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DIVISION FILE No. [REDACTED]  
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Ontario

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DATE March 20, 1961

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Known or Suspected Homosexuals

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[REDACTED]  
On the 9-3-61 [REDACTED] was brought to this office by Mr. John Timmerman of the Department of External Affairs. [REDACTED] appearance here was for the purpose of conducting an interview between [REDACTED] and members of "B" Branch in respect to the allegation that [REDACTED] was a homosexual, and consequently, a security risk: [REDACTED]

2. Mr. Timmerman attended the early part of the interview which was conducted by Sgt. E. Cubitt and Cpl. F. Gorrell, during which time [REDACTED] refused to admit that he was a homosexual. Mr. Timmerman then left, and [REDACTED] was further questioned alternately by Sgt. Cubitt and Cpl. Gorrell, then by Sgt. Libke, then Sgts. Libke and Cubitt. [REDACTED] eventually admitted that he was a homosexual.

3. [REDACTED] advised that he first realized he had homosexual tendencies when he was attending public school, and had relations on several occasions with other young boys. However, he claims that he had no relations during his senior years in school or whilst he was attending university. He added that he was "brought out" as a homosexual about the age of twenty-six [REDACTED]

5. [REDACTED] states that his next homosexual relationships took place from 1950 to the present, during which period he has been employed by the Department of External Affairs. [REDACTED]

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7. [REDACTED] was questioned regarding his homosexuality whilst posted to [REDACTED] from October 1953, to August 1954. He replied that he had homosexual relations on four occasions whilst posted to [REDACTED].

[REDACTED]. On each occasion, the act was committed with a person previously unknown to [REDACTED] and whom he met in public urinals.

8. [REDACTED] was transferred from [REDACTED] for a ten month period, thence to National Defence College at Kingston, Ont., from 1955 to 1957. He claims that he had no homosexual relations in [REDACTED] or at Kingston.

9. In August 1957 to Sept. 1960 [REDACTED] was posted to [REDACTED]. He admitted having relationships with various unidentified [REDACTED] nationals who he picked up in public urinals. He claimed that he was not particularly active as a homosexual whilst in [REDACTED], a matter which could be attributable to the fact that he married whilst at Kingston in 1957.

10. [REDACTED] returned to Ottawa in September 1960, and admitted that, since October 1960, to date (March 9, 1961), he had homosexual relations on three occasions. On each and every of these three occasions he has met the person with whom the act was committed in the steam bath of the YMCA in Ottawa, and the act was completed in the steam bath. He states that the act was committed with a different person on each occasion, and he is

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unable to identify any one of these persons. [REDACTED] added that, whilst posted to Ottawa during 1950-53, he frequently visited Montreal on week-ends where he was able to complete homosexual relationships with unidentified persons whom he could contact in the rest rooms of the Mount Royal or Laurentian Hotels.

11. [REDACTED] was also questioned as to whether or not he had ever been recruited, or at least approached, by any intelligence service because of the compromising position he had placed himself in by virtue of his homosexual contacts. [REDACTED] replied that he had never been approached in this respect, and in fact, he did not consider himself a security risk, as he is certain that he would report any such intelligence approach to his superiors regardless of any personal embarrassment.

12. Though [REDACTED] denied his homosexual tendencies during the first hour and a half of questioning, it is felt that his subsequent admission and later statements in respect to same are based on truth. [REDACTED]

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