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 1. Request CIA-10 has already asked for information on the interagency source registry. From open (though possibly unreliable sources) I understand that the ISR was a single register for the intelligence community that identified all sources and on whose payroll they were kept. This prevented a person from giving the same info to more than one agency and being paid by more than one agency for the same information. Please provide me with a sanitized version of the document to which you refer.  
 2. Yes, let's track down the cable. I think we should follow-up. Give me your suggestions.  
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 Date: 09/04/96 04:06:22 PM  
 Subject: Antonio Veciana/CIA-JFK files overview  
 This morning (04 Sept 96) Christopher Barger and I examined several folders from the CIA's JFK segregated collection (not microfilm rolls) regarding Antonio Veciana. A report of our findings follows, coupled with action items/analysis. Within the folders, we identified several documents that were of particular interest: (the following information was extracted from unclassified documents)  
 Christopher located a draft CIA statement to the HSCA on the Veciana allegations which made the statement that "I cannot help but wonder if... their (HSCA) investigator, having committed himself to demonstrating a Veciana-Bishop-CIA tie, has not irretrievably botched the investigation and is now trying to cover it up in this salvage effort..." This undoubtedly refers to Gaeton Fonzi and his pursuit of the AV angle. CIA reiterated, in no uncertain terms, that the Agency had minimal contact with AV and that their file searches found nothing relevant on Veciana, or the existence of a "Maurice/Morris Bishop." I located a document which states that AV was registered on something called the "Inter-Service Registry" by the US Army for the period November 1962 to July 1966, at which time he was terminated without prejudice.  
 Action/analysis: I think we should obviously try to figure out what this "Registry" is, locate a copy, and try to figure out why AV was listed in it, as part of our ongoing AV/military investigation. I also located a "memorandum for the record" which referenced a 07 July 1962 cable from (redacted) which outlined a meeting of Alpha 66 in Bayamon, PR. At this meeting AV discussed the undertaking of an "action program outside of U.S. Control. In this connection the group was in contact with CIA through person named 'Joe' but group was not going to confide in CIA and were taking precaution of avoiding CIA penetration..."  
 Action/Analysis: This information would seem to make it important that we try to track down this cable, as it may confirm part of AV's story -- he had told the HSCA that he was trained in black ops by a man named Joe Melton, who was referred to him by Maurice Bishop. It could also shed light on AV's (and A-66's) true feelings about the CIA. Please let Chris and I know what you think of our findings and if

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