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SUPPLEMENTAL CORRELATION SUMMARY

(See correlation summaries dated 3/31/60 and 2/12/65 filed as 100-392452-127, and 100-392452-239 respectively.)

Main File No: 100-392452 Date: 9/1/67

Subject: Stanley David Levison Date Searched: 2/13/67

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All logical variations of subject's name and aliases were searched and identical references were found as:

SUMMARY

Stanley David Levison	S. Levison
Stanley Levenson	S.D. Levison
Stan Levinson	Stan Levison
Stanley Levinson	Stanely Levison
Stanley C. Levinson	Stanley Levison
Stanley D. Levinson	Stanley B. Levison
Stanley David Levinson	Stanley D. Levison
Stanley G. Levinson	Stanley E. Levison
Stanley Levision	Stoney Levison
One Levison	Stanley Lewison

This is a summary of information obtained from a review of all "see" references to the subject in Bureau files under the names and aliases listed above. All references under the above names containing data identical with the subject have been included except any indicated at the end of this summary under the heading REFERENCES NOT INCLUDED IN THIS SUMMARY.

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See page 44 of search slip.

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Add. info.....Additional information appearing in this reference which pertains to Stanley David Levison can be found in the main file or elsewhere in this summary.

SCLC.....Southern Christian Leadership Conference

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[redacted] furnished information at various times from August 1962 through January 1963, which indicated that William Kunstler and his wife, Lotte Kunstler, were in contact during this period with Stanley Levison (place not shown) relative to matters pertaining to civil rights. One of these activities was a fund raising campaign for Martin Luther King, President of the SCLC, held at White Plains, NY on 12/11/62.

This serial indicated that William Kunstler was a civil rights attorney who resided in Port Chester, NY.

157-1676-1621 encl.p.4
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On 8/13/65 [redacted] reported that one Dora* (LNU) Atlanta, Ga., contacted Stanley Levison (place not shown) concerning the "Racial Riot, Los Angeles - 8/11/65" (157-3804), noting the following:

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*According to Levison's main file, Dora McDonald was secretary to King.

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An unidentified radio station in Los Angeles was insisting that Martin Luther King make an appeal to stop rioting in Los Angeles. Dora indicated that King desired that Levison prepare a statement in this regard. Levison indicated approval and stated that he thought King should make such an appeal.

157-3804-117 p.1,2
(26)

Concerning the above incident, on 8/14/65, Stanley Levison recontacted Dora (LNU) (place not shown) and read a press release on behalf of Martin Luther King regarding the "Racial Riot in Los Angeles on 8/11/65" (157-3804). In this release King appealed to the rioters to cease using violence and to get a committee together to draw up demands. (Press release set out) [redacted] b2 b7D

157-3804-118 p.1-4
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On 3/16/64 Stanley Levison and Clarence Jones, both of NYC, met and discussed SCLC fund raising and the distribution of funds. Levison stated that the SCLC needed a good executive director

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and that he felt that Cordy Tindell Vivian (100-357490) would be excellent in that position. [redacted] b2 b7D

100-357490-11 p.1,16,17
(6)

On 11/27/64 Roy Wilkins, (62-78270), Executive Secretary of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, advised that he was aware of Martin Luther King's sympathy toward the communist movement. He stated that he felt this obviously stemmed from Stanley Levison's influence on King.

62-78270-15 p.2
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On 3/23/65 Stanley Levison and Clarence Jones discussed a civil rights march from Selma to Montgomery, Ala. In this regard, Levison asked Jones if it would be permissible for him, Levison, to go to that area on 3/25/65 with the Americans for Democratic Action group. Jones stated that it would be all right. [redacted] b2 b7D

44-14106-269 p.1,2;encl.p.1,3
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SI 44-28544-216 p.2
(1)
SI 44-28544-258;encl.p.3
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On 5/12/65 [redacted] advised that Stanley Levison told Clarence Jones that Harold Weaver (100-438908) was interested in a possible job with Martin (Luther King). Levison said he had a tentative appointment with him, on 5/14/65, at Jones' office.

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On 11/26/65 Andrew Levison, son of Stanley David Levison, advised an unidentified male that his father, his mother, and he would go to Washington, D.C. to participate in the "March On Washington For Peace in Vietnam, Washington, D.C. November 27, 1965" (100-444664). [redacted] b2 b7D

100-444664-166 p.1
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140-32928-9 p.2;encl.p.14,28,30
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The following references in the file captioned "Racial Matters" contain information pertaining to the activities of Stanley D. Levison, of NYC, during the period June-July 1966. Levison was an advisor to Martin Luther King, Jr. in connection with civil rights activities in Chicago, NYC and Jackson, Miss. He participated in a demonstration in Jackson.

REFERENCE	SEARCH SLIP PAGE NUMBER
157-6-2-2062 p.1;encl.p.1,2	(25)
-2066 p.1;encl.p.1-4	(25)

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157-6-9-2892 p.1,2	(25)
157-6-34-1659 p.1;encl.p.1-3	(26)
-1673 p.1	(26)
157-6-54-1457 p.2,3	(26)

Martin Luther King, Jr., President of the SCLC, conferred (date and place not stated) with his principal advisor, Stanley Levison, as to how he would handle press releases concerning Stokely Carmichael and other members of the Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee (100-439190), who were arrested by the Atlanta, Police Department on 9/8/66, in connection with racial strife. Levison and King agreed that if Carmichael was convicted of the "inciting to riot" charge, "they" would have to blame those forces which compelled him to riot. (Confidential Source, not identified)

In a subsequent press release, it was reported that King, at a news conference on 9/11/66 at Montclair, N.J., issued a statement concerning Carmichael's arrest which was substantially the same as previously agreed to by King and Levinson.

100-439190-725 p.1;encl.p.1,2
(14)

The following references in the file captioned "Martin Luther King" (100-106670) contain information concerning the activities of Stanley D. Levison, with King and his associates, during the period 1965 to approximately January 1967. Levison was an advisor to King in connection with SCLC problems and activities in various areas including Illinois, Georgia and New York. He also

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advised King concerning his, King's, position on Vietnam.

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100-106670-925 p.1	(30)
-1032 p.1; encl. p.1,2	(2)
-1212 p.1,2	(2)
-1238 p.1,2	(2)
-1245 p.1,2; encl. p.1-3	(3)
-1386 p.1; encl. p.1,2	(30)
-1727 p.1	(3, 31)
-1804 p.1,2; encl. p.1,2	(3)
-1858 p.1,2	(3)
-1866 p.1,2 (Director's notation)	(3)
-1921 p.1; encl. p.1-3	(3)
-1925 p.2;encl. p.1,2,6	(3)
-1937 p.1	(3)
-1967 p.2	(3)
-2137 p.1; encl. p.1-3	(4)
-2152 p.1,2	(4, 27)
-2210 p.1	(4)
-2232 p.1; encl. p.1,2	(4)
-2241 p.1; encl. p.1,2	(4)
-2259 p.1,2	(4)
-2285 p.1; encl. p.1,2	(4)
-2299 p.1; encl. p.1,2	(39)
-2306 p.1	(4)
-2403 p.1; encl. p.1,2	(4)
-2411 p.1; encl. p.1,2	(4)
-2448 p.1; encl. p.1,2	(5)
-2559 p.1 (Directors's notation)	(5)
-2686 p.1; encl. p.1,2	(5)
-2739 p.1,2	(5)
-2742 p.1; encl. p.1,2 (Director's notation)	(5)
-2758 p.1	(5)
-2016	(3)
-2805	(5)
-2783	(5)

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100-106670-2802 p.1;encl.p.1,2	(5)
-2816 p.1 (Director's notation)	(5)
-2817 p.1;encl.p.1,2	(5)

The following references in the file captioned "Southern Christian Leadership Conference" contain information concerning the activities of Stanley Levison during the period 1964 to early 1967, in connection with this organization. Levison, a CP member who resided in NYC, was an advisor to Martin Luther King, President of the SCLC, on matters pertaining to civil rights. He also participated in raising funds for the SCLC. He had numerous conferences with King and with other advisors to King and attended SCLC meetings in Virginia, Illinois, Florida, New York, Georgia and Alabama.

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100-438794-306 p.1,15,16,23-25,28	(6)
-307 p.1;encl.p.1,2	(6,28)
-347 p.1	(6)
-354 p.2;encl.p.1,5	(6)
-393 p.G,1A,8,9,22,29,30, 38,53,57,65	(6)
-434 p.1;encl.p.1-3	(6)
-458 p.1;encl.p.2,3	(7)
-460 p.1;encl.p.2	(7)
-505 p.1-4	(7)
-530 p.1;encl.p.1,4	(7)
-546 p.2;encl.p.2	(7)
-572 p.1,2;encl.p.1,2	(7)
-607 p.1;encl.p.1	(40)
-816 p.1,2;encl.p.4,8	(7)

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-880 p.1	(7)
-923 p.1;encl.p.2,3	(35)
-1035 p.1,2;encl.p.1,4	(7)
-1041 p.1;encl.p.1,2	(8)
-1058 p.1,2;encl.p.2,3	(6)
-1073 p.1,2;encl.p.1-4	(8)
-1076 p.1;encl.p.1,2	(8)
-1130 p.1,2;encl.p.1-3	(8)
-1147 p.1;encl.p.1,2	(8)
-1150 p.1	(8)
-1151 p.1,2;encl.p.1,2	(8)
-1161 p.1;encl.p.1,2	(8)
-1171 p.1;encl.p.1-3	(8)
-1180 p.1;encl.p.1,2	(8)
-1187 p.1;encl.p.1,2,7	(9)
-1188 p.1,2;encl.p.1,3-6,9,11	(9)
-1214 p.1;encl.p.1,2	(9)
-1225 p.1;encl.p.2,3	(9)
-1227 p.1;encl.p.1,2	(9)
-1232 p.1,2;encl.p.1,3	(9)
-1246 p.1;encl.p.1,2	(9)
-1247 p.1;encl.p.1,3	(9)
-1256 p.C,K,1,24,27-31,38,47, 48,50,77,78,80,97,101	(9,28)
-1271 p.1,2;encl.p.1-4	(10)
-1281 p.1,2;encl.p.1,2	(10)
-1289 p.1,2;encl.p.1,2	(10)
-1290 p.1	(10)
-1295 p.1;encl.p.2,4	(10)
-1304 p.1,2;encl.p.1-3	(10)
-1323 p.1,2	(31)
-1329 p.1,2	(10)
-1331 p.1	(40)

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-1353	p.1,4,5,10-13,15,21-25, 27-37	(10)
-1394	p.1;encl.p.1,2	(10)
-1431	p.1;encl.p.1,2	(11)
-1460	p.D,33-35,37	(11)
-1470	p.1,2	(11)
-1478	p.1,2;encl.p.1-5	(11)
-1493	p.1;encl.p.1-3	(11)
-1510	p.1,2;encl.p.1-3	(11)
-1515	p.1,2;encl.p.1,2	(11)
-1517	p.1,2;encl.p.1-3	(11)
-1520	p.1,2;encl.p.1,2	(11)
-1536	p.1,2;encl.p.1,2	(11)
-1555	p.1,2;encl.p.1,2	(12)
-1571	p.1,2;encl.p.1-4	(12)
-1576	p.1;encl.p.1-3	(12)
-1583	p.1,2;encl.p.1-6	(12)
-1584	p.1,5,6;encl.p.1,2	(12)
-1597X	p.1	(12)
-1598	p.1,2	(12)
-1604	p.1,2;encl.p.1,2	(12)
-1611	p.F,1,10,11,14-19,21,22 26,30,32,33,35-38, 46-48	(12)
-1613	p.1	(12)
-1614	p.1-3,6-10,12-32,34-42	(12)
-1616	p.1;encl.p.1,2	(13)
-1617	p.1;encl,2,3	(13)
-1618	p.1,2	(13)
-1619	p.1-3	(13)
-1623	p.1;encl.p.2,3	(13)
-1625	p.1,2;encl.p.1-3	(13)

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-1204	(9)
-1238	(9)
-1240	(9)
-1328	(10)
-1346 encl. p.1,5,8,9	(10)
-1654	(13)
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-1703 p.B,30-40	(14)

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-1642 p.1-4	(13)
-1643 p.1-3	(35)
-1645 p.1,2;encl.p.1,2	(13)
-1651 p.1,2;encl.p.1,2	(13)
-1672 p.1,2;encl.p.1,2	(13)
-1680 p.1,2;encl.p.1-4	(13)
-1684 p.1,2;encl.p.1-3	(14)
-1686 p.1	(14)
-1692 p.1,2;encl.p.1-4	(14)
-1694 p.1;encl.p.2-4	(14)
-1695 p.1,2;encl.p.1,2,4	(14)
-1704 p.1,2;encl.p.1,2	(6)
-1710 p.1;encl.p.1,2	(14)
-1723 p.1;encl.p.1,2	(14)
-1753 p.1;encl.p.1-3	(14)

The following references in the file captioned "Communist Influence in Racial Matters", contain information pertaining to the activities of Stanley David Levison, during the period 1956 to early 1967. Levinson, an attorney, was an advisor to Martin Luther King on policy matters pertaining to the SCLC, and was in charge of the NYC office of the SCLC. He had numerous conferences with King, and with other advisors to King, in NYC and Atlanta, Ga. He also attended SCLC affairs in Alabama, Florida, Virginia and Pennsylvania. He wrote speeches for King, prepared correspondence for him, and was active in raising funds for SCLC.

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-531 p.1,2;encl.p.1-3	(15)
-570 p.1-3	(15)
-578 p.D,1A,19,43-46,54, 58A	(15,28, 31,34)
-605 p.1,2	(15)
-619 encl.p.7	(15)
-726 p.B,115,117	(15,31)
-782 p.1,2;encl.p.1,2	(15)
-859 p.E,12-15,27,30	(15,31)
-895 p.1	(16)
-905 p.1,3;encl.p.1,2	(16)
-921 p.1	(16)
-954 p.1	(31)
-999 p.B,8,9,18	(16,28)
-1002 p.1,2;encl.p.1-3	(16)
-1028 p.1,2;encl.p.1,2	(16)
-1036 p.1;encl.p.1	(16)
-1057 p.1,2;encl.p.1-4	(16)
-1072 p.1,2	(16,31)
-1107 p.1,2;encl.p.1,5	(16)
-1112 p.1;encl.p.1,2	(17)
-1130 p.1,2;encl.p.1,2,4	(17)
-1132 p.1,2;encl.p.1-3	(17)
-1144 p.1,2;encl.p.1,2	(17)
-1166 p.1,2;encl.p.1,3	(17)
-1207 p.1	(17)
-1216 p.1	(28)
-1228 p.1,2;encl.p.1-4	(17,28,34,36)
-1229 p.1,2	(17)
-1230 p.1,2	(17,34,36)
-1243 p.1,2	(17)
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-1322	p.1;encl.p.1,2	(18)
-1325	p.1;encl.p.1	(18)
-1354	p.1;encl.p.1,2	(18,28)
-1375	p.1,2;encl.p.1,5	(18)
-1381	p.B,1,7-10,17-19	(28)
-1385	p.1;encl.p.1	(18,28)
-1395	p.1;encl.p.1,2	(18)
-1405	encl.p.1,2	(18,29)
-1407	p.1	(19)
-1410	p.1	(29)
-1411	p.1;encl.p.1-3	(19,29)
-1413	p.1;encl.p.1,2	(29)
-1415	p.1,2;encl.p.1-3	(19)
-1421	p.1	(19)
-1423	p.1,2;encl.p.1,2	(19)
-1424	p.1;encl.p.1,2	(19,29,35)
-1430	p.1,2;encl.p.1,4	(19,34)
-1431	p.1;encl.p.2	(19)
-1432	p.1;encl.p.1,2	(19)
-1446	p.1,2;encl.p.1,5	(19)
-1449	p.1	(20)
-1451	p.1	(29)
-1456	p.1;encl.p.1,2	(20)
-1457	p.1,2;encl.p.1,4	(20)
-1458	p.1,2;encl.p.1,2	(20)
-1460	p.1;encl.p.1,2	(20)
-1482	p.1,2;encl.p.1-3	(20)
-1489	p.1,2,3	(20)
-1530	p.1;encl.p.1,3	(20)
-1551	p.1,2;encl.p.1,2,4	(20)
-1582	p.1,2;encl.p.1	(20)
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-1684	p.B,1,6,8,10,11,13,23	(21)
-1694	p.1;encl.p.1-3	(21)
-1696	p.1;encl.p.1,2	(21)
-1702	p.1;encl.p.1,2	(21)
-1704	p.1;encl.p.1,2	(21)
-1705	p.1;encl.p.1,2	(21)
-1709	p.1;encl.p.1,3,4	(21)
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-1803	p.1;encl.p.1,2,9	(22)
-1807	p.1,2;encl.p.1,2	(40)
-1815	p.1;encl.p.1,2	(22)
-1816	p.1;encl.p.1,3	(22)
-1824	p.B,1,5-13,15,19-26, 36-39	(23)
-1845	p.1;encl.p.1,2	(23)
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-1853	p.1,2,5	(23)
-1856	p.1,2	(23)
-1858	p.1;encl.p.1,2	(23)
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-1860	p.1;encl.p.1,3,7	(23)
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-1940 p.B,1,5,6,9,10,19	24
-1962 p.1,2 encl. p.1,4	24
-1965 p.1	40
-1968 p.1-3	24
-1970 p.2	24
-1971 p.1,2 encl. p.1,2	24
-1986 p.1 encl. p.1,6	24
-2041 p.1,4,6,8,16,18	25
-2043 p.1,2 encl. p.1,2,4	25
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During November 1967, a number of confidential sources who are familiar with personalities in and activities of the Communist Party, United States of America, in the New York City area, advised that they have no information concerning STANLEY LEVISON.

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Reference is made to report of Special Agent [redacted] dated and captioned as above at New York.

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Source furnished information that MARTIN LUTHER KING, Jr., held a conference with ANDREW YOUNG, his assistant in the Southern Christian Leadership Conference, HARRY WACHTEL and STANLEY LEVISON, both advisors to KING. KING sought their views on an invitation which he said he had received to go to Moscow with other Nobel Peace Prize winners to meet with Ambassadors from North Vietnam and the National Liberation Front.

LEVISON wanted to know if KING knew anything of the origin or purpose of the Moscow meeting.

WACHTEL felt it was important to ascertain if the plans called for the committee going to Moscow to also meet with Representatives of the US Government. He believed that, unless this was done, the committee could be charged with lacking validity and being narrow and one-sided.

It was agreed that KING would postpone his decision on accepting the invitation until ANDREW YOUNG contacted an unnamed person in Geneva to get more details on the Moscow trip.

Later the same date, LEVISON told WACHTEL that he had been in touch with ANDREW YOUNG and that "they" were pleased that KING was interested in going to Moscow, and, to accommodate KING, would change the scheduled date ofthe Moscow gathering.

The source also furnished information about KING's itinerary.

This information was furnished to the Bureau and interested offices by airtels and LHM's dated 9/21 and 22/67, captioned, "MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR., SM - C".

9/27/67

Source furnished information on 9/27/67, that KING again conferred with ANDREW YOUNG, HARRY WACHTEL and STANLEY LEVISON to get some last minute advice on accepting the invitation togo to Moscow. KING expressed his belief that the proposed trip was a joint idea of the Nobel Prize Committee and the Friends Service Committee for the purpose of holding a dialogue between the so-called belligerent parties in Vietnam and the Nobel Peace Prize winners.

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WACHTEL again counseled that they should be sure that RALPH BUNCHE (who was also invited to go to Moscow as a Peace Prize winner) had definitely excluded himself from going and that KING should speak to the United Nations Ambassador ARTHUR GOLDBERG before making the trip.

WACHTEL and LEVISON also suggested that KING attempt to see Pope PAUL in Rome on his return from Moscow.

As a result of this conference, ANDREW YOUNG agreed to talk to a DUNCAN WOOD in Geneva to discuss points brought up at the conference.

Later that date, YOUNG contacted STANLEY LEVISON and told him that the committee behind the Moscow trip was not the Nobel Prize committee but was a committee of private Norwegian citizens and Quakers chaired by a former Nobel Prize winner. YOUNG said that several Nobel Prize winners had turned down the invitation and that only Father PIRI, DUNCAN WOOD and two Norwegians would be going with KING.

LEVISON said that in view of this he felt differently about KING going to Moscow and he and YOUNG felt it would be better for KING to go to Moscow on his own at some later time.

This information was furnished to the Bureau by airtel and LHM dated 9/28/67, captioned "MARTIN LUTHER KING, Jr., SM - C".

10/9/67

Source advised that KING and STANLEY LEVISON discussed the mayoralty primary in Cleveland, Ohio, in which CARL STOKES, a Negro, was the winner. KING commented that STOKES won because of the help which he and the Southern Christian Leadership Conference gave to his campaign. KING said his presence in Cleveland helped keep the Negro community together.

They discussed whether STOKES would admit publicly, KING's contribution. LEVISON and KING agreed that KING's role in the Cleveland elections should be written for national consumption.

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10/11/67

Source advised that STANLEY LEVISON told CHAUNCEY ESKRIDGE, a Legal Advisor to the Southern Christian Leadership Conference from Chicago, that he would be in Chicago on 11/11/67, on which date KING was scheduled to speak before a Trade Union Conference.

Later, LEVISON discussed with KING a speech that KING was recording. It was indicated that LEVISON had prepared the manuscript for this speech and was preparing material for KING's Chicago speech on 11/11/67. KING also advised LEVISON of his intention to present himself to authorities in Birmingham, Alabama on 10/30/67, to begin a five day sentence arising from a demonstration in Birmingham in 1963.

LEVISON and KING further discussed a series which KING is taping for the Canadian Broadcasting Company in Toronto.

This information was furnished to the Bureau by airtel and LHM dated, 10/13/67, captioned "MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR., SM - C", and "COMINFIL SCLC, IS - C".

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Source learned from STANLEY LEVISON's wife that LEVISON planned to go to Ecuador on Sunday, 11/19/67.

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11/19/67

Source advised that KING asked STANLEY LEVISON for his opinion about an invitation he had received to give the main

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speech at an affair to be held in Carnegie Hall, New York City, in February, 1968, celebrating the 100th Birthday of W.E.B. Du Bds. He said that JACK O'DELL (Associate Managing Editor of "Freedomways" Magazine), was one of the persons who had talked to him about the affair. He said that he knew "Freedomways" has something to do with the affair.

LEVISON counseled that KING should know whether the sponsoring group is reasonably broad or very narrow. He said that if the sponsorship was narrow, such as having only persons associated with "Freedomways" it should be broadened.

"Freedomways" in its Summer issue announced that it was sponsoring a celebration of the 100th Anniversary of the birth of W.E.B. Du Bois at Carnegie Hall, New York City, on 2/23/68.

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Examples of valuable intelligence derived through this tesur during the past 90 days are as follows:

On 9/21/67 King was in contact with his principal advisors Stanley Levison and Harry Wachtel concerning his invitation to go to Moscow with other Nobel Peace Prize winners to meet with ambassadors from North Korea and the National Liberation Front.

Later, on 9/27/67 when it was learned that the Nobel Prize Committee had not extended the above invitation but a group of private citizens from Norway, Levison advised against King's accepting the invitation.

On 10/9/67 King informed Levison that Carl Stokes won the election in Cleveland, Ohio, because of the help he received from SCLC. King said his presence in Cleveland also helped by keeping the Negro community together. On 10/11/67 tesur developed information that Stanley Levison had written

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a speech that King delivered before a trade union conference in Chicago, Illinois, on 11/11/67.

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It was learned on 11/19/67 that King had asked Levison for his opinion about an invitation King had received to give the keynote speech at an affair to be held in Carnegie, New York City, in February, 1968, celebrating the 100th birthday of W. E. B. DuBois.

Because of the extreme importance of the Levison-King tie to the civil rights and peace movements and the communist influence therein, plus the demonstrated past value of this source, it is recommended it be continued for another 90 days. It is noted that the Attorney General authorized continuation of the telephone surveillance for a period of three months effective October 1, 1967.

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1 - Mr. R. [illegible] Smith
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SUBJECT: [illegible]ELECTRONIC SURVEILLANCES

The Attorney General under date of 12/23/67 approved our request for continuation of telephone surveillances and teletype coverage for a period of three months effective 1/1/68. His approval was noted in writing on our memorandum of 12/21/67, which is attached in an exhibit envelope. As in the past, an appropriate notation will be made in each case file showing Attorney General's approval.

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TO : The Attorney General

DATE: September 22, 1967

FROM : Director, FBI

JUNE

SUBJECT: ELECTRONIC SURVEILLANCES

STANLEY DAVID LEVISON

Reference is made to my memorandum dated June 23, 1967, captioned as above, which requested your approval for continuation of the electronic surveillances which were being operated by this Bureau at that time. You gave your approval for their continuation for a period of three months effective July 1, 1967.

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Your approval is requested for the continuation of [redacted] these electronic surveillances for a period of three months [redacted] effective October 1, 1967.

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5/16/67

Source advised that LEVISON was in contact with BILL STEIN, SCLC fund-raiser on that date. STEIN was experiencing difficulty in securing sponsors for MARTIN LUTHER KING's speeches but at present there are two in Baltimore, one in Philadelphia and two in New York which produce $150.00 per week from New York and $400.00 per week from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Source advised that LEVISON was also in touch with KING that date concerning the fact that ANN FARNSWORTH had donated $25,000.00 to the SCLC and the Ford Foundation had selected the SNCC to administer a $285,000.00 citizenship school project. (Disseminated by airtel and LHM dated 5/18/67, under caption "COMINFIL SCLC".)

5/31/67

ADELE KANTER, Director of the New York Office of the SCLC, advised LEVISON that 22 of 82 recent contributors to the SCLC asked that their names be removed from the SCLC list because of KING's Vietnam stand.

KANTER also stated that the SCLC would work during the summer of 1966 in the areas of: 1.) Political Education 2.) Economic Development 3.) Urban Involvement, and 4.) Peace Activity. (Disseminated by airtel and LHM dated 6/5/67, captioned "CIRM".)

6/8/67

LEVISON, KING, HARRY WACHTEL and ANDREW YOUNG, KING's Executive Assistant conferred that date concerning a statement which appeared in "The New York Times" supporting Israel and signed by KING. KING was afraid that it contradicted his policy of non-violence. They advised KING to make future statements general and to back the stand of the United Nations. (Disseminated by airtel and LHM dated 6/9/67, captioned "CIRM".)

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6/11/67

Source advised that LEVISON and WACHTEL were in conference concerning KING's support of Israel in the Mid-East crisis. KING is concerned over the smug attitude of Israel since her victory. (Disseminated by airtel and LHM dated 6/13/67, under caption "CIRM".)

6/12/67

KING, LEVISON, WACHTEL and YOUNG were in conference that date concerning the Supreme Court affirming the 1963 conviction of KING in Alabama for contempt. The consensus of advisors was that a statement, culled from those written separately by the advisors, condemning the Supreme Court decision and pointing out the threat of violence should be released by KING. (Disseminated by teletype 5/12/67 and airtel and LHM dated 5/13/67 under caption "CIRM".)

6/14/67

LEVISON was in contact with MICHAEL MILLER of the Ford Foundation that date concerning the application of the SCLC for a Ford Foundation grant. LEVISON stated that KING had met with ROY WILKINS of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People and other civil rights leaders in Suffern, New York, on 6/13/67. (Disseminated by airtel and LHM dated 6/15/67, captioned "CIRM".)

6/19/67

LEVISON was in contact with JOAN DAVES, publisher's representative that date concerning KING's latest book "Where Do We Go From Here?". KING was to attend a reception at the New York Hilton Hotel at 5:45 PM, on 6/19/67. (Disseminated by airtel and LHM dated 6/20/67, captioned "MARTIN LUTHER KING JR".)

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6/23/67

LEVISON conferred with MIKE MILLER of the Ford Foundation that date concerning recent Civil Rights developments and a $300,000.00 grant by the Ford Foundation to the Congress of Racial Equality. (Disseminated by airtel and LHM dated 6/23/67 captioned "CIRM".)

7/10/67

LEVISON was in contact with ANDREW YOUNG that date concerning an article which appeared in the 7/9/67 edition of "The New York Times" which stated that MARTIN LUTHER KING, Jr. would be the keynote speaker at a New Left Convention in Chicago on 8/31/67. LEVISON supplied YOUNG with a speech for KING, written by LEVISON, in which KING denied that he was seeking a third party Presidential nomination for 1968 and emphasizing the fact that KING was only a speaker at the convention. (Disseminated by airtel and LHM dated 7/10/67, captioned "MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.")

7/11/67

LEVISON was in contact that date with MARTIN LUTHER KING and CHAUNCEY ESKRIDGE, Chicago attorney. KING asked LEVISON's advice on the advisability of having former heavyweight boxing champion CASSIUS CLAY (MUHAMMAD ALI) fight an exhibition in California with the proceeds to go to the SCLC. LEVISON felt this was a good idea.

On this date LEVISON conferred with HARRY WACHTEL concerning KING's appearance as the keynote speaker at the New Left Convention in Chicago on 8/31/67. WACHTEL was upset at this decision and LEVISON explained that ANDREW YOUNG and ANN FARNSWORTH, who has contributed $100,000.00 to the SCLC persuaded KING to accept the speech. (Disseminated by airtel and LHM dated 7/12/67, captioned COMINFIL SCLC".)

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7/19/67

LEVISON and KING conferred that date concerning KING's failure to issue a statement on recent riots. LEVISON suggested that KING offer as a solution to the riots a WPA type program such as was used during the depression. (Disseminated by teletype 7/19/67, and airtel and LHM dated 7/20/67, under the caption "CIRM".)

7/24/67

On that date LEVISON dictated to DORA MC DONALD, KING's secretary, the text of a speech calling for a WPA type program and blaming the "White Community" for the Negro riots. (Disseminated by teletype dated 7/24/67, captioned "COMINFIL SCLC".)

7/25/67

LEVISON, KING, WACHTEL and ANDREW YOUNG were in conference that date concerning a press release to be made later that date by KING concerning current racial violence. KING's release was to condone the riots as a natural extension of ghetto life rather than condemn it and to rebut the statements of President JOHNSON concerning the riots.

KING stated that worse riots were to ensue and that in Chicago the plan was to "get the Loop" not just the West Side. (Disseminated by teletype dated 7/25/67, captioned "COMINFIL SCLC".)

7/24/67

LEVISON supplied to DORA MC DONALD, KING's secretary, the text of a press release to be made by KING condemning Congress and the President for recent racial violence and suggesting that a WPA type program be established to provide jobs for Negroes. (Disseminated by airtel and LHM dated 7/25/67, captioned "COMINFIL SCLC".)

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