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1. In order to familiarize members assigned to the captionally noted field of Security enquiries, it has been found advantageous to acquire certain literature appropriate to the subject, for their perusal and study. This has been particularly true in the case of A-3 Section, which deals primarily with homosexuality and related character weaknesses.
2. Since we have some literature on the subject outlining the situation in the U.S.A., we now require something along similar lines dealing with the European situation. In discussing this with Sgt. E. Witherden of Headquarters "A" Section, it appears that a copy of "The Report of the Committee on Homosexual Offences and Prostitution - Wolfenden Report", H.M.S.O. 1957 would be of assistance to this problem.
3. Accordingly, Sgt. Witherden advised that a copy of the above report could be purchased through our contacts in England, providing a request for this literature is forwarded from here.
4. Enquiries at local book stores indicates that this report could only be purchased through a special order, and no firm is known to have these in stock here, at the present time.

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THE COMMISSIONER RCMP.

1. It would be appreciated if a copy of the Wolfenden Report could be obtained through our London Office in due course.

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