



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20535

December 20, 1971

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Honorable John W. Dean III
Counsel to the President
The White House
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Dean:

The following confirms information orally furnished to you by Special Agent Robert H. Haynes of this Bureau on December 17, 1971, concerning Mr. Daniel Louis Schorr.

The investigation of Mr. Schorr was initiated on the evening of Thursday, August 19, 1971, but no active inquiries were made until the morning of Friday, August 20, 1971. Several of our field divisions were involved, including Washington, D. C., and New York City. Mr. Schorr was telephonically contacted at approximately 8:30 a.m., August 20, 1971, at his Washington, D. C., office for an appointment to obtain necessary background data. He was informed of the purpose of the call and was advised he was being considered for a position with the Federal Government. An appointment was made and Mr. Schorr was interviewed between 10 a.m. and 11 a.m. that day. Mr. Schorr indicated surprise at being considered for a Federal position but, nevertheless, furnished the necessary background data.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, which appears to be "J. Edgar Hoover", is written below the typed name.