

**Declaration of
Alexander Martin,
Lt. Commander, USN (ret)**

1. I am over eighteen years of age, a citizen of the United States and a resident of the State of Florida. If called upon to do so, I could testify of my personal knowledge to the facts contained within this declaration.

2. I have testified before numerous Congressional Committees regarding covert non-attributable, illegal intelligence operations of the United States Government.

3. I have further assisted various State and Federal Investigative Agencies pursuant to their investigations of misconduct by the Central Intelligence Agency, Federal Bureau of Investigation and etc., vis-a-vie these agencies involvement in the Iran-Contra and Iraq-gate scandals.


4. I have served in a covert intelligence capacity from 1977 to 1987.

5. My functions included illegal fund raising, money laundering and illegal weapons sales to groups and governments, in violation of the Boland and Logan Amendments, on behalf of certain United States military and military intelligence agencies, such as the National Security Council.
6. During my intelligence career, I have met with and been introduced to many covert operatives, whose existence has often been officially denied by the government agencies that these parties have been associated with.
7. One of these covert operatives was one Frank Dux.
8. I was introduced to Mr. Dux, whom was using an alias at that time. We met in Tegucigalpa, Honduras, in the summer of 1985, where I was being briefed by Dux and other intelligence operatives on military targets within Nicaragua. These targets included the planned mining of a Nicaraguan port and the planned sabotage of certain Nicaraguan installations including power stations and weapons depots, code named "OPERATION CORDOBA HARBOR."
9. "OPERATION CORDOBA HARBOR," as then envisioned by DCI William Casey and Lt. Colonel Oliver L. North Jr., then a middle level staffer at the NSC, whose authority far exceeded his position, called for the placing of underwater mines in said harbor in order to disrupt Soviet and other East Bloc shipping then transporting weapons and military supplies to the Sandinista regime.

10. Peripherally, to these mining operations, there was to be targeted for destruction port facilities in surrounding power generating plants, in which Frank Dux was to play a role.

11. I have read Frank Dux's recent book THE SECRET MAN and believe the representations therein contained to be factually correct, to the best of my knowledge.

I, Lt. Commander, USN (ret), Alexander Martin, this 19TH day of September, 1998, do hereby, declare the aforementioned statements to be factually correct under penalty of perjury.


ALEXANDER MARTIN.
Lt. Commander, USN (ret)