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January 3, 1967

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EX-104

BERNARD HARDEN PORTER

Applicant

United Nations Educational, Scientific,
and Cultural Organization

Paris, France

LOYALTY OF EMPLOYEES OF THE UNITED NATIONS
AND OTHER PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Reference is made to your referral of the captioned matter for investigation under Executive Order 10422. It appears that the basis for your referral of this matter consists of the same information upon which you requested investigation of the applicant in 1959, when Mr. Porter was being considered for a position with the Department of the Navy. At that time, inquiries were conducted by this Bureau based on allegations that one Bernard Porter was mentioned at a meeting of Chapter 25 of the Federation of Architects, Engineers, Chemists and Technicians among important contacts to be made among persons engaged in atomic research and other critical work in 1943. It was also indicated that Porter's name was listed in an advertisement in "Coast Lines" and that he was identified with an unorganized "group of artists and Bohemians reported to contain many left-wingers and communist sympathizers," in Sausalito, California. One Bern Porter was reported to have been listed as a member of the Marin Committee of 100 for in 1948.

Reports of this Bureau's inquiries concerning the applicant were forwarded to the Civil Service Commission on June 3, 1959. The files of this Bureau contain no additional information identifiable with the applicant except the information which you furnished indicating that Porter was not employed by the Department of the Navy based on a review of FBI and Civil Service Commission reports. No additional investigation is being conducted concerning the applicant in the absence of a future request.

LHM to CSC by 0-14.

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Department of State
Under E.O. 10422
Revised June 1962

IDENTIFICATION AND PERSONNEL FOR EMPLOYMENT OF UNITED STATES CITIZEN

Form approved by
Budget Bureau

INSTRUCTIONS.—Prepare in quadruplicate. All sections must be completed. Write "None" when applicable. Type or print answers. If space not adequate for complete answers continue under item 23, and attach a supplemental sheet to this form if necessary. All addresses must show street number, street, city, and State.

1. NAME (Last, first, middle) PORTER, BERNARD HARDEN	5. DESCRIPTION (Check which) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MALE <input type="checkbox"/> FEMALE			
	HEIGHT 5'6"	WEIGHT 150	COLOR EYES BLUE	COLOR HAIR BROWN
2. OTHER NAMES USED (Maiden name, names by former marriages, former names changed legally or otherwise, aliases, nicknames, etc. Specify which, and show dates used.) Bernard H. Porter	6. MARITAL STATUS (Check which) <input type="checkbox"/> SINGLE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MARRIED <input type="checkbox"/> SEPARATED <input type="checkbox"/> DIVORCED <input type="checkbox"/> WIDOW(ER)		7. BIRTH DATE DAY MONTH YEAR 14 FEB 1911	

3. PRESENT ADDRESS AND LENGTH OF RESIDENCE THERE 2009 KEE HIGH DRIVE HUNTSVILLE, ALABAMA JULY 6, 1964	8. BIRTHPLACE (City, county, State, and country) HOULTON, MAINE, USA
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4. DATES AND PLACES OF RESIDENCE (Go back 15 years. Continue under item 23 on other side if necessary.)				
FROM	TO	NUMBER AND STREET	CITY	STATE
JULY 6, 1964	PRESENT	2009 KEE HIGH DRIVE	HUNTSVILLE	ALABAMA
JUNE 18, 1962	JULY 4, 1964	25 WALTER HAMMOND PLACE	WALDWICK	N.J.
JAN 26, 1962	JUNE 18, 1962	126 N.E. 6TH STREET	MIAMI	FLORIDA
JAN 2, 1962	JAN 26, 1962	CASA GRANDE	CASANUE	PUERTO RICA
DEC 5, 1961	JAN 2, 1962	51 MADISON AVENUE	MADISON	MAINE
SEPT 20, 1961	DEC 3, 1961	SOUTH HALL	CANAAN ST.	CANAAN, N.H.
MAY 10, 1961	SEPT 20, 1961	106 HIGH STREET	BELFAST	MAINE
JAN 6, 1961	MAY 10, 1961	10 BRIDGE STREET	MADAWASKA	MAINE
AUGUST 20, 1960	JAN 6, 1961	10 PRESQUE ISLE ROAD	ASHLAND	MAINE

9. UNITED STATES CITIZENSHIP: INDICATE WHETHER: (A) BY BIRTH <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (B) DERIVATIVE <input type="checkbox"/> DATE 2/14/1911 CERTIFICATE NO. PLACE HOULTON, ME		10. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. 003-10-2491		11. MILITARY SERVICE (Past or present) SERIAL NO. NONE BRANCH NONE FROM (Yr.) TO (Yr.) TYPE OF DISCH. Costa Rica	
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12. EDUCATION (All schools above elementary)					
NAME OF SCHOOL	ADDRESS	FROM (Year)	TO (Year)	DEGREES	
HOULTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS	HOULTON, MAINE	1916	1924	DIPLOMA	
HOULTON HIGH SCHOOL	HOULTON, MAINE	1924	1928	DIPLOMA	
RICKER JUNIOR COLLEGE	HOULTON, MAINE	1928	1929	DIPLOMA	
COLBY COLLEGE	WATERVILLE, MAINE	1929	1932	B.S.	
BROWN UNIVERSITY	PROVIDENCE, R.I.	1932	1933	Sc.M.	
DAVINCI ART SCHOOL	NEW YORK CITY	1936	1937	DIPLOMA	
CONVAIR SCHOOL	SAN DIEGO, CALIF.	1956	1956	DIPLOMA	
UNIVERSITY OF MAINE	ORONO, MAINE	1960	1960	DIPLOMA	

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

FROM	TO	NAME OF EMPLOYER (Firm or agency) AND NAME OF SUPERVISOR	TYPE OF WORK	ADDRESS (Where employed)	REASON FOR LEAVING
JULY 6, 1961	PRESENT	BOEING COMPANY L. WEHRMAN	RESEARCH	HUNTSVILLE ALABAMA	EXTEND EXPERIENCE
FEB 28, 1961	JUNE 30, 1961	INSTITUTE ADVANCED THINKING: NONE SELF-EMPLOYED	RESEARCH (PHYSICS)	WARDWICK NEW JERSEY	EXTEND EXPERIENCE
JUNE 18, 1962	FEB 28, 1961	FEDERAL ELECTRIC CORP. W. HARDING	RESEARCH (PHYSICS)	PARAMUS NEW JERSEY	LAI D OFF.
JAN 25, 1962	JUNE 18, 1962	INSTITUTE ADVANCED THINKING: NONE. SELF EMPLOYED	RESEARCH (PHYSICS)	MIAMI FLORIDA	EXTEND EXPERIENCE
JAN 8, 1962	JAN 25, 1962	DEPARTMENT EDUCATION: NONE	PROFESSOR	HATO REY PUERTO RICO	HEARTH
DEC 3, 1961	JAN 8, 1962	INSTITUTE ADVANCED THINKING, NONE SELF-EMPLOYED	RESEARCH (PHYSICS)	MADISON MAINE	EXTEND EXPERIENCE
SEPT 30, 1961	DEC 3, 1961	COLLEGE OF ADVANCED THINKING AUSTIN WELCH	PROFESSOR	CANAAN NEW HAMPSHIRE	EXTEND EXP.
MAY 10, 1960	SEPT 10, 1961	INSTITUTE ADVANCED THINKING NONE SELF EMPLOYED	RESEARCH (PHYSICS)	BELFAST MAINE	EXTEND EXPERIENCE
DEC 6, 1966	MAY 10, 1960	SAME	RESEARCH	MADAWASKA MAINE	EXTEND EXPERIENCE
AUG 20, 1960	DEC 6, 1960	ASHLAND COMMUNITY DISTRICT NONE	PROFESSOR	ASHLAND MAINE	EXTEND EXPERIENCE
FEB 20, 1960	AUG 20, 1960	INSTITUTE ADVANCED THINK. NONE, SELF EMPLOYED	RESEARCH (PHYSICS)	CANAIS MAINE	EXTEND EXPERIENCE

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

COUNTRY	DATE LEFT USA	DATE RETURNED USA	PURPOSE
ENGLAND/ FRANCE	MAY 1937	JULY 1937	TECH. WORK.
MEXICO	NOV 1945	DEC 1945	TECH. WORK.
WESTERN PACIFIC	NOV 1950	JULY 1951	TECH. WORK
VENEZUELA	FEB 1957	AUG 1957	TECH. WORK.
ALASKA	JAN 1958	SEPT 1958	TECH. WORK.
AUSTRALIA	AUG 1958	FEB 1960	TECH. WORK
SCANDINAVIA	MAY 1961	SEPT 1961	TECH. WORK

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

No

(ANSWER "YES" OR "NO")

ARE YOU NOW, OR HAVE YOU EVER BEEN, A MEMBER OF ANY FOREIGN OR DOMESTIC ORGANIZATION, ASSOCIATION, MOVEMENT, GROUP, OR COMBINATION OF PERSONS WHICH IS TOTALITARIAN, FASCIST, COMMUNIST, OR SUBVERSIVE, OR WHICH HAS ADOPTED, OR SHOWS 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 WHICH SEEKS 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 ABOVE IS "YES," STATE THE NAMES OF ALL SUCH ORGANIZATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS, MOVEMENTS, GROUPS, OR COMBINATIONS OF PERSONS; DATES OF MEMBERSHIP, AND OFFICES HELD IN QUESTION 23 OR ON A SEPARATE SHEET TO BE ATTACHED TO AND MADE A PART OF THIS FORM. GIVE COMPLETE DETAILS ON YOUR ACTIVITIES THEREIN AND MAKE ANY EXPLANATION YOU DESIRE REGARDING YOUR MEMBERSHIP OR ACTIVITIES.

NAME

ADDRESS

FROM

TO

OFFICE HELD

NONE

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

AMERICAN PHYSICAL SOC.	NEW YORK	PROFESSIONAL	1933-1942	MEMBER
INSTITUTE RADIO ENG.	NEW YORK	PROFESSIONAL	1935-1940	MEM.
SIGMA XI	NEW YORK	PROFESSIONAL	1933-1964	MEM.
AMERICAN AERONAUTICAL	NEW YORK	PROFESSIONAL	1936-1962	MEM.
AMERICAN ROCKET SOC.	NEW YORK	PROFESSIONAL	1933-1935	MEM.
SOC. TECHNICAL WRITERS	NEW YORK	PROFESSIONAL	1959-1962	MEM.
PHI BETA KAPPA	NEW YORK	PROFESSIONAL	1937-1964	MEM.

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. If person is dead, so state under "address" and enter other information as of time of death.)

RELATION

NAME IN FULL

YEAR OF BIRTH

ADDRESS

COUNTRY OF BIRTH

PRESENT CITIZENSHIP

FATHER	LEWIS HARDEN PORTER	1892	DECEASED	U.S.A.	
MOTHER	EMMA FLORA BATHEND	1890	PASSADUMKEE	CANADA	U.S.A.
WIFE	MARGARET FUNK	1905	MAINE	U.S.A.	U.S.A.
BROTHER	EVERETT L. PORTER	1921	ALABAMA	U.S.A.	U.S.A.
BROTHER	NAROLO F. PORTER	1919	MAINE	U.S.A.	U.S.A.

1959 FEB 20, 1960 BURNETT ASHMANIA. RESEARCH EXTEND
E. WATERS. (PHYSICS) EXPERIENCE

1958 AUG 11, 1959 INSTITUTE OF ADVANCED RESEARCH BELFAST EXTEND
THINKING (PHYSICS) MAINE. EXPERIENCE
NONE: SELF EMPLOYED

1958 SEPT 13, 1958 CIVIL AERONAUTICS RESEARCH ANCHORAGE EXTEND
E.M. BRANDENBERG COMM. ALASKA EXPERIENCE

1957 JAN 27, 1958 INSTITUTE OF ADVANCED RESEARCH BELFAST EXTEND
THINKING (PHYSICS) MAINE. EXPERIENCE
NONE: SELF EMPLOYED

1957 AUG 12, 1957 COLLINS RADIO COMPANY RESEARCH DALLAS LAID
HI-WINE DRIVE COMM. TEXAS OFF
E.F. CHRISTENSEN

1956 FEB 12, 1957 INSTITUTE OF ADVANCED RESEARCH SAN FRANCISCO EXTEND,
THINKING (PHYSICS) CALIFORNIA EXPERIENCE
NONE: SELF EMPLOYED

1956 OCT 12, 1956 CONVAIR ASTRONAUTICS RESEARCH PACIFIC HIGHWAY EXTEND
F. FOSTER (PHYSICS) SAN DIEGO EXPERIENCE

1952 MAY 1, 1956 INSTITUTE OF ADVANCED RESEARCH SAUSALITO EXTEND
THINKING (PHYSICS) SAN FRANCISCO EXPERIENCE
NONE: SELF EMPLOYED CALIF.

1951 APRIL 25, 1952 OFFICE OF PRICE RESEARCH AGANA LAID
STABILIZATION GUAM OFF

1945 MARCH 10, 1951 INSTITUTE OF ADVANCED RESEARCH BERKELEY EXTEND
THINKING (PHYSICS) SAUSALITO EXPERIENCE
NONE: SELF EMPLOYED CALIFORNIA

1940 NOV 10, 1945 MANHATTAN DISTRICT RESEARCH NEW YORK LAID OFF
ENGINEERS, C.D. SHAW (PHYSICS)

1935, NOV 10, 1940 ACHESON COLLOIDS CORP. RESEARCH FORT HURON DRAFTED
4124, 57. 526 (PHYSICS) MICHIGAN

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

NAME	ADDRESS	YEARS KNOWN
WILLIAM FAULKNER	20 SAN RAFAEL WAY SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.	20
HARRY KIAKIS	2023 CENTRAL AVENUE EL MONTE, CALIF.	15
FRED LINGEL	6 WORTHMORE, LYNNFIELD MASS.	20

21. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN ARRESTED, TAKEN INTO CUSTODY, HELD FOR INVESTIGATION OR QUESTIONING, OR CHARGED BY ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT AUTHORITY? (You may omit: (1) Traffic violations for which you paid a fine of \$30 or less; and (2) anything that happened before your 16th birthday. All other incidents must be included, even though they were dismissed or you merely forfeited collateral.)

No

(ANSWER "YES" OR "NO")

22. WHILE IN THE MILITARY SERVICE WERE YOU EVER ARRESTED FOR AN OFFENSE WHICH RESULTED IN A TRIAL BY DECK COURT OR BY SUMMARY, SPECIAL OR GENERAL COURT-MARTIAL?

No (NO MILITARY SERVICE)

(ANSWER "YES" OR "NO")

IF YOUR ANSWER TO 21 OR 22 IS "YES," GIVE DETAILS IN ITEM 23, SHOWING FOR EACH INCIDENT: (1) DATE, (2) CHARGE, (3) PLACE, (4) LAW ENFORCING AUTHORITY OR TYPE OF COURT OR COURT-MARTIAL, AND (5) ACTION TAKEN.

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

#4:

FEB 20, 1960 AUG 20, 1960 336 MAIN STREET, CALAIS, MAINE
 AUG 11, 1959 FEB 20, 1960 106 HIGH STREET, BELFAST, MAINE
 SEPT 13, 1958 AUG 11, 1959 677 EAST COLORADO ST. PASADENA, CALIF.
 JAN 27 1959 SEPT 13 1958 138 EAST 5TH ST. ANCHORAGE, ALASKA
 OCT 13, 1957 JAN 27 1958 677 EAST COLORADO ST. PASADENA, CALIF.
 AUG 12, 1957 OCT 13, 1957 106 HIGH STREET, BELFAST, MAINE
 FEB 12, 1957 AUG 12, 1957 1930 HI-LINE DRIVE, DALLAS, TEXAS
 OCT 12, 1956 FEB 12, 1957 6621 CALIFORNIA ST. SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.
 MAY 1, 1956 OCT 12, 1956 3326 INDIA ST. SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA
 AUG 10, 1955 MAY 1, 1956 6621 CALIFORNIA ST. SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.
 APRIL 10, 1955 AUG 10, 1955 1480 LARKIN STREET, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.
 NOV 10, 1954 APRIL 10, 1955 415 LITHO STREET, SAUSALITO, CALIF.
 NOV 18, 1950 NOV 10, 1954 BOX 222, AGANA, GUAM
 #13: AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF EMERITUS, LOS ANGELES, CALIF. PROFESSIONAL 115-1165
 SOCIETY OF PROGRAMED INSTRUCTION NEW YORK, PROFESSIONAL 115-1165
 #14: PUERTO RICO JAN 462 JAN 1962 TECH WORK
 COSTA RICA APRIL 1962 APRIL 1962 TECH WORK

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.

November 25, 1966
(DATE)

SIGNATURE (Sign original only)