

## MEMORANDUM

To: File 4.18.2 -- INS Background  
From: Phil Golrick  
Re: Attorney General's Report -- 1963

I have copied selected pages from the Report of the Attorney General for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1963. The copied pages pertaining to the INS are attached. They contain the following points of interest for our purposes:

The INS Commissioner was Raymond F. Farrell. (Page 398.) A brief summary of the INS's functions is given on page 398.

Due to increased investigation of Cuban refugees, "a number of Cubans alleged to be subversive departed prior to the completion of [their] investigations. These included Jesus Alcala-Martinez and Vincent Luis Perez y Gonzalez, alleged propagandists for the Fair Play for Cuba Committee at Tampa, Florida; Antonio Denis-Jordan, suspected Cuban G-2 agent in New York City, and Ignacio Fernandez-Sanchez, an alleged Castro agent in Bridgeport, Connecticut." (Page 416.)

In Miami, the INS maintained an index of "Latin American aliens in the subversive, criminal, immoral, and narcotic classes." (Page 416.) This index was maintained as part of the "Caribbean Investigations Coordination Program." (Page 416.)

The INS's Operation SKYWARD commenced in November 1, 1959, and was active through June 30, 1963. Its purposes was "to prevent the unauthorized departure of private aircraft from the United States to or

over Cuba." (Page 416.)

The INS maintained a "Fraudulent Document Center at El Paso, Texas," with 7,849 cases on file. "Each case represents a Mexican alien who falsely claimed to be an American citizen and presented a document to prove it." (Page 419.)

The fraudulent naturalization case against Anthony Peter Riela, Apalachin attendee, is described at pages 419-20.

See also memorandum to File 4.17.2 for discussion of other components of Justice Department from the 1963 Attorney General's Report.