



U.S. Department of Justice

Federal Bureau of Investigation

File No. 163N-CH-C512.ALL

Office of the Legal Attaché
United States Embassy
Copenhagen, Denmark

27 June 2013

Danish National Police – National Centre of Investigation
Norwegian National Criminal Investigation Service – KRIPOS
Swedish National Bureau of Investigation
Finnish National Bureau of Investigation

Re: Edward Snowden

URGENT NOTIFICATION

Dear Liaison Officer,

(U//FOUO// REL TO USA, DNK, NOR, SWE, FIN) As you are most likely aware, the U.S. Department of Justice recently filed a sealed criminal complaint charging U.S. citizen Edward Snowden with espionage, theft, and conversion of government property. Currently, Snowden is at the Moscow International Airport and has been since arriving from Hong Kong on Sunday, 23 June 2013. Snowden's final destination is unknown at this time. Based on a review of available direct commercial flights from Moscow, our service has determined that such a flight is available to each of your respective countries.

(U//FOUO// REL TO USA, DNK, NOR, SWE, FIN) The FBI requests that your service immediately notify the necessary and applicable agencies of the below information in the event that Snowden should board a flight from Moscow to one of your respective countries for either transit purposes or as a final destination. As of now, our service is not aware of any information that Snowden will attempt to reach one your respective countries.

(U//FOUO// REL TO USA, DNK, NOR, SWE, FIN) Snowden's current status is as follows and should be considered if he is placed on a direct flight to Denmark, Norway, Sweden, or Finland from Moscow:

- 1) The U.S. Department of State has revoked Snowden's U.S. Passport and it is no longer a valid travel document.
- 2) The U.S. Department of Justice filed a sealed criminal complaint charging Snowden and has prepared a Provisional Arrest Warrant. The U.S. Department of Justice is prepared to

UNCLASSIFIED//FOUO//REL TO USA, DNK, NOR, SWE, FIN

UNCLASSIFIED//FOUO//REL TO USA, DNK, NOR, SWE, FIN

immediately draft the necessary paper work to request the extradition of Snowden to the U.S. from whichever country he travels to from Moscow.

(U//FOUO// REL TO USA, DNK, NOR, SWE, FIN) The FBI expresses its gratitude to each of your services for its continued partnership and for any assistance that can be provided on this important matter.

Sincerely,

Thomas A. Nagel

Thomas A. Nagel
Assistant Legal Attaché

UNCLASSIFIED//FOUO//REL TO USA DNK NOR SWE FIN