

MEMORANDUM

March 6, 1991

File Number: 2000-PCC-89234

TO: Chairman
FROM: Director of Complaints
SUBJECT: Thailand report

Attached is my draft report on the Thailand investigation. You will see from the table of contents that it is broken down into two parts. Part one is a distillation of the file. I have gone through the entire file including, the correspondence, memos, notes, interviews, the materials provided by the Force including the transcripts of the audio tapes from Chiang Mai and the transcripts of evidence from two trials in Vancouver which arose out of operation Deception.

Part two of the report begins with a recitation of the "Facts". I then outline the issues which in my view arise from your complaint. I examine the issues in relation to the law and the regulations which would govern Operation Deception.

You will note that the report does not contain findings or recommendations. I am afraid I am unable to provide you with my suggested findings and recommendations in view of the fact that after having lived with this file for a month and a half, I am of the opinion that if ever a complaint required a public hearing, this one does. After reading the report you may well arrive at a different conclusion.

Once you have had an opportunity to read and consider the report, I would be pleased to discuss it with you and the other members of the Complaints Process Committee.

The file, should you wish to look at it, is in a large box in my office. The materials piled on top of the box are also part of the file.



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Executive Director
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