

CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20505

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Dear [REDACTED]

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter, dated 21 June 1978, in which you cited the Freedom of Information Act and requested information regarding certain tests you believe may have been performed on you.

The recently discovered files of Project MKULTRA do contain evidence that research involving human testing was conducted in the fields of behavior control using techniques involving hypnosis, drugs, etc. Our records indicate such testing on unwitting subjects ceased in 1964. Unfortunately, neither Project MKULTRA files nor any other files thus far located contain the names of persons who may have been used as test subjects.

Admiral Turner has assured the Congress that the CIA will attempt to identify those persons who were the subjects of unwitting testing conducted under Project MKULTRA. To this end, the institutions where Project MKULTRA testing took place have been notified of their involvement with the project. Admiral Turner has offered these institutions his full cooperation in helping them identify the persons who were test subjects. Please be assured I will inform you immediately if any institution notifies the CIA that it has identified you as having been a Project MKULTRA test subject.

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Before we may begin processing your request, we must receive from you information pertaining to your date and place of birth. You should verify, with a notarized statement, that you are a U.S. citizen or an alien admitted for permanent residence. It is also requested that you provide any additional information concerning yourself which might facilitate our search of records. Unless you identify specific records you may be looking for, we will conduct a search of all Agency records that might contain information that pertains to you.

Sincerely,

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Gene F. Wilson
Information and Privacy Coordinator

Approved for Release
Date JAN 2000

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