

October 13, 1995

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Dear Mr. Geerhardt:

This letter is to follow up on our telephone conversations of September 20, 1995, and this morning concerning Lykes Brothers Shipping Company's personnel records of its former employee Rafael Aznarez Costea. I understand you represent Lykes Lines, Inc. and that the corporation is now headquartered in Tampa, Florida.

Based on information in a letter Mr. Costea wrote in June 1963, he had been the Chief Accountant for Lykes Brothers Shipping in Havana, Cuba, until that office closed in December 1960. He also wrote that he came to this country in January 1963 aboard the SS Shirley Lykes and in June 1963 was working for Lykes in New Orleans in an unspecified capacity.

The Review Board is requesting any personnel records or recollections of Lykes personnel who may remember Mr. Costea for the purpose of locating and interviewing him. When we spoke this morning, you indicated your client was not able to find any personnel records about Mr. Costea. You offered to make inquiries of long-time Lykes employees to learn if anyone remembered Mr. Costea. Your cooperation and assistance, along with that of your client, is greatly appreciated.

Thank you for responding to this inquiry whether you develop positive information or not. I look forward to your reply.

Sincerely,

Anne Buttimer, Esq.
Chief Investigator

Enclosure