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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
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Dear Miss Schmidt:

A review of your answers to charges and supporting documents discloses that your denials and explanations do not constitute sufficient grounds to reinstate you. As a consequence, your request for a hearing on the charges will be granted.

You are, therefore, informed that the hearing will be held in room 5141 of the Department of the Interior building, located at C Street between 18th. and 19th. Streets, N.W., Washington, D.C., July 14, 1954, at the hour of 10 a.m. This hearing has been expedited in accordance with your verbal request.

Enclosed you will please find a copy of the Department regulations. You will note that Section 21(m) therein provides for the use of depositions and interrogatories. If you should desire to avail yourself of either of these methods of taking testimony of your witnesses, you should notify us immediately upon receipt of this letter.

You may, of course, have your witnesses, or any of them, appear at the hearing in person. The Government will not pay transportation, witness fees or other expense entailed by you in presenting your case.

You may be represented at the hearing by counsel of your choice. You may introduce any further documentary evidence you wish in refutation of the charges brought against you. You or your counsel may cross examine any witnesses the Department may present at the hearing.

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If you have any questions regarding the procedure after reviewing this letter and the regulations, feel free to inquire of us. Please mark any reply to the attention of the Security Legal Officer.

Sincerely yours,

- Sec. 1 Purpose.
2 Definitions.

((sgd) Douglas McKay
Secretary of the Interior

SECURITY REQUIREMENTS FOR EMPLOYMENT

- 3 Policy.
Miss Ruth Anna Marie Schmidt
2605 39th. Street, N.W.
Washington, D. C.
- 4 Classification of Positions.
5 Investigations.
6 Re-employment of Employees Terminated as Security Risk.
7 Review of Field Field Investigations Conducted under Executive Order 9835.
8 Enclosure
9 Accessibility to Confidential Security Information.
10 Clearance for Top-Sensitive Positions.
11 Clearance for Sensitive Positions.
12 Action of the Director of Security.
13 Termination of Temporary and Probationary or Trial Employees.
14 Criteria for Suspension or Reassignment.
15 Notification to Employees of Suspension or Reassignment.
16 Appeal Procedure.
17 Further Appeal Rights.
18 Pay and Resumption of Pay of Suspended Employees.
19 Establishment of Security Hearing Board.
20 Functions with Respect to Security Hearing Board.
21 Hearing Procedure.
22 Revocations.

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Sec. 1. Purpose

The purpose of this regulation is to provide for the protection and maintenance of the national security of the United States and to provide for the protection and maintenance of the national security of the United States and to provide for the protection and maintenance of the national security of the United States.