

an administrative problem insofar as the Canadian Government is concerned. For these reasons, the Minister has formed no opinion on the matter."

The rest of this volume is essentially inquiries and standard replies.

Vol. 4 (March '70 to March '78)

New material since my visit in 1976

Re my written request of Feb. 6, 1978 to get Confidential file 6650-4 (Magnet) declassified so I could see it, internal memos on file show that this file did in fact exist (but was not titled "Project Magnet"). I was told in writing such a file did not exist.

A further attempt to hide CFE facts.

Vol. 5 (Confidential). - This was formerly 6650-4 and now reidentified. This is the file referred to above.

It contains a memorandum to Controller of Telecommunications dated 21 Nov. 1950 (formerly Top Secret, now Confidential) wherein was sought approval to set up Project Magnet. (I hold copy) This proposal contains CFE Edwards' approval in his handwriting as follows:

"Go ahead with it and keep me posted from time to time" CFE Edwards 2/12/50

This proposal was concurred with by G.C.W.B. on 22/11/50.