June 6, 1952

To: Director, FBI

From: Legal Attaché
London, England

Subject: HUBERT JOSEPH LEWIS, wa.
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

Re Bulet 12-19-51 and mylet 3-3-52.

Mr. W. W. T. Magan of MI-5 has advised the Subject arrived at Southampton, England, on May 9, 1952. Nothing of security interest was found in his baggage and his passport showed no visas other than British. He claimed to have been visiting his brother in New York.

The Bureau is requested to advise whether the agencies noted in Bulet provided any information of interest concerning the Subject.
**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION**

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**TITLE**

HUBERT JOSEPH LEWIS aka "Bertie"

**INTERNAL SECURITY - N and GB**

**SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:**

Advised subject resides in Bury, Lancashire, England, and is an open Communist sympathizer who receives mail from Moscow. Stated subject served in the R.A.F. from August, 1941 to February, 1947 and that he is married to a British subject. He spends considerable periods of time away from home. On March 3, 1952 advised subject left the United Kingdom on February 12, 1952 for a proposed visit of two months with parents residing at 130 West 67th Street, NYC. Records of INS, NYC reflect subject arrived in the USA at NYC on 2/17/52; destination 131 West 69th Street, NYC. No derogatory information regarding subject or family obtained from neighborhood. Advise subject not known to them. Furnished subject's address on 2/25/52. No credit or police record located from subject or parents.

**DETAILS:**

This investigation is predicated upon information received from Confidential Informant of known reliability, who indicated that the subject was born in Chicago, Illinois on.

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On July 22, 1920 and is residing at 35 Robert Street, Bury, Lancashire, England. stated that the subject was an open Communist sympathizer and received mail from Moscow, but that no information was available reflecting that the subject was connected with the British Communist Party.

stated that the subject served in the Royal Air Force from August, 1941 to February, 1947. further stated that he married a British subject and that they have two children. also stated that the subject spent considerable periods of time away from home and that he had visited Switzerland and Paris and had sailed for America in January, 1951 returning to Bury in March of the same year.

advised that the subject resided continuously in the United States at Chicago, Illinois; New York, New York; and in Massachusetts, from 1920 to 1941, and again from 1946 to 1948. also advised that the subject resided in England from August 12, 1941 to 1946 and from May, 1948 to January, 1952. stated that the subject's legal residence in the United States was 130 West 67th Street, New York, New York, the address of his parents.

identified the subject's parents as EDWARD BENNETT, also known as EDWARD LEWIS and FLORENCE BENNETT, nee LOWTON. The birthplace of the subject's father was reflected as New Orleans, Louisiana; and his mother's birthplace as Montreal, Canada.

identified the subject's wife as being MARY BENNETT, nee TRUSSEY, who was born at Bury, Lancashire, England, May 1, 1923.

According to the subject was issued United States passport number 141 on November 13, 1950, by the American Consulate at Manchester, England, which passport was issued when his previously issued passport number 425, was cancelled.