Reading Like a Historian

Documents	Sourcing What is the author's perspective? Is it reliable? Why or Why not?	Contextualization How might the circumstances in which the document was created affect its content?	Close Reading What claim does the author make? What evidence does the author use?	Ideological or Economic (Explain)
Source 1:				
Official CIA Document, October 1952				
Source 2:				
John E. Peurifoy Telegram to Dept. of State, Dispatch No.522 (Dec. 18 th , 1953)				
Source 3:				
President Arbenz's Resignation Speech				

Source 4:							
Secretary of State John F. Dulles, Radio Address (1954)							
Source 5:							
Eisenhower Memoirs (1963)							
Source 6:							
Philip C. Roettinger "The Company, Then and Now" (1986)							
Corroboration: (Do the documents agree? Why or Why not? What documents are most reliable?)							