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Department of the Navy
Bureau of Naval Personnel
Washington, D.C.

SUBJECT: HUBBARD, Ronald Lafayette, USN/USNR (L. Ron)
(Commissioned status)

REFERENCE: Literature of Scientology Foundation, Saint Hill,
Sussex, England

Our Client, LIFE Associates, is considering obtaining a franchise for this locality, from subject Foundation. We are in the process of confirming the antecedents of the Director, Mr. L. Ron Hubbard.

The literature of the Foundation includes the following statements about Mr. Hubbards military service:

Hubbard was born March 13, 1911, in Tilden, Nebraska

Education included Science and Mathematics at George Washington University, graduating from Columbian College. He attended the Princeton University and obtained a degree of Doctor of Philosophy (PhD.) from Sequoia University.

During World War II, he served as commander of corvettes and was extensively decorated.

Crippled and blind at the end of the war, he resumed his studies of philosophy and by his discoveries, recovered so fully that he was re-classified in 1949 for full combat duty. It is a matter of medical record that he has twice been pronounced dead and that in 1950, he was given a perfect score on mental and physical fitness reports.

He has a wife (Mary Sue) and four children and now resides in Saint Hill, Sussex, England.

Confirmation and/or contradiction of the above reference will be appreciated, as well as any clarifying comment.

Sincerely,

Emory deLoache, Manager

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CC: Mr. Vernon Cowart