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Procurement..... Have been responsible for purchasing functions.
Designed and constructed new manufacturing/processing plants in major cities and countries, including facilities for manufacturing, power plants, distribution, and a health care center.

Implemented cost control reports and management information systems for total inventory control, military and commercial specifications, value engineering and analysis, vendor surveillance, audit control, and stabilization of pricing and scheduled deliveries.

Implemented quality control procedures for incoming visual and documented inspection of procured metals, materials, and related products.

Personnel..... Have been responsible for large work forces...union and non-union, administrative and technical. Have full authority for all hiring and termination, the execution of union negotiations and responsibility for salary and wage administration.

Sales and Marketing.... Have been responsible for sales organizations which generated volumes in excess of \$85 million. Profit increases were 17-23%. Sales increases to 40% yearly.

Created new markets for agricultural equipment on a dealer basis and paper-related products and production equipment.

Conducted continuous field research to eliminate warranty claims and downtime causes, and for quality under field use review.

Developed sales promotions and dealer pricing programs. Directed various dating and discount programs.

Have developed strong personal contacts with dealers, representatives, vendors and customers.

Figure 21: The second page of Leo Wanta's qualifications listing [see also Figure 20, preceding]. Release of this document by the Ronald Reagan Library, with the NSA's approval, confirms of course the accuracy of the experience claims summarised in this incredible *Curriculum Vitae*. By definition and deduction, no such claims would be held on Presidential file if they were inaccurate.

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Figure 22: This page has been redacted. But its release indicates that it concerns matters with which Leo Wanta was associated, and that the National Security Agency has its reasons for authorising the release of this document as redacted. In other words, the document and its subject matter are relevant, but the content cannot be revealed for reasons of national security.

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THE WHITE HOUSE CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

ID# 204869

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INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: MARCH 22, 1984

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE CHUCK GRASSLEY

SUBJECT RECOMMENDS MR. LEO E. WANTA FOR APPOINTMENT
TO THE POSITION OF INSPECTOR GENERAL OF THE
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

ROUTE TO: OFFICE/AGENCY (STAFF NAME)		ACTION ACT CODE	DATE YY/MM/DD	DISPOSITION TYPE RESP	C COMPLETED D YY/MM/DD
M. B. OGLESBY		ORG	84/03/22	MO	84/04/09
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Figure 23: 'White House Correspondence Tracking Worksheet' confirming receipt of correspondence from Senator Chuck Grassley, of Iowa, recommending Leo Wanta for appointment to the position of Inspector General of the US Department of Defense. Thus the suggestion that Leo Wanta should assume this position is revived ahead of President Reagan's second term in office.

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April 9, 1984

Dear Senator Grassley:

Thank you for your recent letter to the President indicating your interest in the appointment of Leo E. Wanta to the position of Inspector General of the Department of Defense.

We appreciate your contacting us and we welcome receiving your recommendation for this post. Please know that your supportive comments are being shared with the appropriate officials within the Office of Presidential Personnel for careful consideration.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

M. B. Oglesby, Jr.
Assistant to the President

The Honorable Charles E. Grassley
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

MBO/KRJ/JFCF2
MBO-56/B

cc: w/copy of inc. to Becky Dunlop - for appropriate action

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Figure 24: Acknowledgement of the letter from Senator Chuck Grassley [see Figures 23 and 25], by Mr M. B. Oglesby, Jr., Assistant to the President. The provenance of these documents is their primary significance: they have not been dredged up from some forgotten store of files, but have been released recently by the Ronald Reagan Library on approval by the NSA.

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101 1ST STREET S.E.
CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA 52401
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United States Senate

CHARLES E. GRASSLEY
135 HART SENATE OFFICE BUILDING
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510
(202) 224-3744

228 POST OFFICE AND COURT HOUSE BUILDING
320 5TH STREET
SIoux CITY, IOWA 51101
(712) 233-3331

210 WATERLOO BUILDING
521 COMMERCIAL STREET
WATERLOO, IOWA 50701
(319) 232-5557

March 20, 1984

The President
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. President:

I am writing to you on behalf of Mr. Leo E. Wanta of Appleton, Wisconsin, and his desire to be appointed to the position of Inspector General of the Department of Defense.

I would greatly appreciate it if Mr. Wanta could be given every due consideration for this position.

With every best wish, I remain...

Sincerely,

#38

Chuck Grassley
Charles E. Grassley
United States Senator

CEG/r1c
cc: John Herrington
Presidential Personnel

Committee Assignments:

BUDGET

LABOR AND HUMAN

FINANCE

CHAIRMAN, Oversight of the Internal Revenue Service;
Estate and Gift Taxation;

JUDICIARY

CHAIRMAN, Administrative Practice and Procedure;
Immigration and Refugee Policy;

Figure 25: This letter [see also Figures 23 and 24] has been in the Editor's files for some time, derived originally from documents furnished to the Editor by the Ambassador. But this copy of the letter was released by the Ronald Reagan Library with prior NSA approval. By extension, therefore, all Wanta documents in our files are, of course, genuine - exposing the idiocy of CIA lies.

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WITHDRAWAL SHEET AT THE FRONT OF THIS FOLDER.

Figure 26: This filing page indicates the existence of a Wanta file at the Ronald Reagan Library which concerns certain law enforcement operations of a sensitive nature in which Leo Wanta was involved. Anyone with 'inside knowledge' will be aware of the significance of certain documents displayed here, even though they may not make full sense to lay observers.

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DOCUMENT NO. AND TYPE	SUBJECT/TITLE	DATE	RESTRICTION
1. case file (235934)	re Leo Wanta (3 pp.)	5/30/84	B3/B4/B5 B6
2. case file (240043)	re Remarks by Secretary Weinberger at the Edison Electric Institute Convention (19 pp.)	6/20/84	B5 11/30/00
COLLECTION: WHORM: Subject File			ggc
FILE LOCATION: FG013 Department of Defense (235900-240699)			2/11/93

RESTRICTION CODES

A. National security classified information.

B. Presidential Records Act

- B1. Release would violate a Federal statute.
- B2. Release would disclose trade secrets or confidential commercial or financial information.
- B3. Release would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.
- B4. Relating to appointment to Federal office.
- B5. Release would disclose confidential advice between the President and his advisors, or between such advisors.

B6. Release could disclose internal personnel rules and practices of an agency.

B7. Release would disclose information compiled for law enforcement purposes.

B8. Release would disclose information concerning the regulation of financial institutions.

B9. Release would disclose geological or geophysical information concerning wells.

C. Closed in accordance with restrictions contained in donor's deed of gift.

Figure 27: This exceptionally important released page identifies the existence at the Ronald Reagan Library of Case File 235934 which carries the Restriction Code B5: 'Release would disclose confidential advice between the President and his advisors, or between such advisors'. It was reclassified B6, so that its existence could be revealed – showing that Leo advised the President personally.

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ID# 494893

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CO 189

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: JUNE 24, 1987

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. LEO E. WANTA

SUBJECT: REGARDING THE REPUBLIC OF VANUATU
INTERNATIONAL FLIGHT OPERATIONS

ROUTE TO: OFFICE/AGENCY (STAFF NAME)	ACTION		DISPOSITION	
	ACT CODE	DATE YY/MM/DD	TYPE RESP	C COMPLETED D YY/MM/DD
RICHARD RILEY	ORG	87/06/24		0 87/06/27
REFERRAL NOTE: <u>DOT</u>		87/06/30		87/07/10 TR
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LETTER AT ALL TIMES AND SEND COMPLETED RECORD TO RECORDS
MANAGEMENT.

Figure 28: 'White House Correspondence Tracking Worksheet' referencing documents concerning Leo Wanta's operations with respect to counteraction taken to thwart the takeover of Vanuatu by operatives working for Colonel Qadhafi, on behalf of the Soviet Union under Mikhail Gorbachev, which had targeted Vanuatu as a Soviet-controlled resort and money-laundering centre.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE EXECUTIVE SECRETARIAT TRANSMITTAL FORM

S/S 8720258

DATE July 21, 1987

FOR: MR. GRANT GREEN
EXECUTIVE SECRETARY
NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL
THE WHITE HOUSE

REFERENCE:

TO: The President FROM: Mr. Leo E. Wanta
DATE: 7/20/87 SUBJECT: Republic of Vanuatu
international flight operations
REFERRAL DATED: 7/14/87 ID# 494893
(IF ANY)

THE ATTACHED ITEM WAS SENT DIRECTLY TO THE
DEPARTMENT OF STATE

ACTION TAKEN:

- ☐ A DRAFT REPLY IS ATTACHED.
- ☐ A DRAFT REPLY WILL BE FORWARDED.
- ☐ A TRANSLATION IS ATTACHED.
- ☐ AN INFORMATION COPY OF A DIRECT REPLY IS ATTACHED.
- ☒ WE BELIEVE NO RESPONSE IS NECESSARY FOR THE REASON
CITED BELOW.
- ☐ THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE HAS NO OBJECTION TO THE
PROPOSED TRAVEL.
- ☐ OTHER (SEE REMARKS).

REMARKS:

President received copy for information only of a communication
involving a commercial matter not requiring USG action or
comment.

Michael R. Engman
DIRECTOR
SECRETARIAT STAFF

UNCLASSIFIED
(CLASSIFICATION)

Figure 29: Document for the attention of Mr Grant Green, Executive Secretary, US National Security Council at the White House, indicating that Leo Wanta had provided President Reagan with 'commercial' (i.e. intelligence) information concerning the operation to prevent Vanuatu being taken over for the Soviets by proxy operations conducted by agents working for Colonel Qadhafi.

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THE WHITE HOUSE OFFICE REFERRAL

JULY 14, 1987

TO: DEPARTMENT OF STATE

ACTION REQUESTED:
DIRECT REPLY, FURNISH INFO COPY

DESCRIPTION OF INCOMING:

ID: 494893
MEDIA: TELEGRAM, DATED JUNE 23, 1987
TO: PRESIDENT REAGAN
FROM: MR. LEO E. WANTA
LEO E. WANTA AND ASSOCIATES
PORT OF VILA REPUBLIC OF VANUATU
SUBJECT: REGARDING THE REPUBLIC OF VANUATU
INTERNATIONAL FLIGHT OPERATIONS

PROMPT ACTION IS ESSENTIAL -- IF REQUIRED ACTION HAS NOT BEEN
TAKEN WITHIN 9 WORKING DAYS OF RECEIPT, PLEASE TELEPHONE THE
UNDERSIGNED AT 456-7486.

RETURN CORRESPONDENCE, WORKSHEET AND COPY OF RESPONSE
(OR DRAFT) TO:
AGENCY LIAISON, ROOM 91, THE WHITE HOUSE, 20500

SALLY KELLEY
DIRECTOR OF AGENCY LIAISON
PRESIDENTIAL CORRESPONDENCE

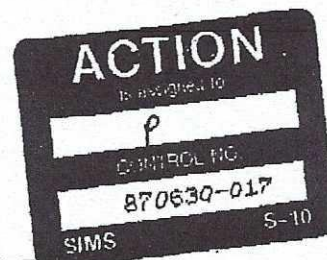
Figure 30: The text of a telegram from Leo Wanta concerning the operation to prevent Vanuatu being taken over by the Soviets, fronted by Colonel Qadhafi's operatives. Note that this operation was mounted under President Gorbachëv, showing that while he was promoting *perestroika*, he was, as real head of the KGB, continuing to direct operations against the West.

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THE WHITE HOUSE OFFICE
REFERRAL

JUNE 30, 1987

TO: DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

ACTION REQUESTED:
DIRECT REPLY, FURNISH INFO COPY

DESCRIPTION OF INCOMING:

ID: 494893
 MEDIA: TELEGRAM, DATED JUNE 23, 1987
 TO: PRESIDENT REAGAN
 FROM: MR. LEO E. WANTA
 LEO E. WANTA AND ASSOCIATES
 PORT OF VILA REPUBLIC OF VANUATU
 SUBJECT: REGARDING THE REPUBLIC OF VANUATU
 INTERNATIONAL FLIGHT OPERATIONS

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 AGENCY LIAISON, ROOM 91, THE WHITE HOUSE, 20500

SALLY KELLEY
 DIRECTOR OF AGENCY LIAISON
 PRESIDENTIAL CORRESPONDENCE

Figure 31: Earlier copy of telegram from Leo Wanta to President Reagan recommending certain action to be taken in connection with the planned counterintelligence operation to thwart the measures intended by Colonel Qadhafi on behalf of the Soviet Union to seize control of Vanuatu. The ACTION label applied to this document denotes that TOP PRIORITY action was ordered.

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U.S. Department of
Transportation
Office of the Secretary
of Transportation

8720258

July 10, 1987

NOTE TO: Sally Kelly
Director of Agency Liaison
Presidential Correspondence

The attached White House Control #494893
is being returned to you. The telegram
is being sent to the Prime Minister of
Vanuato and requires no answer. The
copy you received was information only and
you may wish to send to the Department of
State for information purposes only.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Carol Ratcliffe".

Carol Ratcliffe
Chief, Document Review
and Control

Attachment

Figure 32: Associated communication from an official at the US Department of Transportation concerning the Wanta telegram requesting urgent air transportation action in connection with the Vanuatu crisis. Release of this Vanuatu series of papers illustrates that Leo Wanta exercised hands-on responsibilities for some of the most sensitive US presidential intelligence operations.

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--PRESIDENT RONALD W. REAGAN

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THE HONORABLE WALTER H. LINI
PRIME MINISTER OF VANUATU

GENERAL MANAGER THOMSON CHIU
AIR VANUATU AIRLINES / PORT VILA

SUBJECT: REPUBLIC OF VANUATU INTERNATIONAL FLIGHT OPERATIONS

I HAVE JUST BEEN ALERTED TO THE UNSUBSTANTIATED RUMORS FROM
FLORIDA AND ELSEWHERE.

I HAVE BEEN REQUESTED MOMENTS AGO BY SILVER JET LEASING, INC.
OF FT. LAUDERDALE TO ASSIST IN THE IMMEDIATE PROCUREMENT AND
RETROFITTING OF A B-727 BOEING JET AIRCRAFT TO MEET YOUR COUNTRY'S
AIR OPERATIONS/REQUIREMENTS EFFECTIVE 30 JUNE 87.

I BELIEVE THE MITSUBISHI BANK OF TOKYO WILL HONOR IMMEDIATELY THEIR
LETTER OF COMMITMENT TO YOUR COUNTRY'S PLANNED GROWTH AND GLOBAL
OPPORTUNITIES; AMONG OTHER THINGS. I FIND NO EXPLANATION ACCEPTABLE
OF TOKYO'S DELAY, AND DISCOUNT THE VANUATA FISHING RIGHTS SITUATION,
COMPETITIVE AIR OPERATIONS WITH JAPAN AND OTHER MENTIONED POLITICAL
MATTERS, ETC. THE MITSUBISHI BANK HAS AGREED SEVERAL TIMES AND IN
WRITING TO THE USD 11.7 MILLION PACKAGE, ALTHOUGH THEY CONTINUE TO
CREATE UNAVOIDABLE, YET UNREASONABLE/POLITICAL FINANCIAL DELAYS.

SILVER JET LEASING INTENDS TO FULFILL THEIR COMMITMENTS TO THE
REPUBLIC OF VANUATU. IF JAPAN'S DELAYS CONTINUE FOR ANY REASON, AND
THE EASTERN AIRLINE B-727 IS NOT AVAILABLE WHEN FUNDS ARE FINALLY
RELEASED, PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT WE HAVE LOCATED A SUITABLE B-727
IN TENNESSEE AS A IMMEDIATE BACKUP FOR AIR VANUATU INTL OPERATIONS.

WE ARE WORKING VERY CLOSE WITH JAPAN INTERESTS TO COMPLETE THIS
GOVERNMENT PACKAGE WITHOUT FURTHER DELAY, AMONG OTHER THINGS.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUING ASSISTANCE AND COOPERATION.

WARMEST PERSONAL REGARDS,
LEO E. WANTA AND ASSOCIATES
TLX: 4979439, 191183, 251878 USA

CC/ PRESIDENT RONALD W. REAGAN
SECY OF STATE GEORGE P. SHULTZ
PRIME MINISTER YASHIRO NAKASONE
MINISTER SHINTARO ABE

Figure 33: Further document from the Ronald Reagan Library 'Vanuatu series' hinting at the widespread international ramifications of counterintelligence operations with which Leo Wanta was involved, working directly for President Reagan and dealing with the key figures in the Reagan Administration, and with the Japanese Prime Minister - in this case, over Vanuatu.

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Figure 34: Such 'Withdrawal Sheets' denote the existence of a (Wanta) document or file which is subject to the Freedom of Information Act Restriction Code cited (B6 here: 'Release would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of privacy'). The existence of such documents in the late President's files is proof enough, on its own, of Leo Wanta's importance and operational status.

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July 24, 1987

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Mr. Frank Carlucci (National Security)
General Powell / WSHDC 5579

Kind Attention of:

IN NAME CORPresident Ronald Wilson Reagan
Vice President George Bush
Secretary of State George P. Shultz
Miss Carol Courtney, U.S. State Department
Ambassador Vernon Walters

Subject: Republic Of Vanuatu Air Operations / National Security Situation

Vanuatu Air Director Ian Ward has officially advised us that Libya's
Moammar Gadhafi has offered to Vanuatu one (1) Boeing 727 aircraft and
sufficient monetary funding to operate the Republic's flag airline ASAP.The reconstruction of Vanuatu by our U.S. Navy Seabees and their physical
presence, with educational grants to USA institutions are greatly appreciated
by the Vanuatu government. BUTI strongly urge and recommend that the United States Government take immediate
steps to contact the following personnel to expedite the existing aircraft
lease/financial package, inter alia:Foreign Credit Insurance Association
Mr. Ken Cavanagh, Risk Manager, 212-306-5000

Eximbank / WSHDC

Mr. Bill Arnold, Executive Vice President, 202-566-8807

Mr. Charamella, Vice President, 202-566-8955

Mr. David Dettner, Insurance Representative, 202-566-8960

Summary/Update, as of 08:42 am

- Foreign Credit reviewing File No. LFA 60845 for FCIA approval and submitted
to EXIMBANK / WSHDC, without priority rating by Wednesday, July 29 unless
the interested parties intervene discreetly;
- Eximbank advises if FCIA releases today, they will expedite immediately
for approval to allow the Mitsubishi Group to fund totally;
- Mr. James Fukuda advises this morning it will take two/three hours to
process and deliver monetary funds, Monday, July 27, 1987, through the
Mitsubishi Group. He is delivering the copy of the Eximbank policy now,
contingent on all approvals as soon as possible from FCIA/Eximbank.

Please note that no USA funds are required nor requested by Vanuatu government;
all monetary funds will be Mitsubishi of Tokyo.Therefore, please assist in finalization of this Vanuatu aircraft package to
meet the July 30 INDEPENDENCE DAY ceremonies in Port Vila. Many Thanks...

Warmest personal regards;

414-734-4771 / FAX: 414-735-7307

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Figure 35: Detailed operational information conveyed by Leo Wanta to President Reagan, Vice President George Bush, the Secretary of State George Shultz, and Ambassador Vernon Walters. This document reveals that Colonel Qadhafi had offered Vanuatu a Boeing 727 and funds to operate Vanuatu's airline. Leo Wanta orchestrated a counter-offer, preventing the Soviet takeover.

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July 24, 1987 ... URGENT...

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Vice President George Bush
Secretary of State George P. Shultz
Miss Carol Courtney, U.S. State Department
Ambassador Vernon Walters

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Mr. Charamella, Vice President, 202-566-8955
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414-734-4771 / FAX: 414-738-7007

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Figure 36: The same document as is illustrated in Figure 35, but prior to the application of special codes (CO189, etc), which indicate operational status and provide other information. Together, Figures 35 and 36 indicate, in general terms, that Leo Wanta's communications to President Reagan and other senior US figures were taken seriously and actioned or processed appropriately.

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Freedom of Information Act - [5 U.S.C. 552(b)]

- B-1 National security classified information [(b)(1) of the FOIA]
- B-2 Release would disclose internal personnel rules and practices of an agency [(b)(2) of the FOIA]
- B-3 Release would violate a Federal statute [(b)(3) of the FOIA]
- B-4 Release would disclose trade secrets or confidential or financial information [(b)(4) of the FOIA]
- B-5 Release would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy [(b)(6) of the FOIA]
- B-6 Release would disclose information compiled for law enforcement purposes [(b)(7) of the FOIA]
- B-7 Release would disclose information concerning the regulation of financial institutions [(b)(8) of the FOIA]
- B-8 Release would disclose geological or geophysical information concerning wells [(b)(9) of the FOIA]

Figure 37: Such 'Withdrawal Sheets' denote the existence of a (Wanta) document or file which is subject to the Freedom of Information Act Restriction Code cited (B6 here: 'Release would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of privacy'). The existence of such documents in the late President's files is proof enough, on its own, of Leo Wanta's importance and operational status.

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Colin Powell	_____	_____	_____
Frank Carlucci	_____	_____	_____
Grant Green	_____	_____	_____
Lou Michael	_____	_____	_____
Situation Room	_____	_____	_____
West Wing Desk	_____	_____	_____
NSC Secretariat	<u>1</u>	_____	<u>Staff to Jim Kelly</u>

I = Information A = Action R = Retain D = Dispatch N = No further Action

cc: VP Baker Other _____

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Figure 38: This White House National Security Council cover sheet has been released with the initial batch of Wanta documents not least to indicate that Leo Wanta's communications were filed with the National Security Council, indicating their high-level relevance and Leo Wanta's status and importance as an intelligence operative working for President Reagan personally.

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Figure 39: A further Ronald Reagan Library document in the 'Vanuatu crisis' series. To the lay observer, some of these documents may appear mundane: but their significance, as stressed earlier, is their provenance. Why would the National Security Agency allow the release of these Wanta documents if it had not been decided that the old lies needed to be confounded by the truth?

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MEMORANDUM OF INFORMATION FOR THE FILE

524302

EXECUTIVEC0189

DATE

LETTER, MEMO, ETC.

TO:

FROM:

SUBJECT:

~~CORRESPONDENCE/FILED CENTRAL FILES - CONFIDENTIAL FILE~~

Figure 40: This document, with special code C0189, references a matter which has been redacted. Its appearance among the Wanta documents released by the Ronald Reagan Library indicates that Leo Wanta was subject of or closely associated with the matter that cannot be revealed for national security reasons, per the judgment of the National Security Agency.

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WITHDRAWAL SHEET

Ronald Reagan Library

DOCUMENT NO. AND TYPE	SUBJECT/TITLE	DATE	RESTRICTION
1. case file (235934)	re Leo Wanta (3 pp.)	5/30/84	B3/B4/B5 B5
2. case file (240043)	re Remarks by Secretary Weinberger at the Edison Electric Institute Convention (19 pp.)	6/20/84	B5 11/27 11/30/00
COLLECTION: WHORM: Subject File			ggc
FILE LOCATION: FG013 Department of Defense (235900-240699)			2/11/93

RESTRICTION CODES

A. National security classified information.

B. Presidential Records Act

- B1. Release would violate a Federal statute.
- B2. Release would disclose trade secrets or confidential commercial or financial information.
- B3. Release would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.
- B4. Relating to appointment to Federal office.
- B5. Release would disclose confidential advice between the President and his advisors, or between such advisors.

B6. Release could disclose internal personnel rules and practices of an agency.

B7. Release would disclose information compiled for law enforcement purposes.

B8. Release would disclose information concerning the regulation of financial institutions.

B9. Release would disclose geological or geophysical information concerning wells.

C. Closed in accordance with restrictions contained in donor's deed of gift.

Figure 41: This image is the same as Figure 27. We duplicate it here in order to reiterate the point that the referenced Wanta case file is labelled with Restriction Code B5: 'Release would disclose confidential advice between the President and his advisors, or between such advisors'. This confirms that the top US spy, Leo Wanta, advised President Reagan directly and in person.

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THE RONALD REAGAN LIBRARY PAPERS SHOWING THAT WANTA WORKED FOR THE PRESIDENT

The 40 pages of Leo Wanta documents reproduced in this *ICR* Supplement, often redacted and in many instances representing administrative sheets indicating the presence of documents that have not themselves been released, may appear to observers to be mundane and uninteresting. In reality, they are of exceptional importance, as revealed by this summary of their context and provenance:

- The Ronald Reagan Library has released these documents on advice from the US National Security Agency (NSA). It cannot release papers without NSA authority.
- The National Security Agency took the decision to authorise release of these documents against the background of the detailed ongoing Wantagate exposures which *International Currency Review* has been privileged to publicise.
- These Wanta documents discredit all disinformation perpetrated about Leo Wanta, including the lies contained in the late CIA operative Claire Sterling's book *'Thieves' World'* [Simon and Schuster, New York, 1994], which was mined for disinformation that was then used to bear false witness against Leo Wanta and to provide the Wisconsin kangaroo court with perjured evidence – on the basis of which the criminal kleptocracy were able to seize control of the financial assets that Wanta had accumulated as sole Principal from his operations, held in taxable bank accounts owned by his Title 18, Section 6 intelligence corporations, and as lawfully reported annually to the General Accounting Office in Washington, DC.
- The released documents expose the evil and idiocy of the lies perpetrated by the CIA's despicable disinformation cadres, including the crude lie that Leo Wanta was dead. This particular lie was fed to all the world's leading financial institutions, which 'took advantage' of the lie that Leo was dead as co-conspirators in the endless criminal financial transactions based upon Leo Wanta's assets that proliferated from July 1993, when Leo Wanta was illegally arrested in Switzerland, onwards.
- In authorising the release of these Wanta documents, the National Security Agency condemned the US disinformation agents left 'in the field' to 'dangle in the wind', since their handlers 'cannot' reveal to the disinformation operatives that they are disseminating lies – without also incriminating themselves.
- The National Security Agency's approval for the release of these documents from the Ronald Reagan Library took place a year after we started reporting on the escalating Wantagate crisis, and shortly before very senior US officials were arrested in June 2007. ■



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