

Airlines main office in Amsterdam and make certain that your reservations are in order.

I have requested that the United States Consul in Amsterdam furnish each of you gentlemen a cash advance of \$50.00. raised the question of our providing accident insurance to cover each of you throughout the overseas flight. If you desire such insurance, I suggest that you purchase the same on your own account and, following your arrival in the United States, the Government will reimburse you for the amount of premium paid by you up to but not exceeding \$10.00.

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I surely hope that nothing will interfere with your arrival in New York on January 31st, and if it appears to you that any difficulty may arise in this connection, please write me, or, if you think fit, cable me, fully explaining the situation. My recollection is that you told me when last here that your employer was willing that you spend a little extra time in the United States, particularly in New York City, on some personal business of your own. I did mention in my letter to your employer that if it was absolutely necessary I could put you on the witness stand and complete your testimony so that you could return to Holland in two or three days. I mentioned this only to make sure that you would not be denied permission to come because of some work schedule that might require your early return to Holland. It is my present assumption that I shall want you to remain in Washington for a period of seven or eight days and thereafter, of course, if you wish to spend some additional time in New York on your own account there should be no problem involved, assuming that you and your employer have reached an understanding to such effect.

Miss Smith and Mr. Cunningham both join me in wishing you a Happy New Year.

Sincerely,

JOHN M. KELLEY, JR.,
Special Assistant to the Attorney General.

Hilversum Jan. 8 1949.

Dear Mr. Kelley,

Today I received your letter dated January 4, 1949, and I think, that you already received my last letter dated January 3.

In that letter I wrote you, that I can leave Holland on January 22 and have to be back in the middle of February.

When possible, I should like to go by boat (S.M. Noordam - Holland - America - line) If that may be too complicated, then I should like to go by plane on the same date.

When it is necessary, I can pay my ticket on my own account (in Dutch guilders) and following my arrival in the United States the Government can reimburse me the money in dollars.

I hope to spend a week in New-York City and agree with your plan to go back by plane to Amsterdam.

Don't give too much notice on the letters of . . . I have made agreements with our Technical Director

I like your suggestion for an insurance and shall handle as you wrote me. When I go by plane the \$50.00 will be more than enough.

Until today I did n't hear anything from the Consul's Office in Amsterdam. On Monday the 3rd I was on the office, but nobody did n't know anything. . . . is doing the business now. Next week I will contact her again.

The same I will do with . . . I did n't speak him since the end of December.

As far as I know is . . . not in Munich, but in the Hague.

But don't worry about him, when necessary I will contact him too.

At any case, I hope to get your definite decision, about plane or boat and date, before January 18. Hopefully can you send me a letter or cable: "So as you like, consul shall help you," or something.

In the meantime I will get in touch with the K.L.M. to make certain that my reservations are in order on a date between January 22 and 28.

You can be sure, I shall do my best to be in time in room 2724 in Washington D.C.

Many thanks for all you have done for me, best wishes for you and my other friends, hope to see you at the end of January.

Your sincerely

JMK:tms

146-7-51-1708

January 4, 1949

via AIR MAIL

Re: United States v. Mildred E. Sisk, also
known as Mildred Elizabeth Gillars.

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Thank you for your letter of January 2, which I received today. I note that you have obtained train reservations calculated to bring you into Washington on the morning of January 20, next. As you undoubtedly know, that is the day of President Truman's inauguration and I am in doubt as to whether you can secure a hotel room. I inquired last night at the Continental Hotel, and they stated that they would have some rooms available by Friday, the twenty-first. Thus, unless you are reasonably sure that you can secure a room somewhere, I suggest you change your reservations so that you will arrive in Washington on the morning of Friday, January 21. Under separate cover, I am forwarding to you today TR's to cover your transportation.

With kind regards,

Yours very truly,

JOHN M. KELLEY, JR.,
Special Assistant to the Attorney General.

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146-7-51-1708

January 4, 1949

via AIR MAIL

Re: United States v. Mildred E. Sisk, also
known as Mildred Elizabeth Gillars.

EJC
Thank you for your recent cablegram and follow-up letter dated December 28, 1948. I am pleased to note that it will not be essential for you to return to Holland within a period of three days following your arrival here. You will observe that in the copy of our letter to your employer no mention was made of a three-day period and, thus, I do not believe that any difficulty should be experienced in securing a leave for a more extended period.

We have today communicated with the Department of State requesting that the United States Consul's office in Amsterdam get in touch with you immediately and arrange for your departure from Amsterdam on a date that will insure your arrival in the United States on Monday, January 31, 1949. It is my hope that arrangements can be made whereby you, Mr. _____ can all travel together on the same plane.

Arrangements have already been made with the Washington, D. C., office of the Royal Dutch Airlines to provide transportation for you and _____ from Amsterdam to New York and to provide transportation for _____ from Munich, Germany (via Amsterdam to New York City). We have requested that the Royal Dutch Airlines set aside a reservation for each of you, which will assure your arrival in New York on January 31st. I, therefore, suggest that you and _____ get in touch with the Royal Dutch Airlines main office in Amsterdam and make certain that your reservations are in order.

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I note from your letter that you may not require any cash advance prior to your arrival in the United States. I have, however, requested that the United States Consul in Amsterdam furnish each of you gentlemen a cash advance of \$50.

With respect to your request that you be furnished with a reasonable amount of accident insurance covering your overseas flight, I suggest that each of you purchase your own accident insurance (I assume that the premium will only amount to a few dollars) and, following your arrival in the United States, the Government will reimburse you for the amount of premium paid by you up to but not exceeding \$10.00.

I surely hope that nothing will interfere with your arrival in New York on January 31st, and if it appears to you that any difficulty may arise in this connection, please write me, or, if you think fit, cable me, fully explaining the situation. I am presently acting on the assumption that if you arrive on January 31st you will remain in the States until approximately February 7th or 8th.

Miss Smith and Mrs. Cunningham join me in wishing you a Happy New Year.

Sincerely,

JOHN M. KELLEY, JR.,
Special Assistant to the Attorney General.

Hilversum, Dec. 28th '4

Mr. John M. Kelley, Jr.,
Special Assistant to the Attorney General,
Criminal Division,
Department of Justice,
Washington D.C.

Dear Mr. Kelley, I hereby acknowledge receipt of
Efb your letter of Dec. 22nd '48, 146-7-57-1708, enclosing
7c a copy of Mr. Campbell's letter to my employer

Immediately after receipt of your
letter I cabled you to day as follows:

YOUR LETTER DECEMBER 22 AM UNDER NO
PRESSURE TO RETURN AT ONCE WOULD LIKE TO
STAY LONGER THAN TWO DAYS LETTER FOLLOWS

It might puzzle you what this all
means and therefore I'll explain it to you in
normal sentences (I hope!).

If my employer learn
about it that matters can be arranged in such a

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way that I could complete my testimony within 2 or 3 days, he will never grant me an absence longer than 3 or 4 days. Now you certainly will have understood that I have enjoyed my first stay in Washington very much and so I would like to do my second! Needless to say that this is hardly possible within a short period of 2 or 3 days! I therefore request your kind cooperation and ask you not to mention to my employer, or have it mentioned by Mr. Blackiston that I could complete my testimony within 2 or 3 days. I have prepared⁶ for an absence of 10 days or more (including the 2 day air trip Amsterdam - Washington v.v.) and I would not like to change that again.

I will discuss the matter of this renewed adjournment with to-morrow and will let you know the approximate (exact, if possible) date of my arrival in Washington within a few days.

I will not need a certain amount in adv. before I leave Holland, but I would appreciate it very much, if, as you say already, I could have some money the first day I am in Washington.

This is all for today. I trust you have received my letter of a few days ago.

In the meantime I remain, with kind regards
Yours truly,

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via AIR MAIL - REGISTERED

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Re: United States v. Mildred E. Sisk, also known as Mildred Elizabeth Gillars.

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It is desired that you arrive in Washington, D.C., on the morning of Friday, January 21, 1949, in connection with the trial of the above styled case. Accordingly, there are enclosed Transportation Request No. J722,746, which will enable you to purchase a first-class railroad ticket from Aiken, South Carolina, to Washington, D. C., and No. J722,747, which will enable you to purchase your lower berth from Aiken to Washington.

Please execute each TR in the customary manner by filling in the name of the railroad company, Pullman Company, etc., and by signing the same at the time you obtain the transportation.

Should any impediment arise to prevent your arriving in Washington at the time above set forth, please notify Mr. John M. Kelley, Jr., of my staff, at once.

Respectfully,

For the Attorney General,

CC: ✓ Records

- Mr. Kelley
- Mr. Franke
- Mr. Andretta
- Int. Security
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RECEIPT REQUESTED

AIR MAIL

ALEXANDER M. CAMPBELL,
Assistant Attorney General.

Enclosure No. 419864.

Registered
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27 December 1948

Dear Mr. Kelley;

I am in receipt of your letter of 22 December 1948. I will ²¹ arrive in Washington the 20 January 1949 in the morning and will get in touch with you. My Christmas holidays (no holiday for me) were pleasant. My employers were very kind to me with presents. Of course Christmas is really Christmas where there are children and I have four of them. Thank you for your kind wishes.

Sincerely,

19. Nov. 1948

Dear Mr. [unclear]

I received your letter
and as you see in
the enclosed yesterday, so my
address will be
and that is
enough. I was glad to hear
something from you about
the trial. [unclear] wrote
me a very nice letter from
Hull. [unclear] through

walking to the other way - and
it seemed queer to me that
I shouldn't get off and go
to the Continental.

Since I am a very busy man,
I have to leave to get to
New York on Monday morning.
Mr. Smith and Mr. Murray have
an office with Messrs. and
I am sure for my own
I guess I will be seeing you
in January.

Sincerely yours,

JHK:tns

146-7-51-1708

January 4, 1949

via AIR MAIL

Re: United States v. Mildred E. Sisk, also
known as Mildred Elizabeth Gillars.

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I trust that you have received my letter of December 22, 1948. It does not appear that there will be any further adjournment of the trial and we have today communicated with the Department of State requesting that the United States Consul's office in Amsterdam get in touch with you immediately and arrange for your departure from Munich on a date that will insure your arrival in the United States on Monday, January 31, 1949. It is my hope that arrangements can be made whereby you, _____ can all travel together on the same plane. We have also requested the United States Army, European Theater Command, to furnish you with exit and re-entry permits permitting you to leave Munich via Amsterdam for New York City. The Royal Dutch Airlines, Washington, D. C., will undoubtedly cable your office, either in Amsterdam or in Munich, advising that they are holding transportation for you. I suggest that in addition, however, you contact the local United States Army authorities to make certain that they are prepared to issue a proper exit permit, as above noted.

_____ recently wrote me requesting that I arrange to provide each of you with a reasonable amount of accident insurance to cover your overseas flight. If you desire such insurance, I suggest that you purchase the same on your own account, assuming that the premium will only amount to a few dollars. Following your arrival in the United States, you will be reimbursed for the amount of the premium actually paid by you up to and not exceeding \$10.00. We have also requested the United States Consul in Amsterdam to furnish you with a cash advance in the amount of \$50.00.

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I surely hope that nothing will interfere with your arrival in New York on January 31st, and if it appears to you that any difficulty may arise in this connection, please write me, or, if you think fit, cable me, fully explaining the situation. I am presently acting on the assumption that if you arrive on January 31st you will remain in the States until approximately February 7th or 8th.

Miss Smith and Mr. Cunningham join me in wishing you a Happy New Year.

Sincerely,

JOHN M. KELLEY, JR.,
Special Assistant to the Attorney General.



To

Mr. John M. Kelley jr.,
Special Assistant to the
Attorney General,
Department of Justice,
Washington D.C./U.S.A.

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December 29th, 48

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Dec. 22, 48

Telefoon

United States v. Mildred E. Sisk, also
known as Mildred Elizabeth Gillars.

Dear Mr. Kelley,

I just received your letter of Dec. 22nd and thank you very much for your good wishes.

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I would appreciate, if you would instruct your Munich Consulate to arrange my visa and passage to Washington. I don't see any reason, why I would not be able to be in Washington on the date you mentioned, and I am planning on leaving on January 25th, spend one day in Holland and leave Amsterdam on the 26th. As I would like to travel via Amsterdam, I kindly request you to instruct your Consul to arrange my passage by K.L.M.

It will not be necessary to advance me a certain amount of cash as I hope to settle these matters with your office in Washington.

Wishing you, Miss Smith and Mr. Cunningham a very happy New Year, I remain,

Yours sincerely

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January 5, 1949

via AIR MAIL and
REGISTERED MAIL
(Return Receipt Requested)

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Re: United States v. Mildred E. Sisk, also
known as Mildred Elizabeth Gillars.

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We trust that you have received Mr. Kelley's letter of December 23, 1948, informing you that the trial of the above case will begin on January 24, 1949. It is accordingly desired that you arrive in Washington on Friday, January 28, 1949, to testify as a witness in behalf of the Government. For the purpose of securing railroad and Pullman transportation there are enclosed two United States Government Transportation Requests. Will you please fill in the name of the railroad on TR No. J722,753 and purchase therewith a first-class railroad ticket from Buffalo to Washington* and with remaining TR No. J722,754, will you please insert the name of the Pullman company and purchase a lower berth from Buffalo to Washington, D.C. Your signature should appear at the lower right-hand corner of each Travel Request.

* return

If you will be kind enough to pay the necessary fare from Buffalo, New York you will be recompensed for the same following your arrival in Washington. You will be paid compensation upon the same basis that was in effect with your appearance before the Grand Jury, that is to say, the sum of \$20.00 per day. It would be appreciated if, following the receipt of this letter, you will immediately write to Mr. John M. Kelley, Jr., of my staff, and inform him as to whether or not there is likely to be any impediment which might prohibit your arriving in Washington upon the date indicated.

Respectfully,
For the Attorney General,

CC: Records ✓
Mr. Kelley
Mr. Franke
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Int. Security

ALEXANDER M. CAMPBELL,
Assistant Attorney General.

Enclosure No. 375414

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Department of Justice,
Washington, D.C.,

Mr. John W. Kelley, Jr.,

Dear Sir, -

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A note, as requested, in your letter of 5th inst, to acknowledge receipt of inclosure # 375414, (containing travel warrant J722,753, (return fare Buffalo to Washington, D.C.) and Pullman warrant # J722,754 on way Buffalo to Washington D.C.)

I should like to advise that there will be no impediment to prohibit my arrival at the location indicated on the desired date of Jan. 28/49.

I would point out no provision for return Pullman was provided but feel this will be rectified for my return journey.

Yours truly,

JMK:tms

146-7-51-1708

January 6, 1949

AIR MAIL

Re: United States v. Mildred E. Sisk, also
known as Mildred Elizabeth Gillers.

As you have been previously notified, the trial of the above case will commence on January 24th. We have written the United States Marshal in Denver, Colorado, enclosing a subpoena which will probably be served upon you within the next few days. The subpoena calls for your appearance in Washington, D. C., on the morning of Friday, January 23, 1949. You will be given an additional opportunity to listen to the recording and I will also desire an opportunity to review your testimony with you over the week-end, following your arrival in Washington. I expect that you will take the witness stand during the early part of the week, probably on February 1st or 2nd.

During the period that you are absent from Denver you will be compensated at the rate of \$20.00 per day, which sum includes witness fees and subsistence allowance.

I have made arrangements with the United States Marshal at Denver to provide you with transportation, either by railroad or by commercial airline. If you prefer to travel by rail, the Marshal will pay you at the rate of 5 cents per mile from Denver to Washington, D.C. If you prefer to come by commercial airline, the Marshal will pay you the exact amount of the airline fare from Denver to Washington, D. C. As soon as you are contacted by the United States Marshal, please inform him your preference in this respect.

I am looking forward with pleasure to seeing you again and hope that nothing will prevent your arriving in Washington upon the date indicates.

With kind regards, I remain

Yours very truly,

John Kelley

JOHN M. KELLEY, JR.,
Special Assistant to the Attorney General. 411

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January 6, 1949

AIR MAIL

Re: United States v. Mildred E. Sisk, also
known as Mildred Elizabeth Gillars.

The trial of the above styled case will commence on Monday, January 24, 1949. Within the next few days you may anticipate that the United States Marshal at Columbus, Ohio, will serve you with a subpoena requiring your appearance in Washington, D. C., on the morning of Friday, January 28, 1949. It is understood that your wife will accompany you on the trip to Washington and will serve as your attendant throughout the period that you are absent from your home. Your rate of compensation while absent from your home will be \$20.00 per day, which sum includes witness fees and subsistence allowance. Your wife, in her capacity of attendant, will receive the sum of \$10.00 per day.

The United States Marshal at Columbus, has been requested to advance to you the sum of \$20.00, and to advance to the sum of \$10.00. In addition, the Marshal will pay you your transportation on the basis of 5 cents per mile from Cincinnati to Washington, D. C. Your wife will be provided with two Government Travel Orders, with one of which she can purchase a first-class ticket from Cincinnati to Washington, D. C., and with the other she can purchase a lower berth covering the same journey.

I do not anticipate that you will have to remain in Washington longer than one week and trust that nothing will arise to prevent your being here on the date indicated.

With kind regards, I remain

Yours very truly,

Mr. Kelley

JOHN H. KELLEY, JR.,
Special Assistant to the Attorney General.

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146-7-51-1708

January 6, 1949

AIR MAIL

Re: United States v. Mildred E. Sisk, also
known as Mildred Elizabeth Gillars.

The trial of the above styled case will commence on Monday, January 24, 1949. Within the next few days you may anticipate that the United States Marshal at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, will serve you with a subpoena requiring your appearance in Washington, D. C., on the morning of Friday, January 28, 1949. It is understood that your brother will accompany you on the trip to Washington and will serve as your attendant throughout the period that you are absent from your home. Your rate of compensation while absent from your home will be \$20.00 per day, which sum includes witness fees and subsistence allowance. Your brother, in his capacity of attendant, will receive the sum of \$10.00 per day.

The United States Marshal at Pittsburgh, has been requested to advance to you the sum of \$20.00, and to advance to the sum of \$10.00. In addition, the Marshal will pay you your transportation on the basis of 5 cents per mile from Etna, Pennsylvania to Washington, D. C. Your brother will be provided with two Government Travel Orders, with one of which he can purchase a first-class ticket from Etna to Washington, D. C., and with the other he can purchase a lower berth covering the same journey.

I do not anticipate that you will have to remain in Washington longer than one week and trust that nothing will arise to prevent your being here on the date indicated.

With kind regards, I remain

Yours very truly,

JOHN M. KELLEY, JR.,
Special Assistant to the Attorney General.

Mr. Kelley

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146-7-51-1708

January 6, 1949

AIR MAIL

Re: United States v. Mildred E. Sisk, also
known as Mildred Elizabeth Gillars.

The trial of the above styled case will commence on Monday, January 24, 1949. Within the next few days you may anticipate that the United States Marshal at Detroit, Michigan, will serve you with a subpoena requiring your presence in Washington, D. C., on the morning of Friday, January 28, 1949.

While absent from your home you will be compensated at the rate of \$20.00 per day, which sum includes witness fees and subsistence allowance. The United States Marshal has been requested to advance to you \$20.00, being one day's compensation. He will, also, provide your transportation by paying you at the rate of 5 cents per mile, covering the railroad distance from your home to Washington, D. C. I do not anticipate that you will have to remain in Washington longer than one week. I trust that nothing will arise to prevent your being present in Washington on the date indicated.

With kind regards, I remain

Yours very truly,

JOHN M. KELLEY, JR.,
Special Assistant to the Attorney General.

JMK:tms

146-7-51-1708

January 6, 1949

AIR MAIL

Re: United States v. Mildred E. Sisk, also
known as Mildred Elizabeth Gillars.

The trial of the above styled case will commence on Monday, January 24, 1949. Within the next few days you may anticipate that the United States Marshal at Cleveland, Ohio, will serve you with a subpoena requiring your presence in Washington, D. C., on the morning of Friday, January 28, 1949.

While absent from your home you will be compensated at the rate of \$20.00 per day, which sum includes witness fees and subsistence allowance. The United States Marshal has been requested to advance to you \$20.00, being one day's compensation. He will, also, provide your transportation by paying you at the rate of 5 cents per mile, covering the railroad distance from your home to Washington, D. C. I do not anticipate that you will have to remain in Washington longer than one week. I trust that nothing will arise to prevent your being present in Washington on the date indicated.

With kind regards, I remain

Yours very truly,

JOHN M. KELLEY, JR.,
Special Assistant to the Attorney General.

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146-7-51-1708

January 6, 1949

AIR MAIL

Re: United States v. Mildred E. Sisk, also
known as Mildred Elizabeth Gillars.

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The trial of the above styled case will commence on Monday, January 24, 1949. Within the next few days you may anticipate that the United States Marshal at New York City will serve you with a subpoena requiring your presence in Washington, D. C., on the morning of Friday, January 28, 1949.

While absent from your home you will be compensated at the rate of \$20.00 per day, which sum includes witness fees and subsistence allowance. The United States Marshal has been requested to advance to you \$20.00, being one day's compensation. He will, also, provide your transportation by paying you at the rate of 5 cents per mile, covering the railroad distance from your home to Washington, D. C. I do not anticipate that you will have to remain in Washington longer than one week. I trust that nothing will arise to prevent your being present in Washington on the date indicated.

With kind regards, I remain

Yours very truly,

JOHN M. KELLY, JR.,
Special Assistant to the Attorney General.

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JMK:mas

146-7-51-1708

January 6, 1949

AIR MAIL

Re: United States v. Mildred E. Sisk, also
known as Mildred Elizabeth Gillars.

The trial of the above styled case will commence on Monday, January 24, 1949. Within the next few days you may anticipate that the United States Marshal at New York City will serve you with a subpoena requiring your presence in Washington, D. C., on the morning of Friday, January 28, 1949.

While absent from your home you will be compensated at the rate of \$20.00 per day, which sum includes witness fees and subsistence allowance. The United States Marshal has been requested to advance to you \$20.00, being one day's compensation. He will, also, provide your transportation by paying you at the rate of 5 cents per mile, covering the railroad distance from your home to Washington, D. C. I do not anticipate that you will have to remain in Washington longer than one week. I trust that nothing will arise to prevent your being present in Washington on the date indicated.

With kind regards, I remain .

Yours very truly,

JOHN M. KELLEY, JR.,
Special Assistant to the Attorney General.