

May 13, 1955 ✓

Memorandum for Files

Concerning a letter of May 12, 1955 from Mr. Felix Davis

Rather than answer Mr. Davis' letter in writing, I called him on the telephone to ask whether he had a due date which made a reply to his letter and to his query desirable immediately. I told him I had the problem of framing a specific request on destruction of records very much in mind, that I had talked to Mr. Earhart in San Francisco about it and had also talked to Dr. Irons in Dallas. I told him I had someone else not in this bank (meaning Dr. Bopp in Philadelphia) whom I wanted to consult on the problem and that I hoped to come up with an adequate solution or at least a solution within a week or ten days.

Mr. Davis assured me that he did not have any due date which he was trying to meet but that as I had raised the question, he felt that he had some obligation in getting a reply, particularly as this had come through Mr. Earhart and Mr. Sproul. He asked me not to feel pushed in getting an answer and assured me that he would be very glad to be of any further help which he could.

I told him that after I got a tentative solution I would call him and ask his advice on it.

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