

Status of Johnson and Nixon Era FRUS High Level Panel Covert Action Cases

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| Issues for HLP | Volume | Submitted CIA/NSC (date) | Panel Acknowledged* | CIA Document Re-Review (Based On Issue Statement) | CIA Review Completed (date) | State Document Re-Review (Based On Issue Statement) | State Review Completed (date) | Done (✓) |
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| Panel 1: | | | | | | | | |
| Italy — Civic Action Program | 64-68, XII, Western Europe ¹ | Yes (2/98) | Yes (2/25/98) | 4 docs re-reviewed (4 excised) | 8/6/98 | No docs required re-review | N/A | ✓ |
| Italy — Head of State Information | 64-68, XII, Western Europe | Yes (2/98) | Yes (2/25/98) | Only issue statement to be released | 8/6/98 | Only issue statement to be released | 3/19/98 | ✓ |
| Philippines | 64-68, XXVI, Indo; Malay; Phil ² | Yes (2/98) | Yes (2/25/98) | 4 docs re-reviewed (1 excised; 3 denied) | 8/6/98 | 4 docs re-reviewed (1 excised; 3 denied) | 9/24/98 | ✓ |
| Indonesia | 64-68, XXVI, Indo; Malay; Phil | Yes (2/98) | Yes (4/20/98) | 17 docs re-reviewed (14 excised; 3 denied) | 8/28/98 | 1 doc re-reviewed (denied) | 9/24/98 | ✓ |
| Withdrawn | 64-68, XXIV, Africa ³ | No | No (2/25/98) | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| Panel 2: | | | | | | | | |
| British Guiana (Guyana) | 64-68, XXXII, Domin Crisis; Cuba; Carib. ⁴ | Yes (6/98) | Yes (7/28/98) | 21 docs re-reviewed (1 released; 20 excised) | 9/30/98 | No docs required re-review | N/A | ✓ |
| Pakistan — Intelligence Facilities | 64-68, XXV, South Asia ⁵ | Yes (6/98) | Yes (7/28/98) | 16 docs re-reviewed (3 released; 13 excised) | 9/30/98 | No docs required re-review | N/A | ✓ |
| Pakistan — Intelligence Information | 64-68, XXV, South Asia | Yes (6/98) | Yes (7/28/98) | Only issue statement to be released | 9/30/98 | Only issue statement to be released | N/A | ✓ |
| Iran | 64-68, XXII, Iran ⁶ | Yes (6/98) | Yes (7/28/98) | 11 docs re-reviewed (all excised) | 9/30/98 | No docs required re-review | N/A | ✓ |
| Panel 3: | | | | | | | | |
| Dominican Republic | 64-68, XXXII, Domin. Crisis; Cuba; Carib. | Yes (7/98) | Yes (2/9/99) | 35 docs re-reviewed (29 excised; 6 denied) | 7/20/99 4/28/99 | 7 docs re-reviewed (all denied; revisit after May 2000 elections) | 4/5/99 | ✓ |
| Thailand | 64-68, XXVII, Southeast Asia ⁷ | Yes (7/98) | Yes (2/9/99) | 11 docs re-reviewed (10 excised; 1 denied) | 7/20/99 4/28/99 | 19 docs re-reviewed (1 released, 16 excised, 2 denied) | 5/27/99 | ✓ |
| Israel-Jordan | 64-68, XX, Arab-Israeli Dispute, 1967-68 ⁸ | Yes (7/98) | Yes (2/9/99) | 7 docs re-reviewed (1 released; 4 excised; 2 denied) | 7/20/99 4/28/99 | No docs required re-review | N/A | ✓ |
| Greece | 64-68, XVI, Cyprus; Greece; Turkey ⁹ | Yes (7/98) | Yes (memo from NSC pending) | 4 docs re-reviewed (3 excised; 1 denied) | 5/14/99 | 2 docs re-reviewed (2 excised) | 5/27/99 | ✓ |

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| Panel 4: | | | | | | | | |
| Bolivia — Paz and Barrientos | 64-68, XXXI, South and Cen. Amer. ¹⁰ | Yes (12/98) | Issue statement/ declass guidelines being reviewed by HO, CIA, NSC | 6 docs will be re-reviewed once NSC memo is issued | | 3 docs will be re-reviewed once NSC memo is issued | | |
| Bolivia — Che Guevara | 64-68, XXXI, South and Cen. Amer. | Yes (12/98) | Issue statement/ declass guidelines being reviewed by HO, CIA, NSC | 4 docs will be re-reviewed once NSC memo is issued | | No docs will require re-review | N/A | |
| Chile | 64-68, XXXI, South and Cen. Amer. | Yes (12/98) | Issue statement/ declass guidelines being reviewed by HO, CIA, NSC | 11 docs will be re-reviewed once NSC memo is issued | | No docs will require re-review | N/A | |
| Withdrawn | 64-68, XXXI, South and Cen. Amer. | No | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | |
| Panel 5: | | | | | | | | |
| Vietnam | 64-68, V, Vietnam 1967 ¹¹ | draft given to CIA on 8/9/99 | | 12 docs will be re-reviewed once NSC memo is issued | | No docs will require re-review | N/A | |
| China | 69-72, XVIII, China ¹² | draft given to CIA on 8/9/99 | | 7 documents will be reviewed once NSC memo is issued | | | | |

*The issue statement will be printed in the volume at the discretion of The Historian.

¹ 1964-1968, XII, Western Europe — with the exception of the Denmark compilation, has been declassified in full and will be sent to the printer shortly.

² 1964-1968, XXVI, Indonesia; Malaysia-Singapore; Philippines — is in page proofs; however, publication has been delayed.

³ 1964-1968, XXIV, Africa — is in final page proofs and should be published by November 1999.

⁴ 1964-1968, XXXII, Dominican Crisis; Cuba; Caribbean — volume requires NSC review; however, publication has been delayed.

⁵ 1964-1968, XXV, South Asia — is in page proofs and should be published by March 2000.

⁶ 1964-1968, XXII, Iran — is in final pages and should be published by November 1999.

⁷ 1964-1968, XXVII, Southeast Asia — is in page proofs and should be published by May 2000.

⁸ 1967-1968, XX, Arab-Israeli Dispute, 1967-1968 — is ready to be verified; after verification volume can be sent to the printer.

⁹ 1964-1968, XVI, Cyprus; Greece; Turkey — is in revised page proofs and should be published by December 1999.

¹⁰ 1964-1968, XXXI, Central and South America; Mexico — volume requires NSC review.

¹¹ 1964-1968, V, Vietnam 1967 — has completed the declassification process with the exception of the documents under appeal.

¹² 1969-1972, XVIII, China — is still undergoing the declassification process.