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MARIA WILHELM
nee de Blasio, aka Maria de Blasio,
Mrs. Warren Wilhelm, Maria Angela de Blasio
Editorial
International Bank for Reconstruction and
Development
United Nations
Washington, D. C.
LOYALTY OF EMPLOYEES OF THE UNITED NATIONS
AND OTHER PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS-IR
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You are instructed to conduct a full field investigation of captioned individual under the provisions of Executive Order 10422.

Boston (77-955), Newark (77-434), and New York (77-2195), refer to their respective files in the case captioned "Maria Angela de Blasio, Office of the Coordinator of Information, Special Inquiry." The afore-mentioned applicant-type investigation which was conducted in 1942 was brought up to date by the New York Office in 1944 in the case entitled "Maria Angela de Blasio, Employee, Office of War Information, Internal Security - Hatch Act," New York file 101-551. An associate of captioned person in the Office of War Information, reported Miss de Blasio to be a member of the Communist Party. Several other individuals stated that all propaganda directed toward Italy bore the pro-Communist viewpoint as a result of Miss Blasio's personal censorship. All offices review your respective reports thoroughly.

(77-15731)

New York refer to the report of Special Agent Roger W. Robinson dated 5-15-46, New York, New York, entitled "Boris Michael Morros, Internal Security-R," New York file 100-48840. This report indicates that

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subject Morros while in New York, had telephoned a number listed to Maria de Blasio, 56 West 56th Street, New York, New York. Since the significance of the afore-mentioned information is not known and cannot be set forth in an investigative report, it must be kept in mind during the course of this inquiry. (100-202315, serial 219 - Mccase)

The attention of WFO and New York is directed to their respective files captioned "John A. Sullivan, Jr., Applicant, Central Intelligence Group, " New York file 118-543 and Washington Field file 118-1281. Sullivan, who reportedly was sympathetic to the Communist Party, was friendly with Maria de Blasio. (118-1227 serial 7)

New York refer to the report of SA William P. Fitzpatrick dated June 26, 1950, New York, New York, captioned "Doris Nicholasen Sullivan, aka, Army, LGE." This report contains the documentation of Maria de Blasio and her associates at the Office of War Information. By memorandum dated December 1, 1950, the Chairman, Loyalty Review Board, U. S. Civil Service Commission, advised that Doris Nicholasen Sullivan was "Not processed under Executive Order 9835. Reinstated under P. L. 808 on appeal of Secretary of Army." (121-6344 serial 26)

The report of SA William R. Fish dated 11-20-50, New York, New York, captioned "Maurice English, Information and Editorial Specialist, General - Appointee, Division of Personnel, Federal Security Agency, Chicago, Illinois, LGE," reflects that English was very close with one Maria de Blasio. By memorandum dated January 5, 1953, the Chairman, Loyalty Review Board, U. S. Civil Service Commission, advised that the disposition of Maurice English's case was "This form cancels number four on the same individual dated December 23, 1952. Loyalty Review Board still has case under consideration." For your information, the Loyalty Review Board on December 23, 1952, had previously advised that Maurice English was "Eligible on loyalty." (121-23573 serial 27)

New York (77-11557), Boston (77-4062), WFO (77-30997), and Baltimore (77-3842), refer to your respective files regarding Warren Wilhelm, aka Kingsley Wilhelm, Special Inquiry, Bureau of the Budget, who is apparently the

husband of captioned person. Review reports thoroughly in view of the considerable unfavorably information contained therein regarding Mrs. Wilhelm. Baltimore should consider reinterviewing Jay David Whittaker Chambers re Mrs. Wilhelm.

For the information of the afore-mentioned offices, the applicant-type reports regarding Warren Wilhelm were forwarded by the Bureau to the U. S. Civil Service Commission for consideration under EO 9835. By memorandum dated September 18, 1950, the Chairman, Loyalty Review Board, U. S. Civil Service Commission, advised that "Warren Wilhelm, Fiscal Economist - Appointee, Bureau of the Budget, Washington, D. C., Loyalty of Government Employees," was "Eligible on loyalty." (77-45098)

The Bureau conducted an LGE investigation regarding one Donald Wilhelm in the case entitled "Donald Wilhelm, aka Donald Wilhelm, Jr., Chief Materials Requisition and Control Branch - Appointee, Federal Civil Defense Administration, Washington, D. C., LGE," who is apparently the brother of the afore-mentioned Warren Wilhelm. WFO, Boston and Baltimore refer to your respective files 121-18174, 121-2559 and 121-2509..

By memorandum dated April 18, 1952, the Chairman, Loyalty Review Board, U. S. Civil Service Commission, advised that Donald Wilhelm was "Eligible on loyalty."

(121-29259)

WFO will report the basis and personal history. The basis should simply state that this investigation is being conducted under the provisions of EO 10422.

It is to be noted that Marie Wilhelm on her UN loyalty form indicated membership in the Progressive Citizens of America from October, 1946, to December, 1947. A copy of afore-mentioned form is being enclosed for each office.

In conducting investigations of this type all offices should refer to Bureau Bulletin 53-2 dated January 26, 1953. The investigation must cover the captioned person's character, reputation and associates as well as his loyalty. Office indices, credit and criminal, must also be checked concerning his relatives and the results incorporated in

your report. The original and seven copies of your report are to be forwarded to the Bureau and the notation "Refer to Employees Security Section" must appear at the top of each original piece of correspondence. This case is to be assigned to mature and experienced agents thoroughly familiar with loyalty and applicant-type investigations and care must be taken to avoid any adverse criticism of the Bureau in the handling of this important program. This case is to be assigned immediately and the Buded met without fail.

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FOR EMPLOYMENT OF UNITED STATES CITIZEN

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maiden name--Maria de Blasio

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5'8"	122	dk. brown	dk. brown

6. (Check which)

☐ SINGLE ☐ DIVORCED
☒ MARRIED ☐ WIDOW (ER)

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DAY	MONTH	YEAR
14	5	1917

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Falls Church, Va. date

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Wilhelm, Mrs. Warren

9. UNITED STATES CITIZENSHIP:

INDICATE WHETHER:

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(B) DERIVATIVE <input type="checkbox"/>	PETITION NO.
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CERTIFICATE NO.	CERTIFICATE NO.
PLACE	PLACE

10. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER

have lost it

11. MILITARY SERVICE (Past or present)

SERIAL NO.	BRANCH	FROM (Yr.)	TO (Yr.)

12. EDUCATION (All schools above elementary)

NAME OF SCHOOL	ADDRESS	FROM (Yr.)	TO (Yr.)	DEGREES
A.B. Davis High Sch.	Mount Vernon, N.Y.	1931	1934	diploma
Smith College	Northampton, Mass.	1934	1938	B.A.
"	"	1938	1939	M.A.
Radcliffe College	Cambridge, Mass.	1947	1949	none

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13. EMPLOYMENT (List ALL employment dates including present employment and ALL dates and addresses when unemployed.)
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Aug. 1939 Dec 1941	TIME, Inc. Content Peckham & Emeline Nollen	editorial research	9 Rockefeller Plaza, NYC	resigned
Dec 1941 Nov 1945	GOI later OWL, overseas branch. Edd Johnson and Adrian Berwick U.S. DEPT. OF JUSTICE	propaganda and analysis and editing	2 Madison av. & 38th, then 57th & Bway, NYC	on loan to State, because wanted transfer DC to be with husband
Nov 1945 Jan 1946	Public Liaison Division State Dept, Marg. Carter	research	Pa. Ave & 18th st NW, Wash. DC	resigned
Jan 1946 Sept 1946	Retraining & Reemployment Administration. Raymond Henri	editor, weekly publication LOYALTY SECTION	FTC Bldg. Wash. DC	resigned
Sept 1946 Sept 1947	freelance for NEWSWEEK Magazine (Tom Malley) Houghton, Mifflin, Inc. (Paul Brooks); and one piece research for Wash. office New Republic.	reporting and editing	worked at home NEWSWEEK is in NY; HM, Inc. is in Boston, Mass.	started full time studies
Sept 1947 to Dec. 1949	was studying at Radcliffe College			
Jan. Feb 1950 to Oct. 1950	to was housewife			
Oct 1950 to date	International Bank for Reconstruction & Development (Leonard Rist)	editorial	1818 H St NW Wash. DC	-----

14. FOREIGN COUNTRIES VISITED (Since 1930) (Exclusive of military service)

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Cuba	Nov 1942	Nov or early Dec. 1942	vacation
France, Italy, England	June 1952	July 1952	vacation

15. ARE YOU NOW, OR HAVE YOU EVER BEEN, A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY OR ANY COMMUNIST OR FASCIST ORGANIZATION?

no

Answer "Yes" or "No"

16. ARE YOU NOW, OR HAVE YOU EVER BEEN, A MEMBER OF ANY ORGANIZATION, ASSOCIATION, MOVEMENT, GROUP, OR COMBINATION OF PERSONS WHICH ADVOCATES THE OVERTHROW OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL FORM OF GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES, OR OF ANY ORGANIZATION, ASSOCIATION, MOVEMENT, GROUP, OR COMBINATION OF PERSONS WHICH HAS ADOPTED A POLICY OF ADVOCATING OR APPROVING THE COMMISSION OF ACTS OF FORCE OR VIOLENCE TO DENY OTHER PERSONS THEIR RIGHTS UNDER THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES OR OF SEEKING TO ALTER THE FORM OF GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES BY UNCONSTITUTIONAL

MEANS?

no

Answer "Yes" or "No"

17. IF YOUR ANSWER TO QUESTION 15 OR 16 IS "YES", STATE THE NAME OF THE ORGANIZATION, DATES OF MEMBERSHIP OR ASSOCIATION, AND EXTENT OF PARTICIPATION. IF YOU DESIRE TO EXPLAIN THE CIRCUMSTANCES OF YOUR MEMBERSHIP YOU MAY USE THE SPACE UNDER ITEM 23 OR ATTACH A SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER.

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NY Newspaper Guild, CIO

NYC

trade union

Sept 1939

Dec

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1941 organizing
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Pres. for

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America (now defunct)

Boston,
Mass

don't know how
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signed

Oct. 1946 to
Dec 1947

none

Americans for Demo. Action Wash DC

" " "

March 1950

none

to date

19. RELATIVES (Parents, spouse, divorced spouse, children, brothers, and sisters, living or dead. Name of spouse should include maiden name and any other names by previous marriage.)

RELATION	NAME IN FULL	AGE	ADDRESS	COUNTRY OF BIRTH	PRESENT CITIZENSHIP
husband	Warren Wilhelm	35	807 Jackson St. Falls Church, Va.	USA	American
son	Steven Wilhelm	4 1/2	" "	"	"
father	John de Blasio	68	316 West 79th St. New York, N.Y.	Italy	American
mother	Anna Briganti de Blasio		dead	"	"
sister	Mrs. Dorothy Braver	41	c/o Venezuelan Supply Co., Apartado 1871, Caracas, Venezuela	USA	American
sister	Miss Yole de Blasio	33	Via Paolo Frisi 24 Rome, Italy	USA	American

20. REFERENCES (Name three persons, not relatives or employers, who are well-acquainted with you)

NAME	ADDRESS	YEARS KNOWN
Sen. Charles Potter (R.)	3743 Gunston Rd. Alexandria, Va.	seven
Ferdinand Kuhn	3116 Cathedral Av. NW, Wash DC	nine
Mrs. Corinne Schelling	5470 30th St NW, Wash. DC	seven

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Answer "Yes" or "No."

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(of the U.S.)

18. League of Women Voters, Falls Church, Va. from 1951 to present. Do not hold office.

CERTIFICATION

NOTE: The original copy must be signed by the person named in item 1 on this form.

I certify that the above information is correct and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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Date

Maria Wilhelm

SIGNATURE (Sign original only)

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SERIAL NO.	BRANCH	FROM (Yr.)	TO (Yr.)

12. EDUCATION (All schools above elementary)

School	Address	From (Yr.)	To (Yr.)	Degrees
A.B. Davis High Sch.	Mount Vernon, N.Y.	1931	1934	
Smith College	Northampton, Mass.	1934	1938	B.A.
"	"	1938	1939	M.A.
Radcliffe College	Cambridge, Mass.	1947	1949	none

13. EMPLOYMENT (List ALL employment dates including present employment and ALL dates and addresses when unemployed.)
Give name under which employed if different from name now used.

DATE FROM-TO	NAME OF EMPLOYER (Firm or Agency) AND NAME OF SUPERVISOR	TYPE OF WORK	ADDRESS (Where employed)	REASON FOR LEAVING
Aug. 1949 Dec 1941 Dec 1941 Nov 1945	TIME, Inc. Content Peckham & Emeline Nollen DOI later ONI, overseas branch. Edg Johnson and Adrian Berwick	editorial research propaganda analysis and editorial	9 Rockefeller Plaza, NYC Madison av. 38th, then 57th & Buay, NYC	resigned on loan to State, because wanted transfer DO to be with husband
Nov 1945 Jan 1946	Public Liaison Division State Dept, Marg. Carter	research	Pa. Ave & 18th St NW, Wash. DC	resigned
Jan 1946 Sept 1946	Retraining & Reemployment Administration. Raymond Henri	editor weekly publication	FTO Bldg. Wash. DC	resigned
Sept 1946 Sept 1947	freelance for NEWSWEEK Magazine (Tom Malley) Houghton, Mifflin, Inc. (Paul Brooks); and one piece research for Wash. office New Republic.	reporting and editing	worked at home NEWSWEEK is in NYC; HM, Inc. is in Boston, Mass.	started full time studies
Sept 1947 to Dec. 1949	was studying at Radcliffe College			
Jan 1950 to Oct. 1950	was housewife			
Oct 1950 to date	International Bank for Reconstruction & Development (Leonard Riet)	editorial	1818 H St NW Wash. DC	

14. FOREIGN COUNTRIES VISITED (Since 1930) (Exclusive of military service)

COUNTRY	DATE LEFT USA	DATE RETURNED USA	PURPOSE
Mexico	Feb 1941	March 1941	vacation
Cuba	Nov 1942	Nov or early Dec. 1942	vacation
France, Italy, England	June 1952	July 1952	vacation

15. ARE YOU NOW, OR HAVE YOU EVER BEEN, A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY OR ANY COMMUNIST OR FASCIST ORGANIZATION?

no

Answer "Yes" or "No"

16. ARE YOU NOW, OR HAVE YOU EVER BEEN, A MEMBER OF ANY ORGANIZATION, ASSOCIATION, MOVEMENT, GROUP, OR COMBINATION OF PERSONS WHICH ADVOCATES THE OVERTHROW OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL FORM OF GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES, OR OF ANY ORGANIZATION, ASSOCIATION, MOVEMENT, GROUP, OR COMBINATION OF PERSONS WHICH HAS ADOPTED A POLICY OF ADVOCATING OR APPROVING THE COMMISSION OF ACTS OF FORCE OR VIOLENCE TO DENY OTHER PERSONS THEIR RIGHTS UNDER THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES OR OF SEEKING TO ALTER THE FORM OF GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES BY UNCONSTITUTIONAL

MEANS?

no

Answer "Yes" or "No"

17. IF YOUR ANSWER TO QUESTION 15 OR 16 IS "YES", STATE THE NAME OF THE ORGANIZATION, DATES OF MEMBERSHIP OR ASSOCIATION, AND EXTENT OF PARTICIPATION. IF YOU DESIRE TO EXPLAIN THE CIRCUMSTANCES OF YOUR MEMBERSHIP YOU MAY USE THE SPACE UNDER ITEM 23 OR ATTACH A SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER.

NAME

ADDRESS

FROM

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18. MEMBERSHIP IN OTHER ORGANIZATIONS (List all organizations in which you are now a member or have been a member, except those which show religious or political affiliations.)

NAME	ADDRESS	TYPE	FROM	TO	OFFICE HELD
NY Newspaper Guild CIO	NYC	trade union	Sept 1939	Dec 1941	organizing chairman TIME Unit.

Local 201, UFWA, CIO	NYC	trade union	about Jan. 1942	to Nov. 1945	Pres. for 2 terms.
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I believe I paid dues few months to a UFWA local in Wash. DC when transferred to State Dept. in Nov. 1945. Attended one meeting. I think union changed name about that time, and I dropped out approx. Jan. 1946.

Progressive Citizens of America (now defunct)	Boston, Mass	don't know how it would be designated	Oct. 1946	to Dec 1947	none
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Americans for Demo. Action	Wash DC	" n "	March 1950	to date	none
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19. RELATIVES (Parents, spouse, divorced spouse, children, brothers, and sisters, living or dead. Name of spouse should include maiden name and any other names by previous marriage.)

RELATION	NAME IN FULL	AGE	ADDRESS	COUNTRY OF BIRTH	PRESENT CITIZENSHIP
husband	Warren Wilhelm	35	807 Jackson St. Falls Church, Va.	USA	American
son	Steven Wilhelm	4 1/2	" " "	"	"
father	John de Blasio	68	316 West 79th St. New York, N.Y.	Italy	American
mother	Anna Briganti de Blasio		dead	"	"
sister	Mrs. Dorothy Braver	41	c/o Venezuelan Supply Co., Apartado 1871, Caracas, Venezuela	USA	American
sister	Miss Yole de Blasio	33	Via Paolo Frisi 24 Rome, Italy	USA	American

20. REFERENCES (Name three persons, not relatives or employers, who are well acquainted with you)

NAME	ADDRESS	YEARS KNOWN
Sen. Charles Potter (R.)	3743 Gunston Rd. Alexandria, Va	seven
Ferdinand Kuhn	3116 Cathedral Av. NW, Wash DC	nine
Mrs. Corinne Schelling	5470 30th St NW, Wash. DC	seven

21. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN ARRESTED, INDICTED, OR SUMMONED INTO COURT AS A DEFENDANT IN A CRIMINAL PROCEEDING, OR CONVICTED, FINED OR IMPRISONED OR PLACED ON PROBATION IN CONNECTION WITH SUCH A PROCEEDING, OR HAVE YOU EVER BEEN ARRESTED OR REQUIRED TO DEPOSIT BAIL OR COLLATERAL FOR THE VIOLATION OF ANY LAW, POLICE REGULATION OR ORDINANCE (EXCLUDING MINOR TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS)?.....

Answer "Yes" or "No"

IF YOUR ANSWER IS "YES" LIST ALL SUCH CASES IN ITEM 22, IN EACH CASE GIVE: (1) THE CHARGE OR NATURE OF THE OFFENSE; (2) THE DATE; (3) THE PLACE WHERE ARRESTED; (4) DISPOSITION OR THE PENALTY IMPOSED, IF ANY.

22. ARRESTS (Include all arrests and fines other than minor traffic violations)

CHARGE	DATE	PLACE WHERE ARRESTED	DISPOSITION

23. SPACE FOR CONTINUING ANSWERS TO OTHER QUESTIONS (Show item numbers to which answers apply. Attach a separate sheet if there is not enough space here.)

of the U.S.
18. League of Women Voters, Falls Church, Va. from 1951 to present. Do not hold office.

CERTIFICATION

NOTE: The original copy must be signed by the person named in item 1 on this form.

I certify that the above information is correct and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

3/3/53
Date

SIGNATURE (Sign original only)

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SECURITY INFORMATION - ~~CONFIDENTIAL~~ (U)

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MEMORANDUM

RE: MARIA WILHELM
nee deBlasio, aka Maria de Blasio,
Mrs. Warren Wilhelm, Marie Angela de Blasio
Editorial
International Bank for Reconstruction and
Development
United Nations
Washington, D. C.

This Bureau is conducting an investigation concerning the captioned individual under the provisions of Executive Order 10422.

Applicant-type investigations were conducted concerning Maria Angela de Blasio during 1942 and 1944. During the course of the investigations, several individuals who had associated with de Blasio at the Office of War Information stated that propaganda directed towards Italy bore the pro-Communist viewpoint as a result of Miss de Blasio's personal censorship.

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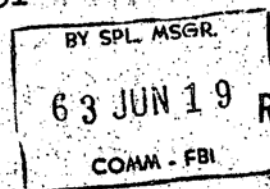
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MARIA WILHELM, AKA, UN, LEUN - IR. REBULET TO WFO 6/19/53.

THE NAME MARIA DI BLASSIO is BEING ADDED TO THE TITLE
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DIRECTOR, FBI (138-1478)

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MARIA WILHELM, INTERNATIONAL BANK FOR RECONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT,
UNITED NATIONS, WDC., LUNE. BUDED JULY 20, 1953. PROFESSOR DONALD C.
MC KAY, HARVARD UNIVERSITY, CAMBRIDGE, MASS., UNAVAILABLE FOR INTERVIEW
UNTIL JULY 21, NEXT. BOSTON REPORT WILL BE SUBMITTED JULY 24.

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Newark, New Jersey
July 17, 1953

III RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION

Mrs. WALTER L. GARSIDE, RD #2, Neshanic Station, New Jersey, a reference, advised she knew MARIA de BLASIO as a frequent weekend guest at her home from 1938 to 1942, when she, Mrs. GARSIDE, lived in Somerville, N. J. She advised she met the employee through her son, TANNER M. CLARK, who, like the employee, was an artist at the time. She advised their discussions dealt mainly with literary and artistic things, and at no time during their discussions did the employee evidence any sympathy for any other form of government other than the democratic form of government. Mrs. GARSIDE stated that after the employee was married, she hardly ever saw her and hasn't had any contact with her for the last eleven years.

Mrs. GARSIDE advised that she always considered MARIA de BLASIO to be a highly intelligent, loyal American of good character, reputation and associates during the period that she knew her.

TANNER M. CLARK advised he met MARIA de BLASIO socially in New York City around 1938 through their both being artists at the time. The remainder of his comments were the same as that of his mother, Mrs. WALTER L. GARSIDE.

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Miss ADELAIDE GARSIDE furnished the same information as her mother, Mrs. WALTER L. GARSIDE.

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Report of: Special Agent JAMES R. LAUGHLIN

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SAC, NEW YORK (138-1492)

MARIA WILHELM, AKA, UN, LEON - IR. REBULET WASHINGTON FIELD 6/19/53.

[Handwritten mark] FORMER CI, BOSTON, NOW EMPLOYED AND RESIDING NEW YORK CITY, ON 5/11/47, FURNISHED INFO THAT EMPLOYEE ATTENDED SEVERAL INFORMAL MEETINGS OF MASS. COMMITTEE, PROGRESSIVE CITIZENS OF AMERICA. EMPLOYEE LISTS MEMBERSHIP PCA, BOSTON, MASS., OCTOBER, 1946 TO DECEMBER, 1947. INTERVIEW RE HIS ACQUAINTANCE AND ASSOCIATION WITH EMPLOYEE.

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MARIA WILHELM, NEE DE BLASIO, AKA, LEON-IR. RESULET JUNE NINETEEN, LAST.
PERSONNEL AT THE FEDERAL RECORDS CENTER, ST. LOUIS, ADVISE EMPLOYEE'S
STATE DEPT. AND ONI EMPLOYMENT RECORDS ARE LOCATED AT U.S. DEPT. OF STATE,
MR. BERNARD HENDERSON, RECORDS & REPORTS UNIT, ROOM 312, WALKER JOHNSON BLDG.,
WASH D.C.

ST. LOUIS VERIFYING LABOR DEPT. EMPLOYMENT IN 1946.

SUPERVISOR AT LABOR DEPT. KNOWN AS WILLIAM P. MC CAHILL, DIRECTOR OF INFORMATION.

REFERENCES WERE LISTED AS ROBERT R. NATHAN, 2500 Q St., WASH D.C. AND

HENRY SCHAFER, DEPT. OF COMMERCE, WASH D.C.

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SAC, BALTIMORE (138-659)

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MARIA J. JENSEN, aka
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*Refer to Employees
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Reference: Dulet dated 6-19-53.

BALTIMORE FIELD Office will include in its report under appropriate temporary informant symbol the fact that the files of the G-2, Central Records Facility, Fort Holabird, Baltimore, Maryland, have been searched relative to the employee or appointee with the results checked below:

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MARIA WILHELM, NEE DE BLASIO, AKA., UN, LEUN-IR.

REBULET TO WASHINGTON FIELD, 6/19/53. ELAINE CARR, FORMERLY ASSOCIATED WITH EMPLOYEE AT OWI, ADVISED IN 1944 THAT SHE HAD NO PROOF OF DE BLASIO'S COMMUNIST AFFILIATIONS BUT STATED THAT DE BLASIO HAD CONSISTENTLY FOLLOWED THE COMMUNIST LINE IN HER WORK AND BY HER ATTITUDE HAD DEMONSTRATED COMPLETE ACCORD WITH ALL COMMUNIST DOCTRINES. SHE STATED THAT DE BLASIO WAS CLOSELY ASSOCIATED WITH PEREZ ZAGORIN IN THE PROMOTION OF ACTIVITIES OF UNITED FEDERAL WORKERS OF AMERICA, A CIO UNION WHICH HAD A LOCAL AT OWI. THE INFORMANT STATED THAT ZAGORIN WAS AN AVOWED COMMUNIST. ELAINE CARR HAS SINCE MARRIED, AND HER MARRIAGE NAME IS ELAINE SOULIDES. HER LAST KNOWN ADDRESS WAS 1509 16 STREET, N.W., WASHINGTON, D.C. WASHINGTON FIELD IS REQUESTED TO REINTERVIEW INFORMANT FOR ANY ADDITIONAL INFO SHE MAY POSSESS REGARDING THE EMPLOYEE. WASHINGTON FIELD WILL INCLUDE ABOVE AND ANY ADDITIONAL INFO IN ITS REPORT.

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TITLE MARIA WILHELM, nee de Blasio, aka Maria de Blasio, Mrs. Warren Wilhelm, Maria Angela de Blasio, Editorial, International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, United Nations, Washington, D. C.			CHARACTER OF CASE LOYALTY OF THE EMPLOYEES OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND OTHER PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS-IR

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

Records FRC, GSA, St. Louis, Mo., indicate MARIA de BLASIO WILHELM employed by Labor Dept. at Washington, D. C. Terminated by reason of resignation. No record located of: State Dept. or O.W.I. Born 5-14-17 at New York, New York.

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III. RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION

A review of the personnel records, Federal Records Center, General Services Administration, St. Louis, Missouri, for MARIA de BLASIO WILHELM indicates that she was employed on January 29, 1946 with the United States Department of Labor, Retraining and Reemployment Administration, as an Information Assistant at Washington, D. C. This employment was terminated on August 23, 1946 as an Information Assistant by reason of resignation due to moving from city to be with her husband.

Personnel at Federal Records Center advised no record of State Department or Office of War Information employment could be located for the employee.

The date and place of birth were shown as May 14, 1917 at New York, New York.

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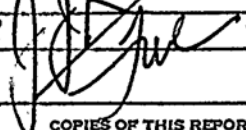
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SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

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Birth date verified as May 14, 1917. Employee received A.B. degree June, 1938; M.A. degree June, 1939, at Smith College, Northampton, Massachusetts. Graduated magna cum laude, elected Phi Beta Kappa and was Neilson Scholar; was member of Italian Club, Press Board, Psychology Club. Faculty members speak of her in highest terms regarding intelligence, appearance and character. No criticism or disciplinary action against her. Employee attended Graduate School, Radcliffe College, Cambridge, Massachusetts, September, 1947 to January, 1950, and was enrolled in Regional Program on the Soviet Union. She failed to obtain M.A. degree due to failure in Soviet language. Dean of Graduate School and former professor, Radcliffe College, recommend employee favorably as to character, loyalty, reputation and associates. Employee was employed Houghton and Mifflin Publishing Company, Boston, Massachusetts, while attending Radcliffe and was recommended favorably by her supervisor. Employee listed membership in Progressive Citizens of America, Boston, Massachusetts, October, 1947 to December, 1948. Reliable Informants, Boston, contacted but could furnish no information concerning employee. Neighborhood investigation Lexington, Massachusetts, favorable. No credit or criminal record.

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III. RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION

Education

Miss GLADYS DIGGS, Assistant in the Registrar's Office at Smith College, stated the employee received her A.B. degree in June, 1938. She was awarded her Master's degree in June, 1939. Miss de BLASIO majored in English. She graduated Magna Cum Laude and was elected to Phi Beta Kappa. She was a Neilson Scholar, meaning that she was one of the leading scholars of her class. She was born in New York City on May 14, 1917.

Her activities included the Italian Club, Press Board and Psychology Club.

Miss BARBARA CROSBY, Personnel Office, referred to the Faculty Recommendations File on the employee, which is a composite of numerous faculty recommendations. It speaks in the highest terms of the employee. She was described as having keen intelligence, being sensible and realistic and having a due degree of self confidence. She has a very pleasant and attractive personality and makes a good appearance. She had unusual initiative and intellectual maturity. She is courteous, ambitious and cooperative with others. There were no criticisms made of her and all comments were favorable.

Mrs. BERNICE B. CRONKITE, Dean, Graduate School, Radcliffe College, Cambridge, Massachusetts, reviewed the scholastic record of MARIA WILHELM which indicated that the employee attended the Graduate School of Radcliffe College beginning in the summer term of 1947 until the end of the first term of the scholastic year 1949-50. Mrs. CRONKITE stated that the employee studied courses in Slavic, Economics and Social Sciences. The

record indicated that the terms of admission to the Graduate School were "Admitted to study toward the A.M. degree in the Regional Program on the Soviet Union." According to the information reflected in the employee's file, she was born May 14, 1917 at New York City, New York, the daughter of JOHN DE BLASIO and ANNA BRIGENTIDE BLASIO. The employee's husband's name is listed as WARREN WILHELM and his occupation as student at Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts. Mrs. CRONKITE stated that the employee had received an A.B. degree in 1938 and an A.M. degree in 1939 from Smith College, Northampton, Massachusetts. Mrs. CRONKITE said that she recalled the employee very well inasmuch as she had interviewed her upon her admittance to the Graduate School and had numerous conferences with the employee during the period she attended Radcliffe College. Mrs. CRONKITE advised that in her consideration the employee is a very intelligent, capable and aggressive individual extremely well qualified to handle a position of responsibility. She said that the employee is an "individualist with a mind of her own." Mrs. CRONKITE said that there is no reason in her mind to question the loyalty of the employee to the United States and said that she would consider the employee to be a good security risk. Mrs. CRONKITE said the employee enjoyed a good reputation during her attendance at Radcliffe College and to the best of her recollection, her associates were persons of good reputation.

It is to be noted that on the application for admittance to Radcliffe College, the employee furnished the following information concerning her background:

"My academic training and working experience have been concentrated in publications and information work, particularly in the international field.

"The importance of acquiring a detailed knowledge of Russia became apparent to me before the war." As circumstances permitted I have followed a course of language study and reading in the Russian field. By September I will have completed 8 months of private tutoring twice a week. I shall intensify this studying if I am admitted to the Regional Program on the Soviet Union. While in O.W.I. I applied for duty in Russia and plans were under way when personal reasons forced a change of plans.

"With our (my husband's and mine) combined background in Journalism and Economics we expect little difficulty in being assigned to Russia by a publication or a government agency."

DONALD S. McKAY, Professor of History, Radcliffe College, Cambridge, Massachusetts, advised that he knew the employee during the entire course of her study at Radcliffe, at which time she was a member of the Russian phase of the Regional Studies Course. Doctor McKAY said that he considered the employee to be a very intelligent, capable girl, although he did not consider her to be a good "team" person. Doctor McKAY recalled that the employee was very interested in the Russian form of Government and maintained excellent grades in each of the subjects which she followed at Radcliffe. Doctor McKAY said that the employee, however, experienced difficulty in the Russian language and for that reason did not qualify for her M.A. degree. Doctor McKAY said that he has never known anything derogatory concerning the employee or any member of her family and he considered her to be a loyal American and a person of good reputation and character. Doctor McKAY said he would recommend her favorably for a responsible position.

Employment

Mr. PAUL BROOKS, Director, Houghton and Mifflin Company, 2 Park Street, Boston, Massachusetts, advised that the employee worked at the Houghton and Mifflin Company on a part-time basis editing and reviewing various publications. Mr. BROOKS said that the employee was so employed during the time she was studying for her Master's degree at Radcliffe College. Mr. BROOKS was unable to furnish the exact dates when the employee was with the Houghton and Mifflin Company. Mr. BROOKS considered the employee to be a very intelligent individual who was well recommended to the Houghton and Mifflin Company. He said that she did an excellent job at the Houghton and Mifflin Company and is eligible for rehire. According to Mr. BROOKS, he knew the employee and her husband on a social basis and indicated that nothing unfavorable or derogatory concerning them has ever come to his attention. Mr. BROOKS further stated that he would consider the employee to be a good security risk and he would recommend her most favorably for a responsible position.

Neighborhood

Mrs. MARY T. DILLON, Housewife, 97 School Street, Lexington, Massachusetts, advised that she had been a neighbor of the employee and her husband since May, 1948. Mrs. DILLON said that she and her husband have visited the employee and her husband socially on numerous occasions and that the employee appears to be a high-type individual concerning whom she knows nothing which is of a derogatory nature. Mrs. DILLON said that she had no reason to question the loyalty of the employee or her husband and from her acquaintance with the employee and her family, she would be able to recommend her favorably for a responsible position.

Mrs. F. C. CLARK, 101 School Street, Lexington, Massachusetts, advised that she has known the employee as a neighbor for approximately three years. Mrs. CLARK said that the employee and her husband appear to be a very quiet couple and she and her own husband have visited socially with the employee and her family on numerous occasions. Mrs. CLARK said that she has had no reason to doubt the character or loyalty of the employee and that from her acquaintance with the employee, she could recommend her for a position of trust and confidence.

Membership in the Progressive Citizens of America

On the Identification and Personnel Data Form completed by the employee concerning her employment with the United Nations, she listed that from October, 1946, to December, 1947, she was a member of the Progressive Citizens of America at Boston, Massachusetts. The employee indicated that she did not hold any office with this organization.

The California House Committee on un-American Activities, 1947 report, page 369, and 1948 report, page 354, cited the Progressive Citizens of America as a new and broader Communist front for the entire United States formed in September, 1946, at the direction of the Communist Steering Committee from the Communist dominated National Citizens Political Action Committee and the Independent Citizens Committee of the Arts, Sciences and Professions.

Boston Informant T-1, of known reliability, advised that on March 10, 1947, a meeting of Ward 5, Progressive Citizens of America in Boston, was held, at which time it was announced that a Citizens Housing Council had been formed under the direction of MARIA WILHELM who, according to the informant, is believed to be a close friend of ANGUS CAMERON. Boston Informant T-1 was re-contacted and advised that he could furnish no additional information concerning the employee and refused to execute a signed statement or appear before a Loyalty Hearing Board.

Boston Informant T-2, of known reliability, who for many years was affiliated with some persons who now constitute the national leadership of the Communist Party, advised that he had known CAMERON in the past as a secret member of prominence in the Communist Party, USA. *MASS*

Boston Informant T-3, of known reliability, advised on May 11, 1947, that a Mrs. WILHELM had attended several "publicity meetings" of the Massachusetts Progressive Citizens of America.

Reliable Boston Informants, who are familiar with some phases of Communist activity in the Greater Boston area, stated that they could

provide no information concerning the employee or her family.

Relatives

During the course of an applicant-type investigation concerning WARREN WILHELM, husband of the employee, it was determined that no derogatory information was developed concerning WARREN WILHELM in Boston, Massachusetts.

Investigation conducted at Boston, Massachusetts, reflected that WARREN WILHELM was born on September 19, 1917 at Staten Island, New York, the son of DONALD WILHELM (deceased) and NINA MAY WARREN. *W. 5*

Pursuant to provisions of Executive Order 9835, a Loyalty of Government Employees investigation was conducted during January, 1952, concerning DONALD WILHELM, Chief Materials Requisition and Control Branch, Federal Civil Defense Administration, Washington, D. C. Instant investigation reflected that DONALD WILHELM was born June 18, 1915 at Newark, New Jersey, the son of DONALD and NINA (WARREN) WILHELM. It is to be assumed that DONALD WILHELM is the brother of WARREN WILHELM, the husband of the employee.

Credit

Personnel of the Credit Bureau of Greater Boston, Incorporated, 11 Beacon Street, Boston, Massachusetts, advised they could locate no record for the employee.

The records of the Northampton Credit Bureau, Northampton, Massachusetts, were checked and no credit record was found concerning the employee.

Criminal

Personnel of the Massachusetts Board of Probation, Suffolk County Court House, Boston, Massachusetts, a central repository for all criminal conviction records in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, advised they could locate no record for the employee.

The records of the Northampton, Massachusetts Police Department were checked and no record was located concerning the employee.

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Reliable Boston Informants mentioned in this report are: [] and []

Credit and criminal checks at Boston, Massachusetts, were conducted at the request of SE FRANCIS L. X. MANNIX.

In the case entitled "MARIA ANGELA deBLASIO, Office of the Coordinator of Information (Special Inquiry)," investigation concerning the employee was conducted at Smith College, Northampton, Massachusetts, and the results of this investigation were reflected in the report of SA C. L. CARTWRIGHT dated January 23, 1942 at Boston.

REFERENCE: Bulet to Washington Field dated June 19, 1953.

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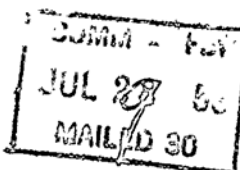
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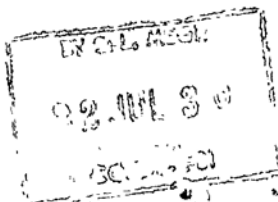
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You were previously advised by Standard Form 79
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Re Bureau letter to Washington Field dated June 19, 1953, and Bureau air-tel to Washington Field dated July 29, 1953.

Herewith are enclosed the original and seven copies of a report of SA ROBERT G. WELTON, Washington Field Office, dated August 6, 1953.

It is pointed out that this report does not purport to be a complete report and merely incorporates the results of the investigation to date.

It is also pointed out that for the information of the Bureau the files of the House Committee on Un-American Activities reflect that one WARREN WILHELM, formerly a Government economist, of the Harvard University Research Center was the writer of a report on Soviet Industrial Production as cited in the New York Times newspaper, their issue of February 23, 1950, on page 7.

These files further reflect that WARREN WILHELM, Foreign Policy Association, quoted with approval the "Daily Worker", issue of March 28, 1950, at page 4. This article cites the achievements of Soviet Socialism in industrializing four countries of Central Asia. These files also reflect that WARREN WILHELM quoted with approval the "Daily People's World" newspaper, issue of July 24, 1950, at page 6. The significance of this quote was not reflected in the files.

It is pointed out that this information was not included in referenced report inasmuch as the investigation was discontinued before sufficient investigation was conducted to identify WARREN WILHELM, mentioned above, as the husband of the employee.

It is also pointed out that original sources of the information above have not been checked. RUC

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Washington, D. C.**

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

Referral/Consult

Files of HCUA and Senate Judiciary Committee reflect no record for employee. Pertinent information [redacted] set forth. Files of Washington T-1 and T-2 contain no reference to the employee. Records Credit Bureau, Inc., Washington, D. C., reflect satisfactory credit standing for employee and husband. No record for employee at Metropolitan Police Department, United States Park Police Department, Montgomery County Police Department, or Fairfax County Police Department. Metropolitan Police Department records reflect one WARREN WILHELM, 2456 20th Street, N.W., charged in 1941 and 1946 with minor traffic violations.

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REFERENCE: Bureau letter to Washington Field dated June 19, 1953.

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Washington, D. C.
August 6, 1953

I. BASIS FOR INVESTIGATION

This investigation was conducted under the provisions of Executive Order 10422.

II. RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION

The files of the House Committee on Un-American Activities contained no reference to the employee.

The files of Washington T-1, another Governmental agency which conducts personnel and security investigations, contains no pertinent identifiable security information pertaining to the employee.

Washington T-2, another Governmental agency which conducts personnel and security investigations, advised that their files contained no record of the employee.

The available files of the United States Senate Committee on the Judiciary, the Sub-Committee to investigate the Administration of the Internal Security Act and other Internal Security Laws contained no reference to the employee.

Referral/Consult

The files of the Credit Bureau, Incorporated, Washington, D. C., which covers nearby surrounding counties of Montgomery County, Maryland, and Fairfax County, Virginia, reflect that the credit standing for the employee and her husband is satisfactory based on three accounts. These records reflect that the last credit check was made on June 5, 1951.

The files of the Metropolitan Police Department, Washington, D. C., contained no record for the employee or her son. These files reflect, however, that one WARREN WILHELM, age 23, of 2456 20th Street, N.W., was arrested three times in 1941 and once in 1946 for minor traffic violations and forfeited the sums of \$5, \$10, and \$3, respectively. The files indicated that he was warned for the fourth violation.

The files of the United States Park Police Department, the Montgomery County Police Department at Rockville, Maryland, and the Fairfax County Police Department at Fairfax, Virginia, contained no record for the employee, her husband, or her son.

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INFORMANTS

Washington T-1:

[redacted] whose files
were checked by SA WILLIAM J. STATEN.

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Washington T-2:

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The agencies listed below were checked by the following employees:

HCUA:

SE XAVIER F. CLARK

Senate Judiciary Committee:

SA HARMON J. OGREN

[redacted]

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SE HILBERT ARPS

Metropolitan Police Department:

SE ALLAN W. HANSEN

Credit Bureau, Incorporated:

SE MELVIN L. MONTGOMERY

Montgomery County Police Department: SE LOUIE F. DEAN
Rockville, Maryland

U.S. Park Police Department:

SE WALTER JAMES TOLSON

Fairfax County Police Department:
Fairfax, Virginia

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