

MEMORANDUM FOR THE DIRECTOR

On 12/15/54, the Honorable Earl Warren, U.S. Supreme Court, advised that the Court will hear the case of *United States v. Rosenberg* on 1/19/55. The case involves the conviction of Julius and Ethel Rosenberg for espionage. It is noted that the Court's decision in this case will have significant implications for national security and the rights of citizens.

The Department is currently reviewing the case and will report to the President on 1/10/55. It is recommended that the President be kept advised of any developments in the case. The Department is also reviewing the procedures for handling similar cases in the future.

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