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PROGRESS *

- ☒ UNASSIGNED
☐ 1ST EXAMINER
☐ 2ND EXAMINER
☐ DEFERRED
☐ COMPLETED
☐ COMPLETED AWAITING DISPATCH
☐ COMPLETED BY DIO AWAITING ASD
☐ RETURNED NAA OUTSTANDING REFERRALS

PRIORITY

- ☐ IMMEDIATE
☐ PRIORITY
☐ ROUTINE
☒ S35 PROGRAM

FIRST EXAMINER

JIM RYAN2

1ST EXAMINER DATE

15/09/2015

AE NOTES

Original assessment: There are numerous folios on the file relating to the joint UK/USA SIGINT operation codenamed VENONA. Refer ASD

ASD response at SSF/2014/13 Part 3 (7): ASD response open folios 1-96 and folio 97-194 remain exempt as they are in the closed period. Material in the plastic sleeve of the file is unclassified and is the transcript of the public hearing.

DEFERRED REASON

- ☒ Not Deferred
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DEFERRED DATE

15/09/2015

DIO QUEUE

- ☒ Y
☐ N

DIO QUEUE DATE

REFERRAL RESPONSE DATE

RECOMMENDED DECISION

OWE - OPEN WITH EXEMPTIONS

SECOND EXAMINER

DENNIS KURIA

2ND EXAMINER DATE

14/09/2016

DECISION:

OWE - OPEN WITH EXEMPTIONS

ADMIN ACTION DATE

14/09/2016

Enter the date of any action related to the case, particularly if change the status

ADMIN RECEIPT NUMBER

1945220

LOCATION ITEM RCVD

NAA

COMMENTS FOR NAA / DFAT / AWM:

Folio 1-96 are open from a defence perspective. Folio 97-194 are in the closed period and remain exempt. Refer back to Defence if an application is received when the folios reach the open period. File contains ASIO information.

APPLICATION DATE

26/07/2012

DATE RECEIVED

25/04/2015

ITEM NO / CONTROL SYMBOL:

A499

CASE TITLE:

PROTECTION OF SPECIAL ARCHIVES DOCUMENTS RELATING TO SPECIAL UK INTELLIGENCE

SHORT TITLE

PROTECTION OF SPECIAL ARCHIVES DOCUMENTS RELATING TO SPECIAL UK INTELLIGENCE
If the title is short, copy and paste it here. If it is over 250 characters, put in a shorter version.

NAA BARCODE:

6930462

MASK:

☒ Yes

MASK BARCODE:

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ITEM RECEIVED

- ☐ Copy of folios
☐ Copy of original
☐ Digital copy
☐ Original

ADMIN ACTION NOTES

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1995

SOURCE

- ☐ NAA
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CLASSIFICATION:

TOP SECRET

NUMBER OF FOLIOS

ITEM DATE RANGE

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1995

ORIGINATORS REFERENCE:

SERIES NUMBER:

CASE TYPE

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CODEWORD

☐ Codeword

CAVEAT

☐ Caveat

DIO EXAMINATION

DIO MAIL FLAG

TRIM REF

DIO QUEUE EXIT

- ☐ Y
☐ N

DIO QUEUE EXIT DATE

CARRS2 AUDIT LOG

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Mod. by DennisKurtz on 21/09/2015 10:35 AM [DEFERRED] []
[NYE] Mod. by JmRhyen2 on 15/09/2015 01:41 PM [DEFERRED] []
[NYE] Cre. by JmRhyen2 on 25/04/2015 04:27 PM [UNASSIGNED]
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EXEMPTIONS CLAIMED

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Last modified at 27/07/2022 8:25 AM by Ryan, Jim Mr 2

Related Items in Folio

☐ FOLIO RANGE: FOLIO TITLE: DCARR_Determination ACCESS STATUS: DIO_Queue DIO_Queue_Exit Case_No Case_No:Short_Title

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ASD

Attention s33(a)(i)

PUBLIC ACCESS REQUEST UNDER THE ARCHIVES ACT 1983

1. Please find enclosed the following item requested by a public researcher under the access provisions of the Archives Act 1983:

Item: PM7C file A/459

Title: Protection of Sensitive Archives Documents Relating to Special UK Intelligence.

Classification: Top Secret

Series: A7452

Barcode: 6930462

2. There are numerous folios on the file relating to the joint UK/USA SIGINT operation codenamed **VENONA**.
3. Please advise if there are any ASD claims for exemption on this file.

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Notification of Advice and Receipt Acknowledgement

NATIONAL ARCHIVES OF AUSTRALIA - ACCESS EXAMINATION

REGARDING THE FOLLOWING CASE FILE:

CASE FILE: 2015-0408

CONTROL SYMBOL: A459

CASE TITLE: PROTECTION OF SPECIAL ARCHIVES DOCUMENTS
RELATING TO SPECIAL UK INTELLIGENCE

CLASSIFICATION: TOP SECRET

NAA BARCODE: 6930462

DECISION: OWE

**COMMENTS FOR
NAA:**

FOLIO 1-96 ARE OPEN FROM A DEFENCE PERSPECTIVE.
FOLIO 97-194 ARE IN THE CLOSED PERIOD AND
REMAIN EXEMPT. REFER BACK TO DEFENCE IF AN
APPLICATION IS RECEIVED WHEN THE FOLIOS REACH
THE OPEN PERIOD. FILE CONTAINS ASIO INFORMATION.

ATTACHMENTS

ARCHIVAL ITEM:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO
REDACTED FOLIOS	<input type="checkbox"/>	YES	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	NO
DATE DISPATCHED: 14/09/16				

RECEIPT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

PLEASE SIGN AND RETURN THIS RECEIPT OF NOTIFICATION TO **RECEIVED**
CLASSIFIED ARCHIVES ACCESS.
INFORMATION MANAGEMENT AND ACCESS BRANCH.
I ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF THE MATERIAL LISTED ABOVE.

14 SEP 2016
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