

ARTICLE STATED CANNON WAS NOT ACCUSED FOR WRONGDOING.

A COPY OF THIS ARTICLE WILL BE SENT TO THE BUREAU VIA-AIRTEL.
MIAMI FILE REMAINS PENDING.

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REFERENCE: Bureau teletype to Alexandria and other field offices dated 3/27/87.
Bureau airtel to Alexandria and other field offices dated 3/27/87.

ADMINISTRATIVE:

All individuals contacted were apprised of the provisions of the Privacy Act, and those requesting confidentiality have been so noted.

Alexandria search of general, confidential and ELSUR indices was negative for the appointee, appointee's sister, appointee's wife, appointee's daughter, and appointee's son.
LEADS:

ALEXANDRIA

AT MANASSAS, VIRGINIA

Will conduct a credit check at the CREDIT BUREAU OF NORTHERN VIRGINIA, INCORPORATED, Manassas, Virginia, for the appointee.
On April 1, 1987, _______ McLean, Virginia, advised that she has resided at
the above residence for 17 years. She stated that she first met the appointee approximately 12 years ago when
he moved into her neighborhood. She advised that she does not socialize with him and his wife to a great degree but
remain very friendly and talk on the phone often. She
advised that he has a second home in Las Vegas and spends
a lot of time there. She stated that while he is in Las
Vegas she receives his mail for him and holds it until
he returns. She characterized him as an exceptionally
wonderful person, whom she could say nothing negative about
and considers him to be reliable and responsible. She
felt that he is also emotionally stable and she knew of
no financial problems that he may have. She stated that
he seems to live a modest life and is careful with his
money. She stated that as far as she knows he has a very
wonderful reputation and is considered to be a good neighbor.
She commented that she could not say enough of good things
about him. She has never had any reason to question his
loyalty or any of his associates' loyalty to the United
States and knows nothing concerning any contacts with foreign nationals or memberships in any adverse or radical groups or associations. She has never heard him express any biases, prejudices, or discriminatory remarks. She has no knowledge concerning any work related problems and believes him to be a very competent individual. She stated that she has never known him to abuse alcohol or use any illegal drugs. She stated that he seems to have a very happy family life and commented that she knows he has two children and two grand children. She indicated the appointee and his wife do not entertain very often and she believed that she and her husband are probably their closest neighbors. She concluded by stating that she considers the appointee and his wife to be very lovely people and recommended him highly for a position of trust and confidence with the United States Government.

On April 1, 1987, McLean, Virginia, advised she has resided in the above residence for 14 years. She believed the appointee has resided in his residence since approximately 1975 and considers him a good neighbor. She advised that she and her husband do not socialize with him and has only met him on a couple of occasions. She stated that they do say hello to one another casually as neighbors when they see each other. She could only make general comments concerning any characterization of emotional and financial stability for the appointee. She has never heard anything from anyone concerning any expression of any biases, prejudices, or remarks of a discriminatory nature by the appointee. She has not known him to abuse alcohol or use any illegal drugs and she had nothing negative or derogatory to say concerning him. She could not comment concerning any contacts with foreign nationals or memberships in any groups or associations. She did comment, however, that she believes he is involved in the community and believes he has a very good reputation. She concluded by stating that she would recommend him for a position of trust and confidence with the United States Government.

On April 1, 1987, McLean, Virginia, advised she has resided in her residence for the past 18 years. She stated that she has only met the appointee two times casually as a neighbor and commented that she really does not know him. She stated that she has never had any problems with him as a neighbor in the 12 years that she knows he has resided there. She stated that she has never heard anything negative from the other neighbors either and commented that as far as she knows the appointee is reliable, responsible, emotionally stable, and gets along well with the other neighbors.
She has never had any evidence that the appointee abused alcohol or used any illegal drugs. She felt she could not comment concerning any reputation, biases, or prejudices the appointee may have. She felt she did not know him well enough to be able to recommend him for a position of trust and confidence with the United States Government.

On April 1, 1987, McLean, Virginia, advised that she has resided in the above residence since 1970. She stated that she does not socialize with the appointee but does have knowledge that he has resided in the neighborhood since 1975. She indicated that they say hello as neighbors but that is the extent of their relationship. She advised she has never heard anything negative about the appointee and has never had any problems with him as a neighbor. She felt she did not know him well enough to make any further comment.

On April 2, 1987, McLean, Virginia, advised that she has resided in her residence for the past 13 years. She stated that she knows the appointee casually as a neighbor, believes he has resided in his residence for approximately the same amount of time she has resided in hers. She characterized him as helpful, accommodating, a fine person, and an overall fine individual. She believed he is reliable, responsible, and both emotionally and financially stable. She stated that she personally does not have an opinion concerning any reputation he may have but she indicated that she only heard very good things about him. She advised that she has never heard any indication that the appointee possesses any biases, prejudices, or any discriminatory beliefs. She has never known him to abuse alcohol or use any illegal drugs and had nothing negative or derogatory to say concerning him. She had no knowledge concerning any contacts with foreign nationals or memberships in any radical groups or associations. She considered him a very loyal American citizen, has never had any reason to question any of his associates loyalty to the United States. He believes he has a very happy family life and recommended him for a position of trust and confidence with the United States Government.

On April 2, 1987, McLean, Virginia, advised he has resided in the above residence for five years. He stated that he does not know the appointee personally and does not know how long he has lived in the neighborhood. He stated that
he does not socialize with the appointee but they will say hello to each other when they see each other. He characterized the appointee for as far as he knows him as a lovely person who seems to keep his house up very well. He considered him reliable, responsible, and both emotionally and financially stable as far as he knows. He considered him a highly respected individual in the neighborhood and has heard nothing but good things from the other neighbors concerning him. He believed the appointee is a loyal American citizen and considers his associates to be of high moral character and patriotic individuals. He had no knowledge concerning any contacts with foreign nationals or membership in adverse or radical groups or associations. He has never heard of any work related problems the appointee may have and has had no evidence of any alcohol abuse or illegal drug use by the appointee. He believes the appointee has a happy family life and had nothing negative or derogatory whatsoever to say concerning him. He recommended the appointee for a position of trust and confidence with the United States Government and believed the appointee would be an ideal man for the job.

ARREST CHECKS

On March 30, 1987, a computerized check of the CENTRAL CRIMINAL RECORDS EXCHANGE (CCRE), VIRGINIA STATE POLICE (VSP), Richmond, Virginia, failed to reflect any information identifiable with the appointee.

On April 2, 1987, IA caused a search to be made of the files of the FAIRFAX COUNTY, VIRGINIA, POLICE DEPARTMENT, and was advised that no record was located regarding the appointee. It is to be noted that in applicant matters only class three and four misdemeanors are available.

UNITED STATES ATTORNEY'S OFFICE

IA caused a search to be made of the records at the United States Attorney's Office, Eastern District of Virginia, 701 Prince Street, Alexandria, Virginia, and was advised that no record was located regarding HOWARD W. CANNON, Social Security Account Number: 530-16-8384, and Date of Birth: January 26, 1912.
ATTN: RM 1B035


ON MARCH 28, 1987 AND MARCH 30, 1987, BUTTE GENERAL INDICES AND ELSUR/CONFIDENTIAL INDICES WERE REVIEWED BY

AND NO PERTINENT INFORMATION LOCATED IDENTIFIABLE WITH APPOINTEE, IMMEDIATE FAMILY OR BUSINESS ENTITY.

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FROM FBI DALLAS (161A-D) (RDG)

TO DIRECTOR FBI PRIORITY

ATTN: SPIN ROOM 1B035

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HOWARD W. CANNON, SPIN(A), BUDED: 4/10/87.

RE BUTEL TO ALL OFFICES, 3/27/87.

DALLAS GENERAL INDICES __________________ CONFIDENTIAL
INDICES __________________ AND ELSUR INDICES __________________

ALL NEGATIVE RE: CANDIDATE, CLOSE FAMILY, COHABITANTS AND

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On April 2, 1987, the Houston Division General Indices were checked by Investigative Assistant (IA) [redacted]. The confidential files were reviewed by confidential file clerk [redacted] and the Elsur files were checked by file assistant [redacted] and found to contain no information identifiable with the appointee, his close relatives, or his present business establishment.

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ATTN: SPIN UNIT, ROOM 1B035


RE BUDET TO ALL OFFICES, MARCH 27, 1987.

OKLAHOMA CITY GENERAL INDICES

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TO DIRECTOR PRIORITY
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ATTENTION SPIN, ROOM 1B035.

REBUTAL TO ALL OFFICES DATED MARCH 28, 1987.

COLUMBIA GENERAL INDICES [CONFIDENTIAL]
INDICES [ ] AND ELSUR INDICES [ ]
ALL NEGATIVE REGARDING CANDIDATE, CLOSE FAMILY, COHABITANTS AND

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ATTN:

DENVER DIVISION GENERAL INDICES

AN INDICES CHECK IN JULY, 1985, CONFIDENTIAL INDICES

AND ELSUR INDICES

BOTH NEGATIVE REGARDING APPOINTEE, CLOSE FAMILY, CIHABITANTS

AND BUSINESS ENTITY, ON APRIL 2, 1987.

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REBUTEL TO ALL OFFICES, MARCH 27, 1987.

SAN DIEGO GENERAL INDICES (BY IA) APRIL 2, 1987; CONFIDENTIAL INDICES (BY MARCH 20, 1987); AND ELDR INDICES (BY APRIL 2, 1987). ALL NEGATIVE RE CANDIDATE, CLOSE FAMILY, COHABITANTS AND BUSINESS ENTITY, EXCEPT AS FOLLOWS:

GENERAL INDICES REVEALED REFERENCE 183-230-137, PAGE 4 FOR HOWARD W. CANNON AND AND REFERENCE 1968-679% FOR WALTOR CANNON.

A REVIEW OF 183-230-137, REVEALED THAT BY TELETYPET TO DIRECTOR AND OTHER OFFICES, MARCH 1, 1980, ENTITLED, "PENDORF;
RTP: CO: CG, CG 183-657; BUFILE 183-2185", LAS VEGAS ADVISED
THAT "ACCORDING TO DOCUMENTS FROM THE CLARK COUNTY RECORDER'S
OFFICE, ON FEBRUARY 6, 1978, __________________________
________________________ HOWARD J. CANNON, DOROTHY CANNON, AND
________________________ SOLD A PIECE OF PROPERTY TO R. C. ASSOCIATES, A LIMITED
PARTNERSHIP, ADDRESS 4740 SOUTH VALLEY VIEW BOULEVARD, LAS VEGAS,
NEVADA...." NO DESCRIPTIVE INFORMATION FURNISHED REGARDING
CANNONS.

ELSEWHERE REVEALED ONE HOWARD CANNON AS A PRINCIPAL
IN FILE 183-230, WHO WAS OVERHEARD ON SD/SDC 30-35, AND
SD/SDC 36-41. NO DESCRIPTIVE INFORMATION WAS SET FORTH, AND
NO OTHER INFORMATION.

REVIEW OF FILE 1968-679 REVEALED THAT ONE "WALT CANNON,
DBA DOME EQUIPMENT, INC., POMPANO BEACH, FLORIDA, AND HOLLYWOOD,
CALIFORNIA", WAS ONE OF THE SUBJECTS IN A FRAUD BY WIRE
INVESTIGATION, WITH OFFICE OF ORIGIN AS SAN FRANCISCO
(SF 1968-1369). DESCRIPTIVE INFORMATION RE WALT CANNON COULD
NOT BE LOCATED IN SAN DIEGO FILE.

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FROM PORTLAND (161-R-430) (RUL)
TO DIRECTOR ROUTINE

SUBJECT:

PORTLAND GENERAL INDICES, CONFIDENTIAL INDICES AND
ALSO SUR INDICES ARE NEGATIVE RE: APPOINTEE, CLOSE FAMILY,
COHABITANTS AND BUSINESS ENTITY, AS SEARCHED BY FILE CLERK

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FM CLEVELAND (161A-R-422) (RUC)
TO DIRECTOR  PRIORITY
ATTN: SPIN ROOM 1B035
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HOWARD W. CANNON. SPIN (A); BUDED: APRIL 10, 1987.

RE BUTER TO ALL OFFICES MARCH 28, 1987.

CLEVELAND GENERAL INDICES MANUAL SEARCHED BY

AUTOMATED SEARCHED BY CONFIDENTIAL INDICES SEARCHED BY

AND ELSUR INDICES SEARCHED BY

ARE NEGATIVE REGARDING APPOINTEE. CLOSE RELATIVES. AND BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENTS ON APRIL 1. 1987.

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RE: FBI HQ Tel to all Field Offices, 3/27/87.

A check of the Salt Lake City indices by Staffing Assistant, on 3/26/87; ELSUR indices by ELSUR Clerk, on 4/3/87; and Informant Indices by Confidential Clerk, on 3/31/87, reflected nothing identifiable with appointee, close relatives, cohabitants or business establishments.

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ATTN: SPIN UNIT, ROOM 1B035

HOWARD W. CANNON, SPIN (A); BUDED: APRIL 10, 1987

RE DIRECTOR TELETYPE TO ALL FIELD OFFICES, MARCH 27, 1987. BH GENERAL, CONFIDENTIAL AND ELSUR INDICES NEGATIVE RE APPOINTEE, CLOSE RELATIVES, AND BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENT.

BH ELSUR INDICES SEARCHED BY FA ON MARCH 31, 1987; BH CONFIDENTIAL INDICES SEARCHED BY FC ON MARCH 31, 1987; BH GENERAL INDICES SEARCHED BY ACTING IA ON APRIL 6, 1987.

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DATE: APRIL 1, 1987

TO: Director, Central Intelligence Agency

FROM: Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation

Subject: HOWARD W. CANNON
SSAN: 530-16-8384

NAME CHECK REQUEST

It is requested this Bureau be furnished all information available in the files of your Agency's Office of the Director of Security concerning captioned subject. Positive information should be attached to a copy of this form classified where appropriate and returned to this Bureau. If the requested check is negative, a stamped notation to this effect and return of a copy of this form is requested.

Date and Place of Birth
JANUARY 26, 1912
SAINT GEORGE, UTAH

Alias: NONE

Sex: M
Marital Status: MARRIED
Spouse's Name: DOROTHY PACE CANNON

Residence Address
844 VEGAS VALLEY DRIVE, LAS VEGAS, NV
6300 EVERMAY DRIVE, MCLEAN, VIRGINIA

Occupation
CONSULTANT

Current Employer
HOWARD W. CANNON & ASSOCIATES
WASHINGTON, D.C. & LAS VEGAS, NV

Former Employments
U.S. GOVERNMENT

Additional Remarks:
APPOINTEE HAS VISITED SEVERAL FOREIGN COUNTRIES IN HIS CAPACITY AS U.S. SENATOR.

COPY OF SF-86 ATTACHED

NO RECORD

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TO DIRECTOR, FBI ROUTINE
ATTENTION: SPIN UNIT, ROOM 18035

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RE BUREAU TEL TO ALL OFFICES MARCH 27, 1987.

JACKSON GENERAL INDICES CHECKED BY ELSUR
CHECKED BY CONFIDENTIAL INDICES CHECKED BY
AND ALL NEGATIVE RE APPOINTEE, CLOSE
RELATIVES AND PRESENT BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENT. JACKSON
DOES NOT HAVE ISIS.

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ATTENTION SPIN, ROOM 1B035.


RE BUREAU TELTYPE TO ALL OFFICES, DATED MARCH 27, 1987.

ON APRIL 3, 1987, DETROIT GENERAL INDICES SUPPORT EMPLOYEE

ELSUR INDICES SUPPORT EMPLOYEE

AND CONFIDENTIAL INDICES SUPPORT EMPLOYEE

WERE NEGATIVE REGARDING APPOINTEE, CLOSE FAMILY,

COHABITANTS AND BUSINESS ENTITY.

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O MAR 31 1988
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

**REPORTING OFFICE** | **OFFICE OF ORIGIN** | **DATE** | **INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD**
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ALEXANDRIA | BUREAU | 4/7/87 | 4/3/87

**TITLE OF CASE**

HOward W. CANNON

**CHARACTER OF CASE**

SPECIAL INQUIRY (A)

**REFERENCE:** Alexandria report to the Bureau dated 4/3/87.

**ADMINISTRATIVE:**

All individuals contacted were apprised of the provisions of the Privacy Act, and those requesting confidentiality have been so noted.

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SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE

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**Notations**

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
Federal Bureau of Investigation

Copy to:

Report of: SA
Date: April 7, 1987
Office: Alexandria, Virginia

Field Office File #: 161A-11705
Bureau File #: 

Title: HOWARD W. CANNON

Character: SPECIAL INQUIRY (A)

Synopsis: Credit check favorable.

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DETAILS:

CREDIT CHECK

On April 3, 1987, IA caused a search to be made of the files of the CREDIT BUREAU OF NORTHERN VIRGINIA, INCORPORATED, Post Office Box 232, Manassas, Virginia, which covers the Washington Metropolitan area, and was advised that the appointee has a satisfactory credit record.

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HOWARD W. CANNON, SPIN (A); DEADLINE APRIL 10, 1987

RE BUTEL TO ALL OFFICES AND ALEXANDRIA, MARCH 27, 1987.

BUREAU AIRTEL TO ALEXANDRIA, MARCH 27, 1987.

WHERE APPROPRIATE, PRIVACY ACT (E) (3) DATA WAS FURNISHED TO PERSONS INTERVIEWED. EXPRESS PROMISES OF CONFIDENTIALITY, BOTH LIMITED AND UNLIMITED, HAVE BEEN NOTED WHERE GRANTED.

FOR INFORMATION SAN ANTONIO, CANNON, BORN JANUARY 26, 1912, IS RETIRED MAJOR GENERAL, U.S. AIR FORCE RESERVE. DATE OF RETIREMENT JULY 19, 1972. HE HAD PRIOR MILITARY SERVICE AS FOLLOWS:

ARIZONA AND UTAH NATIONAL GUARD (ENLISTEE) FROM JUNE 1933 TO MAY 1939; NATIONAL GUARD OF U.S. (OFFICER) MAY 1939 TO MARCH 1941.
ACTIVE DUTY ARMY AIR CORPS (OFFICER) MARCH 1941 TO APRIL 1946, SERIAL NUMBER O 383 170; AIR FORCE RESERVE (COLONEL) MAY 1950 TO MARCH 1961 (BRIGADIER GENERAL) MARCH 1961 TO FEBRUARY 1966 AND (MAJOR GENERAL) FEBRUARY 1966 TO JUNE 1972.

ON APRIL 7, 1987, PERSONNEL, FEDERAL RECORDS CENTER, MILITARY BRANCH (FRC-M), ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI, ADVISED MILITARY RECORDS FOR CANNON'S PRIOR NATIONAL GUARD SERVICE AND FOR ACTIVE DUTY IN ARMY AIR CORPS FROM MARCH 1941 TO APRIL 1946, WERE DESTROYED IN JULY 1973 FIRE AT THIS CENTER. APPOINTEE SERVICE IN ARMY AIR CORPS VERIFIED THROUGH RECONSTRUCTED RECORDS, FRC-M.

ON APRIL 7, 1987, PERSONNEL, FRC-M, ADVISED MILITARY RECORDS FOR CANNON, SSAN 530-16-8384, FOR AIR FORCE RESERVE SERVICE SUBSEQUENT TO 1946, NOT LOCATED AT THIS CENTER. PERSONNEL ADVISED RECORDS LOCATED AIR FORCE MILITARY PERSONNEL CENTER, MILITARY PERSONNEL RECORDS DIVISION, RANDOLPH AIR FORCE BASE, TEXAS.

SAN ANTONIO DIVISION, AT RANDOLPH AIR FORCE BASE, TEXAS, LOCATE AND REVIEW CANNON'S MILITARY RECORDS. THROUGH REVIEW, ATTEMPT TO VERIFY ALL PERIODS OF PRIOR MILITARY SERVICE. (SAN ANTONIO SHOULD BE IN RECEIPT OF BACKGROUND INFORMATION SET FORTH IN REBUTEL TO ALL OFFICES). DIRECT RESULTS TO ATTENTION
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SPIN UNIT, ROOM 1B035. SF-86 AND RECORDS RELEASE FOLLOWS BY FASCIMILE.

REPORT FOLLOWS TO BUREAU.

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**TITLE OF CASE:**
HOWARD W. CANNON

**REPORT MADE BY:**
IA

**TYPED BY:**
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**CHARACTER OF CASE:**
SPECIAL INQUIRY (A)

**REFERENCE:**

**ADMINISTRATIVE:**
Where appropriate, Privacy Act (e) (3) data was furnished to persons interviewed. Express promises of confidentiality, both limited and unlimited, have been noted where granted.

Cincinnati Office General Indices, Elsur Index, and Confidential Indices negative regarding applicant.

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UNIVERSAL STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
Federal Bureau of Investigation

Report of: IA
Date: APRIL 8, 1987
Office: CINCINNATI

Field Office File #: 161A-R-699
Bureau File #: 

Title: HOWARD W. CANNON

SPECIAL INQUIRY (A)

Synopsis: DISCO records, Columbus, Ohio, reflect appointee has an active secret clearance.

DETAILS:

DISCO:

On March 31, 1987, Security Clerk, Status and Inquiry Branch, Defense Industrial Security Clearance Office (DISCO), Columbus, Ohio, was personally contacted and she advised she located the following security clearance in their files identifiable with the appointee, HOWARD W. CANNON, SSAN 530-16-8384.

A secret clearance dated December 15, 1983, based on a National Agency Check by the Defense Investigative Service dated December 13, 1983. This clearance is active and the employing agency is General Dynamics, 1745 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, Virginia, 22202.

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FM MILWAUKEE (161A-R-451) (RUC)
TO DIRECTOR PRIORITY
(ATTN: SPIN UNIT, ROOM 1B035)
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HOWARD W. CANNON, SPIN (A), BUDED: APRIL 10, 1987
RE BUTEL TO ALL OFFICES, MARCH 27, 1987.

ON MARCH 30, 1987, CLERK ___________ AND FILE ASSISTANT ___________ SEARCHED THE ELSUR AND CONFIDENTIAL INDICES, RESPECTIVELY, AND ON APRIL 6, 1987, IA ___________ SEARCHED THE GENERAL INDICES OF THE MILWAUKEE OFFICE, WITHOUT LOCATING ANY INFORMATION IDENTIFIABLE WITH APPOINTEE ANY MEMBERS OF APPOINTEE'S FAMILY OR HIS PRESENT BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENT.
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HOWARD W. CANNON, SPIN(A), BUDED APRIL 10, 1987


A REVIEW OF CHICAGO GENERAL INDICES DISCLOSED SEVERAL REFERENCES TO ONE "SENATOR HOWARD W. CANNON" FROM CG 183-192 "GREYLORD". HOWEVER, IT COULD NOT BE DETERMINED IF IDENTIFIABLE WITH APPOINTEE.

A CHECK OF CHICAGO GENERAL AND ELSUR INDICES DISCLOSED SEVERAL REFERENCES TO ONE "SENATOR HOWARD CANNON" FROM CG 183-657 "PENDORF". THIS FILE COULD NOT BE REVIEWED AS ALL VOLUMES HAVE BEEN SENT TO THE BUREAU.

BASED ON INFORMATION FURNISHED IN REFERENCED
BUREAU TELETYPE, CHICAGO'S GENERAL, ELSUR AND CONFIDENTIAL INDICES DISCLOSED NO IDENTIFIABLE INFORMATION ON APPOINTEE OR CLOSE RELATIVES OF APPOINTEE.


IN VIEW OF THE ABOVE, CHICAGO IS CONDUCTING NO FURTHER INVESTIGATION.

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ATTENTION: SPIN UNIT, ROOM 1B035
HOWARD W. CANNON. SPIN (A). BUDED APRIL 10. 1987
RE BUREAU TELETYPETO ALL OFFICES, DATAED MARCH 27. 1987

CINCINNATI DIVISION GENERAL INDICES (IA

CONFIDENTIAL INDICES ELSUR
INDICES ALL NEGATIVE RE CANDIDATE,

INVESTIGATION CONTINUING.

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HOWARD W. CANNON, SPIN (A), BUDED; APRIL 10, 1987.

RE BUTEL TO ALL OFFICES, MARCH 27, 1987.

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CONFIDENTIAL INDICES AND ELSUR INDICES FA

ALL NEGATIVE RE: CANDIDATE, CLOSE FAMILY, COHABITANTS


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ON APRIL 7, 1987, NORFOLK INDICES WERE CHECKED; ON APRIL 1, 1987, ELSUR INDICES WERE CHECKED, AND ON APRIL 2, 1987, SECURE INDICES WERE CHECKED, ALL WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS RE CANDIDATE AND ALL LISTED MEMBERS OF CANDIDATE'S FAMILY.

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ATTN: SPIN UNIT, ROOM 1B035

HOWARD W. CANNON; SPIN; BUDED: APR. 10, 1987


SPRINGFIELD GENERAL INDICES, CONFIDENTIAL INDICES, AND ELSUR INDICES,

ALL NEGATIVE RE CANDIDATE, CLOSE FAMILY, COHABITANTS AND BUSINESS ENTITY, ON APR. 1, 1987.

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MAR 24, 1988

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
(ATTENTION: MR. SPIN UNIT)

FROM: MIAMI (161A-R-481) (G-5) (RUC)
HOWARD W. CANNON
SPIN (A)
BUDED 4/10/87

RE MM Teletype to the Bureau dated 4/2/87.
Enclosed is one copy of a newspaper article concerning
HOWARD CANNON.

Miami investigation complete.

① - Director (Enc.
1 - Miami
CP: dr
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MAR 24 1988
Ex-Teamster chief ordered to prison

Williams to enter medical center in Springfield, Mo.

Chicago—Former Teamsters President Roy L. Williams today was ordered to enter a prison hospital to begin serving a reduced sentence of 10 years.

The order came from U.S. District Judge Prentice Marshall, who reduced Mr. Williams' original sentence of 55 years for 'conspiring to bribe a U.S. senator.'

After an emotional appeal for leniency by Mr. Williams, Judge Marshall ordered the former union leader to report to the U.S. Medical Center for Federal Prisoners in Springfield, Mo., in 60 days.

"My life is in your hands," Mr. Williams, 70, told the judge. He said he was innocent.

Mr. Williams, who suffers from emphysema and heart problems, was wheeled into the courtroom and was tethered to an oxygen supply.

Judge Marshall did not comment on the reduced sentence. The original 55-year sentence was provisional pending a medical evaluation.

The sentence was imposed in 1983, but the medical evaluation did not take place until this year because Mr. Williams' case was appealed to the Supreme Court.

Judge Marshall said 60 days should give Mr. Williams time to seek medical attention and to get his personal affairs in order.

Mr. Williams was convicted with four other persons in 1982, for conspiring to bribe then-U.S. Sen. Howard Cannon, a Nevada Democrat, with a lucrative Las Vegas land deal in exchange for his help in defeating trucking deregulation legislation.

The legislation passed. Mr. Cannon was never accused of wrongdoing.

"Mr. Williams' attorneys argued in April that a prison term would kill him. Prosecutors had argued that Mr. Williams should be imprisoned because of the severity of his crime and because he had shown no remorse.

Mr. Williams' rise to the helm of the Teamsters began from the presidency of the union's Local 41 in Kansas City. Over the years he maintained his connections to the city, and at one point in his sentencing proceedings he asked a judge to allow him to stay on the 375-acre farm he owns outside the city.

Mr. Williams is from the Kansas City area, but was aligned with the union's "Chicago faction" while he was active in union activities. He was Kansas City's top Teamsters official for three decades.

See Williams, pg. 5A, col. 4