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UNSUB; INDIVIDUAL IMPERSONATING SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY
GEORGE P. SHULTZ TO U. S. SENATOR SAM J. ERWIN, JR., AND HOWARD
H. BAKER, JR., ON 7/19/73. IMPERSONATION. (OO:WFO).

RE BUREAU TELEPHONE CALL TO WFO THIS DATE
Re WFO Telephone call to AX this date
AT APPROXIMATELY 11:55 A.M. THIS DATE, A CALLER CONTACTED

THE OFFICE OF SENATOR ERWIN. CALLER SPOKE TO STAFF ASSISTANT

[] IDENTIFIED HIMSELF AS MR. SHULTZ, AND REQUESTED
TO SPEAK TO SENATOR ERWIN. ACCORDING TO [] HE TOLD THE
CALLER THAT THE SENATOR WAS IN "SENATE WATERGATE COMMITTEE
HEARINGS". THE CALLER THEN SAID IT WAS URGENT THAT HE CON-
TACT THE SENATOR. [] THEN PLACED THE CALLER ON HOLD AND
MADE EFFORTS TO CONTACT SENATE AIDES IN THE CAUCUS HEARING
ROOM. WHILE THE CALLER WAS ON HOLD, [] SENATOR

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ERWIN, [REDACTED] BRIEFLY SPOKE TO THE CALLER WHO STATED TO HER THAT HE WOULD REMAIN ON HOLD RATHER THAN CALL BACK. BEFORE [REDACTED] COULD TRANSFER THE CALL TO THE CAUCUS HEARING ROOM, THE CALLER EITHER HUNG UP OR WAS CUT OFF.

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ACCORDING TO [REDACTED] SEVERAL MINUTES LATER A SECOND CALL WAS RECEIVED FROM AN UNKNOWN FEMALE WHO STATED SHE WAS THE SECRETARY OF SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY, GEORGE P. SHULTZ, AND THAT THE SECRETARY WISHED TO SPEAK TO SENATOR ERWIN. [REDACTED] SHORTLY THEREAFTER TRANSFERRED THE CALL TO THE CAUCUS HEARING ROOM WHERE AT APPROXIMATELY 12:20 THE CALLER SPOKE WITH SENATOR ERWIN. [REDACTED]

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ACCORDING TO [REDACTED] TO SENATOR ERWIN, THE TELEPHONE CALL WAS RECEIVED ON TELEPHONE NUMBER 225-3154, THE NORMALLY PUBLICIZED OFFICE TELEPHONE.

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[REDACTED] FOR THE U. S. CAPITOL, ADVISED THIS DATE THAT SENATOR ERWIN'S OFFICE

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TELEPHONE NUMBERS ARE 225-3154 [REDACTED] HE ADVISED THAT THIS TELEPHONE SYSTEM IS A ROTOR SET UP WHICH WOULD TRANSFER A CALL FROM 54 [REDACTED] SHOULD 54 BE BUSY. WITH THIS TYPE SYSTEM THERE WOULD BE NO WAY TO DETERMINE IF THE CALLER CALLED DIRECTLY TO ANY OF THE OFFICE NUMBERS OR WAS CONNECTED THROUGH THE SWITCHBOARD. ACCORDING TO [REDACTED] WHO RECEIVED BOTH CALLS, HE COULD NOT DETERMINE IF THE CALL WAS PLACED THROUGH THE SWITCHBOARD OR WAS DIALED DIRECT. [REDACTED] ALSO STATED THAT WITH THE TELEPHONE SYSTEM HE WAS ABLE TO SWITCH THE CALL DIRECTLY TO THE CAUCUS HEARING ROOM WITHOUT USE OF THE CENTRAL SWITCHBOARD.

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[REDACTED] SWITCHBOARD OPERATOR, U. S. CAPITOL, ADVISED THIS DATE THAT DUE TO THE VOLUME OF TELEPHONE CALLS MADE TO SENATOR ERWIN AS WELL AS OTHER SENATORS ON THE "WATERGATE COMMITTEE" IT WOULD BE VIRTUALLY IMPOSSIBLE TO IDENTIFY A SWITCHBOARD OPERATOR WHO MIGHT HAVE CONNECTED THE CALL.

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[] STATED THAT IT WAS HIS IMPRESSION BASED ON THE VOICE THAT THE CALLER WAS IN [] SPOKE WITH A RELATIVELY DEEP VOICE WITH NO ACCENT, AND SEEMED INTELLIGENT AND COHERENT.

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AT APPROXIMATELY 4:00 P.M. THIS DATE, A CALL WAS RECEIVED BY THE OFFICE OF SENATOR BAKER, ^{and} WAS ANSWERED BY THE SENATOR []

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[] [] STATED THAT SHE PICKED UP THE EXTENSION FROM [] AS SOON AS SHE COULD SEE THAT [] WAS HAVING DIFFICULTY WITH THE CALLER. THE CALLER WAS DISCONNECTED IN A FEW MINUTES. SUBSEQUENTLY, SHORTLY THEREAFTER ^A ~~THE~~ SECOND CALL WAS RECEIVED AND ANSWERED BY [] [] WHO SPOKE TO THE CALLER FOR APPROXIMATELY 30-35 MINUTES. THE CALLER IDENTIFIED HIMSELF AS SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY GEORGE P. SHULTZ, STATED IT WAS EXTREMELY IMPORTANT THAT HE CONTACT SENATOR BAKER INASMUCH AS HE HAD ALREADY SPOKEN TO SENATOR ERWIN IN CONNECTION WITH TAPES ^{involved} IN THE "WATERGATE

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HERNANDEZ
COMMITTEE ~~HE WAS INTERESTED IN RECEIVING~~ [REDACTED]

ATTEMPTED TO KEEP THE CALLER ON THE LINE FOR AS LONG AS POSSIBLE IN ORDER THAT THE CAPITOL SWITCHBOARD COULD BE CONTACTED IN ~~AN~~ EFFORT TO TRACE THE CALL. DURING CONVERSATION WITH THE CALLER, THE CALLER STATED THAT THE PRESIDENT WILL RELEASE THE TAPES IN QUESTION AS SOON AS SENATOR ERWIN AND PRESIDENT NIXON CAN MEET, WHICH WILL POSSIBLY BE NEXT WEEK.

WHEN [REDACTED] DETERMINED THE CALL HAD BEEN SUCCESSFULLY TRACED SHE TERMINATED THE CONVERSATION. IT WAS HER IMPRESSION THAT THE CALLER WAS EXTREMELY COHERENT AND INTELLIGENT; HOWEVER, IN HER OPINION HE WAS INTOXICATED INASMUCH AS HE WAS SLURRING HIS WORDS. FROM THE CALLER'S VOICE SHE RECEIVED THE IMPRESSION HE WAS [REDACTED] AND SPOKE WITH NO NOTICEABLE ACCENT. THE CALLER WAS NOT SUCCESSFUL IN TALKING WITH SENATOR BAKER.

[REDACTED] U. S. CAPITOL POLICE,
ADVISED THAT THROUGH THE CAPITOL SWITCHBOARD AND CHESAPEAKE

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AND POTOMAC TELEPHONE COMPANY, THE CALL WAS TRACED TO TELEPHONE
NUMBER 525-9656, WHICH IS LISTED TO A PAY PHONE AT THE MARRIOTT
KEY BRIDGE MOTEL, ROSLYN, VIRGINIA.

BASED ON INFORMATION RECEIVED FROM [REDACTED] BUREAU
AGENTS OBSERVED ^{THE} ~~A~~ PHONE BOOTH AND WERE UNABLE TO DETECT ANY
INDIVIDUAL WHO MIGHT HAVE BEEN THE UNSUB.

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SENATORS ERVIN AND BAKER INTERVIEWED AT UNITED STATES
CAPITOL THIS EVENING AND PROVIDED FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

SENATORS ERVIN ^{RELATED} ~~AND BAKER~~ BACKGROUND REGARDING NEGOTIATIONS
BETWEEN THE SUBCOMMITTEE AND WHITE HOUSE PRECEDING CALL
WHICH HAS APPEARED IN PRESS. THESE PRIOR NEGOTIATIONS MADE
RECEIPT OF CALL VERY PLAUSABLE ESPECIALLY HIS EMPHASIS IN
HIS LETTER TO THE PRESIDENT THAT TIME WAS OF ESSENCE REGARDING
REPLY FROM PRESIDENT.

JUST BEFORE LUNCH [REDACTED]

FOR SUBCOMMITTEE CAME TO HIM AND SAID SECRETARY SHULTZ WAS ON
TELEPHONE IN COMMITTEE HEARING ROOM AND WANTED TO SPEAK WITH
HIM. HE TOOK CALL IN TELEPHONE BOOTH THERE AND CALLER STARTED
OUT BY SAYING HE HAD COMMUNICATION FROM PRESIDENT AND PRESIDENT
DESIRED TO MAKE AVAILABLE TAPES OF WITNESSES WHO HAD APPEARED
BEFORE SUBCOMMITTEE AND OTHER TAPES OF INDIVIDUALS DIRECTLY
RELATED TO HEARINGS. PRESIDENT WOULD SEE HIM EARLY NEXT WEEK
TO ARRANGE PROCEDURES FOR HANDING OVER TAPES.

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ERVIN REPLIED THIS DECISION WAS IN BEST INTEREST OF COUNTRY AND PRESIDENT AND ASKED CALLER IF HE COULD MAKE PUBLIC STATEMENT REGARDING DECISION. SENATOR ERVIN ALSO URGED CALLER TO CONVINCE PRESIDENT TO HAND OVER PAPERS AND DOCUMENTS PREVIOUSLY REQUESTED BY SUBCOMMITTEE. IN REPLY TO SENATOR ERVIN'S QUESTION, CALLER STATED PUBLIC STATEMENT WOULD BE VERY HELPFUL TO PRESIDENT AND WHITE HOUSE WOULD ALSO BE MAKING PUBLIC STATEMENT SHORTLY. AFTER CALL CONCLUDED SENATOR ERVIN NOTED SUBCOMMITTEE HEARING HAD RECESSED FOR LUNCH SO HE WENT TO VOTE ON SENATE FLOOR. THERE HE MET SENATOR BAKER AND RELATED FACTS OF ABOVE CALL. BOTH HE AND SENATOR BAKER AGREED TO MAKE PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT AFTER LUNCH RECESS.

FOLLOWING PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT BY BOTH SENATORS, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] COUNSEL TO PRESIDENT, CALLED SUBCOMMITTEE STAFF AND ADVISED NO SUCH STATEMENT AS OUTLINED BY SENATOR ERVIN AND BAKER HAD BEEN AUTHORIZED AFTER HE HAD CONSULTED WITH SECRETARY SHULTZ. THEREFORE, SENATOR ERVIN PLACED CALL TO SECRETARY SHULTZ WHO ADVISED HIM HE HAD HAD NO PREVIOUS

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CONVERSATION THAT DAY WITH SENATOR ERVIN AND CONFIRMED STATE-
MENT REGARDING DECISION TO HAND OVER TAPES NOT AUTHORIZED.

SENATOR ERVIN DESCRIBED CALLER AS WHITE MALE, AGE 40 - 50
WITHOUT NOTICEABLE ACCENT AND WHO APPEARED SOBER. CALL LASTED
ONLY THREE OR FOUR MINUTES AND VOICE OF CALLER FOUND QUITE
SIMILAR TO ACTUAL VOICE OF SECRETARY SHULTZ.

SENATOR BAKER RECALLED SENATOR ERVIN TELLING HIM DURING
CONVERSATION ON SENATE FLOOR THAT CALLER HAD SAID "THE PRESIDENT
WILL SPEAK TO YOU IN YOUR CAPACITY AS CHAIRMAN" EARLIER NEXT
WEEK. THIS STATEMENT IS NOTEWORTHY SINCE PRESIDENT ACTUALLY
HAD TOLD SENATOR ERVIN HE WOULD TALK TO SENATOR ERVIN IN
CAPACITY AS CHAIRMAN RATHER THAN TO SENATORS ERVIN AND BAKER
AS THEY HAD SUGGESTED.

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ALEXANDRIA DIVISION IS PROCESSING THE PHONE BOOTH IN QUESTION AND MAKING APPROPRIATE INQUIRIES AT KEY BRIDGE MARRIOTT IN EFFORT TO IDENTIFY THE UNSUB.

WFO IS CONTINUING INTENSIVE AND EXHAUSTIVE INVESTIGATION INCLUDING DETAILED INTERVIEWS OF ALL INDIVIDUALS WHO HAVE SPOKEN WITH THE CALLER. WFO IS AWARE OF THE POSSIBILITY THAT ALTHOUGH THE SECOND CALLER IDENTIFIED HIMSELF AS HAVING MADE THE FIRST CALL THAT TWO SEPARATE INDIVIDUALS MAY HAVE PLACED THE CALLS.

THE BUREAU WILL BE IMMEDIATELY ADVISED OF CURRENT DEVELOPMENTS IN THIS MATTER.

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UNSUB; Individual Impersonating Secretary of the Treasury

GEORGE P. SHULTZ to U.S. SENATORS SAM J. ERVIN, JR.,

(Title) and HOWARD H. BAKER, JR., 7/19/73

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7/27/73	1. Signed Statement of [redacted]	(c11)
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At approximately 12:20 p.m. on Thursday, July 19, 1973, [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] of Senator Ervin's came in to the hearing room, 318 ROB, and told me that Secretary Schultz was on the phone for Senator Ervin. I asked [REDACTED]

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"which phone?" He replied that

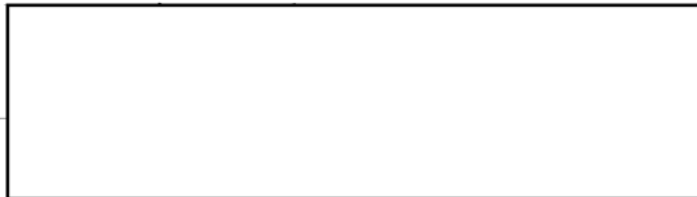
Secretary Schultz was on the phone in the Caucus Room [REDACTED]

The call was transferred from Ervin's office phone [REDACTED]

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I told Senator Ervin that Secretary Schultz was on the phone. He and I proceeded to the phone, I picked it

and said "Mr. Secretary, Senator Erwin." He replied, "O.K. That's fine." Thereafter Senator Erwin picked up the phone and began talking to the "Secretary Schultz."



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At approximately 11:55 AM I [REDACTED] RECEIVED
A PHONE CALL IN SENATOR ERVIN'S OFFICE [REDACTED] b6
THE PARTY, A MALE, SAID IN A BLUNT MANNER "THIS b7C
IS MR. SCHULTZ, I WANT TO TALK TO SENATOR
ERVIN." SINCE THE PARTY IDENTIFIED HIMSELF
NO FURTHER, I EXPLAINED THAT THE SENATOR WAS
NOT IN THE OFFICE AND THAT IF THE HEARINGS
HAD ADJOURNED HE WOULD PROBABLY BE GOING TO
LUNCH. THE PARTY THEN ASKED, "WOULD HE BE HAVING
LUNCH IN THE DINING ROOM IN THE CAPITOL", AND
IF SO, "COULD HE REACH HIM THERE." I STATED
THAT I WAS NOT SURE EVEN WHETHER OR NOT
THE HEARINGS HAD RECESSED FOR LUNCH AND PUT
THE PARTY ON HOLD. (I INFORMED THE PARTY THAT
IT WOULD TAKE A FEW MINUTES TO FIND WHERE THE
SENATOR WAS AND COULD WE CALL HIS OFFICE. TO
THIS HE SAID "HE WOULD HOLD." I THEN TOLD
[REDACTED] THE SENATORS [REDACTED] b6
I WASN'T SURE EXACTLY WHO THIS CALLER WAS BUT THAT b7C
HE SIMPLY HAD IDENTIFIED HIMSELF AS MR. SCHULTZ.
I THEN TURNED ON THE T.V. IN THE SENATOR'S OFFICE,
AND FOUND THAT THE HEARINGS HAD NOT ADJOURNED.
(TIME APPROX: 12:05) WHEN I RETURNED
TO THE PHONE THE PARTY HAD HUNG UP OR WE
WERE CUT OFF. I THEN TOLD THE LADIES IN THE
OFFICE THAT IF THEY RECEIVED A CALL FROM A
MISTER SCHULTZ, TO TRANSFER IT TO ME BECAUSE
HE HAD BEEN RATHER BLUNT.

APPROXIMATELY 12:10 I AGAIN ANSWERED
THE PHONE [REDACTED] AND A LADIES VOICE b6
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...
STATED THAT SHE WAS ^{CALLING} ~~RETURNING~~ FOR SECRETARY
SCHULTZ FOR SENATOR ERVIN. THE SAME
MAN'S VOICE, SOMEWHAT MORE OFFICIAL
AND POLITE, CAME ON THE PHONE (IT SEEMED
TO ME THAT IT WAS TRANSFERRED, NOT SIMPLY
ONE RECEIVER HANDED TO SOMEONE ELSE). I
SAID, "MR. SECRETARY, THE SENATOR IS STILL
CHAIRING THE HEARINGS." THE MAN SAID
SOMETHING TO THE EFFECT THAT "IT WAS VERY IMPORTANT
THAT HE SPEAK WITH THE SENATOR BEFORE LEAVING
FOR NEW YORK CITY. I ASKED IF I COULD
TAKE A RETURN NUMBER BUT HE SAID "NO, I
WILL HOLD. THIS IS AT APPROXIMATELY 12:15.
I THEN TRIED TO CALL THE COMMITTEE ROOM

[REDACTED] BUT THE LINE WAS BUSY. I THEN ^{b6}
TOLD [REDACTED] THAT I WOULD GO TO THE ^{b7C}
COMMITTEE HEARING ROOM (318) AND CALL
HER SO SHE COULD TRANSFER THE CALL TO
THE SENATOR. SHE TALKED TO THE PARTY TO ASK
IF SHE COULD RETURN THE CALL TO THE SECRETARY'S
OFFICE - SHE WAS INFORMED "NO, I INTEND TO
HOLD!!" MEANWHILE, I RAN (LITERALLY) TO THE
HEARING ROOM AND ARRIVED SOMETIME BETWEEN ^{b6}
12:15 & 12:20 I SAW THAT THE PHONE BOOTH WAS ^{b7C}

AND CALLED [REDACTED] IN THE OFFICE TO TRANSFER THE CALL
[REDACTED] I THEN WALKED OVER TO [REDACTED]

DEPUTY COUNSEL, AND TOLD HIM SECRETARY
SCHULTZ WAS CALLING SENATOR ERVIN.

SENATOR ERVIN TOOK THE CALL IN THE
PHONE BOOTH IN THE CAUCUS ROOM [REDACTED] ^{b6}
^{b7C}

I RETURNED TO THE OFFICE. [REDACTED]

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SEX REVELATIONS ALL BALONEY

Miss Faye Martin' — Just a Gag

By Jerry Oppenheimer
Star-News Staff Writer

The masked, bewigged and mini-skirted call girl who came to Washington on Monday offering to tell the Senate Watergate committee about pay-for-play sex in high political places is actually an actress who participated in another hoax masterminded by New York prankster Alan Abel.

Abel, a 46-year-old filmmaker, comedy writer and advertising man—who gets his kicks by putting on the news media and the public—admitted his latest stunt yesterday in a telephone interview from his Westport, Conn., home after being recognized here on Monday by a Star-News reporter.

"It adds a little spice (to the Watergate affair) when you throw sex in," said Abel. "It was just a lark. Our intent was not to defraud, or criminally libel anyone. The whole thrust of the session was to come down to Washington and tell nothing but lies, because we all know everybody is now telling the truth," he said.

During the height of the Clifford Irving-Howard Hughes affair Abel posed as Hughes swathed in bandages. Abel called a press conference and about 150 reporters and photographers showed up to interview him and take his picture.

Abel identified his partner in the Watergate hoax as a New York actress, comedian and parttime school teacher, who played the part of a topless masseuse in an X-rated, satirical film produced by Abel two years ago called, "Is there Sex After Death?"

The actress had been part of the Second City improvisational troupe in Chicago. She could not be reached for comment.

Abel's best-known hoax is an organization he founded several years ago called the Society for Indecency to Naked Animals (SINA). In two years the society gained a membership of about 50,000 people around the country who called for the clothing of animals.

He once led a SINA demonstration in front of the White House.

AT A NEWS conference attended by more than a dozen reporters at the Shoreham-Americana hotel here on Monday, Abel introduced his hoax partner as "Miss Faye Martin," who he said was a former Darien, Conn., debutante turned prostitute.

Abel identified himself to reporters as Harry T. Rogers, a lawyer from a small Midwestern town. He said he was there to help the young woman — wearing an eye mask, blond wig and skimpy skirt — "as a friend of her family" who "didn't want to get involved."

The night before the news conference — held in a \$200 a day suite which Abel got at a discount rate, according to a hotel official — he sent telegrams from New York to the major news organizations in Washington.

On Monday afternoon following the news conference, Abel, continuing his pose, telephoned the Senate Watergate committee and told John Elmore, an aide to committee counsel Samuel Dash, that "Miss Martin" would be willing to tell all.

Elmore confirmed the telephone call yesterday and said he had passed the information on, but that the staff had not decided whether to get in touch with the mystery woman.

At the press conference, the make-believe lady of the night claimed that she had been hired by politicians to spy on their political rivals and to photocopy documents they carried to her apartment for blackmail purposes.

Abel, as Rogers, also showed reporters a can of film he said contained movies of "Miss Martin" engaging in sex with a noted politician.

Abel said yesterday that the can contained a blank reel of film.

HE SAID the whole stunt cost him about \$240 for the telegrams, hotel suite, air fare from New York for himself and the actress, and coffee for the reporters.

"I look at it as a deductible expense item for research and therapy — therapy for me anyhow. I have to do something like this at least once a year, otherwise I go crazy. I'd go crazy if all I had to do was play golf, fish or sit around and drink."

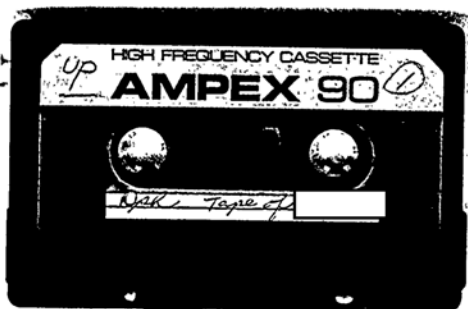
Now that his Watergate hoax is out of the way, Abel said, he is about to get down to serious business — lecturing and writing "on a major problem facing all of us today — the growth of the big tee."

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1. One 5" reel containing taped interview of Alan Abel.

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BAKER, JR., 7/19/73, IMPERSONATION. 00:WFO.

RE WFO PHONE CALLS THIS DATE.

WFO ADVISED, IN REFERENCE PHONE CALLS, THAT TELEPHONE CALL
FROM UNKNOWN SUBJECT (UNSUB) TO SENATOR BAKER HAD BEEN DETERMINED TO
HAVE BEEN MADE FROM 525-9656, A PAY PHONE IN THE LOBBY OF THE KEY
BRIDGE MARRIOTT MOTEL, ROSLYN, VIRGINIA.

AGENTS WITH NECESSARY EQUIPMENT, WERE IMMEDIATELY DISPATCHED
TO KEY BRIDGE MARRIOTT MOTEL. SURVEILLANCE WAS IMMEDIATELY INSTITUTED
IN LOBBY OF MOTEL, PARTICULARLY IN VICINITY OF PERTINENT PHONE BOOTH.

WFO ADVISED INFORMATION AVAILABLE INDICATED THE UNSUB WAS
PROBABLY A WHITE MALE WHO IS INTELLIGENT, ARTICULATE AND IN HIS MID
TO LATE FORTIES.

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SURVIELLANCE CONTINUED UNTIL 6:30 PM IN EFFORT TO ASCERTAIN IF A SUBSEQUENT CALL WOULD BE MADE FROM PAY PHONE BOOTHS IN LOBBY OF MOTEL. NO INDIVIDUAL FITTING DESCRIPTION OF UNSUB OBSERVED AT MOTEL. SURVIELLANCE DISCONTINUED AT 6:30 PM AND PHONE BOOTH DUSTED FOR POSSIBLE FINGERPRINTS AND SEVERAL UNIDENTIFIED LATENTS OBTAINED. AGENTS AT THIS TIME CONTACTED ALL MOTEL EMPLOYEES AT REGISTRATION DESK, GIFT SHOPS, RESTAURANT, ADJACENT TO COCKTAIL LOUNGE AND SECURITY OFFICER RE POSSIBLE IDENTITY OF UNSUB. CONTACTS WITH THESE INDIVIDUALS NEGATIVE.

BOOTH FROM WHICH CALL MADE IS LOCATED IN AN AREA THAT IS NOT READILY VISIBLE TO AFOREMENTIONED EMPLOYEES AND MAIN LOBBY.

AX WILL CONTINUE OBSERVATION OF BOOTH NEXT DATE IN EFFORT TO DETERMINE IF UNSUB REPEATS CALL. COMPLETE GUEST LIST BEING OBTAINED.

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Date of transcription 7/20/73

[redacted] in the office of Senator HOWARD BAKER, JR., furnished the following information:

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At approximately 4:00 p.m. on July 19, 1973, a call was taken by Senator BAKER [redacted] on his office telephone. [redacted] noticed that Senator BAKER [redacted] was having some difficulty with the caller so she picked up the extension and attempted to assist [redacted]. The call was disconnected shortly thereafter.

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A few minutes later a second call was received and answered by [redacted] who spoke to the caller for approximately 30-35 minutes. The caller identified himself as Secretary of the Treasury GEORGE P. SHULTZ and stated it was extremely important that he contact Senator BAKER inasmuch as he had already spoken to Senator ERVIN in connection with tapes involved in the "Watergate Committee Hearings".

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During the conversation, [redacted] flashed the telephone operator and requested that this call be traced.

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The caller stated that the President of the United States will release the tapes in question as soon as Senator ERVIN and President NIXON can meet, which will possibly be next week.

[redacted] described the caller as being extremely coherent and intelligent, although he constantly slurred words and appeared to be intoxicated. From the caller's voice she received the impression that he was a white male in his [redacted] and he spoke with no noticeable accent.

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Additionally, she stated the caller never was connected with Senator BAKER.

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by SA [redacted] SS [redacted] Date dictated 7/20/73

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
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FROM: SAC, WFO (47-10422)

UNSUB; INDIVIDUAL IMPERSONATING SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY
 GEORGE P. SHULTZ TO UNITED STATES SENATORS SAM J. ERVIN AND
 HOWARD H. BAKER, JR., 7/19/73, IMPERSONATION, OO:WFO

RE WFO TELETYPE, 7/20/73.

FOR INFO NEW YORK, ARTICLE APPEARED IN WASHINGTON
 STAR-NEWS DAILY NEWS PAPER, 7/10/73, SETTING FORTH STORY OF PRESS
 CONFERENCE IN WHICH WHITE FEMALE POSED AS PROSTITUTE POSSESSING
 INFO CONCERNING WATERGATE AND THOSE INVOLVED. IN A SECOND
 ARTICLE, A HARRY T. ROGERS, IDENTIFIED IN ARTICLE AS A NEW YORK
 ADVERTISING MAN ADMITTED STORY WAS HOAX AND THAT HE OFTEN MADE UP
 HOAX STORIES. FEMALE IDENTIFIED IN ARTICLE AS WFO
 POSSESSES NO ADDITIONAL INFO RE THIS.

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NEW YORK IS REQUESTED TO DISCREETLY DETERMINE PHONE
 NUMBER WHERE ROGERS CAN BE CALLED UNDER SUITABLE PRETEXT WITH
 SENATOR ERVIN AND/OR HIS STAFF MEMBERS, AND/OR STAFF MEMBER OF

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SENATOR BAKER LISTENING FOR VOICE COMPARISON.

CLEVELAND. DISREGARD PREVIOUS LEAD. INSTEAD DISCREETLY
DETERMINE PHONE NUMBER FOR AUSTIN SO SAME PROCEDURE CAN BE EFFECTED.

WFO WILL HANDLE PRETEXT PHONE CALL TO STRICKLAND.

UPON RECEIPT OF ABOVE REQUESTED INFORMATION, WFO WILL
MAKE SUITABLE ARRANGEMENTS THROUGH THE OFFICES OF SENATOR ERVIN
AND SENATOR BAKER TO CARRY THROUGH PRETEXT CALLS. UACB.

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[redacted] to
"Watergate Hearings" was interviewed regarding tele-
phone call from person identifying himself as Secretary
SHULTZ. [redacted] furnished the following statement
prepared by him:

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"At approximately 12:20 p.m. on Thursday,
July 19, 1973, [redacted] of Senator Ervin's
came in to the hearing room, 318 ROB, and told
me that Secretary Schultz was on the phone for
Senator Ervin. I asked [redacted] "which phone?"
He replied that Secretary Schultz was on the
phone in the Caucus Room [redacted] The call
was transferred from Ervin's office phone
[redacted]

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"I told Senator Ervin that Secretary Schultz
was on the phone. He and I proceeded to the phone,
I picked it and said "Mr. Secretary, Senator Ervin."
He replied, "O.K. That's fine." Thereafter
Senator Ervin picked up the phone and began
talking to the "Secretary Schultz."

/s/ [redacted]

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[redacted] also stated that he feels that the caller
has been closely following the hearings.

He has previously talked with Secretary SHULTZ
and the caller's voice sounded like the Secretary.

After the announcement was made by Senator ERVIN
that the President had agreed to release the tapes relevant
to the "Watergate," he called Secretary SHULTZ's office for
the Senator.

Interviewed on 7/19/73 at Washington, D. C. File # 47-10422-6

SAs [redacted] DPH:rah Date dictated 7/20/73

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Date of transcription 7/20/73

[redacted] Senator SAM J. ERVIN, JR. and Senator's Staff, Old Senate Office Building, was interviewed and furnished the following information:

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Staff member [redacted] informed her at approximately noon on July 19, 1973, that Secretary SHULTZ was on the phone and wanting to speak to the Senator. She suggested that [redacted] go to the Hearing Room to notify the Senator of the call. While [redacted] was gone, she picked up the phone and advised the caller that attempts were being made to contact the Senator. She asked if she could take a message or if he preferred to hold. The caller stated "I'll do just that." The call was placed on hold and she advised the caller a few minutes later that the call would be transferred. The caller responded, "Thank you."

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[redacted] stated that she had previously had conversations with Secretary SHULTZ and the caller sounded very much like him. The caller had a deep, mature voice.

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The line was very clear from internal or external interference or distraction during the call. The voice was very official and firm.

[redacted] a Staff Assistant to Senator ERVIN, mentioned on Tuesday that she had received a call from the office of Secretary SHULTZ.

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She stated that following the announcement by Senator ERVIN that the call he had received earlier was not from Secretary SHULTZ, the Senator's office had received three or four crank calls stating they were Senator SHULTZ.

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by SAs [redacted] DPH:rah Date dictated 7/20/73
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[redacted] Staff Member for Senator SAM J. ERVIN, JR., Old Senate Office Building, was interviewed regarding a call she received at the Senator's office and she furnished the following information:

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On July 17, 1973, shortly before 10:00 a.m., a female caller stated over the phone that the call was from Secretary SHULTZ office and that the Secretary would like to talk to the Senator. The caller was placed on hold and the Senator was contacted and advised of the call. As the "Watergate Hearings" were about to begin for the day the Senator stated he would not be able to take the call.

She advised the caller that the Senator was not available and asked if she could take a message. The caller placed the call on "Hold" returning shortly to state cancel this call.

She added that the caller sounded like a Caucasian female with no accent. She could determine no approximate age for the individual.

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[redacted] Secretary of Treasury
GEORGE P. SHULTZ, Room 3330, Treasury Building, 15th and
Pennsylvania, was interviewed regarding a call placed to
Senator ERVIN's office. She furnished the following in-
formation:

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On July 17, 1973, at approximately 9:55 a.m., she
placed a call to Senator ERVIN's office after being requested
to do so by the Secretary. The female answering advised her
the Senator was not available. After checking with the
Secretary, she told the person to cancel the call.

This was the last call made by the Secretary's
office to the Senator's office until the Secretary spoke
to ERVIN on July 19, 1973, advising the Senator that he
had not spoken to him earlier regarding Presidential tapes.

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by SA [redacted] DPH:rah Date dictated 7/20/73

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[redacted]
Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company, Washington, D. C.,
furnished the following information:

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On July 19, 1973, in the late afternoon, a flash appeared on her switchboard originating from the office of Senator HOWARD BAKER. At this time she answered the flash by separating the conversation and speaking to a staff member of Senator BAKER's office. The staff member requested that the origin of that call be traced. [redacted] agreed to do so and then reconnected the party. The partys talked for a short time and then hung up.

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As soon as the partys hung up the caller in from Senator BAKER's office flashed the board and requested to be connected with the Department of Defense. This call was never connected.

[redacted] stated that the phone call was traced to telephone number JACKSON 5-9656 listed to a lobby telephone at the Marriott Key Bridge Motor Hotel, Roslyn, Virginia. She is absolutely certain that this trace is accurate.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

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FROM: CHARLOTTE (47-NEW)

UNSUB; INDIVIDUAL IMPERSONATING SECRETARY OF TREASURY GEORGE P. SCHULTZ TO U.S. SENATORS SAM J. ERVIN AND HOWARD H. BAKER, JR., 7-19-73. IMPERSONATION, OO: WFO

[REDACTED] RADIO STATION WKJK, GRANITE FALLS, N.C., ADVISED THIS DATE THAT INDIVIDUAL KNOWN TO HIM AS [REDACTED] WHO RESIDES IN [REDACTED] WAS THE TYPE OF AN INDIVIDUAL WHO COULD HAVE MADE SUCH A TELEPHONE CALL AS CAPTIONED ABOVE. b6 b7C HE STATED THAT [REDACTED] HAD PREVIOUSLY IMPERSONATED COUNTRY MUSIC STARS IN N.C., AND HAD ALSO IMPERSONATED A DOCTOR. [REDACTED] STATED [REDACTED] HAS HISTORY OF MENTAL DISTURBANCES AND HAD BEEN ON PAROLE OR PROBATION IN CALDWELL CO., N.C. [REDACTED] STATED [REDACTED] HAD SPENT YOUTH IN VA. SUBURBS OF WASHINGTON, D.C.,
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EXACT LOCATION UNKNOWN AND WOULD BE FAMILIAR WITH THAT

AREA. HE ALSO STATED THAT LIVED IN COUNTY WHICH IS

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HOME COUNTY OF SEN. SAM ERVIN.

INVESTIGATION BEING INSTITUTED BY THE CHARLOTTE OFFICE
TO RESOLVE.

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TO DIRECTOR

WASHINGTON FIELD 47-10422

FROM CLEVELAND 47-NEW (P)

UNSUB; INDIVIDUAL IMPERSONATING SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY GEORGE P. SHULTZ TO UNITED STATES SENATORS SAM J. ERVIN AND HOWARD H. BAKER, JR., 7/19/73, IMPERSONATION, OO: WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE.

RE WFO TEL TO BUREAU, ALEXANDRIA, AND CLEVELAND, 7/21/73.

DIRECTORY AND INFORMATION OPERATOR INQUIRIES AT CANTON, OHIO, BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY REFLECT NO CURRENT TELEPHONE SERVICE FOR EYGENE VICTOR AUSTIN, THIS CITY.

DISCREET INQUIRY THROUGH U.S. PROBATION OFFICER REFLECTS SUBJECT SENTENCED 1970 TO LEWISBURG, PA., FEDERAL REFORMATORY FOR TWO YEARS, DENIED PAROLE, AND LATER RECEIVED TOTAL RELEASE FROM SUPERVISION UPON EXPIRATION OF SENTENCE.

IN VIEW OF THE FACTS OF THIS CASE, CLEVELAND IS CONDUCTING NO ADDITIONAL INVESTIGATION AT THIS TIMZLSSSSSSSSSSSM

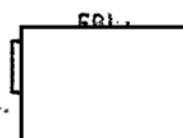
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To: SAC, WFO

From: Director, FBI

UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
INDIVIDUAL IMPERSONATING SECRETARY OF
THE TREASURY GEORGE P. SHULTZ TO
U. S. SENATORS SAM J. ERVIN, JR., AND
HOWARD H. BAKER, JR., ON JULY 19, 1973
IMPERSONATION

[REDACTED]

at 12:10 p.m., 7/20/73 telephonically contacted FBIHQ and said that at 4:00 p.m. (Central Daylight Time), 7/19/73, she telephoned the office of Senator Ervin regarding the President making available the recordings of conversations in connection with the Watergate hearings. She said she made the call only to express her views in that regard and that she frequently does this when she wishes her views to be known to public officials. Following the call she learned of hoax calls which had been made to Senator Ervin's office and she was concerned that she might be considered as a "mystery woman" relative to these calls. She emphasized that her reason for calling was legitimate and she was not part of any hoax.

The above is being submitted for your information.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
SACS, ALEXANDRIA
CLEVELAND
NEW YORK

10:50am JLC
10:55am CHG
11:10am DML
10:40am PAC

FROM: SAC, WFO (47-16422)

UNSUB; INDIVIDUAL IMPERSONATING SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY
GEORGE P. SHULTZ TO UNITED STATES SENATORS SAM J. ERVIN AND
HOWARD H. BAKER, JR., 7/19/73. IMPERSONATION. (OO:WFO).

RE WFO TELETYPE, 7/20/73; AND CLEVELAND TELETYPE TO
BUREAU, 7/21/73.

ALEXANDRIA SUBMIT RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED TO
DATE.

CLEVELAND WILL THROUGH PROBATION OFFICER
ATTEMPT TO LOCATE AND INTERVIEW EUGENE VICTOR AUSTIN RE
CAPTIONED.

NEW YORK DISREGARD LEAD SET OUT TO OBTAIN PHONE NUMBER
IN REFERENCED TELETYPE. NEW YORK WILL ATTEMPT TO IDENTIFY,

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CAPTIONED. ↗WFO ATTEMPTING TO LOCATE NEWSPAPER ARTICLES REGARDING
HOAX STORY IN WHICH ABOVE INDIVIDUALS WERE INVOLVED.b6
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TO DIRECTOR, FBI

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UNKNOWN SUBJECT; INDIVIDUAL IMPERSONATING SECRETARY
OF THE TREASURY GEORGE P. SHULTZ TO UNITED STATES SENATORS SAM
J. ERVIN AND HOWARD H. BAKER, JR., 7-19-73, IMPERSONATION,
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RE WFO TELETYPES DATED 7-20-73, 7-21-73, AND 7-23-73; AND
CLEVELAND TELETYPE TO BUREAU, DATED 7-21-73.

THE LAST REFERENCED TELETYPE FROM WFO REQUESTED CLEVELAND
TO LOCATE AND INTERVIEW EUGENE VICTOR AUSTIN REGARDING
CAPTIONED MATTER THROUGH PROBATION OFFICER [REDACTED]

CLEVELAND HAS ADVISED THROUGH TELETYPE TO BUREAU, 7-21-73,

[REDACTED] DOES NOT KNOW WHEREABOUTS OF AUSTIN. 47-10422-19¹⁹

CLEVELAND DOES POSSESS AUSTIN'S PARENTS ADDRESS IN CANTON,
OHIO, AND TELEPHONE NUMBER IS UNLISTED. SEARCHED *cat* *cel*
CLEVELAND HAS BEEN

HESITANT IN INTERVIEWING THE AUSTINS REGARDING THE WHEREABOUTS
OF THEIR SON DUE TO THE FACT THAT WFO [REDACTED] TELETYPE OF
7-21-73 THAT ALL INQUIRIES BE MADE DIS [REDACTED] *OPH*

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WFO WILL ADVISE CLEVELAND IF AUSTIN'S PARENTS SHOULD BE
CONTACTED DIRECTLY IN AN ATTEMPT TO OBTAIN HIS PRESENT
WHEREABOUTS.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI *648 (RWGM)*
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FROM: SAC, WFO (47-10422)

UNSUB; INDIVIDUAL IMPERSONATING SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY
GEORGE P. SHULTZ TO UNITED STATES SENATORS SAM J. ERVIN AND
HOWARD H. BAKER, JR., 7/19/73. IMPERSONATION. (OO:WFO).

RE WFO TELETYPE, 7/23/73, AND CLEVELAND TEL, 7/23/73.
CLEVELAND WILL CONTACT AUSTIN'S PARENTS RE AUSTIN'S WHEREABOUTS.
WHEN LOCATED, CLEVELAND WILL DETERMINE IF EUGENE VICTOR

AUSTIN HAS TELEPHONE AND IF SO WILL OBTAIN LIST OF LONG-
DISTANCE CALLS MADE ON 7/19/73 *in effort to identify*
if captioned call made.

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TO DIRECTOR

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FROM NEW YORK 47-NEW 4P

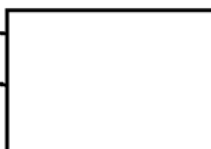
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GEORGE P. SHULTZ, TO THE US SENATORS SAM J. ERVIN AND HOWARD
K. BAKER, JR., 7/19/73, IMPERSONATION.

REFERENCE WFO TELETYPES TO THE BUREAU, 7/20, 21, 23/73.

FOR INFORMATION NEW HAVEN, ABOVE CAPTIONED SENATOR ERVIN,
CHAIRMAN, SENATE SELECT COMMITTEE ON PRESIDENTIAL CAMPAIGN
ACTIVITIES, RECEIVED A TELEPHONE CALL ON NOON JULY 19 LAST,
FROM AN INDIVIDUAL IDENTIFYING HIMSELF AS SECRETARY SHULTZ
(TREASURY SECRETARY). THE CALLER ADVISED THE CHAIRMAN THAT
PRESIDENTIAL TAPES RELEVANT TO THE "WATERGATE HEARINGS" WOULD BE
MADE AVAILABLE TO SENATOR ERVIN. ERVIN MADE A PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT
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VIA NATIONAL TELEVISION WITH THE TAPES WOULD BE FURNISHED TO THE COMMITTEE BY THE WHITE HOUSE.

THIS WAS LATER ANNOUNCED BY ERVIN TO BE A HOAX.

THE CALLER WAS INTRODUCED TO ERVIN'S STAFF BY A FEMALE WHO SAID SHE WAS THE SECRETARY TO SECRETARY SHULTZ.

APPROXIMATELY FOUR HOURS LATER, SENATOR BAKER'S RECEPTIONIST RECEIVED A CALL FROM AN INDIVIDUAL STATING IT WAS EXTREMELY IMPORTANT THAT HE CONTACT SENATOR BAKER INASMUCH AS HE HAD ALREADY SPOKEN TO THE SENATOR IN CONNECTION WITH THE TAPES INVOLVED IN THE "WATERGATE HEARINGS." THE CALLER WAS ON THE LINE 30-35 MINUTES AND WAS TRACED TO TELEPHONE NUMBER 525-9656, WHICH IS A PAY PHONE AT THE MARRIOTT KEY BRIDGE MOTEL, ROSSLYN, VIRGINIA. THE PHONE BOOTH WAS DUSTED FOR POSSIBLE FINGERPRINTS.

AN ARTICLE APPEARED IN THE WASHINGTON STAR - NEWS DAILY NEWSPAPER, 7/10/73, STATING STORY OF PRESS CONFERENCE IN WHICH WHITE FEMALE POSED AS A PROSTITUTE POSSESSING INFORMATION CONCERNING WATERGATE AND THOSE INVOLVED. IN A SECOND ARTICLE IN THE WASHINGTON STAR - NEWS DAILY NEWSPAPER, A HARRY T. ROGERS
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IDENTIFIED IN THE ARTICLE AS A NEW YORK ADVERTISING MAN, ADMITTED
STORY WAS A HOAX AND THAT HE OFTEN MADE UP "STORIES." FEMALE
IDENTIFIED IN ARTICLE AS

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ON 7/23/73, WFO FURNISHED THE NYO WITH A FACSIMILE OF THE
TWO ARTICLES APPEARING IN THE WASHINGTON STAR - NEWS CONCERNING
THE ABOVE MENTIONED HOAX PRESS CONFERENCE. THESE ARTICLES
IDENTIFIED HARRY T. ROGERS AS ALAN ABEL, WHO THEY DESCRIBED
AS A NEW YORK PRANKSTER, FILM MAKER, COMEDY WRITER AND
ADVERTISING MAN WHO GETS HIS KICKS BY PUTTING ON HOAXES. THE
ARTICLE INDICATED THAT HE WAS INTERVIEWED BY TELEPHONE BY GERRY
OPPENHEIMER, A STAFF WRITER FOR THE STAR NEWS, BY TELEPHONE
FROM HIS WESTPORT, CONNECTICUT HOME.

A FACSIMILE OF THESE ARTICLES WILL BE FURNISHED TO NEW
HAVEN THIS DATE.

NEW HAVEN-----

WILL LOCATE AND INTERVIEW ALAN ABEL, WHO RESIDES AT
WESTPORT, CONNECTICUT RE CAPTIONED MATTER.

2. WILL OBTAIN THE IDENTITY AND WHEREABOUTS OF HIS

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PARTNER IN THE ABOVE HOAX APPEARING IN THE WASHINGTON STAR
SO THAT SHE CAN BE INTERVIEWED, RE CAPTIONED MATTER.



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7:30 PM U R G E N T 7/23/73 DKL

TO DIRECTOR (ATTN: LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION,
IDENTIFICATION DIVISION)

WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE

FROM ALEXANDRIA (47-242) 4 PAGES

UNSUB; INDIVIDUAL IMPERSONATION SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY
GEORGE P. SHULTZ TO UNITED STATES SENATORS SAM J. ERVIN AND
HOWARD H. BAKER, JR., 7/19/73, IMPERSONATION, OO:WFO.

RE WFO TELETYPE TO BUREAU, 7/23/73; AND ALEXANDRIA AIRTEL TO
BUREAU, 7/23/73.

ADDITIONAL CONTACTS WITH INDIVIDUALS EMPLOYED AT KEY BRIDGE
MARRIOTT, ARLINGTON, VA., WHO WERE ON DUTY ON 7/19/73, INDICATE
THAT AN INDIVIDUAL OPERATING A 1971 FORD, BEARING VIRGINIA
LICENSE BMR 231, ISSUED TO JAMES EDWIN GREEN, A WHITE MALE, BORN
11/15/37, SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER 579-68-7039, FREQUENTLY THE
STIRRUP CUP, A COCKTAIL LOUNGE ABOVE MOTEL MOST EVERY AFTERNOON.
THIS INDIVIDUAL FREQUENTLY ENGAGES IN UNSOLICITED POLITICAL

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CONVERSATIONS WITH PATRONS OF ABOVE LOUNGE. GREEN, WHO RESIDES 2001 NORTH ADAMS STREET, ARLINGTON, VA., APARTMENT 927, IS BELIEVED TO WORK FOR SECURITY STORAGE, 1701 FLORIDA AVENUE, N.W. WASHINGTON, D.C.

RECORDS OF FBI IDENTIFICATION DIVISION REFLECT AN ENTRY FOR ONE [REDACTED],

[REDACTED] RECORDS REFLECT [REDACTED] HAS SHERIFF'S OFFICE, SOMMERVILLE, N.J., ARREST NUMBER 10823. IT HAS NOT BEEN DETERMINED IF [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] COULD BE IDENTICAL TO JAMES EDWIN GREEN DESCRIBED ABOVE.

[REDACTED] WINDJAMMER LOUNGE, LOCATED ON TWELFTH FLOOR OF MOTEL, ADVISED THAT ON THURSDAY EVENING, 7/19/73, AT APPROXIMATELY FIVE P.M., [REDACTED] FORMER ATTORNEY GENERAL JOHN N. MITCHELL, WAS IN COMPANY OF A MAN AND WOMAN AT ABOVE LOUNGE AND ALL DEPARTED AFTER HAVING ABOUT TWO COCKTAILS.

[REDACTED] A WAITER AT THE STIRRUP CUP, WHO WAS ON LEAVE UNTIL WEDNESDAY, AND WHO RESIDES AT [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] MAY HAVE OBSERVED [REDACTED] IN THE STIRRUP CUP.

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[REDACTED]
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[REDACTED] TELEPHONE OPERATOR, BARTENDERS, WAITRESSES, AND EMPLOYEES
OF NEARBY GIFT SHOP AT MOTEL, COULD FURNISH NO ADDITIONAL
INFORMATION REGARDING IDENTITY OF UNSUB.

LEADS:

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION, IDENTIFICATION DIVISION, IS
REQUESTED TO PROCESS ITEMS REFERRED TO IN REFERENCED AIRTEL,
WHICH ITEMS WERE HANDCARRIED TO IDENTIFICATION DIVISION THIS
DATE; AND IF IT IS DETERMINED THAT JAMES EDWIN GREEN HAS AN
ARREST RECORD OR FINGERPRINTS ON FILE, IT IS REQUESTED THAT A
COMPARISON BE MADE WITH ANY LATENTS DEVELOPED IN THIS CASE.

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WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE. LOCATE AND INTERVIEW [REDACTED]
ABOVE ADDRESS, TO DETERMINE IF HE CAN RECALL WHETHER OR NOT
POSSIBLE SUSPECT GREEN WAS IN LOUNGE OR USED PHONE IN LOBBY OF
ABOVE MOTEL DURING PERTINENT HOURS.

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IT IS BEING LEFT TO DISCRETION OF OFFICE OF ORIGIN AS TO WHETHER OR NOT [REDACTED] WHO WAS NOT A REGISTERED GUEST AT THE MOTEL ON 7/19/73, SHOULD BE LOCATED AND INTERVIEWED TO DETERMINE IF SHE HAS ANY INFORMATION REGARDING IDENTITY OF CALLER OR IF SHE WAS AT ABOVE MOTEL ON 7/19/73.

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WFO WILL ATTEMPT TO DETERMINE ADDITIONAL BACKGROUND REGARDING JAMES EDWIN GREEN AND ATTEMPT TO VERIFY EMPLOYMENT AT SECURITY STORAGE, 1701 FLORIDA AVENUE, N.W., WASHINGTON, D.C.

ALEXANDRIA. UPON RECEIPT OF BACKGROUND DATA REGARDING GREEN, WILL INTERVIEW HIM REGARDING REFERENCED TELEPHONE CALLS.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date of transcription 7/23/73

Senator HOWARD H. BAKER, Vice-Chairman, Senate Select Committee on Presidential Campaign Activities, was interviewed at the Office of the Vice-President, United States Capitol, Washington, D.C., and provided the following information:

He could provide no additional information to that already provided by Senator ERVIN about the alleged call from Secretary SHULTZ earlier this afternoon except one point. He recalled during the conversation between himself and Senator ERVIN on the Senate floor, that the caller had used the phrase "the President will speak to you in your capacity of Chairman."

He felt that the use of this phrase was particularly noteworthy since Senator ERVIN had suggested previously to the President that both Senator ERVIN and Senator BAKER meet with him to discuss the handing over of the documents to the Committee. The President replied at that time he would talk only to Senator ERVIN "in his capacity as Chairman."

He was aware that someone, possibly the same caller, called his office later this afternoon and repeated substantially the same information as received by Senator ERVIN to his secretary. His secretary had the details and she also noticed that the caller slurred his words during their conversation.

Interviewed on 7/19/73 at Washington, D.C. File # WFO 47-10422-23
by SAs [redacted] and REL:clm Date dictated 7/20/73

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, WFO (47-10422) (P)

DATE: 7/24/73

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
Individual Impersonating
Secretary of the Treasury
GEORGE P. SHULTZ to United
States Senators SAM J. ERVIN
and HOWARD H. BAKER, JR.,
7/19/73
IMPERSONATION
(OO:WFO)

On 7/24/73, Bureau Supervisor [REDACTED] tele-
phonically advised that he had telephonically contacted the
Miami office to have them interview [REDACTED] as a
suspect in captioned matter. Subject of WFO 87-34363.

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450PM URGENT 7-24-73 JLB

TO DIRECTOR

CHARLOTTE 87-14956

WASHINGTON FIELD 139-166

FROM MIAMI 87-34363 (3P)

[REDACTED] ITSP - FBW, OO: MIAMI.

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RE MIAMI TEL TO BUREAU, 7-23-73; BUTEL TO CHARLOTTE,
7-23-73; MIAMI TEL CALL TO BUREAU, 7-24-73.

UACB, CHARLOTTE DISCONTINUE EFFORTS TO CONTACT SENATOR
SAM J. ERVIN'S OFFICE AT MORGANTOWN, N. C., TO IDENTIFY
UNKNOWN CALLER IN VIEW OF THE FACT THAT CALLER IDENTIFIED BY
MIAMI DIVISION AS CAPTIONED SUBJECT.

[REDACTED] HAS BEEN KNOWN TO MIAMI DIVISION SINCE
DECEMBER, 1956, AT WHICH TIME HE WAS SUSPECT IN MIAMI FILE
91-856 CAPTIONED "UNSUB; FIDELITY BALTIMORE NATIONAL BANK AND
TRUST CO., FREEDOM BRANCH, 4500 EDDMAN AVE., BALTIMORE, MD.,
1-9-56, BR," BALTIMORE FILE 91-594. [REDACTED] INTERVIEWED BY
BUREAU AGENTS IN MIAMI, DECEMBER, 1956, AT WHICH TIME HE
ADVISED HE MAKES HIS LIVING BETTING ON HORSES AND OTHER
GAMBLING. AT THAT TIME, HE WAS RESIDING IN A LOW CLASS
MIAMI BEACH HOTEL AND HAD BEEN PLACED UNDER ARREST BY MIAMI
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BEACH PD AS A FUGITIVE FROM ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY, MD.

RECORDS OF THE FBI IDENTIFICATION DIVISION UNDER FBI
NUMBER [REDACTED] REFLECT EXTENSIVE ARREST RECORD FOR [REDACTED]
INCLUDING A WANTED NOTICE RECEIVED 4-12-49 IN BUFILE 87-10744
(CAPTION UNKNOWN).

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FOR THE INFORMATION OF THE BUREAU, [REDACTED] INTERVIEWED
7-23-73 AND ADMITTED HE MADE TELEPHONE CALLS TO VARIOUS
GOVERNMENT AGENCIES, INCLUDING THE WHITE HOUSE, DEPARTMENT
OF JUSTICE, U. S. CAPITOL, AND TO CITIZENS FOR RE-ELECTION OF
PRESIDENT NIXON. RECORDS [REDACTED]

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ON 7-24-73 [REDACTED] ADVISED THEIR RECORDS REFLECT

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RECORDS OF [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] FOR THE MONTH

OF JULY, 1973.

AUSA, MIAMI, CONTACTED THIS DATE RE PROSECUTIVE OPINION

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IT SHOULD BE NOTED [REDACTED] HAS BEEN INTERVIEWED BY AT LEAST THREE AGENTS OF THE MIAMI DIVISION. ALL CONSIDER HIM MENTALLY DISORIENTED.

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MIAMI DIVISION IS CONTINUING EFFORTS TO LOCATE AND INTERVIEW [REDACTED] PARTICULARLY CONCERNING 7-19-73 CALL TO SENATOR SAM ERVIN, CHAIRMAN, SENATE SELECT COMMITTEE ON PRESIDENTIAL CAMPAIGN ACTIVITIES. CONTACT IS BEING MAINTAINED WITH SBT&T FOR ANY OTHER RECORDS OF LONG DISTANCE CALLS CHARGED TO FRAUDULENT TELEPHONE CREDIT CARD PREVIOUSLY USED BY [REDACTED] END

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943PM NITEL 7-24-73 RFL

TO DIRECTOR

CHARLOTTE 87-14956

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FROM MIAMI 87-34363

[REDACTED] ITSP - FBW. OO--MIAMI.

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RE MIAMI TEL TO BUREAU 7-24-73.

[REDACTED] INTERVIEWED INSTANT DATE BY BUREAU
AGENTS AND ADVISED AS FOLLOWS:

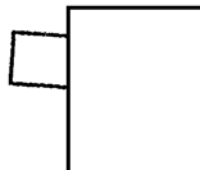
CALLS MADE BY HIM TO VARIOUS GOVERNMENT AGENCIES
INCLUDING THE WHITE HOUSE, DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE, OFFICE
OF THE VICE PRESIDENT, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE,
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE, AND FBI HAVE BEEN FOR THE
PURPOSE OF PERSONAL CONVERSATION WITH THE HEADS OF
VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS, PRESIDENT NIXON, AND VICE PRESIDENT
AGNEW. HE REFUSED TO FURNISH ANY INFORMATION CONCERNING
THE REASON HE DESIRED TO SPEAK WITH THEM EXCEPT THAT EACH
OF THE HEADS OF THE DEPARTMENTS, AND SPECIFICALLY
VICE PRESIDENT AGNEW, WERE VERY WELL AWARE OF HIS PROBLEM
AND KNEW "WHO HE WAS." HE STATED HE IS VERY MUCH
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CONNECTED WITH FOREIGN POLICY, HAS WRITTEN A "BAKER'S DOZEN MANIFESTO," WHICH IS A 13-PAGE DOCUMENT OUTLINING WHAT THIS NATION'S FOREIGN POLICY SHOULD BE.

[REDACTED] ADVISED SOME TIME IN LATE JUNE, 1973, THE PHONE COMPANY ADVISED HIM THEIR EQUIPMENT WOULD NO LONGER ACCEPT HIS CREDIT CARD NUMBER FOR LONG DISTANCE CALLS. HE EXPLAINED HE HAS MADE NO LONG DISTANCE CALLS TO ANY GOVERNMENT AGENCY OR PERSONS CONNECTED THEREWITH SINCE THE PHONE COMPANY HAS "PULLED HIM UP", MEANING, REFUSED TO ALLOW LONG DISTANCE CALLS WITH THE USE OF THE FRAUDULENT CREDIT CARD NUMBER WHICH HE HAD PREVIOUSLY USED TO CONTACT VARIOUS GOVERNMENT AGENCIES. IT WAS POINTED OUT TO [REDACTED] THAT TELEPHONE COMPANY RECORDS INDICATE THAT APPROXIMATELY 53 PER CENT OF THE LONG DISTANCE CALLS MADE BY HIM USING A FRAUDULENT CREDIT CARD NUMBER WAS MADE TO INDIVIDUALS, WITH THE REMAINDER GOING TO VARIOUS GOVERNMENT AGENCIES. HE STATED THE CALLS GOING TO VARIOUS INDIVIDUALS WERE CALLS TO PERSONS KNOWN TO HIM TO BE HORSE RACE FANS, TRAINERS, OR OWNERS. HE INDICATED HE HAS A MUTUAL INTEREST WITH THE PEOPLE CONCERNING HORSES, AND MAINTAINS A CLOSE

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CONTACT WITH THEM. HE REFERRED TO THESE INDIVIDUALS AS "SPORTS-MINDED."

[] STATED HE HAS NOT BEEN OUT OF THE CITY OF MIAMI IN THE PAST YEAR.

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[] ADMITTED HE MADE A TELEPHONE CALL TO SENATOR SAM ERVIN'S OFFICE, MORGANTOWN, N.C., AND SPOKE TO A SECRETARY IN SENATOR ERVIN'S OFFICE. HE DID NOT SPEAK WITH SENATOR ERVIN. HE STATED HE HAS SPOKEN TO VARIOUS PRESIDENTIAL ADIS IN THE WHITE HOUSE AND HAS SPOKEN TO FORMER ATTORNEY GENERAL KLEINDIENST.

INVESTIGATION AT THE HOTEL WHERE [] RESIDES INDICATES HE HAS NOT BEEN MISSED AT THIS HOTEL DURING THE PAST WEEK, INCLUDING JULY 19, 1973.

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IN VIEW OF AUSA PROSECUTIVE OPINION, MIAMI WILL DISCUSS WITH AUSA [] MENTAL STABILITY AND KEEP THE BUREAU ADVISED.

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Date: 7/24/73

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI 3:05 P M A H
SAC, ALEXANDRIA (47-242) 3:15 P C H H

FROM: SAC, WFO (47-10422) (P)

UNSUB; INDIVIDUAL IMPERSONATING SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY
GEORGE P. SHULTZ TO UNITED STATES SENATORS SAM J. ERVIN AND
HOWARD H. BAKER, JR., 7/19/73. IMPERSONATION. (OO:WFO).

RE ALEXANDRIA TELETYPE TO BUREAU AND WFO, 7/23/73.

WFO INTERVIEWED JAMES EDWIN GREEN, MANAGER, ALLIED VAN
 LINES, SECURITY STORAGE, 1701 FLORIDA AVENUE, N.W., WASHINGTON,
 D. C. (WDC), RESIDENCE ADDRESS - POTOMAC TOWERS, 2001 NORTH
 ADAMS STREET, N.W., ON TODAY'S DATE. GREEN STATED HE WAS AT
 WORK AT 1701 FLORIDA AVENUE, N.W., UNTIL SHORTLY BEFORE 5:00
 ON 7/19/73. ^{AFAC} HE VERIFIED THROUGH HIS SECRETARY,
 HE STATED THAT HE DOES NOT RECALL WHETHER OR NOT
 HE WAS AT THE STIRRUP BAR, MARRIOTT MOTEL, ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA,
 ON THAT DATE AS HE FREQUENTS THE BAR TWO OR THREE TIMES A WEEK.

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(2) *[initials]*47-10422-30
cc ccApproved: *[Signature]*

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HE STATED THAT THE BAR IS A VERY SHORT DISTANCE FROM HIS RESIDENCE. HE CONVERSES WITH FEW PEOPLE IN THE BAR WITH THE EXCEPTION OF GIRLS WHO ARE IN THE BAR. AT THE OUTSET OF THE INTERVIEW GREEN WAS ADVISED THAT PERSONS WHO FREQUENT THE MARRIOTT MOTEL WERE BEING INTERVIEWED REGARDING CAPTIONED. HE STATED HE KNEW NO ONE WHO WOULD PLACE SUCH A CALL.

WFO OF OPINION THAT GREEN TOO YOUNG TO BE PERSON MAKING CALL AS SENATOR ERVIN AND STAFF ADVISED CALLER HAD VERY MATURE VOICE.

ATTEMPTS ON INSTANT DATE MET WITH) NEGATIVE RESULTS IN EFFORT TO LOCATE AND INTERVIEW [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] THERE WAS NO ANSWER AT THIS LOCATION.

WFO MAKING NO ATTEMPTS TO INTERVIEW [REDACTED] RE CAPTIONED, UACB.

ALEXANDRIA WILL INTERVIEW [REDACTED] WAITER AT THE STIRRUP CUP, MARRIOTT MOTEL, ON 7/25/73. RE TELETYPE SET FORTH

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INFORMATION THAT [REDACTED] WILL BE ON LEAVE UNTIL 7/25/73.

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TO: DIRECTOR

NEW YORK

WASHINGTON FIELD (47-10422)

FROM: NEW HAVEN (47-1670) 3 PAGES

UNSUB; INDIVIDUAL IMPERSONATING SECRETARY OF TREASURY
GEORGE P. SHULTZ TO U.S. SENATORS SAM J. ERVIN AND
HOWARD J. BAKER, JR., 07-19-73, IMPERSONATION.

RE NEW YORK TELETYPE TO THE DIRECTOR DATED 07-23-73,
AND PHONE CALLS BETWEEN [REDACTED] OF THE NEW HAVEN
OFFICE, AND SA [REDACTED] OF THE NEW YORK OFFICE,
INSTANT DATE.

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THE FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION WAS CONDUCTED OF 07-24-73:

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] ADVISED THAT [REDACTED] ALAN ABLE,
IS IN NEW YORK CITY AND PROBABLY COULD BE REACHED AT SPENCER
PRODUCTIONS.

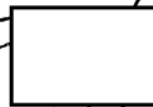
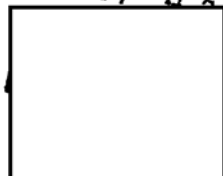
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ABEL IN RECENT MORTGAGE APPLICATION LISTED EMPLOYMENT AT SPENCER PRODUCTION, 507 5TH AVENUE, NEW YORK CITY, AS A WRITER AND PRODUCER. SPENCER PRODUCTIONS ENGAGED IN FILM PRODUCTIONS. LISTED PHONE NUMBER FOR SPENCER PRODUCTIONS IS NEW YORK CITY 697-5895.

RECORDS OF CREDIT BUREAU OF BRIDGEPORT, BRIDGEPORT, CONNECTICUT, WHICH COVERED WESTPORT, LISTED AN ALAN ABEL ☐
☐ AS SELF-EMPLOYED AS
WRITER. ABEL FORMERLY OF ☐
ABEL IN CREDIT FILES SINCE MAY, 1973, WHEN INQUIRY MADE BY DINERS CLUB. NO RECORD IDENTIFIABLE WITH ABEL AT WESTPORT, CONNECTICUT POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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ABEL'S ☐
NEW HAVEN INDICES NEGATIVE RE ABEL, ☐ AND
SPENCER PRODUCTIONS.

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NEW YORK, WILL INTERVIEW ALAN ABEL CONCERNING CAPTIONED
MATTER. WILL OBTAIN IDENTITY AND WHEREABOUTS OF HIS

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PARTNER NER IN THE HOAXES APPEARING IN THE WASHINGTON STAR SO
THAT SHE CAN BE INTERVIEWED RE CAPTIONED MATTER. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] AT DINERS CLUB, NEW YORK
CITY, DETERMINE IF ABEL USED DINERS CARD ON 07-19-73, AND
IS SO, SET OUT APPROPRIATE LEADS.

[REDACTED]
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350 AM NITEL 7/25/73 BAW
TO WFO (47-16422)
FROM CLEVELAND (47-4098) (RUC) 2P

UNSUB; INDIVIDUAL IMPERSONATING SECRETARY OF THE
TREASURY GEORGE B. SHULTZ, TWO U.S. SENATORS SAM J. ERWIN
AND HOWARD H. BAKER, JR., 7/19/73, IMPERSONATION, OO WFO.

RE WFO TEL TO CLEVELAND, 7/23/73.

JOHN AUSTIN, FATHER OF EUGENE VICTOR AUSTIN, INTERVIEWED
7/24/73 AT 4522 TIOGA, NW, CANTON, OHIO, AND ADVISED AUSTIN
RESIDED WITH HIM AFTER RELEASE FROM LEWISBURG PENITENTIARY
UNTIL 7/16/73. ON LATER DATE, AUSTIN BECAME EMPLOYED AT
THE JEWELL DEVELOPMENT, SUBSIDIARY OF INLAND STEEL COMPANY,
COLUMBUS, OHIO.

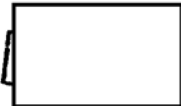
AUSTIN RESIDES IN COMPANY-OWNER APARTMENT IN COLUMBUS
MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY, WHICH HAS NO SEPARATE PHONE SERVICE
EXCLUSIVE OF COMPANY LINE WHICH GOES THROUGH COMPANY
SWITCHBOARD.

JOHN AUSTIN STATED EUGENE AUSTIN CONTACTED HIM EACH
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EVENING BY PHONE 7/16 THROUGH 7/20/73 FROM COLUMBUS AND
SPENT WEEKEND OF 7/21-22/73 AT HIS CANTON, OHIO HOME.

EUGENE AUSTIN NOW

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POSSIBLE LEADS AT COLUMBUS BEING LEFT TO DISCRETION
OF OFFICE OF ORIGIN.

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945PM NITEL 07-26-73 PJR

TO DIRECTOR

WASHINGTON FIELD 47-10422

NEW HAVEN 47-1670

FROM NEW YORK 47-11377 4P

UNSUB; INDIVIDUAL IMPERSONATING SECRETARY OF TREASURY
GEORGE P. SCHULTZ TO U.S. SENATORS SAM J. ERVIN AND HOWARD J.
BAKER, JR., 7/19/73; IMPERSONATION.

RE NEW HAVEN TEL TO BUREAU 7/24/73 AND NY TEL TO RELIEF
SUPERVISOR [] 7/26/73.

ON 7/25/73, ALAN IRWIN ABEL (WHITE MALE, DOB 8/2/24) AKA
HARRISON T. ROGERS, HARRY T. ROGERS, BRUCE SPENCER, PROFESSOR
PARADIDDLE, INTERVIEWED AT HIS RESIDENCE, []

[] ABEL DENIED ANY

INVOLVEMENT IN CAPTIONED MATTER, STATING THAT ALTHOUGH HE HAS
INVOLVED HIMSELF IN NUMEROUS HOAXES AND SPOOFS, THEY HAVE ALL
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BEEN DONE WITH HUMOR IN MIND AND DID NOT ENDANGER HIM WITH EITHER ARREST OR LIBEL SUITS.

ABEL READILY ADMITTED TO SETTING UP PRESS CONFERENCE AT SHOREHAM - AMERICANA HOTEL IN WASHINGTON, D.C., ON 7/19/73 IN WHICH

[REDACTED] AN ALLEGED PROSTITUTE, WAS GOING TO "TELL ALL" IN REGARDS TO WATERGATE. THE WHOLE INTERVIEW WAS A SPOOF DESIGNED TO GIVE NEWSMEN COVERING WATERGATE SOMETHING TO WRITE ABOUT ON MONDAY, AN OFF DAY FOR THE HEARINGS, AND ALSO TO ENHANCE ABEL'S POSITION AS THE COUNTRY'S "GREATEST LIVING HOAXER," A POSITION HE CAPITALIZES ON IN ARTICLES, BOOKS AND TV TALK SHOWS.

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ABEL ADVISED HE WAS IN NEW YORK ON 7/19/73 BECAUSE HE TAPED A SHOW FOR THE BBC IN NEW YORK THE FOLLOWING MORNING. OTHER THAN THE PRESS CONFERENCE TRIP TO WASHINGTON DC ON 7/8-9/73, ABEL STATED THAT HE HAS BEEN OUT OF NEW YORK CITY ONLY TO VISIT [REDACTED]

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ABEL STATED THAT [REDACTED] IS AN ACTRESS WITH WHOM HE
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HAS WORKED IN THE PAST. SHE LIVES AT [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]
ON 7/26/73, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WAS INTERVIEWED AT
HER RESIDENCE, [REDACTED]

DENIED ANY INVOLVEMENT IN THE CAPTIONED MATTER. SHE ADVISED
THAT SHE HAD THREE APPOINTMENTS IN NEW YORK CITY ON 7/19/73,
THE FIRST BEING AN AUDITION FOR THE UPCOMING MOVIE "THE
SENSUOUS WOMAN" AT 1:00 PM.

[REDACTED] OFFERED THE SAME BASIC INFORMATION AS ABEL ON
THE [REDACTED] PRESS CONFERENCE.

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CONTACT WITH DINER'S CLUB SHOWS ALAN ABEL WITH A BALANCE
OF \$32. SEVENTEEN DOLLARS OF THE \$32 IS HIS YEARLY FEE, THE
REMAINDER IS BEING TRACED.

CHECKS ON THE USE OF ABEL'S BANKAMERICARD AND AMERICAN
EXPRESS CHARGE CARDS BEING CONDUCTED [REDACTED]

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HOME PHONE. BBC IN NEW YORK OBTAINING TAPE OF ABEL'S INTERVIEW
OF 7/20/73 FROM LONDON. CAPTIONED MATTER DISCUSSED ON TAPE
AND ABEL SUPPLIED SAME STORY AS ABOVE.

FD-302'S TO FOLLOW.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date of transcription 7/26/73

JAMES EDWIN GREEN, Manager, Allied Van Lines, Security Storage, 1701 Florida Avenue, N. W., residence, Potomac Towers, 2001 North Adams Street, Arlington, Virginia, apartment 927, was advised of the identities of the interviewing Agents orally by Special Agent [redacted] and by display of official credentials. He was advised that the interview concerned a telephone call to Senator SAM ERVIN, possibly made by someone at the Marriott Motel, Arlington, Virginia, on July 19, 1973. He furnished the following information:

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He does frequent the Stiprup Bar at the Marriott, however, he does not recall whether he was at the bar on the nineteenth. He generally frequents the bar two or three times a week since the Marriott is very near his residence. He converses with few people in the bar with the exception of girls who are there.

A check with his secretary revealed that he was at work on the nineteenth and did not leave until shortly before 5:00 p.m.

He has no knowledge who might have made a call to Senator ERVIN.

Interviewed on 7/24/73 at Washington, D. C. File # WFO 47-10422-35
by SAS [redacted] AND [redacted] DPH:pkh Date dictated 7/25/73

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date of transcription 7/23/73

United States Senator SAM J. ERVIN, Chairman, Senate Select Committee on Presidential Campaign Activities, was interviewed at the Office of the Vice-President, United States Capitol, Washington, D.C. and provided the following information:

The exchange of letters and negotiation between the Committee and White House during the past weeks regarding handing over Presidential papers and documents as well as tapes definitely set the stage for the hoax telephone call he received earlier this afternoon. Letters from the Committee to the White House stressed repeatedly that time was of the essence regarding a reply to its request and therefore the circumstances surrounding the receipt of this call seemed quite plausible.

In short, he was definitely expecting reply when his [redacted] called him to the phone booth in the Committee Hearing Room just before lunch recess to take a call from Secretary of the Treasury, SHULTZ. He told [redacted] to get everyone away from the phone booth and took the call.

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The person on the line said he had a communication from the President. The President, according to the caller, had decided to make available the tapes of recorded conversations of witnesses who had testified before the Committee and tapes of conversations of other individuals whose conversations were related to matters before the Committee. The President would see him (Senator ERVIN), early next week to arrange procedures for handing over the tapes.

He (Senator ERVIN) told the caller that this decision was in the best interests of the country and the President and asked the caller if he could make a public statement. In reply the caller said a public statement would be very helpful to the President and the White House would be making a public statement shortly. He then told the caller that he (the caller) could do a service by advising the President to hand over the papers and documents previously requested by the Committee and the call was terminated.

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by SAs [redacted] and [redacted] REL:clm Date dictated 7/20/73

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After hanging up the phone, he noticed that Senator BAKER had recessed the Committee for lunch so he left for a vote on the Senate floor without telling any Committee Members or Staff Assistants what had been discussed. On the Senate floor, he met Senator BAKER and related the facts of the call to him and they both agreed to make a public statement after the lunch recess.

He made this announcement when the Committee Hearings resumed and praised the decision of the President. Senator BAKER followed his lead with a similar statement. Based on the circumstances surrounding the receipt of this call and the timing of the call itself, they both felt that it was a bonafide call from Secretary SHULTZ.

However, some time later, after testimony had resumed, their statement reached [redacted] to the President, and he called the Committee Staff. [redacted] advised that no such reply as publicly announced by Senators ERVIN and BAKER had been authorized after consulting with Secretary SHULTZ. Therefore he (Senator ERVIN) placed a call to Secretary SHULTZ who confirmed that he had not called Senator ERVIN earlier that day and had not told him of any decision by the President to hand over the tapes. Following this call he interrupted the hearings to publicly retract his previous statement.

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He described the caller from his voice as a white male, age 40-50, with no noticeable accent, who appeared to be sober. The caller appeared also to be very knowledgeable about the correspondence between the Committee and the President since he was very emphatic that the President would release tapes of witnesses before the Committee and related to Committee matters only. Moreover, passing himself off as Secretary SHULTZ was very clever since he (Senator ERVIN) had just dealt with Secretary SHULTZ over subpoenaing United States Secret Service Agents before the Committee. Secondly, the cover letter relaying the President's decision to invoke executive privilege in refusing to allow United States Secret Service Agents to testify was from Secretary SHULTZ. Finally, the caller's voice sounded very similar to that of the real Secretary SHULTZ.

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[redacted] Staff Assistant, Office of Senator ERVIN, New Senate Office Building, Washington, D.C., was interviewed at the Senator's Office and provided the following statement related to the receipt of two telephone calls this date:

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"At approximately 11:55 a.m. I [redacted] received a phone call in Senator Ervin's Office [redacted] The party, a male, said in a blunt manner, "This is Mr. SCHULTZ, I want to talk to Senator ERVIN." Since the party identified himself no further, I explained that the Senator was not in the office and that if the hearings had adjourned, he would probably be going to lunch. The party then asked, "Would he be having lunch in the dining room in the Capitol" and if so, "could he reach him there." I stated that I was not sure even whether or not the hearings had recessed for lunch and put the party on hold. (I informed the party that it would take a few minutes to find where the Senator was and could we call his office. To this he said, "He would hold." I then told [redacted]

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[redacted] that I wasn't sure exactly who this caller was but that he simply had identified himself as Mr. SCHULTZ. I then turned on the T.V. in the Senator's Office and found that the hearings had not adjourned. (time approx: 12:05) When I returned to the phone the party had hung up or we were cut off. I then told the ladies in the office that if they received a call from a Mister SCHULTZ, to transfer it to me because he had been rather blunt.

Approximately 12:10 I again answered the phone [redacted] and a lady's voice stated that she was calling for Secretary SCHULTZ for Senator ERVIN. The same man's voice, somewhat more official and polite, came on the phone (it seemed to me that it was transferred, not simply one receiver handed to someone else). I said, "Mr. Secretary, the Senator is still chairing the hearings." The man said something to the effect that "it was very important that he speak with the Senator before leaving for New York City. I asked if I could take a return number but he said, "No, I will hold. This is at approximately 12:15. I then tried to call the Committee Room [redacted] but the line was busy.

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I then told [] that I would go to the Committee Hearing Room (318) and call her so she could transfer the call to the Senator. She talked to the party to ask if she could return the call to the Secretary's Office - she was informed "No, I intend to hold." Meanwhile, I ran (literally) to the Hearing Room and arrived sometime between 12:15 and 12:20. I saw that the phone booth was empty and called [] in the office to transfer the call. I then walked over to [] and told him Secretary SCHULTZ was calling Senator ERVIN. Senator ERVIN took the call in the phone booth in the Caucus Room []. I returned to the office."

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In addition he described the caller as a white male, age 40-50, no accent, with a deep, strong voice. He noticed no identifiable background noise during either call and felt the calls were definitely not made from a pay phone.

When the second call was transferred from the woman on the line to the caller, there was a slight click and the correct time span as though the call actually was switched rather than just handed from one person to another. The girl's voice sounded [] and she had a slight Southern accent.

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He noted that he was somewhat suspicious about the first call, but the second call was very convincing. The only clue that should have tipped him off was that the caller insisted on holding rather than giving a number to return the call on.

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Sir:

Re your interest per articles enclosed.
Check with the stock watch branches of the NYSE and American Stock Exchange for information on floor trading prior to the announcement.

- 1) note opening volume figure for 7/19/73
- 2) note DJIA prior to and during lunch break and after announcement of hoax.
- 3) Check block trading activity
- 4) note volume at 2 to 3.

Short term traders can pick up cheap stock on the down side at the opening and by perpetrating a hoax can liquidate there positions on the strong up side movement.

The stock watch branches can supply you with specialist sheets showing unusual movement. Friday is usually an interesting trading day with floor traders likely to unload positions so as not to have large cash amounts tied up in inventories over the week-end.

Another possibility is brokerage loans from banks. An unusual large loan for positioning would indicate knowledge of a movement in a stock or stocks.

Need outside stock market consulting assistance?

I speak the language of Wall Street, Do you?

Sincerely

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TO: CHIEF CLERK

Date 2 August 1973

Subject [redacted] Social Security Account # [redacted]

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Address [redacted] Birth Date [redacted] Birthplace [redacted] Race [redacted] Sex ☐ Male ☐ Female

☐ Exact Spelling ☐ Main Criminal Case Files Only ☐ Restrict to Locality of [redacted]
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[redacted] [redacted]

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[redacted] [redacted] ? none derogatory

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Re [redacted] Squad C-2 Extension 3412 File No. [redacted]

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, WFO (47-10422)

DATE: 7/26/73

FROM : Director, FBI

SUBJECT: UNSUB;
Individual Impersonating Secretary of
The Treasury George P. Shultz to
U. S. Senators Sam J. Ervin, Jr., and
Howard H. Baker, Jr., on July 19, 1973
IMPERSONATION

Enclosed for your information is a letter directed to FBI Headquarters from [redacted] Washington, D. C., relative to captioned matter. This letter is not being acknowledged at FBIHQ and the enclosures referred to by [redacted] in his letter are newspaper clippings relating to the hoax played on Senator Ervin, and the effect this hoax had on the stock market. [redacted] cannot be identified in FBIHQ files.

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11:33PM NITEL 7-28-73 DSS

TO WASHINGTON FIELD (47-10422)

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FROM DIRECTOR 1P

UNSUB.; INDIVIDUAL IMPERSONATING SECRETARY OF THE
TREASURY GEORGE P. SHULTZ TO U.S. SENATORS SAM J. ERVIN, JR.
AND HOWARD H. BAKER, JR. ON 7-19-73; IMPERSONATION.

REWFOTEL 7-27-73 AND BOSTON TELETYPE 7-28-73.

SIX LATENT FINGERPRINTS AND ONE LATENT IMPRESSION PRE-
VIOUSLY DEVELOPED CAPTIONED CASE NOT IDENTICAL FINGERPRINTS
WILLIAM J. CAMERLENGO, FBI NR 708490D. TWO LATENT FINGERPRINTS
PREVIOUSLY DEVELOPED CAPTIONED CASE COMPARED AVAILABLE
FINGERPRINTS CAMERLENGO, BUT NO IDENTIFICATION EFFECTED.
INKED IMPRESSIONS TIPS AND SIDES OF FINGERS AND INKED PALM
PRINTS CAMERLENGO NEEDED FOR CONCLUSIVE COMPARISONS.

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FAIRLY FREQUENTLY. SHE ADVISED SHE WILL NOTIFY THE
FBI WHEN SHE NEXT HEARS FROM HIM.

PERSONNEL AT CHELSEA NAVAL HOSPITAL, CHELSEA
MASS., VA HOSPITALS IN JAMAICA PLAIN AND WEST ROXBURY,
MASS. ADVISED CAMERLENGO NOT PRESENTLY THERE.
CAMERLENGO WAS PLACED IN CHELSEA NAVAL HOSPITAL
FOR BRONCHITIS FROM 7-5-73 AND DISCHARGED 7-11-73.

BOSTON EFFORTS TO LOCATE AND INTERVIEW CAMERLENGO
CONTINUING.

BOSTON REQUESTS ANY FURTHER INFORMATION AS TO
TIME OF SECRET SERVICE INTERVIEW, FURTHER DETAILS
OF THE INTERVIEW, RESULTS OF FINGERPRINT IDENTIFICATION,
BE FORWARDED TO BOSTON IMMEDIATELY FOR USE IN
INTERVIEW.

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URGENT 7-28-73 DCB

TO: DIRECTOR (ATTN: IDENTIFICATION DIVISION, LATENT
FINGERPRINT SECTION)

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FROM: BOSTON (47-NEW)

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RE WFO TELETYPE, 7-27-73.

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[REDACTED] CONTACTED IN EFFORTS TO LOCATE WILLIAM G.
CAMERLENGO. SHE DID NOT KNOW HIS PRESENT WHEREABOUTS
AND STATED HE DRAWS A VETERAN'S DISABILITY, STAYS AT
MOTELS, HOTELS AND BOARDING HOUSES FOR SHORT PERIODS
OF TIME, BUT CHECKS INTO VA HOSPITALS IN JAMAICA PLAIN,
OR CHELSEA NAVAL HOSPITAL WHEN ILL. HE CONTACTS HER
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Date 7/27/73

[redacted] Program Department, British Broadcasting Company, (BBC), 630 Fifth Avenue, New York, New York (telephone LT 1-7100), supplied the following information:

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[redacted] advised that she recalled the appearance of ALAN ABEL at the BBC studio on July 20, 1973, and confirmed the date on her calendar. She stated that ABEL gave a 6-8 minute interview to [redacted] for his show on the BBC in Great Britain. [redacted] stated that she recalled telephoning Mr. ABEL in New York prior to the interview to confirm his appearance. She stated that this call was more than likely placed the day before the scheduled appearance, but she could not be positive of the date.

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[redacted] stated that a tape of the program was available, and she would obtain it from London. She noted that the first question [redacted] asked ALAN ABEL was whether ABEL had telephoned Senators ERVIN and BAKER the day before, to which ABEL replied in the negative, noting he would not do such a thing.

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by SA [redacted] rcc Date dictated 7/26/73

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[redacted] was advised of the identities of the interviewing agents and informed that the interview would center on her association with ALAN ABEL and, in particular, her press conference held in the Shoreham-Americana Hotel in Washington, D.C., on July 9, 1973, under the name of [redacted]

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[redacted] advised that she met ALAN ABEL approximately two years ago when she auditioned for his picture, "Is There Sex After Death?" She stated that [redacted] and then assisted ABEL in various publicity stunts to advertise the film. She advised that [redacted]

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[redacted] She noted that she had a knack for ad libbing, which fit in well with ABEL's hoaxes and spoofs.

[redacted] stated that a few days prior to July 9, 1973, she received a telephone call from ABEL during which he asked her if she would be willing to play a part in one of his hoaxes. She stated that she expressed interest and later met ABEL at his office on Fifth Avenue to discuss the details. She explained that at first she was reluctant to become involved when ABEL told her that he wanted her to play the part of a masked prostitute, who was going to "tell all" about the individuals concerned with the Watergate affair at a press conference. She stated that ABEL told her that nothing illegal would be done and that everything would be handled properly, after which she agreed to participate in the hoax.

[redacted] further advised that she and ABEL left for Washington, D.C. at approximately 6 or 7 p.m. on July 8, 1973, on the Eastern Airlines shuttle. She noted that they discussed the topic matter for the press conference on the plane.

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by SAS [redacted] and [redacted] MLM:mmm

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She advised that the press conference was larger than she had speculated and the questions put to her, penetrating and knowledgeable, which caused her quite a bit of difficulty during the course of the questioning.

[redacted] was asked for her whereabouts on July 19, 1973, at which time she consulted her appointment calendar and advised that at 1:00 p.m., July 19, 1973, she had an audition with [redacted] for a part in the upcoming movie, [redacted]. She stated that at 2:30 p.m. she took one of her [redacted] and at 3:30 p.m., she had an [redacted] for a part in the upcoming film, [redacted].

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[redacted] advised that she earns her living as an actress having appeared [redacted] and in various other lesser known films, in addition to [redacted]. She stated that she will appear in the [redacted] starring [redacted]. She has also appeared on several television commercials and in magazines.

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Asked her whereabouts around noon on July 19, 1973, [redacted] replied that she was no doubt in her apartment, preparing for her 1:00 p.m. audition. [redacted] was furnished the details surrounding the telephone call to Senators SAM ERVIN and HOWARD BAKER on July 19, 1973. She stated that she was in no way involved and had no idea who might have perpetrated the hoax. She explained that the only reason she participated in the press conference was as a favor to ALAN ABEL and she did not receive any money for her participation. She noted that the ERVIN-BAKER hoax call was not the style of either ABEL or herself, inasmuch as it was deceptive, anti-humorous, and did not prove to be a publicity vehicle.

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The following background information was obtained
from [redacted] through observation and interview:

Name
Alias

[redacted]

Race
Sex
Date of Birth
Place of Birth
Height
Weight
Hair
Eyes
Social Security
Account Number
Address

White
Female

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[redacted]

Five feet four inches
114 pounds
Blond (has several wigs)
Hazel-brown

Telephone
Agency

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Telephone
Agents

Education
Arrests
Other

International Famous Agency
Graduate of New York University
Claims none

[redacted]

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ALAN TRIVIN ABEL [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] was interviewed at his residence. Prior to the interview, ABEL was advised of the identities of the interviewing agents and told that the interview would center around his history of perpetrating hoaxes and in particular his involvement with [REDACTED] in a press conference held in Washington, D.C., on July 9, 1973.

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ABEL advised that he earns a portion of his income from perpetrating news and media appealing hoaxes and spoofs, which he writes about later for various magazines. He stated that he has written two books, Confessions of a Hoaxer, McMillan (1970) and The Great American Hoax, Trident Press (1966); appeared on numerous television talk shows such as JOHNNY CARSON, MERV GRIFFIN, and JACK PAAR; and also wrote, produced, and played in the movie, "Is There Sex After Death".

ABEL explained that he has not, nor ever would, do anything in his hoaxes which could be construed as libelous, defamatory, or criminal in nature. He readily admitted to staging the press interview of [REDACTED] in the Shoreham-American Hotel in Washington, D.C., on July 9, 1973. He stated that [REDACTED] an actress with whom he has worked in the past, posed as a debutante-teacher, turned prostitute; who was going to "tell all" in regards to the Watergate investigation. He said that the press conference was timed for a Monday, in order to attract the Watergate Hearings press corps, who were awaiting the reopening of sessions on Tuesday, July 10, 1973.

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ABEL noted that a series of penetrating questions soon broke the story of [REDACTED] and exposed the press conference as a spoof, for which it was intended. He added that he used the name, HARRY T. ROGERS, and acted as [REDACTED] advisor during the interview.

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ABEL was questioned in regards to his possible involvement in the telephone call made to Senators SAM ERVIN and HOWARD BAKER, on July 19, 1973, wherein the caller identified himself

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as Secretary of the Treasury GEORGE SCHULTZ and then told the senators that the President would release certain tapes and information pertinent to the Watergate investigation.

ABEL stated that he was in no way involved in the matter and would not have become involved, because it was an illegal, harmful, and detrimental act that went against his self preserving policy of avoiding incidents which could get him into trouble. He stated that he has been in New York City since returning from his two day press conference trip to Washington, D.C. (July 8-9, 1973), except for occasional trips to his recently purchased home at 128 Newtown Turnpike, Westport, Connecticut.

Asked for his whereabouts on July 19, 1973, ABEL stated that he was 99 percent sure that he was in New York City because he had a taped interview with the British Broadcasting Company (BBC) in New York City scheduled for the following morning, July 20, 1973, and would have stayed in New York as a convenience.

It was brought to ABEL's attention that newspaper articles written about the [redacted] press conference stated that he, as HARRY T. ROGERS, had telephonically contacted a staff assistant to Watergate Committee counsel [redacted] in regards to having [redacted] appear before the committee. He advised that he had made the call and had spoken with a man with a southern accent, who told him that his proposal would be forwarded for consideration. He was asked just how he knew what number to call to reach the Watergate Committee, to which he replied that he merely dialed "Information" in Washington, D.C., presented his proposal of having a potential witness for the Watergate Committee to the operator and she gave him a telephone number, since lost, which he called, reaching the man with the southern accent.

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ABEL stated that [redacted] who played the fictitious

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[redacted] He advised

[redacted] and other movies.

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ABEL was questioned in regard to his office at 507 Fifth Avenue. He stated that he utilizes a very small office on the third floor of 507 Fifth Avenue under the name of Spencer Productions, Incorporated and Abel-Child Productions. This office is serviced by the Marshall Business Service, also 507 Fifth Avenue, which gives the operation a large scale impression to a caller, as well as a prestigious address to a correspondent. He added that the CHILD of Abel-Child Productions was [redacted] and financial backer of "Is There Sex After Death". He noted that [redacted] is currently living in Atlanta, Georgia ([redacted] address unknown) and working at Omni Pictures Corporation, 171 Simpson Street, Atlanta.

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ABEL stated that the name [redacted] appearing on his office door was fictitious. He explained that [redacted] has assumed this identity on occasions and has "run" for President and Mayor of New York City as a crusading Bronx [redacted] whose slogan is "I can get it for you wholesale". Again he noted, the whole idea being a publicity hoax.

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ABEL further explained that Spencer Productions and BRUCE SPENCER are off shoots of his personality. He stated that he has used the identity of BRUCE SPENCER to act as a press agent for himself. ABEL noted that the other inscription on his office door, "SINA", stands for The Society for Indecency to Naked Animals, a fictitious organization and idea he propagated as a hoax, which drew large scale support from concerned citizens across the country.

ABEL concluded by stating that he was in no way involved in the hoax call to Senators SAM ERVIN and HOWARD BAKER on July 19, 1973, noting that it was not his style and was against his principles.

Asked for possible suspects, ABEL stated that contact with [redacted] a retired press agent and hoaxer [redacted] might prove valuable. He stated that [redacted] knows everyone in the publicity-hoaxer field, and although he is sure that [redacted] would never do anything like call Senator ERVIN, he

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[] might be able to offer the names of a suspect or two.

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The following background information on ALAN IRWIN ABEL was obtained through observation and interview:

Name	ALAN IRWIN ABEL
Alias	Harrison T. Rogers, Harry Rogers, Bruce Spencer Professor Paradiddle
Race	White
Sex	Male
Date of Birth	August 2, 1924
Place of Birth	Zanesville, Ohio
Height	Six feet
Weight	195 pounds
Hair	Black-gray, beard Vandyke
Eyes	Brown
Scars and Marks	None

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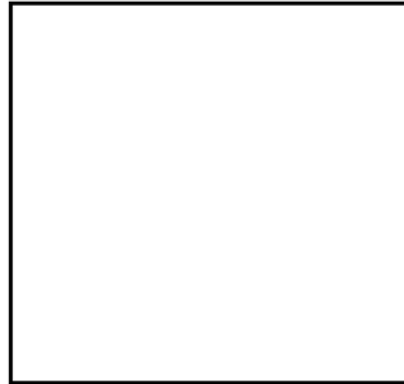
Employment	Writer, producer, and lecturer Spencer Productions (12 years) 507 Fifth Avenue, New York City Abel-Child Productions 507 Fifth Avenue, New York City
Social Security Account Number	032-18-0270
Military	United States Air Force 1943-1946 35216284

Arrests	None
Automobile	LW-2717 Connecticut 1965 Pontiac Star Chief, white

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (47-11377) (P)
SUBJECT: UNSUB; Individual Impersonating
Secretary of the Treasury GEORGE
P. SCHULTZ to United States
Senators SAM J. ERVIN and HOWARD
H. BAKER, JR.
7/19/73
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ReNYnitel to Bu, WFO, and NH, 7/26/73.

Enclosed for WFO are nine copies each of FD 302s
reflecting the interviews of ALAN IRWIN ABEL, 7/25/73;
[redacted] 7/26/73; [redacted] 7/26/73. Enclosed
for New Haven are single copies of the aforementioned
FD 302s.

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Contact with BankAmericard, Diner's Club, and
American Express reveals that it may be some time before
any and all charges against ALAN ABEL's charge cards for
7/19/73, will have reached the respective billing departments.
Appropriate steps have been placed.

Contact with the [redacted]
[redacted] cannot be elicited from the
company's computer until the end of the billing period. This
information will be forwarded as soon as it becomes available
(probably during the early part of August).

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MLM: [redacted]
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It should be noted by WFO that ALAN IRWIN ABEL served with the United States Army Air Force from 1943-1946, under service number 35216284. If latent fingerprints were developed in the Marriott Key Bridge Motel by the Alexandria Division, a comparison with ABEL's fingerprints, as obtained by the military, could be effected.

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NEW YORK

AT NEW YORK, NEW YORK. Will interview [redacted]
[redacted] a retired press agent and noted authority
on hoaxers, for his views on the captioned matter.

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Washington, D. C. 20537



REPORT

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IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO. 47-242
 FBI FILE NO.
 LATENT CASE NO. A-74515
 TO: SAC, Alexandria

July 30, 1973

UNSUB.;
 INDIVIDUAL IMPERSONATING
 SECRETARY OF TREASURY GEORGE P. SHULTZ
 RE: TO U. S. SENATORS SAM J. ERVIN, JR.
 AND HOWARD H. BAKER, JR.
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REFERENCE: WFO teletype 7-20-73, Alexandria airtel 7-23-73 and
 teletype 7-23-73 and specimens delivered 7-23-73
 EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: Alexandria and WFO by representative of Alexandria Division
 SPECIMENS: Seven lifts
 One telephone directory
 One ash tray containing two cigarette butts

This report supplements Bucal to Alexandria
 Division 7-25-73.

Eight latent fingerprints and one latent
 impression, which is a fingerprint or palm print, of
 value appear or were developed on the specimens as
 follows:

Seven fingerprints on one lift
 One impression on one lift
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 also appears on black rubber lift from
 ash tray

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Clarence M. Kelley
 Clarence M. Kelley, Director

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SAC, Alexandria

July 30, 1973

Lift from ash tray lifted in Latent Fingerprint Section.
No other latent prints of value appear or developed on
specimens.

Six latent fingerprints and latent impression
not identical following individuals:

Eugene Victor Austin, FBI #A06147B

Rodney Hart Clurman, born 11-28-34 in

New York City

Zobulon Lafayette Strickland, born 7-16-14, FBI

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Two latent fingerprints compared available fingerprints
above individuals, but no identification effected. Inked
impressions of tips, sides and lower joint areas of fingers
and inked palm prints of aforementioned individuals needed
for conclusive comparisons.

Specimens and lift from ash tray being returned
under separate cover.

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Date: 7/30/73

Transmit the following in _____
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TO: SAC, WFO (47-10422)

FROM: SAC, ALEXANDRIA (47-242) (P)

UNSUB; Individual Impersonating
Secretary of Treasury GEORGE P.
SHULTZ to U. S. Senators SAM J.
ERVIN and HOWARD H. BAKER, JR.,
7/19/73
IMP
(OO:WFO)

Re WFO teletype to the Bureau, 7/24/73.

Attempt to interview [redacted] at Key Bridge
Marriott, Arlington, Virginia, on 7/25/73, negative.On 7/26/73, [redacted] currently residing at
[redacted]

[redacted] advised that he recalls no individual possi-
bly identical to UNSUB at Stirrup Cup on 7/19/73. He nor-
mally works in kitchen but substitutes for cocktail hostesses
when they are off work. He did not enter the lobby or pay-
phone area during pertinent time on 7/19/73, and would have
been unable to see UNSUB when the call was made.

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2 - Alexandria (47-242)
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AIRTEL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (47-11377) (P)
SUBJECT: UNSUB; Individual Impersonating
Secretary of the Treasury GEORGE
P. SCHULTZ to United States Senators
SAM J. ERVIN and HOWARD H. BAKER, JR.
7/19/73
IMPERSONATION
(OO:WFO)

ReNYairtel to Bu, 7/27/73.

On 7/30/73, contact with the [REDACTED]

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On 8/2/73, contact with [REDACTED] British
Broadcasting Company (BBC), NYC, revealed that the taped
interview of ALAN ABEL, which took place on 7/20/73, has
not yet arrived from London. She stated that she will insure
its transmission and notify the NYO upon its arrival.

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Attempts to locate [redacted]
[redacted] a retired press agent and noted in the hoax field,
proved negative until 8/3/73. [redacted] advised that he has been
touring the country promoting his new book and in fact will be
leaving New York on 8/4/73 for further promotions.

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Asked views on the Senator ERVIN hoax call, [redacted]
stated that he has never involved himself in any political hoaxes
and was at a loss as to who might have done such a thing. He
advised that if he did know of a suspect, he would be more than
happy to offer the name.

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REPORTING OFFICE ALEXANDRIA	OFFICE OF ORIGIN WFO	DATE 8/9/73	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 7/19-30/73
TITLE OF CASE UNSUB; Individual Impersonating Secretary of Treasury GEORGE P. SHULTZ to U. S. Senators SAM J. ERVIN and HOWARD H. BAKER, JR., 7/19/73		REPORT MADE BY SA [redacted]	TYPED BY p^{b6} b7C
		CHARACTER OF CASE IMP	

REFERENCES: WFO teletypes to Bureau 7/19, 20, 21, 23/73.
 Alexandria teletype to Bureau, 7/19/73.
 Alexandria airtel to WFO, 7/30/73.
 Alexandria airtel to Bureau, 7/23/73.
 Report of Identification Division, Latent Fingerprint
 Section, 7/30/73.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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Copy to:

Report of: SA [REDACTED]

Date: 8/9/73

Office: Alexandria, Virginia b6
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Field Office File #: 47-242

Bureau File #:

Title: UNKNOWN SUBJECT:
Individual Impersonating Secretary
of Treasury GEORGE P. SHULTZ to
U. S. Senators SAM J. ERVIN and
HOWARD H. BAKER, JR.
7/19/73

Character: IMPERSONATION

Synopsis: Investigation at Key Bridge Marriott Motel, Arlington,
Virginia, negative concerning the identity of an individual
reportedly impersonating Secretary of U. S. Treasury,
who made a telephone call from a pay phone, above motel,
to Senator HOWARD H. BAKER, JR., Washington, D. C.,
afternoon of 7/19/73. Report of Identification Division,
FBI, set out.

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1Date of transcription 7/31/73

The below listed agents, in conjunction with Special Agents of the Washington Field Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigations (FBI), set up a physical surveillance during the hours 5:10 PM and 6:30 PM in the lobby area of the Key Bridge Marriott Motel, Rosslyn, in an effort to determine if any calls were placed to the offices of Senators SAM J. ERVIN, JR. or HOWARD H. BAKER, JR, from a public telephone booth with telephone number 525-9656.

No individual was observed to make a call from this booth that was received in the offices of the afro-mentioned senators.

No individual fitting the description of the individual who allegedly impersonated the Secretary of the U. S. Treasury, GEORGE P. SHULTZ, when calling the above senators was observed in the entire lobby area, the gift shops, restaurant, cocktail lounge and other shops in lobby area.

Contacts by the above agents with appropriate employees of the motel, gift shops, cocktail lounge, restaurant failed to develop any information relating to the identity of the individual impersonating Secretary SHULTZ.

Appropriate personnel assigned to the convention rooms located in the downstairs area of the motel, which opened at 6:00PM, were contacted with negative results concerning the impersonator.

Interviewed on 7/19/73 at Arlington, Virginia File # AX 47-242
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by _____ Date dictated 7/25/73

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Date of transcription 7/31/731

A telephone booth with assigned telephone number 525-9656, located in the lobby of the Key Bridge Marriott Motel, was processed for latent fingerprints.

Seven latent lifts of undetermined value were obtained. The telephone directory and a glass ash tray containing two cigarette butts were also obtained for examination.

Interviewed on 7/19/73 at Arlington, Virginia File # AX 47-242

by SA [redacted] pdh Date dictated 7/25/73

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[redacted] the Wind Jammer Cocktail Lounge on the top floor of the Marriott Motel, Key Bridge, Arlington, Virginia, was advised of the identity of the interviewing Agent and the nature of the inquiry. She advised that she recalled no individuals in this lounge between the period from 4:00 to 6:00 PM on July 19, 1973, who appeared to be intoxicated. [redacted] casually mentioned that approximately 5:00 PM, [redacted] was in the lounge with another female and male companion. She advised that [redacted] had two drinks before departing.

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by SA [redacted] :mew Date dictated 7/26/73

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[redacted] Cocktail Waitress in the Stirrup Cup Lounge located in the lobby of the Marriott Motel, Key Bridge, Arlington, Virginia, was advised of the identity of the interviewing Agent and the nature of the inquiry. She advised that an individual meeting the description of [redacted] was in the lounge from approximately 6:00 PM, to 6:40 PM on July 20, 1973. She advised that she served this individual no drinks, however, he did ask [redacted] out for dinner. She described his speech as slow with a slight slur.

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On July 20, 1973, an individual was observed by SA [redacted] leave the Stirrup Cup Lounge, Key Bridge Marriott Motel and subsequently drive away in a 1971 Ford bearing Virginia license [redacted]

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Department of Motor Vehicles, Richmond, Virginia, advised above license is issued to JAMES EDWIN GREEN, 2001 North Adams Street, Arlington, Virginia.

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[redacted] employed in the kitchen area of the Key Bridge Marriott Motel, Rosslyn, Virginia, and who resides at [redacted] [redacted] was contacted to determine if he had any information relative to the identity of the individual impersonating Secretary of U. S. Treasury GEORGE P. SHULTZ who called U. S. Senators SAM J. ERVIN, JR. and HOWARD H. BAKER, JR. during the afternoon of July 19, 1973.

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[redacted] who substituted for a cocktail hostess in the Stirrup Cup on the above date, advised he could furnish no information relative to the above individual.

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by SA [redacted] pdh Date dictated 8/2/73

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The following investigation was conducted by
SA [redacted] at Arlington, Virginia, on
July 20, 1973:

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[redacted] Marriott Motel,
Key Bridge, provided the following telephone numbers to
pay telephones and the locations located in the Marriott
Motel:

<u>Telephone Number</u>	<u>Location</u>
525-9700 525-9696	Lower lobby near the board room
525-9656 525-9643 525-9622 525-9727	Four telephones located in lobby around the corner from registration desk
525-9729	Located on the third floor to the right of the elevator
525-9762 525-9757	Top floor at entrance to restaurant and cocktail lounge
528-9719 528-9716	Located near employees cafeteria
528-9457	Located near the housekeeping office

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On July 30, 1973, the Latent Fingerprint Section, Identification Division, Federal Bureau of Investigation, furnished the following report relating to an examination of items obtained during the examination of a phone booth assigned telephone number 525-9656, located at the Key Bridge Marriott Motel, Rosslyn, Virginia.



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Washington, D. C. 20537

REPORT

of the

IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO. 47-242
 FBI FILE NO.
 LATENT CASE NO. A-74515
 TO: SAC, Alexandria

July 30, 1973

UNSUB.;
 INDIVIDUAL IMPERSONATING
 SECRETARY OF TREASURY GEORGE P. SHULTZ
 RE: TO U. S. SENATORS SAM J. ERVIN, JR.
 AND HOWARD H. BAKER, JR.
 ON 7-19-73
 IMPERSONATION

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 Clarence M. Kelley, Director

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AIRTEL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (47-11377) (P)

SUBJECT: UNSUB; Individual Impersonating Secretary of the
Treasury George P. Schultz to United States Senators
Sam J. Ervin and Howard H. Baker Jr. 7/19/73
IMPERSONATION
(OO:WFO)

ReNYairtel to Bureau, dated 8/3/73.

On 8/17/73, [redacted] Security,
Diner's Club, 10 Columbus Circle, New York, New York, advised that
Diner's Club records reflect that ALAN ABEL's Diner's Club card
was used and apparently signed by ABEL on July 12, 18 and 19, 1973,
all at the Governor Steak House; 303 Madison Avenue, New York, NY.

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On 8/17/73, [redacted] Program Department, British
Broadcasting Company, 630 Fifth Avenue, New York, New York, advised
that the taped interview of ALAN ABEL by [redacted] of the
BBC on July 20, 1973 arrived at her office in the afternoon mail.
She stated that she would have the tape duplicated and ready for
pick-up on 8/20/73.

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AT NEW YORK, NEW YORK. Will forward the taped
interview of ALAN ABEL to WFO, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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Date of transcription 8/23/73

On August 20, 1973, [redacted] Program Department, British Broadcasting Company (BBC), Suite 2155, 630 Fifth Avenue, New York, New York [redacted] made available the taped conversation held between [redacted] of the BBC and ALAN ABEL, which was taped for broadcast on July 20, 1973. [redacted] received the tape and provided [redacted] with a receipt.

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by SA [redacted] Date dictated 8/22/73

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (47-11377) (P)

SUBJECT: UNSUB; Individual Impersonating
Secretary of the Treasury GEORGE
P. SCHULTZ to United States Senators
SAM J. ERVIN and HOWARD H. BAKER, JR.
7/19/73
IMPERSONATION
(OO:WFO)

ReNYairtel to Bu, 8/17/73.

Enclosed for WFO is a five inch reel containing
the taped interview of ALAN ABEL by [redacted] of the
British Broadcasting Company (BBC), on 7/20/73, in NY, NY.
Also enclosed for WFO are nine copies of a FD 302 reflecting
the receipt of the above tape from [redacted] on 8/20/73.

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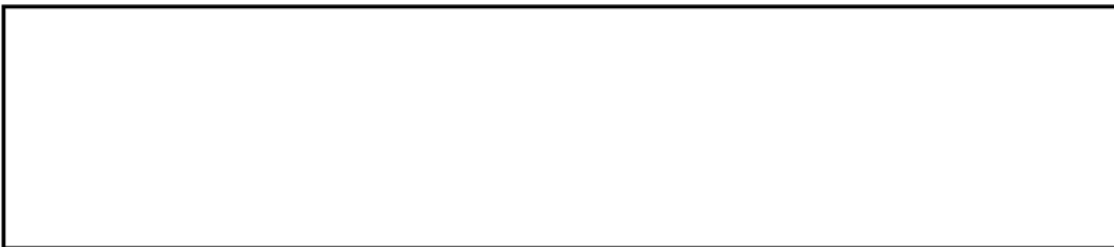
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SAC, NEW HAVEN (47-1670) (RUC)

UNSUB; ⁰INDIVIDUAL IMPERSONATING
SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY GEORGE P.
SCHULTZ TO, UNITED STATES SENATORS
SAM J. ERVIN AND HOWARD H. BAKER, JR.
7/19/73
IMPERSONATION
OO: WFO

Re: New York teletype to Bureau, 7/23/73.
New Haven teletype to Bureau, 7/24/73.
New York airtel to Bureau, 7/27/73.



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The above information cannot be made public except
upon the issuance of a subpoena duces tecum directed to

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[redacted] or his representative.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, WFO (47-1422) (P)

DATE: 9/28/73

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT: UNSUB; Individual
Impersonating Secretary of
the Treasury GEORGE P. SCHULTZ
to U. S. Senators SAM J. ERVIN
and HOWARD H. BAKER, JR.,
7/19/73
IMPERSONATION
(OO:WFO)

Re New York airtel to the Bureau, 8/23/73.

On 9/18/73, writer recontacted [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Staff Assistant, Office of Senator ERVIN, New Senate
Office Building, who advised that his office has received no
further information re captioned, however, stated he would
contact the writer should information be obtained.

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WFO is making a cassette copy of the five inch reel
of tape sent by referenced communication. WFO will make
arrangements to have the appropriate persons listen to tape
of possible suspect, ALAN ABEL. No efforts have been made to
date in view of the recent recess of Congress.

Investigation continuing.

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AIRTEL

TO: SAC, NEW YORK (47-11377)

FROM: SAC, WFO (47-10422) (P)

UNSUB; Individual Impersonating
Secretary of the Treasury
GEORGE P. SHULTZ to U. S. Senators
SAM J. ERVIN, JR., and HOWARD H.
BAKER, JR., on 7/19/73
IMPERSONATION
(OO:WFO)

Re New York airtel to Director, 8/23/73.

Enclosed for New York is the five inch reel enclosed to WFO with re airtel. WFO has made a cassette copy of the tape and is making arrangements to have individuals involved in this matter listen to it for voice comparison of captioned unsub.

New York will return enclosed tape.

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SAC, NEW YORK (147-11377) (RUC)

UNSUB; Individual Impersonating Secretary
of the Treasury GEORGE P. SCHULTZ to United
States Senators SAM J. ERVIN and HOWARD H.
BAKER, JR., 7/19/73
IMPERSONATION
(OO:WFO)

Re New York airtels to the Bureau, dated 8/17/73 and
8/23/73.

On 8/29/73, SA [redacted] obtained telephone toll
records [redacted]

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All of the above information was released to the Bureau for investigative purposes. Any use of the above, outside the Bureau, would require the issuance of a subpoena duces tecum to the individuals concerned.

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Inasmuch as all investigation by New York to establish the possible involvement of ALAN ABEL [REDACTED] in the captioned matter has been negative, this matter is being placed in RUC status.

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- ☐ White House Situation Room
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- ☐ Department of the Air Force (AFOSI)
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- ☐ Naval Investigative Service
- ☐ Commandant, U. S. Coast Guard
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- ☐ Director, Defense Intelligence Agency
- ☐ Director CIA
- ☒ U. S. Secret Service (PID)
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- ☐ Department of Transportation
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- ☐ Drug Enforcement Administration
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ATTN: DIVISION SIX BUREAU SUPERVISOR [REDACTED] AND

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THREAT TO BOMB MADISON HOTEL, WASHINGTON, D.C., AUGUST 13,

1979; EID-BOMB THREAT [REDACTED]

THREAT TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT CARTER, HOWARD BAKER, JOHN

CONNALLY, GEORGE BUSCH, AND RONALD REAGAN; THREAT TO ASSASSINATE

THE PRESIDENT; THREAT TO ASSASSINATE A CONGRESSMAN, WASHINGTON,

D.C., AUGUST 13, 1979; (OO:WASHINGTON FIELD) (WF FILE 89-NEW)

BY TELETYPE 8/13/79 FBI WASHINGTON FIELD FURNISHED THE FOLLOWING:

ON AUGUST 13, 1979, AT 12:08 P.M., [REDACTED]

METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT (MPD), WASHINGTON, D.C. (WDC),

ADVISED THE MPD HAD RECEIVED A BOMB THREAT INDICATING

THE PUERTO RICAN LIBERATION ARMY HAD PLACED A BOMB IN THE

MADISON HOTEL, WDC. [REDACTED] SUBSEQUENTLY ADVISED

A SEARCH OF THE HOTEL BY MPD BOMB SQUAD WAS NEGATIVE

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FOR AN EXPLOSIVE DEVICE.

AT 12:14 P.M., [REDACTED] SWITCHBOARD OPERATOR, FBIHQ, ADVISED THE WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE SHE HAD RECEIVED A TELEPHONE CALL FROM A FOREIGN SOUNDING MALE WHO SAID HE WAS WITH THE PUERTO RICAN LIBERATION ARMY. THE MALE CALLER ADVISED EXPLOSIVE MATERIALS WERE LOCATED IN THE PHONE BOOTHS AT 10TH AND PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, N.W., WDC, AND STATED "I'M SURE THEY WILL GET MY MESSAGE."

AT APPROXIMATELY 2:15 P.M., [REDACTED] NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE, 4301 CONNECTICUT AVENUE, N.W., WDC, TELEPHONICALLY ADVISED WASHINGTON FIELD HE HAD FOUND A NUMBER OF PAGES OF DOCUMENTS IN THE PHONE BOOTH ON THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE INTERSECTION AT 10TH AND PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, N.W., WDC, AT 12:05 P.M.

AT 3:00 P.M., THE BELOW HAND WRITTEN AND XEROXED DOCUMENTS WERE RETRIEVED BY A SPECIAL AGENT OF THE FBI FROM [REDACTED] AND TRANSPORTED TO THE WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE OF THE FBI AFTER SUITABLE PROTECTION AND MARKING FOR IDENTIFICATION. THE VERBATIM TEXT IS AS FOLLOWS:

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OPEN LETTER TO ALL THE
PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES WITH
INTENTIONS ON DOING CAMPAIGNING
IN PUERTO RICO

HOWARD BAKER
JOHN CONNALLY
GEORGE BUSCH
RONALD REAGAN
PRESIDENT CARTER

YOUR LIVES ARE IN DANGER

IT'S AN INRESPONSIBLE ACT OF AGRESSION TO DO CAMPAIGNING
FOR THE PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARIES IN PUERTO RICO.

OUR CASE FOR SELF-DETERMINATION AND INDEPENDENCE IS
BEEN DEBATED AT THE UNITED NATIONS.

PRESIDENT CARTER YOU ARE ON RECORD TO REPECT OUT SELF-
DETERMINATION, YET WE HAVE INFORMATION THAT YOU ARE GOING
TO CAMPAIGN IN PUERTO RICO. THIS FOMENTS STATEHOOD.

WE WILL KILL YOU AND THE REST OF

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THE PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES.

IN 1976 PRESIDENT GERALD FORD CAME VERY CLOSE TO HIS DEATH. WE HAD A SUICIDE PLAN WHICH INVOLVED A SMALL AIRCRAFT CRASH AT THE RECEPTION AT THE SAN JUAN AIRPORT. WE GOT ENGINE TROUBLE AND HAD TO ABANDON THE MISSION.

NOW IN 1979 OUR ARMY HAS GROWN AND WE ARE WELL PREPARED TO CARRY OUT ANY SUICIDE MISSION IN PUERTO RICO, WASHINGTON, D.C., NEW JERSEY AND NEW YORK CITY.

PRESIDENT CARTER YOU HAVE UNTIL 10:00 P.M. TUESDAY AUGUST 14, 1979, TO DO THE FOLLOWING:

1. STOP THE PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARIES IN PUERTO RICO.
2. FREE THE 4 PUERTO RICAN POLITICAL PRISONERS: LOLITA LEBRON [REDACTED] IRVING FLORES, AND OSCAR COLLAZO.
3. GET THE NAVY OUT OF THE ISLAND OF VICQUEZ, PUERTO RICO.

WE WILL BE TUNED IN ON C.B.S. RADIO FOR YOUR DISITION.

OUR SUICIDE MISSION IS TO BLOW-UP A JETLINER FULL OF PASSENGERS- AFTER THE DEADLINE. REMEMBER TAVERNON THE GREEN IN NEW YORK CITY.

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EJERCITO DE LIBERACION DE PUERTO RICO

PUERTO RICAN LIBERATION ARMY"

INCLUDED IN THE DOCUMENTS WERE XEROXED COPIES OF NEWS-
PAPER ARTICLES FROM THE SAN JUAN STAR AND AN UNIDENTIFIED
SPANISH LANGUAGE NEWSPAPER.

~~THE ABOVE IS SUBMITTED TO RECEIVING OFFICES FOR INFORMATION
PURPOSES.~~

~~ADMINISTRATIVE:~~

~~SPECIAL AGENT RECEIVING DOCUMENTS WAS SA~~ [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
U.S. SECRET SERVICE (USSS) HQ INTELLIGENCE DIVISION;

SA [REDACTED] ADVISED AT 3:30 P.M.

USSS WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE SA [REDACTED] ADVISED 5:25

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U.S. CAPITOL POLICE SPECIAL INVESTIGATIONS ADVISED 5:28

P.M., [REDACTED]

MPD, WDC, AND FEDERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICE WILL BE CONTACTED

ON AUGUST 14, 1979.

~~BT~~ SENATOR BAKER AND MESSRS. CONNALLY, BUSCH
~~#0027~~ AND REAGAN BEING NOTIFIED.

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FM FBI WASHINGTON FIELD (C-6)

TO DIRECTOR FBI IMMEDIATE

FROM: DIVISION SIX BUREAU SUPERVISOR

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NY NEW YORK IMMEDIATE (NY VIA FEINQ)

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THREAT TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT/ CARRIER, HOWARD BAKER, JOHN
CONNALLY, GEORGE BUSCH, AND RONALD REAGAN THREAT TO ASSASSINATE
THE PRESIDENT; NAME: GEORGE BUSH
THREAT TO ASSASSINATE A CONGRESSMAN, WASHINGTON,
D.C., August 13, 1979; (OO: WASHINGTON FIELD) (WF FILE 89-New)

ON AUGUST 13, 1979, AT 12:25 P.M.,
METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT (MPD), WASHINGTON, D.C. (0000)
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Date 8/15/79

TO:

DIRECTOR, FBI

(ATTN: SUPERVISOR [REDACTED]
DOCUMENTS SECTION, FBI LABORATORY)(ATTN: SUPERVISOR [REDACTED] TERRORISM
SECTION, ROOM 4048)

FROM: SAC, WFO (175-297) (P) (C-4)

UNSUB; aka

Ejercito De Liberacion de Puerto Rico,Puerto Rican Liberation Army;Threat to AssassinatePresident Jimmy Carter,Howard Baker, John Connally,George Bush and Ronald Reagan,and to Bomb an Unidentified Jetliner - VICTIMSCongressional Assassination Statute,Threats Against the President(A)

(OO:WFO)

ReWFOtel to Bureau 8/14/79; WFO telcal to BQMRA-SAC
EDWARD STARP and WFO consultation and hand delivery of
evidence to Bureau Supervisor [REDACTED] on 8/15/79.Enclosed for investigative assistance of New York are
three copies of threat letter believed authored by [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] and received from Washington, D. C. (WDC) phone
booth on 8/13/79.

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On 8/15/79, WFO discussed this matter with
AUSA [redacted] Major
Crimes. U. S. District Court of the District of Columbia.

WFO maintaining liaison with U. S. Secret Service,
WDC.

WFO investigation in WDC continuing. New York
will be afforded WFO FD-302s concerning threat letter and
interviews with all relevant people pertinent to CAS, Threat
to President and bombing matter.

On 8/15/79, WFO took custody of original
registration card and attached ledger from Hotel Harrington,
WDC for one [redacted] Upon inspection and review
of additional facts, this individual did not appear
identical; however, on a return call [redacted]
Assistant Manager, Harrington Hotel, advised that they did
locate an original registration card for one [redacted]
[redacted] who was registered
in Room 331 from August 11 through the 13th, 1979. Room 331
was found vacant on 8/14/79, and [redacted] made no attempt
to pay bill. Original is being maintained for WFO custody.

On 8/15/79, in the presence of Bureau Supervisor
[redacted] WFO turned over to SA [redacted] Document
Section, threat letter consisting of envelope; two
handwritten pages; two pages revealing newspaper articles
and four latent fingerprint "lifts." Appropriate
initialing instituted to protect chain of custody.

WFO 175-297

REQUEST OF THE BUREAU

As discussed in conference with SA [] the FBI Laboratory is requested to conduct all appropriate examinations to identify evidence.

The FBI Identification Division is requested to examine material for latent fingerprints of value and make cross-comparisons between threat letter, lifts from telephone booth and fingerprints of one []

[] born [] in []
Social Security Account Number []

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NEW YORK DIVISION

AT BROOKLYN/QUEENS, NEW YORK. Furnish FBI Laboratory and WFO with the results of interview with [] as soon as possible.

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FM DIRECTOR FBI

TO **FEDERAL GOVERNMENT**

- ☐ The President
- ☐ The Vice President
- ☐ White House Situation Room
☐ Attn: National Security Council
- ☐ Department of the Air Force (AFOSI)
- ☐ Department of the Army
- ☐ Naval Investigative Service
- ☐ Commandant, U. S. Coast Guard
- ☐ National Security Agency (DIRNSA/NSOC (ATTN: SOO))
- ☐ Director, Defense Intelligence Agency
- ☐ Director CIA
- ☒ U. S. Secret Service (PID)
☐ Attn: Executive Protective Service
- ☐ ZEN/U. S. Postal Service
☐ Attn: Chief Postal Inspector

- ☐ Nuclear Regulatory Commission
- ☐ Department of Energy
- ☐ Department of Treasury
☐ Attn: U. S. Customs
- ☐ Department of Treasury
☐ Attn: Bureau of Alcohol Tobacco & Firearms
- ☐ Department of Transportation
☐ Attn: Director of Security
- ☐ Drug Enforcement Administration
- ☐ General Services Administration (WASHDC area, specify office)
- ☐ (Other Areas, specify CITY/STATE)

- ☒ Federal Aviation Administration *RUEGGA*
- ☐ Federal Protective Service
- ☐ Secretary of State
☐ Attn: Director Bureau of Intelligence & Research
- ☐ Attn: SCA - VISA Office
Room 709 - SA2

- ☐ Attorney General
- ☒ Deputy AG
☒ Attn: Emergency Programs Center
- ☐ Assistant AG, Civil Rights Div.
- ☒ Assistant AG, Criminal Div.
☐ Attn: Internal Security Section
- ☒ Attn: General Crimes Section
- ☐ Assistant AG for Administration
☐ Attn: Security & Administrative Services Staff
- ☐ Immigration & Naturalization Service

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CONTACT COMMUNICATIONS CENTER FOR ADDRESSING INFORMATION) ☐
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FM ALEXANDRIA (L75-5L)(P)

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UNSUB; AKA EJERCITO DE LIBERACION DE PUERTO RICO, PUERTO RICAN
LIBERATION ARMY; THREAT TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT JIMMY CARTER,
HOWARD BAKER, JOHN CONNALLY, GEORGE BUSH, AND RONALD REAGAN, AND
TO BOMB AN UNIDENTIFIED JET LINER - VICTIMS; CONGRESSIONAL
ASSASSINATION STATUTE, THREATS AGAINST THE PRESIDENT (OO:WFO)

RE WFO TELETYPE TO BUREAU, AUGUST 24, 1979, AND WFO TELCALL

TO ALEXANDRIA, AUGUST 15, 1979.

BY TELETYPE 8/15/79 ALEXANDRIA FURNISHED THE FOLLOWING:
AT APPROXIMATELY 10:30 A.M., THIS DATE, A HANDWRITTEN

DOCUMENT CONTAINED IN AN ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO AMERICAN AIRLINES,
DULLES AIRPORT, WAS LOCATED TAPED TO THE UNDERSIDE OF A PAY
TELEPHONE IN FRONT OF A NEWSSTAND AT THE MAIN TERMINAL AT DULLES
INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT (DIA), CHANTILLY, VIRGINIA. THE TEXT OF THE
LETTER IS IDENTICAL TO THAT SET FORTH IN REFERENCED TELETYPE.

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ALSO INCLUDED IN THE ENVELOPE IS A NEWSPAPER ARTICLE FROM THE "SAN JUAN STAR" CONCERNING SENATOR HOWARD BAKER.

~~FOR INFORMATION OF BUREAU,~~ ON AUGUST 13, 1979, FAA POLICE, DIA, ADVISED ALEXANDRIA FBI THAT AMERICAN AIRLINES RESERVATIONS, HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT, RECEIVED A CALL FROM A MALE (FURTHER DESCRIPTION UNKNOWN) WHO STATED HE WAS A MEMBER OF THE PUERTO RICAN LIBERATION ARMY AND SAID HE HAD AN EXPLOSIVE MESSAGE FOR DULLES AIRPORT NEAR THE NEWSSTAND AND BEHIND THE WATER FOUNTAIN. A SEARCH OF THAT AREA BY FAA POLICE FAILED TO LOCATE ANY SUSPICIOUS ITEM. INFORMATION CONCERNING THAT INCIDENT HAS BEEN DISSEMINATED TO FAA SECURITY AND U. S. SECRET SERVICE, WASHINGTON, D. C.

~~ENVELOPE WAS PHOTOGRAPHED AT PLACE OF RECOVERY AND AREA NOT PROCESSED FOR PRINTS IN VIEW OF HEAVY USE OF TELEPHONE.~~

~~ALEXANDRIA WILL SUBMIT ENVELOPE AND LETTER TO FBI LABORATORY IDENTIFICATION DIVISION FOR EXAMINATION.~~

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CC: LAB

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
 (ATTN: FBI LABORATORY)

FROM: SAC, ALEXANDRIA (175-51)(P)

UNSUB; aka
 Ejercito De Liberacion De Puerto Rico,
 Puerto Rican Liberation Army;
 THREAT TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT JIMMY CARTER,
 HOWARD BAKER, JOHN CONNALLY, GEORGE BUSH, AND
 RONALD REAGAN, AND TO BOMB AN UNIDENTIFIED
 JET LINER - VICTIMS
 CONGRESSIONAL ASSASSINATION STATUTE,
 THREATS AGAINST THE PRESIDENT
 (OO:WFO)

Re WFO teletype to Bureau, 8/14/79, and Alexandria
 teletype to Bureau, 8/15/79.

Enclosed for the FBI Laboratory is an envelope
 containing a letter addressed to American Airlines, Dulles
 Airport.

For information of the FBI Laboratory, the enclosed
 envelope containing a letter was found during morning of
 8/15/79, taped under a pay telephone at the main terminal
 at Dulles International Airport (DIA), Chantilly, Virginia.
 Envelope was also sealed by adhesive tape. Area was not
 processed for latent prints inasmuch telephone heavily used
 and envelope was probably placed on or about 8/10/79.

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 2-Alexandria
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REQUEST OF THE BUREAU

1) Identification Division, Latent Fingerprint Section, examine envelope, letter and newspaper article for latent prints.

2) FBI Laboratory, Document Section, requested to compare handwriting on letter and envelope with other letters of this type previously submitted.

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MESSAGE RELAY VIA TELETYPE

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FM DIRECTOR FBI

TO

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

- me*
- ☐ The President
- ☐ The Vice President
- ☐ White House Situation Room
- ☐ Attn: National Security Council
- ☐ Department of the Air Force (AFOSI)
- ☐ Department of the Army
- ☐ Naval Investigative Service
- ☐ Commandant, U. S. Coast Guard
- ☐ National Security Agency (DIRNSA/NSOC (ATTN: SOO))
- ☐ Director, Defense Intelligence Agency
- ☐ Director CIA
- ☒ U. S. Secret Service (PID) *RUEHSE*
- ☐ Attn: Executive Protective Service
- ☐ ZEN/U. S. Postal Service
- ☐ Attn: Chief Postal Inspector

- ☐ Nuclear Regulatory Commission
- ☐ Department of Energy
- ☐ Department of Treasury
- ☐ Attn: U. S. Customs
- ☐ Department of Treasury
- ☐ Attn: Bureau of Alcohol Tobacco & Firearms *RUEBWJA*
- ☐ Department of Transportation
- ☐ Attn: Director of Security
- ☐ Drug Enforcement Administration
- ☐ General Services Administration (WASHDC area, specify office)
- ☐ (Other Areas, specify CITY/STATE)
- ☒ Federal Aviation Administration *RUEOGBA*
- ☐ Federal Protective Service
- ☐ Secretary of State
- ☐ Attn: Director Bureau of Intelligence & Research
- ☐ Attn: SCA - VISA Office Room 709 - SA2

- ☐ Attorney General
- ☒ Deputy AG
- ☒ Attn: Emergency Programs Center
- ☐ Assistant AG, Civil Rights Div.
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TO DIRECTOR ROUTINE

ATTN: SUPERVISOR [REDACTED] TERRORISM SECTION, ROOM 1727,

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ALEXANDRIA ROUTINE

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SAN JUAN ROUTINE (VIA FBIHQ)

WASHINGTON FIELD ROUTINE

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EJERCITO DE LIBERACION DE PUERTO RICO, AKA PUERTO RICAN
LIBERATION ARMY; THREAT TO ASSISINATE PRESIDENT JIMMY CARTER,
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ABOARD AIRCRAFT - INTERFERENCE WITH FLIGHT CREW MEMBERS; EID -

BOMB THREAT, ~~OO NEW YORK~~

FBI, NEW YORK, NEW YORK, ADVISED BY TELETYPE AUGUST 16, 1979, AS FOLLOWS:
TITLE "CHANGED" TO REFLECT IDENTITY OF INDIVIDUAL

RESPONSIBLE FOR CAPTIONED THREATS AND CAPTIONED VIOLATIONS.

~~REWROTEL TO DIRECTOR, AUGUST 14, 1979; BUREAU TELETYPE
ON AUGUST 13, 1979; WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE TELETYPE TO
BUREAU, DATED AUGUST 13, 1979; NEW YORK TELEPHONE CALLS TO
BUREAU, WASHINGTON FIELD, AND NEWARK ON AUGUST 15, 1979.~~

AT APPROXIMATELY 12:10 AM, AUGUST 15, 1979, NYO ADVISED
BY AMERICAN AIRLINES, JOHN F. KENNEDY INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT
(JFKIA), THAT AMERICAN AIRLINES FLIGHT 697, BOUND FROM JFKIA
TO SAN JUAN WAS RETURNING TO JFKIA AS A RESULT OF SOME TYPE
OF BOMB THREAT OR AIRCRAFT PIRACY. AMERICAN AIRLINES FURTHER
ADVISED THAT THE PILOT OF THIS FLIGHT ADVISED THAT A PASSENGER
HAD HANDED A THICK MANILLA ENVELOPE TO A FLIGHT ATTENDANT
SHORTLY AFTER DEPARTING JFKIA AT 11:49 PM, AUGUST 14, 1979,
AND THAT THIS MANILLA ENVELOPE HAD THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION
PRINTED ON THE OUTSIDE: "CAPTAIN. CALL THE WHITE HOUSE AND
TELL PRESIDENT CARTER WE ARE GOING TO BLOW UP THIS AIRPLANE
IF HE DOESN'T FOLLOW THROUGH WITH DEMANDS OF THE PUERTO RICAN

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LIBERATION ARMY".

NYO AGENTS FROM BOTH MANHATTAN AND QUEENS OFFICES RESPONDED TO JFKIA ALONG WITH NYCPD, PORT AUTHORITY POLICE DEPARTMENT, AND UNITED STATES SECRET SERVICE AGENTS. AMERICAN AIRLINES FLIGHT 697 RETURNED TO JFKIA AND LANDED WITHOUT INCIDENT. UPON QUESTIONING CREW MEMBERS AND FLIGHT ATTENDANTS IT WAS DETERMINED THAT A PUERTO RICAN MALE PASSENGER HAD HANDED A FLIGHT ATTENDANT THE ABOVE DESCRIBED ENVELOPE AND THAT NO FURTHER ACTIONS HAD OCCURRED ON THE AIRPLANE.

INVESTIGATION DETERMINED PASSENGER TO BE [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WHITE MALE; DOB: [REDACTED] POB: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] FBI NUMBER [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WHEN INTERVIEWED BY BUREAU AGENTS, ADMITTED BOMB THREAT AND PLACING OF COMMUNIQUE IN WASHINGTON, D.C., ON AUGUST 13, 1979, ADMITTED PLACING COMMUNIQUE IN NEWARK, NEW JERSEY, ON AUGUST 14, 1979; ADMITTED DELIVERING COMMUNIQUE TO "NEW YORK DAILY NEWS" ON AUGUST 14, 1979,; ADMITTED CALLING NYO (WHICH CALL NYO TAPED) AT 9:07 PM, AUGUST 14, 1979; AND ADMITTED HE ALSO HANDED THE FLIGHT ATTENDANT ON AMERICAN AIRLINES

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FLIGHT 697 AN ENVELOPE CONTAINING A WRITTEN BOMB THREAT TO THE PILOT OF THAT FLIGHT AS WELL AS A COMMUNIQUE INSIDE THE ENVELOPE THAT WAS AN EXACT COPY OF COMMUNIQUE HE HAD PREVIOUSLY DISTRIBUTED ON AUGUST 13 AND AUGUST 14, 1979.

[REDACTED] WHO WAS COMPLETELY COOPERATIVE, STATED THAT NO OTHER INDIVIDUALS WERE ASSISTING HIM IN HIS BOMB THREATS AND THREATS OF ASSASSINATION AND ADVISED THAT THE PUERTO RICAN LIBERATION ARMY WAS A GROUP CONSISTING OF ONE MEMBER, HIMSELF.

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[REDACTED] FURTHER ADVISED THAT HE HAD NO INFORMATION CONCERNING OTHER CURRENT PUERTO RICAN INDEPENDENCE TERRORIST ACTIVITIES NOR ANY INFORMATION CONCERNING ANY OTHER THREATS OR PLANS TO ASSASSINATE HIGH UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS OR BOMB UNITED STATES AIRLINES FLIGHTS. [REDACTED] STATED THAT HE HAS COMMITTED THE BOMB THREATS AND ASSASSINATION THREATS SOLELY TO CALL ATTENTION TO HIS INTEREST IN THE INDEPENDENCE OF PUERTO RICO AND WAS FULLY PREPARED TO ADMIT HIS GUILT.

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AUSA [REDACTED] EDNY, WAS APPRISED OF THE DETAILS OF [REDACTED] THREATS AND ADMISSIONS AND [REDACTED] AUTHORIZED ARREST OF [REDACTED] FOR CRIME ABOARD AIRCRAFT-INTERFERENCE WITH FLIGHT CREW MEMBERS, TITLE 49, USC, SECTION 1472 (J). [REDACTED] LODGED

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AT METROPOLITAN CORRECTIONAL CENTER (MCC), MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, ON AUGUST 15, 1979.

ON AUGUST 15, 1979, CAPTIONED SUBJECT APPEARED AT ARRAIGNMENT BEFORE UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE JACOB MISHLER EDNY, BROOKLYN, NEW YORK, AND AS A RESULT OF HEARING JUDGE MISHLER DETERMINED THAT PROBABLE CAUSE EXISTED TO HOLD CAPTIONED SUBJECT FOR GRAND JURY INDICTMENT AND/OR MAGISTRATE'S HEARING. BAIL FOR CAPTIONED SUBJECT SET AT \$500,000.00. JUDGE MISHLER DENIED AUSA [REDACTED] REQUEST THAT CAPTIONED SUBJECT BE EXAMINED BY COMPETENT PSYCHIATRIC PHYSICIAN TO DETERMINE IF SUBJECT WAS COMPETENT TO UNDERSTAND LEGAL PROCEEDINGS AND STAND TRIAL. SUBJECT REMANDED TO CUSTODY OF UNITED STATES MARSHAL'S, EDNY, AND WILL BE MAINTAINED IN CUSTODY AT MCC, MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY.

~~NEWARK IS REQUESTED TO EXPEDITIOUSLY FORWARD COMMUNIQUE RECOVERED AT NEWARK AIRPORT ON AUGUST 15, 1979, TO FBI LABORATORY FOR APPROPRIATE DOCUMENT AND LATENT FINGERPRINT EXAMINATION.~~

~~SAN JUAN IS REQUESTED TO CONTACT UNIDENTIFIED RELATIVES OF SUBJECT AT [REDACTED] TO DETERMINE IF THIS IS SUBJECT'S PERMANENT ADDRESS AND ALSO DETER-~~

NYO ADVISED FAA, NYC, AND U.S. SECRET SERVICE, NYC, OF APPREHENSION OF SUBJECT AND ALL DETAILS REGARDING THIS MATTER.

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MESSAGE RELAY VIA TELETYPE

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(SERVICE ALSO AVAILABLE TO GOVERNMENT AGENCIES NOT LISTED. ☐
CONTACT COMMUNICATIONS CENTER FOR ADDRESSING INFORMATION) ☐
SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

NIKKER RIAN LIBERATION ARMY;
THREAT TO ASSASSINATE THE PRESIDENT AND PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES;
CRIME ABOARD AIRCRAFT

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ARMY (PRLA) HAD PLACED A BOMB INSIDE THE MADISON HOTEL, WASHINGTON, D. C.. A SUBSEQUENT SEARCH OF THE HOTEL FOR AN EXPLOSIVE DEVICE BY THE MPD WAS NEGATIVE.

ON SAME DATE, FBIHQ RECEIVED A CALL FROM A "FOREIGN SOUNDING" MALE WHO IDENTIFIED HIMSELF AS A MEMBER OF THE PRLA WHO STATED THAT EXPLOSIVE MATERIALS WERE LOCATED IN A PHONE BOOTH AT 20TH AND PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, N.W., WASHINGTON, D. C. SUBSEQUENTLY, DOCUMENTS WERE LOCATED IN A PHONE BOOTH ON THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE AFOREMENTIONED INTERSECTION ATTRIBUTED TO THE PRLA.

AMONG THE DOCUMENTS WAS A LETTER ADDRESSED TO PRESIDENT CARTER, AND THE PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES LISTED IN CAPTIONED TITLE ADMONISHING THEM NOT TO CAMPAIGN IN PUERTO RICO. FURTHERMORE, SPECIFIC DEMANDS WERE MADE OF THE PRESIDENT WITH A COMPLIANCE DEADLINE OF 10:00 P.M., AUGUST 14, 1979. SHOULD THE DEMANDS NOT BE MET, THE WRITER THREATENED TO "BLOW UP A JETLINER FULL OF PASSENGERS."

AT 3:30 P.M., AUGUST 14, 1979, THE NEWARK^{FBI} OFFICE RECEIVED A CALL FROM [REDACTED] PORT AUTHORITY POLICE DEPARTMENT (PAPD), NEWARK INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, TELEPHONE NUMBER [REDACTED] WHO

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ADVISED THAT AT 3:15 P.M., SAME DATE, HIS DEPARTMENT HAD RECEIVED A CALL FROM [REDACTED] SECURITY DEPARTMENT, AMERICAN AIRLINES (AA) RESERVATION CENTER, HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT, TELEPHONE (203) 247-2594. [REDACTED] STATED THAT A MAN WHO IDENTIFIED HIMSELF AS A MEMBER OF THE PRLA HAD CALLED TO ADVISE THAT TWO BOMBS HAD BEEN PLANTED IN THE METROPOLITAN AREA, ONE AT NEWARK INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, GATES 60 AND 68, IN BACK OF A PHONE BOOTH, NEXT TO AN INSURANCE STAND; AND THE OTHER AT THE AIRLINE TERMINAL, 100 EAST 42ND STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

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OFFICER [REDACTED] PAPD, WAS SUBSEQUENTLY RECONTACTED AND HE ADVISED THAT THE PHONE BOOTHS LOCATED NEAR GATES 60 AND 68 HAD BEEN SEARCHED FOR EXPLOSIVE MATERIALS WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS, AND HAD BEEN SECURED. OFFICER [REDACTED] NEW YORK POLICE DEPARTMENT (NYPD) CENTER DESK, TELEPHONE (212) 374-5580, ALSO ADVISED THAT A SEARCH OF THE PREMISES OF THE AIRLINE TERMINAL, SUPRA. HAD BEEN NEGATIVE.

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[REDACTED] MANHATTAN AIRLINE TERMINAL, AIRLINE TICKET OFFICE, SUPRA., TELEPHONE (212) 986-0888, WAS CONTACTED ON SAME DATE AND SHE ADVISED THAT SHE HAD RECEIVED A CALL DIRECTLY FROM [REDACTED] INFORMING HER OF THE BOMB THREAT AND OF THE FACT

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THAT THE CALLER HAD BEEN TAPED.

ON THE SAME DATE, SPECIAL AGENT [REDACTED] HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT RESIDENT AGENT, WAS TELEPHONICALLY CONTACTED AND APPRISED OF THE ABOVE FACTS. HE STATED THAT THE AA RESERVATION CENTER IN HARTFORD ACTUALLY SERVICES A MAJOR PORTION OF THE NORTH-EASTERN AREA. CONSEQUENTLY, A CALL WHICH ORIGINATES FROM THAT AREA REQUESTING AA RESERVATION INFORMATION IS AUTOMATICALLY FUNNELLED TO THE CENTER AT HARTFORD.

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~~AT 2:30 A.M., AUGUST 25, 1979, NEW YORK OFFICE ADVISED NEWARK~~
~~THEY HAD IN CUSTODY [REDACTED] DATE OF BIRTH [REDACTED]~~
~~PLACE OF BIRTH, [REDACTED] SOCIAL SECURITY ACCOUNT~~
~~NUMBER [REDACTED]~~ ^{WAS ARRESTED IN NEW YORK CITY} WHO ADMITTED TO BEING RESPONSIBLE FOR THE BOMB THREATS. HE ALSO INDICATED THAT HE HAD LEFT A BOMB THREAT LETTER ATTACHED TO A PHONE BOOTH LOCATED NEAR THE DELTA AIRLINE TERMINAL, NEWARK INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, NEWARK, NEW JERSEY. SAID LETTER WAS RETRIEVED BY A SPECIAL AGENT OF THE NEWARK OFFICE, APPROPRIATELY SECURED AND MARKED FOR IDENTIFICATION.

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THE ENVELOPE WAS ADDRESSED TO "AMERICAN AIRLINES". THE LETTER WAS DATED "AUGUST 14, 1979". THE VERBATIM TEXT FOLLOWS:

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"AMERICAN AIRLINES:

"WE ARE GOING TO BLOWUP ONE OF YOUR JETS TONIGHT AT
10:30

PUERTO RICAN LIBERATION ARMY"

THE WORDING WAS NEATLY PRINTED IN LARGE BLACK BLOCK
LETTERING.

THE ABOVE IS SUBMITTED TO RECEIVING OFFICES FOR INFORMATION
PURPOSES ONLY.

THE LETTER AND ENVELOPE WILL BE SUBMITTED UNDER SEPARATE
COVER TO FBI LAB IDENTIFICATION DIVISION FOR APPROPRIATE EXAMINATION
AND COMPARISON WITH LATENTS SUBMITTED BY WFO AS SET FORTH IN RE
WFO TELETYPE TO BUREAU, AUGUST 24, 1979.

LEADS - NEW HAVEN AT HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT: WILL CONTACT
[REDACTED] SUPRA., AND OBTAIN ORIGINAL TAPE RECORDING OF UNSUB
RECEIVED ON AUGUST 14, 1979, AND FORWARD TO WFO.

NEWARK AT NEWARK, NEW JERSEY: WILL SUBMIT LETTER AND ENVELOPE
TO FBI LAB IDENTIFICATION DIVISION FOR EXAMINATION.

ADMINISTRATIVE: SPECIAL AGENT WHO RETRIEVED LETTER AND
ENVELOPE WAS [REDACTED] NEWARK, NEW JERSEY.

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SPECIAL AGENT [REDACTED] U. S. SECRET SERVICE (USSS), NEWARK,
NEW JERSEY, [REDACTED] WAS ADVISED OF THE BOMB THREATS AT
NEWARK INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT AND THE AIRLINE TERMINAL, 100 EAST
42ND STREET, NEW YORK CITY, AT 4:45 P.M., AUGUST 14, 1979.

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FM SAN JUAN (175-22) (RUC)

TO DIRECTOR ROUTINE

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WASHINGTON FIELD ROUTINE

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[REDACTED] EJERCITO DE LIBERACION
DE PUERTO RICO, AKA, PUERTO RICAN LIBERATION ARMY; THREAT TO
ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT JIMMY CARTER, ET AL; THREAT TO BOMB A
JET LINER; CONGRESSIONAL ASSASSINATION STATUTE; THREATS AGAINST
THE PRESIDENT, (OO: WASHINGTON FIELD)

FOR INFORMATION OF RECEIVING OFFICES, A CRIMINAL RECORD
CHECK WAS CONDUCTED AT [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. RECORDS OF [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] DO NOT REFLECT ANY RECORD
IDENTIFIABLE WITH SUBJECT.

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ON AUGUST 29, 1979, ATTEMPTS TO CONTACT ANY RELATIVE AT

[REDACTED] NEGATIVE. IT IS NOTED
THAT THIS IS A NONEXISTING ADDRESS. A DISCREET INQUIRY WAS
CONDUCTED IN THE IMMEDIATE NEIGHBORHOOD AND NO [REDACTED] KNOWN
IN THE AREA. SAN JUAN INDICES NEGATIVE.

IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT NO ORGANIZATION AS CAPTIONED ABOVE
COULD BE LOCATED THROUGH SAN JUAN INDICES NOR CONTACT WITH
POLICE OF PUERTO RICO.

INASMUCH AS NO OTHER INVESTIGATION REMAINS AT SAN JUAN,
THIS MATTER BEING RUC'D.

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TRANSMIT VIA:

☐ Teletype
☐ Facsimile
☒ Airtel

PRECEDENCE:

☐ Immediate
☐ Priority
☐ Routine

CLASSIFICATION:

☐ TOP SECRET
☐ SECRET
☐ CONFIDENTIAL
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Date 8/20/79

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
 (ATTN: CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION,
 [REDACTED] ROOM 1727, JEH)
 (ATTN: FBI LABORATORY, DOCUMENT SECTION)
 (ATTN: IDENTIFICATION DIVISION, LFS)

FROM: ADIC, [REDACTED] (P) (M-10)

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

Ejercito De Liberacion De Puerto Rico,
 Puerta Rican Liberation Army;
 THREAT TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT JIMMY CARTER,
 HOWARD BAKER, JOHN CONNOLLY, GEORGE BUSH,
 AND RONALD REGAN;
 THREAT TO BOMB AN UNIDENTIFIED JET LINER;
 CONGRESSIONAL ASSASSINATION STATUTE,
 THREATS AGAINST THE PRESIDENT,
 (OO:WFO)

[REDACTED]
 CRIME ABOARD AIRCRAFT-INTERFERE WITH FLIGHT
 CREWMEMBERS;
 EID, BOMB THREAT
 (OO:NY)

ReNYteletype to Director, dated 8/15/79, and Axtel
 to Director, dated 8/15/79

- ⑦ Bureau (Encls. 14)
 ② - Criminal Investigative Div.
 (2 - FBI Lab)
 (2 - Ident Div/LFS)

- 1 - Alexandria
 1 - Newark
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 1 - Washington Field
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Enclosed for FBI Laboratory, Document Section and Identification Division/lFS are the following items:

1. FD-249 reflecting ink fingerprint impressions of [REDACTED] FBI [REDACTED] (Photograph included).

2. Two page handwritten xeroxed letter, dated 8/10/79, two xeroxed newspaper clippings and one white envelope delivered to New York Daily News by subject on 8/14/79. (Items marked A1-A5 by NYO).

3. Two page handwritten letter, dated 8/10/79 and one white envelope containing folded papers discovered in subject's suitcase on 8/15/79. (Items marked B1-B3 by NYO).

4. One white envelope, two page handwritten xeroxed letter, dated 8/10/79, and one xeroxed newspaper clipping handed to flight attendant by subject on 8/15/79. (Items marked C1 - C4 by NYO).

5. One plastic "scotch" brand transparent tape dispenser found on subject at time of arrest, 8/15/79.

For the information of the FBI Laboratory and FBI Identification division, Investigation has determined that [REDACTED] is responsible for making a telephonic bomb threat in Washington, D.C. on 8/13/79; leaving a threatening communique in a phone booth in Washington, D.C. on 8/13/79; Delivering a threatening communique to the New York Daily News on 8/14/79; Leaving a threatening communique at Dulles International Airport, Virginia, on 8/14/79; Leaving a threatening communique at Newark International Airport, New Jersey, on 8/14/79; and interferring with crew members of American Airlines flight 697 on 8/15/79 IN NYC. Newark, WFO, and Alexandria are forwarding copies of communiques recovered in their division to the FBI Laboratory.

[REDACTED]

REQUEST OF THE BUREAU

FBI Laboratory will conduct appropriate examinations of communiques forwarded by NYO, WFO, Newark, and Alexandria.

NOTE:

NYO believes enclosed item number three marked B1 - B3 is original handwritten communique and all others are xeroxed copies.

Identification Division, LFS, after all appropriate document examinations or at the appropriate time during these examinations, it is requested that all enclosed items, as well as items forwarded by WFO, Newark, and Alexandria be processed for latent fingerprints and any latents obtained be compared with known fingerprints of [REDACTED]
FBI [REDACTED]

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PRECEDENCE:

☐ Immediate
☐ Priority
☐ Routine

CLASSIFICATION:

☐ TOP SECRET
☐ SECRET
☐ CONFIDENTIAL
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☐ CLEAR **SEP 4 1979**

Date

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
 (ATT: CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION DIVISION;
 FBI LABORATORY, DOCUMENT SECTION, AND ID/LFS)

FROM: ADIC, [REDACTED] (P) (M-10)

SUBJECT:

**Ejercito De Liberacion De Puerto Rico,
 Puerto Rican Liberation Army
 THREAT TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT JIMMY CARTER,
 ET AL; THREAT TO BOMB AN UNIDENTIFIED JET LINER;
 CONGRESSIONAL ASSASSINATION STATUTE;
 THREATS AGAINST THE PRESIDENT
 (OO: WFO)**

**Ejercito De Liberacion De Puerto Rico,
 Puerto Rican Liberation Army
 CAA-INTERFERENCE WITH FLIGHT CREW MEMBERS
 EID-BOMB THREAT
 (OO: NY)**

ReNYairtel to the Bureau, dated 8/20/79.

Enclosed for FBI Laboratory and Identification Division are one white envelope and one lined white sheet of paper with hand printed bomb threat thereon. These items were recovered

- 6 - Bureau (Encls. 2)
 (2 - Criminal Investigation Division)
 (2 - FBI Laboratory, Document Section)
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by NYO on 8/17/79 at public phone booth, American Airlines Ticket Office, Manhattan, NYC.

As indicated in referenced airtel, captioned subject admitted threatening President CARTER; attempting to hijack American Airlines Flight 697, and further admitted placing several other communiques in Washington, D.C., NYC and Newark. //

Subject remains incarcerated at Metropolitan Correctional Center, Manhattan, NY, under \$500,000 bond and has been indicted by a Federal Grand Jury, Eastern District of New York, on 8/23/79. //

REQUEST OF THE BUREAU

The FBI Laboratory, Document Section, is requested to conduct appropriate Laboratory examinations and comparisons of enclosed letter and envelope with items previously furnished in this matter. //

The FBI ID/LFS is requested to process enclosed items for latent fingerprints and compare any latents obtained with known fingerprints of [REDACTED] FBI Number [REDACTED]

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AT NEW YORK, NEW YORK. Will continue investigation and report results of prosecution.

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STATEMENT

FM DIRECTOR FBI (89-4492)

TO FBI [REDACTED] PRIORITY

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FBI WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE (175-297) PRIORITY

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FBI NEWARK (175-83) PRIORITY

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UNCLAS *Ejercito De Liberacion De Puerto Rico*

[REDACTED] AKA ET AL., CRIME ABOARD AIRCRAFT -

INTERFERE WITH FLIGHT CREW MEMBERS; EID, BOMB THREAT. OO:NY.

[REDACTED] AKA ET AL., CONGRESSIONAL ASSASSINATION

STATUTE, THREATS AGAINST THE PRESIDENT. OO:WFO.

RE AIRTELS FROM NEW YORK AUGUST 20, 1979, WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE AUGUST 15, 1979, ALEXANDRIA AUGUST 16, 1979 AND NEWARK AUGUST 20, 1979.

LATENT FINGERPRINTS DEVELOPED ON Q1, QC8, Q10, Q23, Q24C1, QC25C2, QC26C3 AND QC27C4 HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED AS FINGER IMPRESSIONS OF [REDACTED] FBI NO. [REDACTED] Q1

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SUBMITTED BY WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE, QCB BY ALEXANDRIA, Q10 BY
NEWARK AND Q23 THRU Q27 BY NEW YORK.

EXAMINATION CONTINUING.

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Date 8/20/79

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
 (ATTN: FBI LABORATORY,
 LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION,
 DOCUMENT SECTION)

FROM: SAC, NEWARK (175-83) (RUC) C-3

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

EJERCITO DE LIBERACION DE PUERTO RICO, aka
 Puerto Rican Liberation Army;
 THREAT TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT JAMES CARTER,
 HOWARD BAKER, JOHN CONNALLY, GEORGE BUSH AND
 RONALD REAGAN;
 THREAT TO BOMB AN UNIDENTIFIED JET LINER;
 CONGRESSIONAL ASSASSINATION STATUTE,
 THREATS AGAINST THE PRESIDENT
 (OO: WFO)

CRIME ABOARD AIRCRAFT -
 INTERFERENCE WITH FLIGHT CREW MEMBERS
 EID - BOMB THREAT
 (OO: NK)

RE WFO teletypes to Bureau, 8/13/79 and 8/14/79.
 Newark teletype to Bureau, 8/15/79.
 New York teletype to Bureau, 8/15/79.

Enclosed for the Bureau is a letter dated "August 14, 1979" and one envelope addressed to "American Airlines."

Enclosed for WFO and New York are one copy each of communiques recovered by Newark Office.

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 2-New York (ENC. 1)
 2-WFO (ENC. 1)
 1-Newark
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ENCLOSURE
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NK 175-83

The above items were obtained by SA [REDACTED] Newark, attached to a telephone booth at the Newark International Airport, Newark, NJ, on 8/15/79. The cellophane tape used to secure the letter to the telephone booth was left attached to envelope.

According to referenced WFO teletype to Bureau, 8/14/79, pieces of cellophane tape which were used to attach a similar threat letter to a telephone booth in Washington, DC, has been submitted to the FBI Laboratory, Latent Fingerprint Section, along with additional communiques recovered.

REQUEST OF THE LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

1. Process enclosed items of evidence for any latent fingerprints of value.
2. Compare any latents of value developed with latents developed on pieces of tape and communiques submitted by WFO and New York Office for examination.
3. Compare any latents of value developed with the known fingerprints of captioned subject [REDACTED]
FBI # [REDACTED]

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REQUEST OF THE FBI LABORATORY/DOCUMENT SECTION

Conduct appropriate document examination of the enclosed communiques with those submitted by WFO and New York Office

Results of examinations should be forwarded to WFO and New York, offices of origin in respective captioned matters.

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WFO AND NEW YORK

If deemed necessary, will advise FBI Laboratory of any additional pertinent information uncovered or of any additional examinations required.

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FM SAN JUAN (175-22) (RUC)

TO DIRECTOR PRIORITY

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ER EJERCITO DE LIBERACION DE PUERTO RICO, AKA

PUERTO RICAN LIBERATION ARMY; THREAT TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT

CARTER, ET AL; THREAT TO BOMB A JET LINER; CONGRESSIONAL

ASSASSINATION STATUTE; THREATS AGAINST THE PRESIDENT,

(OO: WFO)

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(OO: WFO)

ADMINISTRATIVE DIVISION: INTERVIEW CONDUCTED THE PRESIDENT.
SUBJECT: RE: INTERVIEW TO BE CONDUCTED AT THE TIME: CONGRESSIONAL
SUBJECT: INTERVIEW TO BE CONDUCTED AT THE TIME: CONGRESSIONAL

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CONVICTED: [REDACTED] WFO [REDACTED]

NEW YORK

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ADMINISTRATIVE DIVISION: WFO
NEW YORK (114-3884) WFO
TO DIRECTOR WFO
RE NEW YORK (112-33) (SPO)
DECEMBER 22 1978

DE WFO

RE: NEW YORK

ADMINISTRATIVE DIVISION



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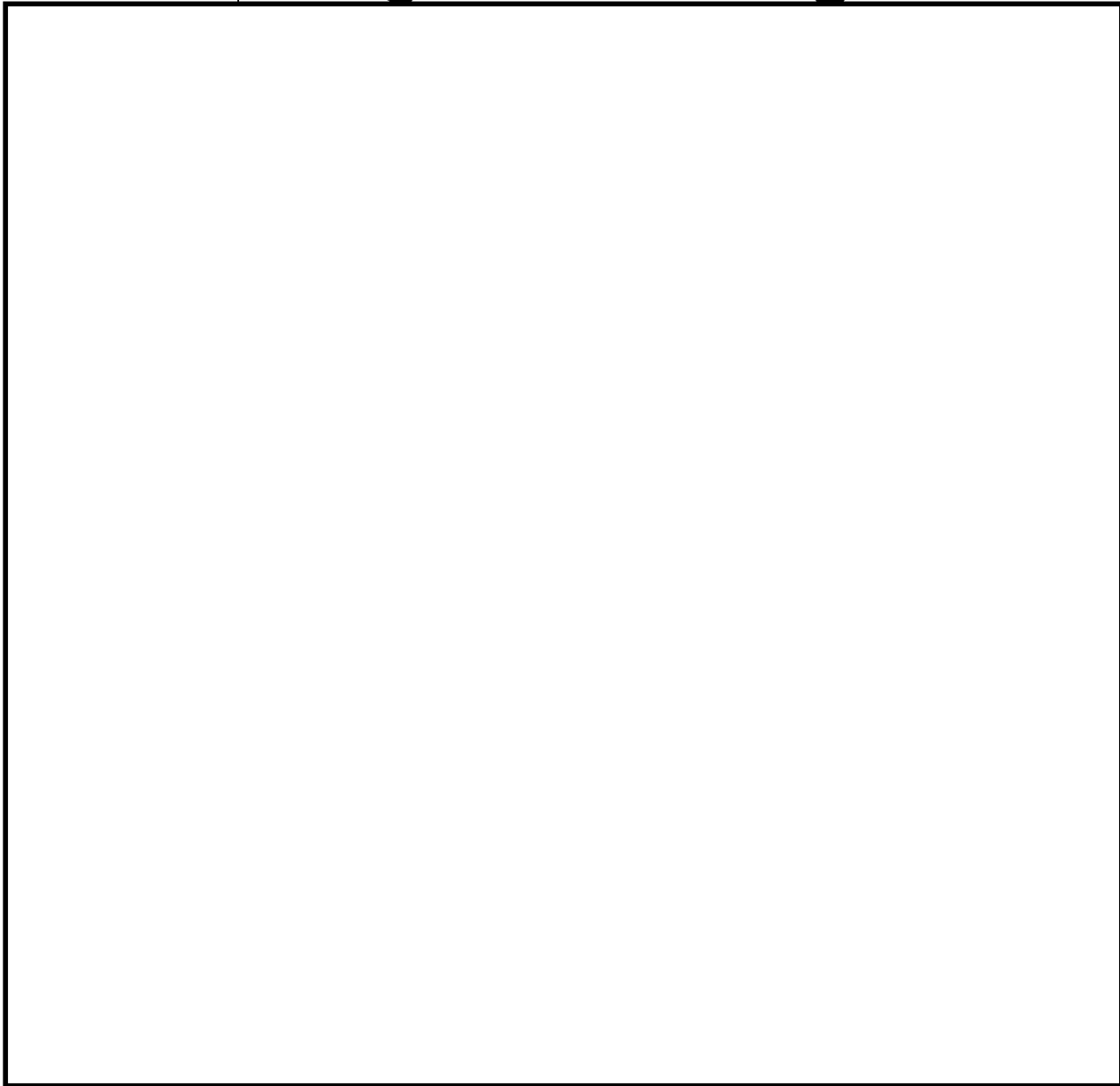
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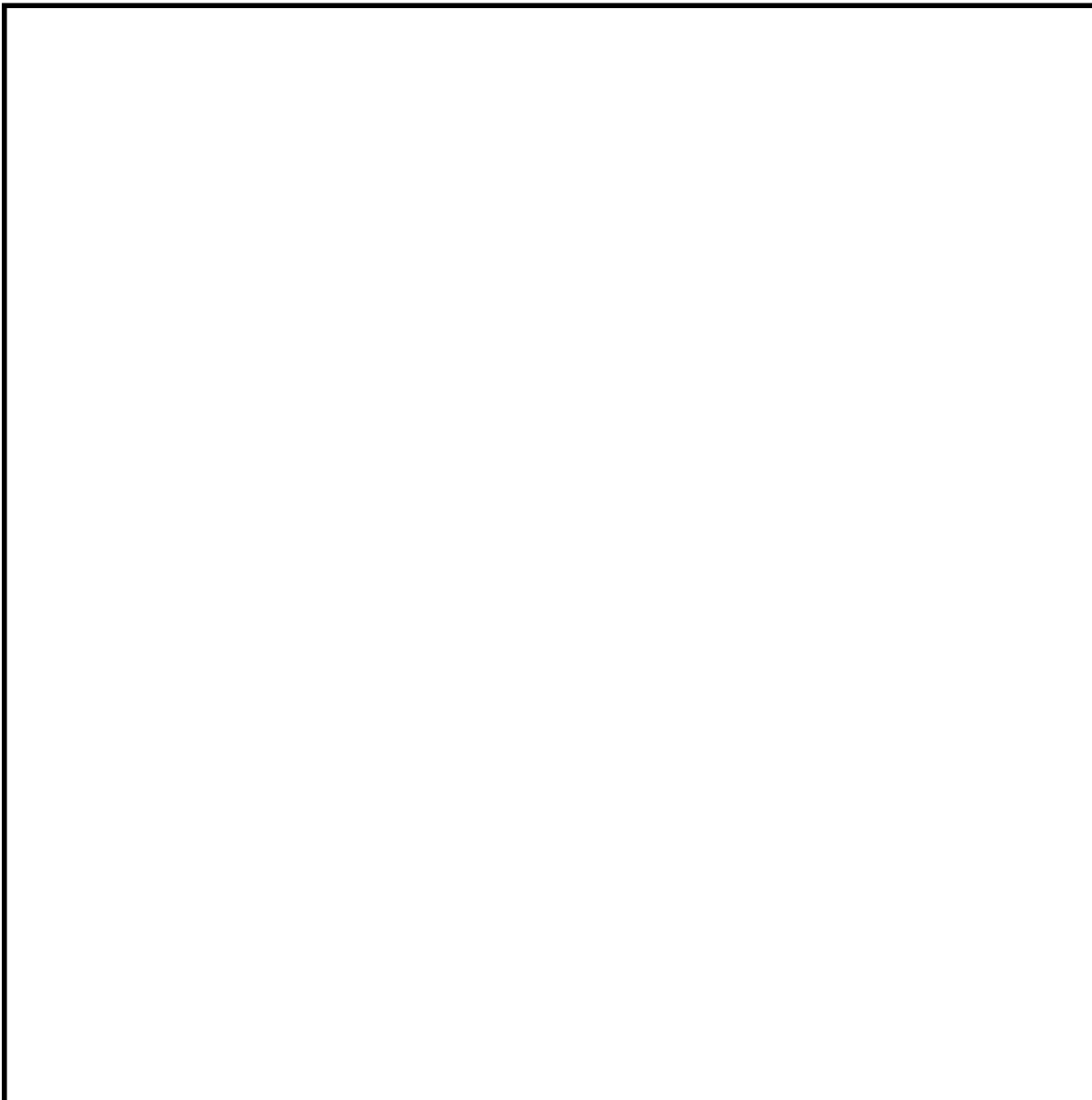
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ON JANUARY 17, 1977, AN ARTICLE APPEARED IN THE "SAN JUAN STAR", AN ENGLISH LANGUAGE NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED DAILY IN SAN JUAN, WHICH INDICATED THAT ARTIST [REDACTED] WHO CLAIMED HIS THREAT TO KILL PRESIDENT FORD LAST SUMMER WAS ACTUALLY A WORK OF CONCEPTUAL ART, HAS FILED A \$125,000 SUIT AGAINST THE INSTITUTE OF CULTURE FOR FIRING HIM AFTER HE WAS ARRESTED BY FEDERAL AUTHORITIES. [REDACTED] WAS BEING REPRESENTED BY ATTORNEY [REDACTED]

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**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535**

To: ADIC, [redacted] (M-10)

September 21, 1979

From: Director, FBI

FBI FILE NO. 89-4492

LAB. NO. 90907015 D MG

Re: De Liberacion De Puerto Rico,
Puerto Rican Liberation Army
THREAT TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT
JIMMY CARTER, ET AL; THREAT TO BOMB
AN UNIDENTIFIED JET LINER;
CONGRESSIONAL ASSASSINATION STATUTE;
THREATS AGAINST THE PRESIDENT
OO: Washington Field Office

Examination requested by: New York

Reference: Airtel dated September 4, 1979

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Remarks:

Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)
2 - Washington Field Office Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)

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WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: ADIC, [REDACTED] (M-10)

September 21, 1979

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FBI FILE NO. 89-4492-

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LAB. NO. 90907015 D MG

Re: [REDACTED]
De Liberacion De Puerto Rico,
Puerto Rican Liberation Army
THREAT TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT
JIMMY CARTER, ET AL; THREAT TO BOMB
AN UNIDENTIFIED JET LINER;
CONGRESSIONAL ASSASSINATION STATUTE;
THREATS AGAINST THE PRESIDENT

Specimens received September 6, 1979

- Q28 Envelope bearing the hand printed address
"AMERICAN AIRLINES"
- Q29 Accompanying letter beginning "AMERICAN
AIRLINES WE . . ."

Result of examination:

It was concluded that Q28, Q29, Q10 and Q11 were prepared by the same writer. Due to a lack of adequate known writing in the wording of the questioned items, no conclusion could be reached regarding the identity of the writer.

The submitted evidence has been photographed and will be returned with the results of the latent fingerprint examination.

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To: AA ADIC, [REDACTED] (M-10)

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Re: Ejercito De Liberacion De Puerto Rico, LAB. NO. 90907015 D MG
Puerto Rican Liberation Army
THREAT TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT YOUR NO.
JIMMY CARTER, ET AL; THREAT TO BOMB
AN UNIDENTIFIED JET LINER;
CONGRESSIONAL ASSASSINATION STATUTE; Examination by:
THREATS AGAINST THE PRESIDENT
OO: Washington Field Office

Examination requested by: New York

Reference: Airtel dated September 4, 1979, 7-11-79

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Specimens received: September 6, 1979

Q28 Envelope bearing the hand printed address
"AMERICAN AIRLINES"

Q29 Accompanying letter beginning "AMERICAN
AIRLINES WE . . ."

*CONC Q28, Q29, Q10 & Q11 prep by same writer.
DUE TO LACK of Adeq kn written wording
of Q items NC REGARD IDENT of writer
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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To: **SA ADIC,** [REDACTED] (M-10)

FBI FILE NO. **89-4492**

Re: **Ejercito De Liberacion De Puerto Rico,
Puerto Rican Liberation Army
THREAT TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT
JIMMY CARTER, ET AL; THREAT TO BOMB
AN UNIDENTIFIED JET LINER;
CONGRESSIONAL ASSASSINATION STATUTE;
THREATS AGAINST THE PRESIDENT
OO: Washington Field Office**

LAB. NO. **60967015 D HQ**

YOUR NO.

Examination by:

Examination requested by: **New York**

Reference: **Airtel dated September 4, 1979**

Examination requested: **Document - Fingerprint**

Specimens received: **September 6, 1979**

**Q28 Envelope bearing the hand printed address
"AMERICAN AIRLINES"**

**Q29 Accompanying letter beginning "AMERICAN
AIRLINES WE . . ."**

*Q28 + Q29 returned to NY
with LFPS report 9/20/79
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**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535**

To: SAC, Washington Field Office (175-297)

September 19, 1979

From: Director, FBI

FBI FILE NO. 89-4492

Re: UNSUB; aka
Ejercito De Liberacion de Puerto Rico, Puerto Rican Liberation Army;
Threat to Assassinate President Jimmy Carter, Howard Baker, John Connally, George Bush and Ronald Reagan, and to Bomb an Unidentified Jetliner - VICTIMS;
Congressional Assassination Statute, Threats Against the President (A)

LAB. NO. 90817017 D MG
90817018 D MG
90822003 D MG
90822014 D MG

Examination requested: Washington Field Office, Alexandria, Newark and New York
Reference: Washington Field Office airtel dated 8/15/79, Alexandria airtel dated 8/16/79, Newark airtel dated 8/20/79 and New York airtel dated 8/20/79
Remarks: Document - Fingerprint

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- 2 - Alexandria (175-51) Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)
- 2 - Newark (175-83) (C-3) Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)
- 2 - [redacted] (M-10) Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)
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FBI FILE NO. 89-4492 - 9
LAB. NO. 90817017 D MG
90817018 D MG
90822003 D MG
90822014 D MG

Specimens received August 17, 1979, from SAC, Washington Field Office, under cover of communication dated August 15, 1979 (90817017 D MG):

- Q1 Torn envelope bearing the hand printed address "F.B.I. WASHINGTON, D.C."
- Qc2 Photocopy of sheet of paper bearing handwriting beginning "Open letter to all the presidential . . ."
- Qc3 Photocopy of sheet of paper bearing handwriting beginning "the presidential candidates. In 1976 . . ."
- Qc4 Photocopy of torn newspaper clipping beginning "Sen. Baker sets P.R. . . ."
- Qc5 Photocopy of newspaper clippings beginning "El ECL Amenazo . . ."

ALSO SUBMITTED:

Latent lifts

Specimens received August 17, 1979, from SAC, Alexandria, under cover of communication dated August 16, 1979 (90817018 D MG):

- Q6 Envelope bearing hand printed address "AMERICAN AIRLINES DULLES AIRPORT"
- Qc7 Photocopy of torn piece of newspaper beginning "Sen. Baker sets P.R. . . ."

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Qc8 Photocopy of sheet of paper bearing handwriting beginning "the presidential candidates . . ."

Qc9 Photocopy of sheet of paper bearing handwriting beginning "Open letter to all . . ."

Specimens received August 21, 1979, from SAC, Newark, under cover of communication dated August 20, 1979 (90822003 D MG):

Q10 Envelope bearing the hand printed address "AMERICAN AIRLINES"

Q11 Torn sheet of paper bearing hand printing beginning "AUGUST 14, 1979 AMERICAN AIRLINES: . . ."

Specimens received August 22, 1979, from ADIC, New York, under cover of communication dated August 20, 1979 (90822014 D MG):

Qc12 Photocopy of sheet of paper bearing handwriting beginning "Open letter to all the . . ."

Qc13 Photocopy of sheet of paper bearing handwriting beginning "the presidential candidates . . ."

Qc14 Photocopy of newspaper clippings beginning "El ECL Amenazo . . ."

Qc15 Photocopy of torn newspaper clipping beginning "Sen. Baker sets P.R. . . ."

Q16 Envelope bearing handwritten address "City Desk"

Q17 Sheet of paper bearing handwriting beginning "Open letter to all the presidential . . ."

Q18 Envelope bearing hand printing beginning "DEL EJERCITO DE LIBERACION . . ."

Qc19 Photocopy of sheet bearing handwriting beginning "Open letter to all the . . ."

- Qc20 Photocopy of sheet of paper bearing handwriting beginning "the presidential candidates. In 1976 . . ."
- Qc21 Photocopy of torn newspaper clipping beginning "Sen. Baker sets P.R. campaign . . ."
- Qc22 Photocopy of newspaper clippings beginning "El ECL Amenazo . . ."
- Q23 Sheet of paper bearing handwriting beginning "the presidential candidates . . ."
- Q24 Envelope bearing hand printing beginning "CAPTAIN: CALL THE WHITE HOUSE . . ."
- Qc25 Photocopy of sheet of paper bearing handwriting beginning "Open letter to all the . . ."
- Qc26 Photocopy of sheet of paper bearing handwriting beginning "The presidential candidates . . ."
- Qc27 Photocopy of newspaper clippings beginning "El ECL Amenazo . . ."
- K1 Fingerprint card for

ALSO SUBMITTED:

Transparent tape and tape dispenser

Result of examination:

The photocopies in question display characteristics associated with items produced on a Xerox Model 5400 copy machine.

Q17 served as a source for the xerox copies Qc2, Qc9, Qc12, Qc19 and Qc25. These copies were made contemporaneously on the same copy machine. Q23 served as the source for the xerox copies Qc3, Qc13, Qc20 and Qc26. These xerox copies were made contemporaneously on the same copy machine. Q17 also served as the source for Qc8, however, it could not be determined that this was made contemporaneously with the other questioned items.

Qc4, Qc7, Qc15 and Qc21 were made contemporaneously on the same copy machine.

Qc5, Qc14, Qc22 and Qc27 were made contemporaneously on the same copy machine.

No conclusion could be reached regarding the tape on the Q1 and Q6 envelopes and the ALSO SUBMITTED tape dispenser.

No indented writing or other identifiable characteristics were noted and no conclusion could be reached regarding the remaining questioned items.

The submitted evidence has been photographed and will be returned with the results of the latent fingerprint examination.

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To: SAC, Washington Field Office (175-297)

Re: UNSUB; aka
Ejercito De Liberacion de Puerto Rico, Puerto Rican Liberation Army; Threat to Assassinate President Jimmy Carter, Howard Baker, John Connally, George Bush and Ronald Reagan, and to Bomb an Unidentified Jetliner - VICTIMS; Congressional Assassination Statute, Threats Against the President (A)
OO: Washington Field Office

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LAB. NO. 90817017 D MG
YOUR NO. 90817018
90822003
90822014
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Examination requested by: Washington Field Office

Reference: Airtel dated August 15, 1979

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Specimens received: August 17, 1979

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"Sen. Baker sets P.R. . . ."
- Qc5 Photocopy of ~~two pages cut from~~ ^{clippings} newspaper beginning "El ECL Amenazo . . ." and "El ECL Amenazo a Ford" ~~"Si Pone un . . ."~~

ALSO SUBMITTED:

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Q₁ & Q₆ - ENVS TAPE - NC. (NO TWO ENDS ALIKE) TOO MUCH VAR.

XEROX MODEL 5400.

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(Paper Q₁₁ - Q₁₇ & Q₂₃ SIM - NC)

✓ Q₁₇ = TOP LINE to BOTTOM LINE. 219 1/2 mm (-)

Q₂ 2, 9, 12, 19, 25. 223 mm (+)

TEST = 305 mm → 310 mm

$$\frac{305}{310} = .98387, \quad \frac{220}{223} = .9865$$

Q₂₃ TOP LINE to BOTTOM LINE. 219 1/2 mm (-)

Q₃ 3, 13, 20, 26. 222 1/2 same machine/print (11")

Q₁₈ 222 1/2 TOP LINE to "R" (RICAN) - NC LERAL SIZE

✓ Q₄ Q₇ Q₁₅ Q₂₁

XEROX SAME MACHINE/SAME FIRM.

✓ Q₅ Q₁₄ Q₂₂ Q₂₇ SAME MACH
(POSS NEWS PAPER XEROX?) SAME FIRM

* Q₁, 6, 10, 11, 16, 18, 24 NC. (NO KNOWS)

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To: SAC, Alexandria (175-51)

UNSUB; aka

Ejercito De Liberacion De Puerto Rico ~~FBI FILE NO. XXXXXX~~

Puerto Rican Liberation Army;

THREAT TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT

LAB. NO. 90817018 D MG

Re: JIMMY CARTER, HOWARD BAKER, JOHN
CONNALLY, GEORGE BUSH, AND RONALD
REAGAN, AND TO BOMB AN UNIDENTIFIED

YOUR NO.

JET LINER - VICTIMS;

CONGRESSIONAL ASSASSINATION STATUTE, Examination by:

THREATS AGAINST THE PRESIDENT

OO: Washington Field Office

Examination requested by: Alexandria

Reference: Airtel dated August 16, 1979

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Specimens received: August 17, 1979

Q86 Envelope bearing hand printed address "AMERICAN
AIRLINES DULLES AIRPORT"

Qc67 Photocopy of torn piece of newspaper beginning
"Sen. Baker sets P.R. ..."

Qc78 Photocopy of sheet of paper bearing handwriting
beginning "the presidential candidates . . ."

Qc89 Photocopy of sheet of paper bearing handwriting
beginning "Open letter to all . . ."

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ALSO SUBMITTED:

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*Q1 then Qc5 returned to WFO
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CONNALLY, GEORGE BUSH, AND RONALD
REAGAN, AND TO BOMB AN UNIDENTIFIED
JET LINER - VICTIMS;
CONGRESSIONAL ASSASSINATION STATUTE,
THREATS AGAINST THE PRESIDENT
OO: Washington Field Office

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LAB. NO. 90817018 D MG
YOUR NO.
Examination by:

Examination requested by: Alexandria

Reference: Airtel dated August 16, 1979

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Specimens received: August 17, 1979

Q6 ~~Q5~~

Envelope bearing hand printed address "AMERICAN AIRLINES DULLES AIRPORT"

Qc7 ~~Qc6~~

Photocopy of torn piece of newspaper beginning "Sen. Baker sets P.R. ..."

Qc8 ~~Qc7~~

Photocopy of sheet of paper bearing handwriting beginning "the presidential candidates . . ."

Qc9 ~~Qc8~~

Photocopy of sheet of paper bearing handwriting beginning "Open letter to all . . ."

*Q6 then Qc9 returned to Alexandria
with LFPS report 9/15/79
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[REDACTED] AKA EJERCITO DE
LIBERACION DE PUERTO RICO, AKA PUERTO RICAN LIBERATION ARMY;
THREAT TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT CARTER, ET AL; THREAT TO
BOMB A JET LINER; THREATS AGAINST THE PRESIDENT; OO: WASHINGTON
FIELD OFFICE.

[REDACTED] CRIME ABOARD AIRCRAFT - INTERFERENCE
WITH FLIGHT CREW; OO: NEW YORK.

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FOR THE INFORMATION OF THE BUREAU AND ALL OFFICES, AUSA

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FOR CAPTIONED SUBJECT IS SET FOR SEPTEMBER 24, 1979.

AUSA [REDACTED] REQUESTED THAT ALL EVIDENCE REGARDING THIS
MATTER CURRENTLY IN POSSESSION OF FBI LABORATORY AND FBI
IDENTIFICATION DIVISION BE IMMEDIATELY TRANSMITTED TO NYO
TO ARRIVE AT NYO NOT LATER THAN FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1979.

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TO DIRECTOR ROUTINE

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WASHINGTON FIELD ROUTINE

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AKA EJERCITO DE

LIBERACION DE PUERTO RICO, AKA PUERTO RICAN LIBERATION ARMY;

THREAT TO ASSASSINATION PRESIDENT JIMMY CARTER, ET AL, THREATS SEP 7 1979

AGAINST THE PRESIDENT, OO: WASHINGTON FIELD.

[REDACTED] AKA; CRIME ABOARD AIRCRAFT - INTERFERENCE
 WITH FLIGHT CREW MEMBERS, EID - BOMB THREAT, NEW YORK.

RENYTEL TO DIRECTOR, AUGUST 15, 1979.

FOR THE INFORMATION OF ST. LOUIS, CAPTIONED [REDACTED] IS
 RESPONSIBLE FOR MAKING A TELEPHONIC BOMB THREAT IN WASHINGTON,

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D.C., ON AUGUST 13, 1979; LEAVING A THREATENING COMMUNIQUE IN A PHONE BOOTH IN WASHINGTON, D.C., ON AUGUST 13, 1979; DELIVERING A THREATENING COMMUNIQUE TO THE NEW YORK DAILY NEWS ON AUGUST 14, 1979; LEAVING A THREATENING COMMUNIQUE AT DALLAS INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, VIRGINA, ON AUGUST 14, 1979; LEAVING A THREATENING COMMUNIQUE AT NEWARK INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, NEW JERSEY, ON AUGUST 14, 1979; AND INTERFERING WITH FLIGHT CREW-MEMBERS OF AMERICAN AIRLINES FLIGHT 697 ON AUGUST 15, 1979, IN NEW YORK CITY. SUBJECT ARRESTED BY BUREAU AGENTS ON AUGUST 15, 1979, AND CURRENTLY INCARCERATED AT METROPOLITAN CORRECTIONAL CENTER, MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, NEW YORK, WITH BAIL SET AT \$500,000.00.

FOR THE INFORMATION OF THE BUREAU AND ALL OFFICES ON AUGUST 23, 1979, A FEDERAL GRAND JURY, EDNY, BROOKLYN, NEW YORK, INDICTED CAPTIONED SUBJECT FOR CRIME ABOARD AIRCRAFT - INTERFERENCE WITH PERFORMANCE OF FLIGHT CREW IN VIOLATION OF TITLE 49, UNITED STATES CODE, SECTION 1472 (J).

ON AUGUST 28, 1979, AUSA EDNY, BROOKLYN, NEW YORK, REQUESTED THAT THE FBI OBTAIN ALL DETAILS CONCERNING ARREST OF CAPTIONED SUBJECT BY UNITED STATES SECRET SERVICE ON

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JUNE 16, 1976, IN SAN JUAN, PUERTO RICO, FOR THREATS AGAINST THEN PRESIDENT GERALD FORD. ON THE SAME DATE UNITED STATES SECRET SERVICE AGENT [REDACTED] NEW YORK CITY, ADVISED THAT UNITED STATES SECRET SERVICE FILE NUMBER REGARDING CAPTIONED SUBJECT IS [REDACTED] AUSA [REDACTED] FURTHER REQUESTED THAT THE FBI OBTAIN COMPLETE MILITARY RECORDS OF CAPTIONED SUBJECT REFLECTING ALL INFORMATION CONCERNING HIS SERVICE IN UNITED STATES ARMY FROM [REDACTED] UTILIZING UNITED STATES ARMY SERVICE NUMBER [REDACTED]

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THE BUREAU IS REQUESTED TO CONTACT UNITED STATES SECRET SERVICE HEADQUARTERS AND OBTAIN COMPLETE COPY OF UNITED STATES SECRET SERVICE REPORT REGARDING CAPTIONED SUBJECT AS DESCRIBED ABOVE AND FORWARD SAME TO NYO.

SAN JUAN AT SAN JUAN, PUERTO RICO. IS REQUESTED TO EXPEDITIOUSLY REPORT RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION REQUESTED IN REFERENCED NEW YORK TELETYPE TO DIRECTOR, AUGUST 15, 1979.

ST. LOUIS IS REQUESTED TO CONTACT UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES PERSONAL RECORDS CENTER AND OBTAIN COMPLETE MILITARY RECORDS FILE REFLECTING ALL DETAILS OF CAPTIONED SUBJECT'S SERVICE IN THE UNITED STATES ARMY UNDER UNITED STATES ARMY

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From: Director, FBI

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PRESIDENT JIMMY CARTER, ET AL,
THREATS AGAINST THE PRESIDENT,
OO: WASHINGTON FIELD

[REDACTED]
CRIME ABOARD AIRCRAFT -
INTERFERENCE WITH FLIGHT
CREW MEMBERS, EXPLOSIVE AND
INCENDIARY DEVICES - BOMB THREAT,
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Reference New York teletype to the Director dated
8-28-79.

As requested in referenced teletype, enclosed for
New York are copies of 12 reports received from U.S. Secret
Service Headquarters, Washington, D. C., regarding subject.
Also enclosed are San Juan report dated 7-29-76, Bureau
file 175-412, San Juan LHM, 7-21-79, and San Juan teletype
to the Director dated 1-14-79, Bureau file [REDACTED]

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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Copy to: 1 - USA, San Juan (Attention: AUSA [redacted])

Report of: [redacted]

Office: SAN JUAN

Date: July 29, 1976

Field Office File #: 175-12

Bureau File #:

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Title: [redacted]

Character: THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT

Synopsis: On 6/7/76, subject telephonically contacted the San Juan Office of the FBI and advised that he was going to kill President Ford upon his arrival in Puerto Rico. Subject further advised that [redacted] Editor of El Mundo, a local newspaper, could be contacted to verify subject's threat. Contact with [redacted] disclosed that on 6/7/76, he had received a hand-written note threatening the life of President GERALD R. FORD. Contact with [redacted] Editor of the San Juan Star, a local newspaper, disclosed that his paper had also received a telephone call from subject advising them of subject's plan to kill President FORD. Interview of subject's known acquaintances [redacted] failed to disclose any reason to believe that there was a conspiracy involved in subject's threat to kill President FORD. On 6/9/76, AUSA [redacted] San Juan, Puerto Rico, declined prosecution of subject under Title 18, USC, Section 1751, in favor of prosecution of subject under Title 18, USC, Section 871, the jurisdiction of which lies with the U. S. Secret Service.

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Date of transcription June 10, 1976

On June 7, 1976, at approximately 12:20 PM, Clerk [redacted] received an anonymous telephone call while on switchboard duty. The caller was a male individual who identified himself as [redacted] and stated the following to Clerk [redacted] in the Spanish language:

"Si el Presidente Ford viene a Puerto Rico, nosotros los vamos a matar. Si no me crees, puedes llamar a [redacted] del periódico El Mundo."

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The following is a translation of the above statement to the English language:

If President Ford comes to Puerto Rico, we are going to kill him. If you do not believe me, [redacted] of "El Mundo" newspaper.

Clerk MALDONADO then passed the call to Special Clerk (SC) [redacted] who was the complaint clerk on duty.

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by Clerk [redacted] ccr Date dictated 6/10/76

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On June 7, 1976, at approximately 12:20 p.m., Special Clerk (SC) [redacted] Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), while on complaint duty, was requested by FBI switchboard operator [redacted] to handle a call. SC [redacted] thereafter, answered this telephone call. A male individual who identified himself as [redacted] stated to SC [redacted] in the Spanish language, "Si el Presidente FORD viene a Puerto Rico nosotros lo vamos a matar. Nosotros le vamos a volar el avion. Para mas informacion llamen a [redacted] del Periodico "El Mundo". In the English language this is translated as follows: "If President FORD comes to Puerto Rico, we are going to kill him. We will blow up his plane. For more information call [redacted] of "El Mundo" newspaper". SC [redacted] requested [redacted] to identify the "We" referred to by [redacted] replied that "I am [redacted] from San Juan" and then discontinued the telephone conversation by hanging up. As soon as SC [redacted] terminated the above conversation U.S. Secret Service, Special Agent [redacted] was advised of this telephone call by SC [redacted]

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[redacted] El Mundo Newspaper, Hato Rey, Puerto Rico, advised that at approximately 4:30 p.m., this date, he returned to his office and found on his desk an envelope addressed to [redacted] El Mundo, Hato Rey, Puerto Rico." Upon opening the envelope, [redacted] discovered the following letter:

"5/7/76

"Warning President Ford. Don't do conference in Puerto Rico. I will blow your brains up. I have a perfect plan to kill you & other heads of States. There will be ultra-violence and many people will be massacre by violent revolt.

/s/ [redacted]

San Juan, Puerto Rico

"I sent this today"

[redacted] stated that he has been personally acquainted with [redacted] for approximately the last fifteen years.

[redacted] stated that [redacted] is a well-known artist in Puerto Rico, and in [redacted] opinion perhaps the best living artist in Puerto Rico at this time. [redacted] stated he is familiar with the signature of [redacted] and the signature appearing on the above letter appears to be that of [redacted]

[redacted] advised that [redacted] worked in the advertising department of El Mundo Newspaper prior to being named art director of the Sunday magazine section of El Mundo newspaper, which is known as "Puerto Rico Ilustrado." [redacted] stated when he first became acquainted with [redacted] was apolitical, but that some time prior to 1962, [redacted] had an apparent change of political beliefs to the extent that he marched in demonstrations against El Mundo Newspaper with the Puerto Rican Socialist Party during the 1972 strike of El Mundo newspaper.

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by SAs [redacted] and [redacted]
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[redacted] stated that [redacted] along with a couple of other artists was instrumental in canceling an international art show scheduled to be held in San Juan. [redacted] stated that [redacted] became influential in canceling the art show after finding out that United States Bicentennial funds had been given to the sponsors of the art show in order to encourage the cultural event.

[redacted] stated that [redacted] resigned his position at El Mundo newspaper in October of 1972 and since then has been self-employed as an artist while also teaching at the Puerto Rico Institute of Culture and the National Arts Center in San Juan, Puerto Rico. [redacted] stated he believed [redacted] was capable of attempting to carry out the above threat noting that [redacted] behavior is quite erratic and that [redacted] appears to have illusions of grandure. [redacted] stated that at one time [redacted] stated to him [redacted] that he [redacted] was a greater artist than PICASSO. [redacted] expressed the belief that [redacted] wants to be considered as a marter and may be attempting to do this by drawing attention to himself by being arrested in connection with the above written threat.

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[redacted] of the San Juan Star, was contacted at his place of employment and voluntarily supplied the following information:

[redacted] advised that on June 7, 1976, a [redacted] received a phone call from one [redacted] who advised [redacted] over the telephone that he was planning to assassinate President FORD, if the president came down as scheduled to Puerto Rico. [redacted] stated that on the evening of June 7, 1976, he [redacted] and a photographer, met with [redacted] at a restaurant called La Fonda del Callejon, located on Calle Fortaleza in Old San Juan. [redacted] advised that during that meeting with [redacted] told him that he disliked President FORD because of the way the President had been treating the Commonwealth and that he did not want President FORD to make his scheduled trip to Puerto Rico on June 27, 1976. [redacted] further stated that [redacted] told him that although he did not particularly want to kill President FORD, he and his followers would kill the President if he did come to Puerto Rico. [redacted] advised [redacted] told him he would carry out this threat by conducting a suicidal plan of strapping explosives to their bodies and detonating these explosives after getting near the President. [redacted] advised that [redacted] would not name any political party that might be involved in his attempt to assassinate the President and would not further elaborate on the members of his group or the plan.

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by SAs [redacted] and [redacted]
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[redacted] was contacted at the restaurant La Fonda del Callejon, located on Fortaleza Street in Old San Juan. [redacted] was advised of the identity of Special Agents (SAs) [redacted] of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) and SA [redacted] of the Secret Service, and the fact that they wished to speak to him regarding his threat to assassinate President FORD. [redacted] was then advised of his rights as outlined on the Interrogation; Advice of Rights form, and was given a copy of this form which he read and stated he understood. [redacted] then advised the Agents he was willing to speak with them and signed the forms.

[redacted] advised that he had called various members of the press in Puerto Rico to tell them that he and his followers were going to kill President FORD because the President had called a conference to be held in Puerto Rico without notifying the Government of Puerto Rico. He advised that this was an insult to the people of Puerto Rico and showed President FORD considered Puerto Rico no more than a United States colony. [redacted] further stated that he and his group were going to show the world that they were willing to defend Puerto Rico's right to be independent. He stated that his group had no formal name, but that they considered themselves extremists, revolutionists, and terrorists.

[redacted] was shown a copy of a letter received by [redacted] of El Mundo newspaper, outlining a plan to kill President FORD. [redacted] stated that he wrote that letter and that he meant every word of it. He further advised that he had written and mailed a copy of the same letter to several other executives of various newspapers in Puerto Rico. He stated that he is the brains and organizer of his group and that even if he was removed, he would count on his group to carry out his plans. [redacted] refused to identify any members of his group or to expand on the details of his plan to kill President FORD.

[redacted] advised that he has been in Cuba on three occasions, going through Mexico and Jamaica. He further

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stated that he has received more than basic military training in the use of firearms and explosives, but refused to advise where he received this training or what degree of training he had received. He further advised he knows how to fly single engine aircrafts, although he has no license.

[redacted] advised that his threat to kill the President was no bluff and that it should be taken seriously.

The following is descriptive data regarding [redacted]
[redacted] obtained through observation and interview:

Name

Current Address

Employment

Place of Birth

Date of Birth

Sex

Male

Race

Caucasian

Complexion

Height

Weight

Hair

Eyes

Scars/Marks/Tattoos

Military

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Driver's License

Marital Status

Wife

Address

Father

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[redacted]
[redacted] was contacted by interviewing Agents and voluntarily supplied the interviewing Agents with the following information:

[redacted] advised that he is a lawyer by profession and that he has had numerous dealings with [redacted] in the past handling various divorces of [redacted] and buying art works from [redacted] stated that he did not know very much about [redacted] except that [redacted] socializes with the artistic element in Puerto Rico, who have leftist inclinations and who favor independence for Puerto Rico.

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[redacted] stated that his personal opinion was that [redacted] was not capable of committing any act of violence and that he did not personally know of any group advocating the assassination of President FORD to which [redacted] was a member.

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[redacted]
[redacted] was contacted by interviewing Agents and voluntarily supplied the following information:

[redacted] advised that she was [redacted]
[redacted] that [redacted] but
that [redacted]
reasons. [redacted] described [redacted] as an apolitical person, however, by nature of his artistic inclinations, he leaned toward the independent feeling that is prevalent in the artistic side of Puerto Rico. [redacted] stated that [redacted] was capable of focusing his attention on a particular goal and trying to attain that goal by whatever means possible. She further advised that she had not known of [redacted] intentions to threaten the life of President FORD nor did she know whether or not he was involved with any group, that was capable of carrying out that threat.

[redacted] advised that [redacted]
[redacted] she never really got to know him, that he was an introvert and noncommunicative, and that for these reasons, she could not comment on the likelihood of [redacted] carrying out his threat to attempt to assassinate President FORD.

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[redacted] of La Fonda del Callejon, located on Calle Fortaleza in Old San Juan, was advised of the identity of the interviewing Agents and the fact that they wished to speak to him regarding [redacted]. [redacted] then voluntarily supplied the following information:

[redacted] stated [redacted] was a frequent patron of his restaurant. He advised that on June 7, 1976, at approximately noon, [redacted] had contacted him at his restaurant and told him that he had just written and sent a letter to [redacted] of the El Mundo Newspaper threatening to kill President FORD if the president came to Puerto Rico. [redacted] stated that [redacted] told him he sent this letter in reply to a column [redacted] had written the previous week stating that there were no patriotic Puerto Ricans, only political ones. [redacted] stated that [redacted] had also told him that he had sent a copy of this letter to the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI).

[redacted] advised that later that day he received a call from [redacted] of the San Juan Star, who told him that [redacted] had called him (MC COY), and told him he was going to kill President FORD. [redacted] told [redacted] that he was going to kill the President by putting dynamite on himself and in a suicidal act, blow up the President.

[redacted] stated that he has known [redacted] for four years and that he does not believe that [redacted] is capable of killing President FORD. He advised that in his opinion [redacted] is just seeking publicity and wants to put on a show. He stated that in the past, [redacted] has gone to exceeding lengths to put himself in the limelight. He stated that [redacted] used to be a "streaker," and that he had heard that at several parties given by [redacted] in the past, [redacted] performed sexual acts with a partner in front of an audience at the party in order to bring more attention to himself.

[redacted] advised that [redacted] showed him a second letter that he supposedly wrote stating that

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"he was going to blow out President FORD's brains." [redacted] stated that he does not think that [redacted] wrote the second letter because the language used in the letter is not typical of [redacted]. He stated that the only other possibility was that some group of people is using [redacted] to creat an incident, but he has no evidence that a group of that nature exists.

[redacted] stated that [redacted] returned from Cuba ten to fifteen days ago and that he has been in the company of a group of artists which hang out at La Fonda del Callejon.

[redacted] advised that if he obtains any new information of value, he will contact interviewing Agents and pass that information on to them.

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On June 9, 1976, at approximately 4:30 p.m., [redacted] appeared at the San Juan Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) and handed to Special Clerk (SC) [redacted] a handwritten note that read as follows:

"FBI - Secret Service warning:

"If you really want to save President FORD don't have him come to the Island of Puerto Rico: you know the rest of the plan, take it or leave it. Last Warning."

The note was signed [redacted]

[redacted] was then advised of his rights as outlined on the Interrogation: Advice of Rights form by Special Agent [redacted] stated that he understood his rights and after reading the Interrogation: Advice of Rights form that was supplied to him, signed the form and stated that he was willing to speak to the interviewing Agents. [redacted] then supplied the following information:

[redacted] advised that he had come to the FBI Office only to give a last warning. He stated that he was a member of the "Puerto Rican Liberation Army," and while a captive in the FBI Office, only had to give his name, rank, and serial number. [redacted] was questioned regarding the existence of a conspiracy to kill President FORD, and although advising that he had followers, would not offer any proof of the existence of a conspiracy. [redacted] then refused to answer any further questions and the interview was terminated.

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On June 9, 1976, the facts surrounding the threat to assassinate President FORD by [redacted] were presented to Assistant United States Attorney [redacted] District of Puerto Rico, San Juan, Puerto Rico. At that time, [redacted] declined prosecution of [redacted] under Title 18, United States Code, Section 1751, involving a potential conspiracy to assassinate the President in favor of Title 18, United States Code, Section 871, the jurisdiction of which lies with the United States Secret Service. [redacted]

On June 15, 1976, [redacted] was arrested at his residence by Agents of the Secret Service, for violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 871. [redacted] was afforded a hearing before United States Magistrate JUAN PEREZ GIMENEZ, and remanded to the custody of the United States Marshal in lieu of \$50,000 cash bond. Preliminary hearing was scheduled for June 22, 1976.

~~On June 22, 1976, [redacted] was afforded a preliminary hearing in front of United States Magistrate JUAN PEREZ GIMENEZ and at that time was held over for psychological evaluation scheduled for June 29, 1976. During that hearing an appeal for bail reduction was denied.~~



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
San Juan, Puerto Rico

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On December 30, 1975, SJ T-1, who has furnished
reliable information in the past, advised that [redacted]

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On May 14, 1976, Passport Records, U. S. Department
of States, San Juan, Puerto Rico, were caused to be searched
by a representative of the FBI and the following information
was noted regarding above-captioned person:

Name
Passport Number
Date Issued
Birth Date
Place of Birth
Height
Hair
Eyes
Address

[redacted]

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On June 7, 1976, records of the Department of Motor Vehicles, Santurce, Puerto Rico, were reviewed by a representative of the FBI and the following was noted regarding above captioned individual:

Name
Driver's License
Number
Date of Birth
Place of Birth
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[REDACTED]

On June 7, 1976, a person by the name of [REDACTED] made various phone calls to various newspapers in the San Juan, Puerto Rico, area as well as to the FBI and United States Secret Service Offices in San Juan, Puerto Rico, advising that he and his followers were going to kill President Ford because of President Ford having called an International Conference to be held in Puerto Rico at the end of June, 1976, without having consulted the Government of Puerto Rico. Upon subsequent interview by FBI and United States Secret Service Agents at San Juan on June 8, 1976, [REDACTED] admitted to having made above-mentioned telephone calls. He further stated during interview that he and his group wanted to show the world that they were willing to defend Puerto Rico's right to be independent.

During the interview, [REDACTED] advised he had been to Cuba three times. He reportedly went the last time some three months ago to attend an Art Show along with fellow artists from Puerto Rico.

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On June 16, 1976, [REDACTED] was arrested by United States Secret Service Agents at San Juan, Puerto Rico, on the charge of threatening to kill the President of the United States. He was subsequently brought before U. S. Magistrate Juan Perez Jimenez, San Juan, Puerto Rico, who placed [REDACTED] under a \$50,000 bond. [REDACTED] was then turned over to the custody of the U. S. Marshal when he could not post that bond. Preliminary hearing for [REDACTED] is scheduled for June 22, 1976, at San Juan, Puerto Rico.

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An article appearing in the June 26, 1976, issue of the "San Juan Star," an English language newspaper published daily in San Juan, Puerto Rico, entitled [REDACTED] 'Threat' Dramatizes P.R. Status," stated that [REDACTED] during his probable cause hearing concerning charges against him of threatening to kill the President of the United States, alleged that his threatening statements were not a real threat but a work of "conceptual art." He further advised that the threat was to dramatize Puerto Rico's colonial situation. The article further stated that probable cause to prosecute was found against [REDACTED] but that before standing trial [REDACTED] would be submitted for psychiatric evaluation. The article identified [REDACTED] as one of Puerto Rico's best-known painters and graphic artists.

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Contact with confidential sources of the San Juan Division of the FBI during May and June, 1976, failed to establish information indicating [REDACTED] is or may be a foreign intelligence officer or foreign terrorist or that he may be the target of a foreign intelligence service. In view of this and since investigation indicates that [REDACTED] traveled to Cuba for no other reason than to attend an art show as he claims, no further investigation is being conducted in this matter. (S) (U)

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FM SAN JUAN [REDACTED] (175-12) (P)

TO DIRECTOR ROUTINE

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E F T O

IS - CUBA

REFERENCE SAN JUAN LETTER AND LHM DATED JULY 21, 1976, AND
SAN JUAN REPORT OF SPECIAL AGENT [REDACTED] JULY 29, 1976,
CAPTIONED [REDACTED] AKA, THREAT AGAINST THE
PRESIDENT," SJ FILE 175-12.

FOR THE INFORMATION OF THE BUREAU THE JANUARY 13, 1977,
EDITION OF THE "SAN JUAN STAR," AN ENGLISH LANGUAGE NEWSPAPER
PUBLISHED DAILY IN SAN JUAN, CONTAINS AN ARTICLE ON PAGE 12,
CAPTIONED, [REDACTED] DECLARES WAR WITH CUBA [REDACTED]

THIS ARTICLE CONCERNS A STATEMENT MADE BY [REDACTED]
INDIVIDUAL WHO WAS REPORTED IN REFERENCED COMMUNICATIONS AS
MAKING A THREAT ON JUNE 7, 1976, TO KILL PRESIDENT FORD UPON HIS

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED

DATE 4/28/81 BY SP-5 RSC/BS/DLC

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E F T O

ARRIVAL IN PUERTO RICO TO ATTEND THE INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC CONFERENCE, JUNE 27 - 28, 1976, AT DORADO, PUERTO RICO.

THE ABOVE ARTICLE STATES THAT [REDACTED] "SAID WEDNESDAY THE PUERTO RICAN LIBERATION ARMY HAS DECLARED WAR ON THE U. S. AND THE STATEHOOD MOVEMENT IN P.R." *Puerto Rico*

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THE ARTICLE ~~ESY~~ STATING, "POLICE SAID THEY HAD NEVER HEARD OF THE ARMY BUT [REDACTED] SAID IT COVERS THE WHOLE ISLAND ALTHOUGH MOST OF OUR FORCES ARE CONCENTRATED IN THE SAN JUAN METROPOLITAN AREA."

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[REDACTED] SAID IN A NEWS CONFERENCE: "THIS ARMED VIOLENCE WILL BE GENERAL VIOLENCE AND THAT WILL INCLUDE DEATHS, LIKE ALL VIOLENCE,"

AS THE BUREAU IS AWARE THROUGH PREVIOUS DETAILED INVESTIGATION, [REDACTED] IS A MENTALLY UNSTABLE PERSON WHO IS OBVIOUSLY FABRICATING HIS IDEA OF THE PUERTO RICAN LIBERATION ARMY. THIS GROUP HAS NEVER COME TO THE ATTENTION OF EITHER THE SAN JUAN OFFICE OR [REDACTED] AND THIS COMMUNICATION IS BEING SUBMITTED FOR INFORMATION PURPOSES.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C. 20537

REPORT

of the

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION
IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

YOUR FILE NO. 175-297 (P) (C-4)
FBI FILE NO. 89-4492
LATENT CASE NO. B-77704

September 19, 1979

TO: SAC, WFO

RE:

THREAT TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT JIMMY CARTER,
HOWARD BAKER, JOHN CONNALLY, GEORGE BUSH,
AND RONALD REAGAN AND TO BOMB AN UNIDENTIFIED
JETLINER - VICTIMS

CONGRESSIONAL ASSASSINATION STATUTE, THREATS
AGAINST THE PRESIDENT

CRIME ABOARD AIRCRAFT - INTERFERENCE
WITH FLIGHT CREW MEMBERS
EID - BOMB THREAT

REFERENCE:
EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY:
SPECIMENS:

WFO airtel 8-15-79, Alexandria airtel 8-16-79, Newark airtel 8-20-79,

New York airtel 8-20-79, and New York teletype 9-1-79

WFO, Alexandria, Newark and New York

Envelope and four photocopies, Q1 through Qc5, four lifts
and piece of tape submitted with WFO airtel 8-15-79Envelope and three photocopies, Q6 through Qc9, submitted
with Alexandria airtel 8-16-79Envelope and sheet of paper, Q10 and Q11, submitted with
Newark airtel 8-20-79Numerous photocopies and other miscellaneous items, Qc12
through Qc27, tape and dispenser and fingerprints of

[redacted] FBI [redacted] submitted

with New York airtel 8-20-79

This report supplements and confirms Butel 9-7-79.

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Asst. Dir.: 1 - Alexandria (175-51) (P) - Enc. (4)
Adm. Servs. 1 - Newark (175-83) (C-3) - Enc. (2)
Crim. Inv. _____ (M-10) - Enc. (18)
Ident. 2 - [redacted]
Intell. 1 - SA [redacted] Rm. 4052, TL #242

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Laboratory 1 - Legal Liaison and Congressional Affairs Unit, Rm. 3658
Legal Coun. 1 - Bufile [redacted] Crime Aboard Aircraft -
Plan. & Insp. 1 - Interference With Flight Crew Members, EID - Bomb Threat
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SAC, WFO

September 19, 1979

The listed Q specimens are further described in a separate Laboratory report.

Thirty-seven latent fingerprints and two latent palm prints of value were developed on Q1, Qc2, Qc3, Qc4 and Qc5.

Eleven latent fingerprints and one latent palm print of value were developed on Q6, Qc7, and Qc8.

Four latent fingerprints of value were developed on Q10 and Q11.

Forty-one latent fingerprints (two from extreme tip areas of fingers), four latent palm prints and three latent impressions (fingerprints or palm prints), of value were developed on Qc12, Qc13, Qc14, Q17, Q18, Q23, Q24, Qc25, Qc26 and Qc27.

No additional latent prints of value were present or developed on the specimens.

Six latent fingerprints developed on the following described specimens submitted by WFO, have been identified as finger impressions of [REDACTED]

Two fingerprints on Q1, torn envelope bearing the hand printed address "F. D. I. WASHINGTON, D. C."

One fingerprint on Qc3, photocopy of sheet of paper bearing handwriting beginning "the presidential candidates."

Three fingerprints on Qc5, photocopy of three newspaper clippings beginning "El ECL Amenazo..."

Eleven latent fingerprints developed on the following described specimens, submitted by Alexandria, have been identified as finger impressions of [REDACTED]

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One fingerprint on Q6, envelope bearing hand printed address "AMERICAN AIRLINES DULLES AIRPORT"

Four fingerprints on Qc7, photocopy of piece of newspaper beginning "Sen. Baker sets P. R..."

Six fingerprints on Qc8, photocopy of sheet of paper bearing handwriting beginning "the presidential candidates..."

Four latent fingerprints developed on the following described specimens submitted by Newark, have been identified as finger impressions of [REDACTED]

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Two fingerprints on Q10, envelope bearing hand printing "AMERICAN AIRLINES"

Two fingerprints on Q11, torn sheet of paper bearing hand printing beginning "AUGUST 14, 1979 AMERICAN AIRLINES:..."

Twenty-eight latent fingerprints developed on the following described specimens submitted by New York, have been identified as finger impressions of [REDACTED]

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Two fingerprints on Q17 (New York #B-1), sheet of paper bearing handwriting beginning "Open letter to all the..."

One fingerprint on Q18 (part of #B-3), envelope bearing hand printing beginning "DEL EJERCITO DE LIBERACION..."

Two fingerprints on Q23 (#B-2), sheet of paper bearing handwriting beginning "the presidential candidates..."

Five fingerprints on Q24 (#C-1), envelope bearing hand printing beginning "CAPTAIN: CALL THE WHITE HOUSE..."

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Six fingerprints on Qc25 (#C-2), photocopy of sheet of paper bearing handwriting beginning "Open letter to all the..."

Five fingerprints on Qc26 (#C-3), photocopy of sheet of paper bearing handwriting beginning "the presidential candidates..."

Seven fingerprints on Qc27 (#C-4), photocopy of three newspaper clippings beginning "EL ECL Amenazo..."

The remaining latent fingerprints and impressions were compared with the available fingerprints of [redacted] but no additional identifications were effected. Major case prints are needed for complete comparisons.

Comparable areas of the unidentified latent prints developed on the specimens submitted by WFO were compared with the unidentified latent prints on the specimens submitted by New York, but no identifications were effected.

The fingerprints of [redacted] have been retained and a copy of his identification record will be furnished separately. The remaining specimens are enclosed to their respective divisions.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Laboratory Work Sheet

RECORDED: 11:15 a.m. jt 9/7/79

RECEIVED: 9/7/79

To: ADIC, [REDACTED] (M-10)

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FBI FILE NO.

89-4492-13

LAB. NO.

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Re:

CRIME ABOARD AIRCRAFT-INTERFERE WITH FLIGHT
CREWMEMBERS;
EID, BOMB THREAT

LC# B-77704

Examination by:

00: New York

Noted By: [REDACTED]

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Examination requested by: New York

Reference:

Airtel dated August 20, 1979 and teletype 9/1/79

Examination requested:

Document - Fingerprint

Specimens received:

August 22, 1979

- Qc12 (A-1) Photocopy of sheet of paper bearing handwriting beginning "Open letter to all the . . ."
- Qc13 (A-2) Photocopy of sheet of paper bearing handwriting beginning "The presidential candidates . . ."
- Qc14 (A-3) Photocopy of ^{three} newspaper clippings beginning "El ECL Amenazo . . ."
- Qc15 (A-4) Photocopy of ~~the~~ newspaper clipping beginning "Sen. Baker sets P.R. . . ."
- Q16 (A-5) Envelope bearing handwritten address "City Desk"
- Q17 (B-1) Sheet of paper bearing handwriting beginning "Open letter to all the ~~presidential~~ . . ."
- Q18 (B-3) Envelope bearing hand printing beginning "DEL EJERCITO DE LIBERACION . . ."
- Qc19 (B-3) Photocopy of sheet bearing handwriting beginning "Open letter to all the . . ."

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Qc 12 thru Qc 27 to photo for object shots 9/7
Negs of object shots sent to SA [] in lab 9/7

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Qc 12 - Qc 27 proc min 9/7

Qc 12, Qc 14, Qc 16 - Qc 18, and Qc 20 thru Qc 27 to photo (min) 9/7

Lat prints of val dev min on specs as follows:

1 fprint and 1 imp (fprint or pp) on Qc 12

1 fprint on Qc 13

8 fprints on Qc 14

3 fprints (1 tp) on Qc 17 (2 fprints of #6 [])

2 fprints (1 tp) on Qc 18 (1 fprint of #7 [])

2 fprints and 1 pp on Qc 23 (2 fprints of #6 [])

6 fprints and 2 imps (fprints or pp) on Qc 24 (5 fprints of #1, 2, 5, 7, 7 [])

6 fprints on Qc 25 (6 fprints of #1, 7, 7, 8, 9, 9 [])

5 fprints and 1 pp on Qc 26 (5 fprints of #1, 6, 6, 8, 10 [])

7 fprints and 2 pps on Qc 27 (7 fprints of #2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 6, 9 [])

Q's verified

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Total of 41 fprints (2 tps), 4 pps and 3 imps

No additional lat prints of val dev on specs

Qc20 (B-3) Photocopy of sheet of paper bearing handwriting beginning "the presidential candidates,," ~~in 1976~~

Qc21 (B-3) Photocopy of ~~the~~ newspaper clipping beginning "Sen. Baker sets P.R. campaign . . ."

Qc22 (B-3) Photocopy of three newspaper clippings beginning "EL ECL Amenazo . . ."

Q23 (B-2) Sheet of paper bearing handwriting beginning "the presidential candidates . . ."

Q24 (C-1) Envelope bearing hand printing beginning "CAPTAIN: CALL THE WHITE HOUSE . . ."

Qc25 (C-2) Photocopy of sheet of paper bearing handwriting beginning "Open letter to all the . . ."

Qc26 (C-3) Photocopy of sheet of paper bearing handwriting beginning "the presidential candidates . . ."

Qc27 (C-4) Photocopy of three newspaper clippings beginning "EL ECL Amenazo . . ."

K1 Fingerprint card for

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ALSO SUBMITTED:

Transparent tape and tape dispenser

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Remaining lat prints and negs compared available
prints of [] but no f's effected

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Major case prints needed for complete comps

7 prints of [] retained (record will be from negs)

Remaining specimens enclosed

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Comparable areas of unident lat prints compared

unident lat prints, prev den on specs submitted

with WFO Airtel 8/15/79 but no f's effected

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To: SAC, Newark (175-83) (C-3) (RUC) (G-C)

FBI FILE NO.

89-4492-13

LAB. NO.

90822003 D MG

Re:

CRIME ABOARD AIRCRAFT -
INTERFERENCE WITH FLIGHT CREW MEMBERS
EID - BOMB THREAT

YOUR NO.

LC# B-77704

Examination by:

00: Newark

Noted [REDACTED]

Examination requested by: Newark

Reference: Airtel dated August 20, 1979

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Specimens received: August 21, 1979

Q10 Envelope bearing hand printing "AMERICAN AIRLINES"

Q11 Torn sheet of paper bearing hand printing beginning
"AUGUST 14, 1979 AMERICAN AIRLINES: . . ."

Named Subject:

Q10 + Q11 to photo for object shots 9/7

Next of object shots sent to SA [REDACTED] in Lab 9/7

Q10 + Q11 proc min 9/7

Q10 + Q11 to photo (min) 9/7

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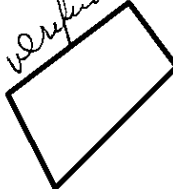
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Lat pnts of val dev min on specs as follows;

2 fpts on Q10 (2 fpts ϕ # 7, 8 )

2 fpts on Q11 (2 fpts ϕ # 3, 4 )

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Total of 4 lat fpts on 2 specs

No additional lat pnts of val dev on specs

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To: SAC, Washington Field Office (175-297) (P) (C-4)

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~~Ejercito De Liberacion de Puerto Rico, Puerto Rican Liberation Army;~~
Threat to Assassinate President
Re: Jimmy Carter, Howard Baker, John Connally, George Bush and Ronald Reagan, and to Bomb an Unidentified Jetliner - VICTIMS;
Congressional Assassination Statute, Threats Against the President (A)
OO: Washington Field Office

FBI FILE NO. 89-4492 13

LAB. NO. 90817017 D MG

YOUR NO.

LC# B- 77704

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Noted By:

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Examination requested by: Washington Field Office

Reference: Airtel dated August 15, 1979

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Specimens received: August 17, 1979

- Q1 Torn envelope bearing the hand printed address "F.B.I. WASHINGTON, D.C."
- Qc2 Photocopy of sheet of paper bearing handwriting beginning "Open letter to all the presidential . . ."
- Qc3 Photocopy of sheet of paper bearing handwriting beginning "the presidential candidates" in 1976 . . ."
- Qc4 Photocopy of ^{piece of} torn page from newspaper beginning "Sen. Baker sets P.R. . ."
- Qc5 Photocopy of ^{three} two pages cut from newspaper clippings beginning "El ECL Amenazo . . ." and "El ECL Amenazo a Ford "si Pone un . . ."

ALSO SUBMITTED:

4 Latent lifts (white rubber)

Piece of tape

Named Suspect:

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Q1 - Qc5 proc min 9/7

Q1 - Qc5 to photo (min) 9/7

Keys of specs sent to SA [] in lab 9/7

Lat prints of val clw min on specs as follows:

2 fpts on Q1 (2 fpts of #6, 8 [])

14 fpts on Qc2

2 fpts on Qc3 (1 fpt of #2 []) ^{ps verified}
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8 fpts and 1 pp on Qc4

11 fpts and 1 pp on Qc5 (3 fpts of #2, 3, 4 [])

Total of 37 fpts and 2 pps

No additional lat prints of val pres on clw on specs

Remaining lat fpts not of fpts [] - pps needed for
complete comps

Specs enclosed

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cc: 1-Alexandria (175-51)(P)

1-Newark (175-83)(C-3)

2-New York [] (M-10)

1-SA [] Rm 4052 JEH, TL 242

1-Legal Division and Congressional Affairs
Unit, Rm 3658 (with copies of incoming)

1-Buf

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Interference With Flight Crew members
EID - Bomb Threat

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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RECORDED: 9/7/79 11:20 a.m. jt

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To: SAC, Alexandria (175-51) (P)

Re: UNSUB; aka
Ejercito De Liberacion De Puerto Rico, FBI FILE NO. ~~XXXXXXXX~~ 89-4492-13
Puerto Rican Liberation Army;
THREAT TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT LAB. NO. 90817018 D MG
JIMMY CARTER, HOWARD BAKER, JOHN YOUR NO.
CONNALLY, GEORGE BUSH, AND RONALD LC# B-77704
REAGAN, AND TO BOMB AN UNIDENTIFIED
JET LINER - VICTIMS;
CONGRESSIONAL ASSASSINATION STATUTE, Examination by:
THREATS AGAINST THE PRESIDENT
00: Washington Field Office

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Noted by:
[REDACTED]

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Examination requested by: Alexandria

Reference: Airtel dated August 16, 1979

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Specimens received: August 17, 1979

Qc 05 Qc 6 Envelope bearing hand printed address "AMERICAN AIRLINES DULLES AIRPORT"

Qc 06 Qc 7 Photocopy of ~~trans~~ piece of newspaper beginning "Sen. Baker sets P.R. ..."

Qc 08 Qc 8 Photocopy of sheet of paper bearing handwriting beginning "the presidential candidates . . ."

Qc 09 Qc 9 Photocopy of sheet of paper bearing handwriting beginning "Open letter to all . . ."

Specs to photo for object shots 9/7

Negs of object shots sent to SA [REDACTED] in Lab 9/7

Specs proc min 9/7

Qc 06 thru Qc 9 to photo (min) 9/7

Subject: [REDACTED]

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Lat pnts of wal dev in on specs as follows:

1 fgrt on Q6 (1 fgrt of # 8)

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4 fgrts and 1 pp on Qc7 (4 fgrts of # 5, 7, 8, 10)

6 fgrts on on Qc8 (6 fgrts of # 1, 1, 8, 9, 9, 10)

Total of 11 fgrts and 1 pp

Q15 ventral

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No additional lat pnts of wal dev on specs

Pps needed for complete compo

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TO DIRECTOR ROUTINE

ATTENTION TERRORISM UNIT, CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION,

FBI LABORATORY, DOCUMENT SECTION AND FBI IDENTIFICATION DIVISION,

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

WASHINGTON FIELD ROUTINE

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[REDACTED] EJERCITO DE

LIBERATION DE PUERTO RICO, AKA PUERTO RICAN LIBERATION ARMY,

THREATS AGAINST THE PRESIDENT, ET AL, OO: WASHINGTON FIELD

[REDACTED] CRIME ABROAD AIRCRAFT-INTERFERENCE

WITH FLIGHT CREW MEMBERS, EID-BOMB THREAT, OO: NEW YORK

RENYAIRTEL TO DIRECTOR, AUGUST 20, 1979 AND NYTELETYPE TO
DIRECTOR, AUGUST 28, 1979.

AUSA [REDACTED] EDNY, BROOKLYN, NY, ADVISED THAT
SUBJECT ARRAIGNED AUGUST 31, 1979 AND PLED NOT GUILTY. [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] ADVISED NEXT HEARING SCHEDULED FOR SEPTEMBER 10, 1979 TO
HEAR DEFENSE MOTIONS.

AS PER REQUEST OF AUSA'S [REDACTED] THE FBI IDENTIFICATION
DIVISION, LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION, IS REQUESTED TO PROVIDE
BY SEPTEMBER 9, 1979 RESULTS OF LATENT FINGERPRINT EXAMINATION
REQUESTED IN RE NEW YORK TELETYPE. IN ADDITION PER REQUEST OF
AUSA [REDACTED] THE FBI LABORATORY, DOCUMENT SECTION IS REQUESTED TO
PROVIDE BY SEPTEMBER 9, 1979 RESULTS OF EXAMINATIONS REQUESTED
IN NEW YORK AIRTEL, AUGUST 20, 1979. AUSA [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] AUSA [REDACTED] FURTHER REQUESTED THAT BY SEPTEMBER
9, 1979 FBI PROVIDE COPY OF US SECRET SERVICE REPORT REQUESTED
IN RE NEW YORK TELETYPE.

NYO INVESTIGATION CONTINUES.

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TRANSMIT VIA:

☐ Teletype
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☒ Airtel

PRECEDENCE:

☐ Immediate
☐ Priority
☐ Routine

CLASSIFICATION:

☐ TOP SECRET
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☐ CONFIDENTIAL
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Date 8/20/79

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
 (ATTN: CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION,
 [REDACTED] ROOM 1727, JEH)
 (ATTN: FBI LABORATORY, DOCUMENT SECTION)
 (ATTN: IDENTIFICATION DIVISION, LFS)

FROM: ADIC, [REDACTED] (P) (M-10)

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SUBJECT:

[REDACTED]
 Ejercito De Liberacion De Puerto Rico,
 Puerta Rican Liberation Army;
 THREAT TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT JIMMY CARTER,
 HOWARD BAKER, JOHN CONNOLLY, GEORGE BUSH,
 AND RONALD REGAN;
 THREAT TO BOMB AN UNIDENTIFIED JET LINER;
 CONGRESSIONAL ASSASSINATION STATUTE,
 THREATS AGAINST THE PRESIDENT;
 (OO:WFO)

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 CRIME ABOARD AIRCRAFT-INTERFERE WITH FLIGHT
 CREWMEMBERS;
 EID, BOMB THREAT
 (OO:NY)

ReNYteletype to Director, dated 8/15/79, and AXtel
 to Director, dated 8/15/79.

- ⑦ - Bureau (Encls. 14)
 (2 - Criminal Investigative Div.)
 (2 - FBI Lab)
 ② - Ident Div/LFS
 1 - Alexandria
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[redacted]

Enclosed for FBI Laboratory, Document Section and Identification Division/lfs are the following items:

1. FD-249 reflecting ink fingerprint impressions of [redacted] FBI [redacted] (Photograph included).

2. Two page handwritten xeroxed letter, dated 8/10/79, two xeroxed newspaper clippings and one white envelope delivered to New York Daily News by subject on 8/14/79. (Items marked A1-A5 by NYO).

3. Two page handwritten letter, dated 8/10/79 and one white envelope containing folded papers discovered in subject's suitcase on 8/15/79. (Items marked B1-B3 by NYO).

4. One white envelope, two page handwritten xeroxed letter, dated 8/10/79, and one xeroxed newspaper clipping handed to flight attendant by subject on 8/15/79. (Items marked C1 - C4 by NYO).

5. One plastic "scotch" brand transparent tape dispenser found on subject at time of arrest, 8/15/79.

For the information of the FBI Laboratory and FBI Identification division, Investigation has determined that [redacted] is responsible for making a telephonic bomb threat in Washington, D.C. on 8/13/79; leaving a threatening communique in a phone booth in Washington, D.C. on 8/13/79; Delivering a threatening communique to the New York Daily News on 8/14/79; Leaving a threatening communique at Dulles International Airport, Virginia, on 8/14/79; Leaving a threatening communique at Newark International Airport, New Jersey, on 8/14/79; and interfering with crew members of American Airlines flight 697 on 8/15/79 IN NYC. Newark, WFO, and Alexandria are forwarding copies of communiques recovered in their division to the FBI Laboratory.

[REDACTED]

REQUEST OF THE BUREAU

FBI Laboratory will conduct appropriate examinations of communiques forwarded by NYO, WFO, Newark, and Alexandria.

NOTE:

NYO believes enclosed item number three marked B1 - B3 is original handwritten communique and all others are xeroxed copies.

Identification Division, LFS, after all appropriate document examinations or at the appropriate time during these examinations, it is requested that all enclosed items, as well as items forwarded by WFO, Newark, and Alexandria be processed for latent fingerprints and any latents obtained be compared with known fingerprints of [REDACTED]
FBI [REDACTED]

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☐ Teletype
☐ Facsimile
☒ AIRTEL

PRECEDENCE:

☐ Immediate
☐ Priority
☐ Routine

CLASSIFICATION:

☐ TOP SECRET
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Date 8/20/79

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
 (ATTN: FBI LABORATORY,
 LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION,
 DOCUMENT SECTION)

FROM: SAC, NEWARK (175-83) (RUC) C-3)

SUBJECT:

EJERCITO DE LIBERACION DE PUERTO RICO, aka
 Puerto Rican Liberation Army;
 THREAT TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT JAMES CARTER,
 HOWARD BAKER, JOHN CONNALLY, GEORGE BUSH AND
 RONALD REAGAN;
 THREAT TO BOMB AN UNIDENTIFIED JFT LINER;
 CONGRESSIONAL ASSASSINATION STATUTE,
 THREATS AGAINST THE PRESIDENT
 (OO: WFO)

CRIME ABOARD AIRCRAFT -
 INTERFERENCE WITH FLIGHT CREW MEMBERS
 EID - FOMB THREAT
 (OO: NY)

RE WFO teletypes to Bureau, 8/13/79 and 8/14/79.
 Newark teletype to Bureau, 8/15/79.
 New York teletype to Bureau, 8/15/79.

Enclosed for the Bureau is a letter dated "August 14,
 1979" and one envelope addressed to "American Airlines."

Enclosed for WFO and New York are one copy each of
 communiques recovered by Newark Office.

3-Bureau (ENC. 1)
 2-New York (ENC. 1)
 2-WFO (ENC. 1)
 1-Newark
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
(ATTN: FBI LABORATORY)

FROM: SAC, ALEXANDRIA (175-51)(P)

UNSUB; aka
Ejercito De Liberacion De Puerto Rico,
Puerto Rican Liberation Army;
THREAT TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT JIMMY CARTER,
HOWARD BAKER, JOHN CONNALLY, GEORGE BUSH, AND
RONALD REAGAN, AND TO BOMB AN UNIDENTIFIED
JET LINER - VICTIMS
CONGRESSIONAL ASSASSINATION STATUTE,
THREATS AGAINST THE PRESIDENT
(OO:WFO)

Re WFO teletype to Bureau, 8/14/79, and Alexandria
teletype to Bureau, 8/15/79.

Enclosed for the FBI Laboratory is an envelope
containing a letter addressed to American Airlines, Dulles
Airport.

For information of the FBI Laboratory, the enclosed
envelope containing a letter was found during morning of
8/15/79, taped under a pay telephone at the main terminal
at Dulles International Airport (DIA), Chantilly, Virginia.
Envelope was also sealed by adhesive tape. Area was not
processed for latent prints inasmuch telephone heavily used
and envelope was probably placed on or about 8/10/79.

③-Bureau (Enc. 1)
1-WFO (Info)
2-Alexandria
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
(ATTN: SUPERVISOR [REDACTED]
DOCUMENTS SECTION, FBI LABORATORY)

(ATTN: SUPERVISOR [REDACTED] TERRORISM
SECTION, ROOM 4048)

FROM: SAC, WFO (175-297) (P) (C-4)

UNSUB; aka
Ejercito De Liberacion de Puerto Rico,
Puerto Rican Liberation Army;
Threat to Assassinate
President Jimmy Carter,
Howard Baker, John Connally,
George Bush and Ronald Reagan,
and to Bomb an Unidentified Jetliner - VICTIMS
Congressional Assassination Statute,
Threats Against the President (A)
(OO:WFO)

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ReWFOtel to Bureau 8/14/79, WFO telcal to BQNR-SAC
EDWARD STIARD and WFO consultation and hand delivery of
evidence to Bureau Supervisor [REDACTED] on 8/15/79.

Enclosed for investigative assistance of New York are
three copies of threat letter believed authored by [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] and received from Washington, D. C. (WDC) phone
booth on 8/13/79.

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3-New York (149-NEW) (Enc. 3)
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2-WFO
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C. 20537

REPORT

of the

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

YOUR FILE NO.

FBI FILE NO.

LATENT CASE NO.

[REDACTED] (M-10)
 89-4482
 B-77704

September 20, 1979

TO: ADIC, New York

[REDACTED]
 THREAT TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT JIMMY CARTER
 ET AL.; THREAT TO BOMB AN UNIDENTIFIED JETLINER
 CONGRESSIONAL ASSASSINATION STATUTE
 THREATS AGAINST THE PRESIDENT

RE:

[REDACTED]
 CRIME ABOARD AIRCRAFT - INTERFERENCE
 WITH FLIGHT CREW MEMBERS
 EID - BOMB THREAT

REFERENCE:

Airtel 9/4/79

EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: New York

SPECIMENS:

Envelope, Q28

Accompanying letter, Q29

Q28 and Q29 are described in a separate Laboratory report.

One latent fingerprint of value was developed on Q28 and one
 latent fingerprint of value was developed on Q29.

Two latent fingerprints developed on the following described
 specimens, have been identified as finger impressions of [REDACTED]

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2 - WFO (175-297) (P) (C-4)
 1 - Alexandria (175-51) (P)
 1 - Newark (175-83) (C-3)
 1 - SA [REDACTED] Room 4052, TL #242
 1 - Legal Liaison and Congressional Affairs Unit, Room 3658, TL #231
 1 - Bufile [REDACTED] Crime Aboard Aircraft -
 Interference With Flight Crew Members; EID - Bomb Threat)

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ADIC, New York

September 20, 1979

One fingerprint on Q28, an envelope bearing the
hand printed address "AMERICAN AIRLINES"
One fingerprint on Q29, a letter beginning
"AMERICAN AIRLINES WE..."

The specimens are enclosed.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Re: [REDACTED]
Ejercito De Liberacion De Puerto Rico,
Puerto Rican Liberation Army
THREAT TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT
JIMMY CARTER, ET AL; THREAT TO BOMB
AN UNIDENTIFIED JET LINER;
CONGRESSIONAL ASSASSINATION STATUTE;
THREATS AGAINST THE PRESIDENT
OO: Washington Field Office

LAB. NO. 90907015 D MG

YOUR NO.

LC#B-77704

Examination by:

Noted By; [REDACTED]

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Examination requested by: New York

Reference: Airtel dated September 4, 1979

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Specimens received: September 6, 1979

Q28 Envelope bearing the hand printed address
"AMERICAN AIRLINES"

Q29 Accompanying letter beginning "AMERICAN
AIRLINES WE . . ."

Named subject:

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Specimen received 9/19

Q28 + Q29 to submit 9/19

Key of Q29 back to photo (printed on reverse) 9/19

1-SA [REDACTED] Rm 4052 TL#242

1- Legal Liaison and Congressional Affairs Unit, Rm 3558

2-WFO (175-297(P) (C-4)

1-Newark (175-83) (C-3)

1-Alexandria (175-51) (P)

1-Buffalo [REDACTED]

CAA - Interference with Flight Crew Members
FID - Bomb Threat

Examination completed

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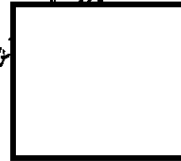
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TRANSMIT VIA:

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PRECEDENCE:

☐ Immediate
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Date **SEP 4 1979**

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
 (ATT: CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION DIVISION;
 FBI LABORATORY, DOCUMENT SECTION, AND ID/LFS)

FROM: ADIC, NEW YORK [REDACTED] (P) (M-10)

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

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Ejercito De Liberacion De Puerto Rico,
 Puerto Rican Liberation Army
 THREAT TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT JIMMY CARTER,
 ET AL; THREAT TO BOMB AN UNIDENTIFIED JET LINER;
 CONGRESSIONAL ASSASSINATION STATUTE;
 THREATS AGAINST THE PRESIDENT
 (OO: WFO)

[REDACTED]
 Ejercito De Liberacion De Puerto Rico,
 Puerto Rican Liberation Army
 CAA-INTERFERENCE WITH FLIGHT CREW MEMBERS
 EID-BOMB THREAT
 (OO: NY)

ReNYairtel to the Bureau, dated 8/20/79.

Enclosed for FBI Laboratory and Identification Division are one white envelope and one lined white sheet of paper with hand printed bomb threat thereon. These items were recovered

- ⑥ - Bureau (Encls. 2)
 ② - Criminal Investigation Division
 (2 - FBI Laboratory, Document Section)
 (2 - ID/LFS)
 1 - Alexandria (INFO)
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TO DIRECTOR ROUTINE

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WASHINGTON FIELD ROUTINE

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LIBERACION DE PUERTO RICO, AKA PUERTO RICAN LIBERATION ARMY;
THREAT TO ASSASSINATION PRESIDENT CARTER, ET AL; OO: WASHINGTON
FIELD.

[REDACTED] CRIME ABOARD AIRCRAFT - INTERFERENCE
WITH FLIGHT CREW; OO: NEW YORK.
ON SEPTEMBER 20, 1979, AUSA [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] UNITED STATES

DISTRICT JUDGE, EDNY, CONCURRED WITH REQUESTS AND RESET TRIAL
DATE FOR SUBJECT AS NOVEMBER 5, 1979.

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NYO WILL ADVISE ALL OFFICES AS TO RESULTS OF FUTURE
LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IN THIS MATTER AND ADVISE INTERESTED SPECIAL
AGENTS OF ANY REQUIREMENTS FOR SPECIAL AGENTS TO TESTIFY IN
TRIAL FOR CAPTIONED SUBJECT ON NOVEMBER 5, 1979.

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TO DIRECTOR ROUTINE

ATTENTION TERRORISM UNIT, CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION,

FBI LABORATORY, DOCUMENT SECTION AND FBI IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

WASHINGTON FIELD ROUTINE

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[REDACTED] EJERCITO DE

LIBERATION DE PUERTO RICO, AKA PUERTO RICAN LIBERATION ARMY,

THREATS AGAINST THE PRESIDENT, ET AL, OO: WASHINGTON FIELD

[REDACTED] CRIME ABROAD AIRCRAFT-INTERFERENCE

WITH FLIGHT CREW MEMBERS, EID-BOMB THREAT, OO: NEW YORK

RENYAIRTEL TO DIRECTOR, AUGUST 20, 1979 AND NYTELETYPE TO
DIRECTOR, AUGUST 28, 1979.

AUSA [REDACTED] EDNY, BROOKLYN, NY, ADVISED THAT

SUBJECT ARRAIGNED AUGUST 31, 1979 AND PLED NOT GUILTY.

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LIBERATION DE PUERTO RICO, AKA PUERTO RICAN LIBERATION ARMY,

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THREATS AGAINST THE PRESIDENT, ET AL, 00: WASHING FIELD

[REDACTED] CRIME ABROAD AIRCRAFT-INTERFERENCE

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WITH FLIGHT CREW MEMBERS, EID-BOMB THREAT, 00: NEW YORK

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TO DIRECTOR PRIORITY

ALEXANDRIA PRIORITY

NEW HAVEN PRIORITY

NEW YORK PRIORITY

SAN JUAN PRIORITY (VIA HQ)

WFO (175-) (C-6) PRIORITY

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ATTENTION: DIVISION SIX BUREAU SUPERVISOR [REDACTED]

UNSUB; AKA EJERCITO DE LIBERACION DE PUERTO RICO, PUERTO RICAN

LIBERATION ARMY; THREAT TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT CARTER, HOWARD

BAKER, JOHN CONNALLY, GEORGE BUSCH, AND RONALD REAGAN, AND TO BOMB

AN UNIDENTIFIED JETLINER VICTIMS; CONGRESSIONAL ASSASSINATION

STATUTE, THREATS AGAINST THE PRESIDENT, OO: WFO.

RE WFO TELETYPES TO BUREAU, AUGUST 23, 1979, AND AUGUST 24, 1979; NEWARK TELEPHONE CALL TO SPECIAL AGENT [REDACTED] HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT RESIDENT AGENT, AUGUST 14, 1979.

FOR INFORMATION OF NEW HAVEN, ON AUGUST 13, 1979, THE METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT (MPD), WASHINGTON, D.C., ADVISED THEY HAD RECEIVED A BOMB THREAT INDICATING THAT THE PUERTO RICAN LIBERATION

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CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION JEG:har 8-16-79

Attached teletypes advise of bomb threats received on 8-13-79, at FBIHQ and "The Washington Post" from an individual identifying himself as a member of the Puerto Rican Liberation Army. Caller stated that there were bombs at the Madison Hotel and phone booths on 10th and Pennsylvania and 14th and Pennsylvania. Located in the phone booth at 10th and Pennsylvania was a communique from the Puerto Rican Liberation Army threatening President Carter and other presidential candidates should they campaign in Puerto Rico. The communique demanded that by 10:00 P.M., 8-14-79, President Carter end the political primaries in Puerto Rico, grant freedom to the Puerto Rican political prisoners and cease Navy activity in Viequez. Communique advised that if the demands were not met a jetliner full of passengers would be blown up.

Shortly after midnight, 8-15-79, [redacted] a [redacted] male, date of birth [redacted] handed a thick manila envelope to a stewardess aboard American Airlines Flight #697, enroute to San Juan from New York. The flight had departed New York at 11:49 P.M. The package had a note attached addressed to President Carter advising that the plane would be blown

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up unless he complied with the Puerto Rican demands. The plane was returned to New York where a search failed to uncover any explosives. [redacted] initially indicated that he was provided with a free ticket to Puerto Rico if he would pass the envelope to the stewardess. Investigation revealed that [redacted] has a past arrest record for threats to the President and that he had been in Washington, D. C. staying at the Hotel Harrington during the past week. [redacted] has made admissions regarding the above threats and has been charged in New York with Crime Aboard Aircraft - Interference with Crew Members. Threats against the President and bomb threat violations being presented at Washington, D. C. Subject admitted to being the sole member of the Puerto Rican Liberation Army.

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The Federal Aviation Administration,
U. S. Secret Service, Emergency Programs
Center, Department of Justice and the above
named victims are being advised of the arrest
of [redacted]

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TO DIRECTOR PRIORITY

ATTN: SUPERVISOR [REDACTED] TERRORISM SECTION,
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FBI NEW YORK PRIORITY

FBI NEWARK PRIORITY

FBI SAN JUAN PRIORITY (SJ VIA FBIHQ)

FBI ALEXANDRIA PRIORITY (INFO)

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UNSUB; AKA EJERCITO DE LIBERACION DE PUERTO RICO

PUERTO RICAN LIBERATION ARMY; THREAT TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT

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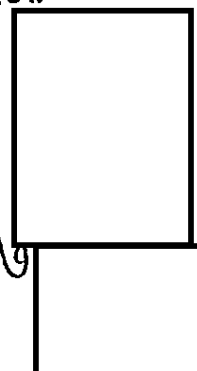
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CONNALLY, ^DGEORGE BUSCH, AND RONALD REAGAN; THREAT TO
ASSASSINATE THE PRESIDENT; THREAT TO ASSASSINATE A
CONGRESSMAN, WASHINGTON, D. C., AUGUST 13, 1979,
(OO:WASHINGTON FIELD), (WF FILE 89-NEW).

RE BUREAU TELETYPE ON AUGUST 13, 1979; WFO TELETYPE
TO BUREAU DATED AUGUST 13, 1979, AND WFO TEL CAL OF SPECIAL
AGENT [REDACTED] TO BUREAU SUPERVISOR [REDACTED]
ON AUGUST 14, 1979.

ON AUGUST 14, 1979, WASHINGTON FIELD FURTHER DISSEMINATED
THE CIRCUMSTANCES CONCERNING THE CAPTIONED MATTER TO THE
FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS:

[REDACTED] SPECIAL AGENT, UNITED STATES SECRET
SERVICE, WASHINGTON, D. C. (WDC), PRESIDENTIAL SECURITY DETAIL.

[REDACTED] DETECTIVES, INVESTIGATIVE
SERVICES DIVISION, METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT HEADQUARTERS
(MPDHQ).

[REDACTED] POLITICAL DIRECTOR FOR GEORGE BUSCH
(723 N. WASHINGTON STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA, TELEPHONE

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[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] FOR JOHN CONNALLY,
3110 COLUMBIA PIKE, ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA, TELEPHONE 892-5500.

[REDACTED] FOR RONALD REAGAN, AT 809
CAMERON STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA, TELEPHONE 549-9105.

[REDACTED] LEGAL COUNSEL, OFFICE OF HOWARD
BAKER, WDC, TELEPHONE [REDACTED]

FOR INFORMATION OF ALEXANDRIA, AT 12:14 P.M., [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] SWITCHBOARD OPERATOR, FBIHQ, ADVISED THE WASHINGTON
FIELD OFFICE SHE HAD RECEIVED A TELEPHONE CALL FROM A
FOREIGN SOUNDING MALE WHO SAID HE WAS WITH THE PUERTO RICAN
LIBERATION ARMY. THE MALE CALLER ADVISED EXPLOSIVE MATERIALS
WERE LOCATED IN THE PHONE BOOTHS AT 10TH AND PENNSYLVANIA
AVENUE, N. W., WDC, AND STATED "I'M SURE THEY WILL GET MY
MESSAGE."

AT APPROXIMATELY 2:15 P.M., [REDACTED] NEW YORK LIFE
INSURANCE, 4301 CONNECTICUT AVENUE, N. W., WDC, TELEPHONICALLY
ADVISED WASHINGTON FIELD HE HAD FOUND A NUMBER OF PAGES OF
DOCUMENTS IN THE PHONE BOOTH ON THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF

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THE INTERSECTION AT 10TH AND PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, N. W.,
WDC, AT 12:05 P.M.

AT 3:00 P.M., THE BELOW HANDWRITTEN AND XEROXED
DOCUMENTS WERE RETRIEVED BY A SPECIAL AGENT OF THE FBI FROM
[REDACTED] AND TRANSPORTED TO THE WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE OF THE
FBI AFTER SUITABLE PROTECTION AND MARKING FOR IDENTIFICATION.
THE VERBATIM TEXT IS AS FOLLOWS:

8-10-79

OPEN LETTER TO ALL THE
PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES WITH
INTENTIONS ON DOING CAMPAIGNING
IN PUERTO RICO

HOWARD BAKER

JOHN CONNALLY

GEORGE BUSCH

RONALD REAGAN

PRESIDENT CARTER

YOUR LIVES ARE IN DANGER

IT'S AN INRESPONSIBLE ACT OF AGRESSION TO DO CAMPAIGNING

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FOR THE PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARIES IN PUERTO RICO.

OUR CASE FOR SELF-DETERMINATION AND INDEPENDENCE IS
BEEN DEBATED AT THE UNITED NATIONS.

PRESIDENT CARTER YOU ARE ON RECORD TO REPECT OUT
SELF-DETERMINATION, YET WE HAVE INFORMATION THAT YOU ARE
GOING TO CAMPAIGN IN PUERTO RICO. THIS FORMENTS STATEHOOD.

WE WILL KILL YOU AND THE REST OF THE PRESIDENTIAL
CANDIDATES.

IN 1976 PRESIDENT GERALD FORD CAME VERY CLOSE TO HIS
DEATH. WE HAD A SUICIDE PLAN WHICH INVOLVED A SMALL AIRCRAFT
CRASH AT THE RECEPTION AT THE SAN JUAN AIRPORT. WE GOT
ENGINE TROUBLE AN HAD TO ABANDON THE MISSION.

NOW IN 1979 OUR ARMY HAS GROWN AND WE ARE WELL PREPARED
TO CARRY OUT ANY SUICIDE MISSION IN PUERTO RICO, WASHINGTON,
D. C., NEW JERSEY AND NEW YORK CITY.

PRESIDENT CARTER YOU HAVE UNTIL 10:00 P.M. TUESDAY
AUGUST 14, 1979, TO DO THE FOLLOWING:

1. STOP THE PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARIES IN PUERTO RICO.
2. FREE THE 4 PUERTO RICAN POLITICAL PRISONERS: LOLITA

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LEBRON, [REDACTED] IRVING FLORES, AND OSCAR COLLAZO.

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3. GET THE NAVY OUT OF THE ISLAND OF VICQUEZ, PUERTO RICO.

WE WILL BE TUNED IN ON C.B.S. RADIO FOR YOUR DISITION.
OUR SUICIDE MISSION IS TO BLOW-UP A JETLINER FULL OF PASSENGERS-
AFTER THE DEADLINE. REMEMBER TAVERNON THE GREEN IN NEW YORK
CITY.

EJERCITO DE LIBERACION DE PUERTO RICO
PUERTO RICAN LIBERATION ARMY"

INCLUDED IN THE DOCUMENTS WERE XEROXED COPIES OF
NEWSPAPER ARTICLES FROM THE SAN JUAN STAR AND AN UNIDENTIFIED
SPANISH LANGUAGE NEWSPAPER.

ALEXANDRIA FURNISHED ABOVE INFORMATION AS VICTIMS BUSCH,
CONNALLY, AND REAGAN HAVE CAMPAIGN OFFICES IN DIVISION.

ON AUGUST 14, 1979, WASHINGTON FIELD RE-EXAMINED
TELEPHONE BOOTHS IN THE VICINITY OF 10TH AND PENNSYLVANIA (PA)
AND 14TH AND PA, N. W., FOR ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE WITH

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ATTN: SUPERVISOR [REDACTED] TERRORISM SECTION,
ROOM 1727, JEH)

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LEADS. WASHINGTON FIELD. AT WASHINGTON, D. C.

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(3) WILL REVIEW APPROPRIATE WASHINGTON FIELD FILES
CONCERNING LOLITA LEBRON, [REDACTED] IRVING FLORES
AND OSCAR COLLAZO, FOR ANY POSSIBLE ASSOCIATION REGARDING
CAPTIONED MATTER.

(4) WILL CONSULT WITH ASSISTANT UNITED STATES ATTORNEY
AT AN APPROPRIATE TIME.

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ABOARD AIRCRAFT - INTERFERENCE WITH FLIGHT CREW MEMBERS; EID -
BOMB THREAT, OO: NEW YORK.

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ON AUGUST 13, 1979; WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE TELETYPE TO
BUREAU, DATED AUGUST 13, 1979; NEW YORK TELEPHONE CALLS TO
BUREAU, WASHINGTON FIELD, AND NEWARK ON AUGUST 15, 1979.

AT APPROXIMATELY 12:10 AM, AUGUST 15, 1979, NYO ADVISED
BY AMERICAN AIRLINES, JOHN F. KENNEDY INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT
(JFKIA), THAT AMERICAN AIRLINES FLIGHT 697, BOUND FROM JFKIA
TO SAN JUAN WAS RETURNING TO JFKIA AS A RESULT OF SOME TYPE
OF BOMB THREAT OR AIRCRAFT PIRACY. AMERICAN AIRLINES FURTHER
ADVISED THAT THE PILOT OF THIS FLIGHT ADVISED THAT A PASSENGER
HAD HANDED A THICK MANILLA ENVELOPE TO A FLIGHT ATTENDANT
SHORTLY AFTER DEPARTING JFKIA AT 11:49 PM, AUGUST 14, 1979,
AND THAT THIS MANILLA ENVELOPE HAD THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION
PRINTED ON THE OUTSIDE: "CAPTAIN. CALL THE WHITE HOUSE AND
TELL PRESIDENT CARTER WE ARE GOING TO BLOW UP THIS AIRPLANE
IF HE DOESN'T FOLLOW THROUGH WITH DEMANDS OF THE PUERTO RICAN

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AT METROPOLITAN CORRECTIONAL CENTER (MCC), MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, ON AUGUST 15, 1979.

ON AUGUST 15, 1979, CAPTIONED SUBJECT APPEARED AT ARRAIGNMENT BEFORE UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE JACOB MISHLER EDNY, BROOKLYN, NEW YORK, AND AS A RESULT OF HEARING JUDGE MISHLER DETERMINED THAT PROBABLE CAUSE EXISTED TO HOLD CAPTIONED SUBJECT FOR GRAND JURY INDICTMENT AND/OR MAGISTRATE'S HEARING. BAIL FOR CAPTIONED SUBJECT SET AT \$500,000.00. JUDGE MISHLER DENIED AUSA [REDACTED] REQUEST THAT CAPTIONED SUBJECT BE EXAMINED BY COMPETENT PSYCHIATRIC PHYSICIAN TO DETERMINE IF SUBJECT WAS COMPETENT TO UNDERSTAND LEGAL PROCEEDINGS AND STAND TRIAL. SUBJECT REMANDED TO CUSTODY OF UNITED STATES MARSHAL'S, EDNY, AND WILL BE MAINTAINED IN CUSTODY AT MCC, MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY.

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NEWARK IS REQUESTED TO EXPEDITIOUSLY FORWARD COMMUNIQUE RECOVERED AT NEWARK AIRPORT ON AUGUST 15, 1979, TO FBI LABORATORY FOR APPROPRIATE DOCUMENT AND LATENT FINGERPRINT EXAMINATION.

SAN JUAN IS REQUESTED TO CONTACT UNIDENTIFIED RELATIVES OF SUBJECT AT [REDACTED] TO DETERMINE IF THIS IS SUBJECTS PERMANENT ADDRESS AND ALSO DETER-

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MINE IF SUBJECT HAS BEEN RECENTLY TREATED FOR ANY MENTAL PROBLEMS. SAN JUAN FURTHER REQUESTED TO CONTACT POPR AND CHECK INDICES REGARDING CAPTIONED SUBJECT AND PROVIDE NYO ANY INFORMATION CONCERNING PRIOR ARREST AND/OR ACTIVITIES SIMILAR TO ACTIONS SET OUT HEREIN.

WASHINGTON FIELD REQUESTED TO CONTACT VARIOUS POLITICAL CANDIDATES THREATENED IN COMMUNIQUE PREVIOUSLY RECOVERED IN WASHINGTON, D.C. AND INFORM THESE CANDIDATES THAT SUBJECT IS IN CUSTODY AND THIS MATTER APPEARS TO BE RESOLVED.

NEW YORK OFFICE WILL FORWARD COMMUNIQUE RECOVERED AND ORIGINAL COMMUNIQUE RECOVERED IN SUBJECT'S SUITCASE FOR COMPARISON WITH COMMUNIQUE PREVIOUSLY RECOVERED IN NEWARK AND WASHINGTON, D.C. NYO WILL ALSO FOLLOW AND REPORT PROSECUTION OF SUBJECT.

NYO ADVISED FAA, NYC, AND UNITED STATES SECRET SERVICE, NYC, OF APPREHENSION OF SUBJECT AND ALL DETAILS REGARDING THIS MATTER.

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THIS TELETYPE IS SENT TO ALL OFFICES FOR INFORMATION ONLY. INVESTIGATION CONTINUING AT WASHINGTON FIELD.

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RE WFO TELETYPE TO BUREAU, AUGUST 14, 1979, AND WFO TELCALL
TO ALEXANDRIA, AUGUST 15, 1979.

AT APPROXIMATELY 10:30 A.M., THIS DATE, A HANDWRITTEN
DOCUMENT CONTAINED IN AN ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO AMERICAN AIRLINES,
DULLES AIRPORT, WAS LOCATED TAPED TO THE UNDERSIDE OF A PAY
TELEPHONE IN FRONT OF A NEWSSTAND AT THE MAIN TERMINAL AT DULLES
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FIELD.

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WITH FLIGHT CREW; OO: NEW YORK.

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LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION, IDENTIFICATION DIVISION, NOVEMBER 2,
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ON NOVEMBER 2, 1979, UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE JOHN PLATT,
EDNY, BROOKLYN, NEW YORK, RULED THAT CAPTIONED SUBJECT'S TRIAL

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WOULD BE DELAYED UNTIL AN ADDITIONAL HEARING COULD BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 16, 1979. JUDGE PLATT BASED HIS RULING ON REQUESTS BY SUBJECT'S ATTORNEY THAT SUBJECT'S DEFENSE WOULD BE BASED ON THE FACT THAT HIS ACTS WERE PART OF A "CONCEPTUAL ART" EVENT PUBLICIZING THE PLIGHT OF THE PUERTO RICAN PEOPLE AND THE PUERTO RICAN POLITICAL SITUATION. JUDGE PLATT AGREED TO DELAY SUBJECT'S TRIAL IN VIEW OF THE FACT THAT SUBJECT WAIVED HIS RIGHTS TO ALL LEGAL PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE SPEEDY TRIAL ACT. JUDGE PLATT ADVISED SUBJECT AND ATTORNEYS FOR BOTH PROSECUTION AND DEFENSE THAT IN VIEW OF THIS DELAY HE IS NOT CERTAIN WHAT TRIAL DATE WILL BE SET FOR THIS MATTER, BUT DOES NOT BELIEVE TRIAL DATE WILL BE ANY EARLIER THAN DECEMBER 1979.

NYO WILL ADVISE ALL OFFICES AS TO RESULTS OF FUTURE LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IN THIS MATTER AND ADVISE INTERESTED OFFICES AS WELL AS LATENT FINGERPRINT EXAMINER [REDACTED] [REDACTED] OF ANY REQUIREMENT FOR [REDACTED] TO TESTIFY IN TRIAL FOR CAPTIONED SUBJECT WHEN TRIAL IS RESCHEDULED.

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TO DIRECTOR (89-4492) ROUTINE

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TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT CARTER; ET AL; OFFICE OF ORIGIN:
WASHINGTON FIELD.

[REDACTED] CRIME ABOARD AIRCRAFT -
INTERFERENCE WITH FLIGHT CREW; OFFICE OF ORIGIN: NEW YORK.
BY TT DATED 12/7/79, FBI, NY, FURNISHED THE FOLLOWING INFO:
ON DECEMBER 5, 1979, [REDACTED] APPEARED

BEFORE US DJ THOMAS C. PLATT, EDNY, BROOKLYN, NEW YORK,
AND PLED GUILTY TO CRIME ABOARD AIRCRAFT - INTERFERENCE

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WITH FLIGHT CREW. JUDGE PLATT ORDERED THAT A
PRE-SENTENCING REPORT BE PREPARED AND ADVISED THAT HE
WILL SET DATE FOR SENTENCING SOMETIME IN THE NEXT WEEK.

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LATENT FINGERPRINT EXAMINER [REDACTED] THAT
SUBJECT WAS PLED GUILTY AND [REDACTED] WILL NOT BE
REQUIRED FOR TESTIMONY IN THIS MATTER.~~

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TO : Assistant Director
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FROM : Assistant Director
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SUBJECT: Unsub, AKA Ejercito De Liberation de Puerto Rico,
Puerto Rican Liberation Army; Threat to Assassinate
President Jimmy Carter, Howard Baker, John Connally,
George Bush and Ronald Reagan, and to Bomb an Unidentified *(WLB)*
Jetliner-Victims; Congressional Assassination Statute, Threats
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It is desired that this file be maintained as an enclosure to the
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8:17PM. NITEL AUGUST 1, 1975 JFH

TO: DIRECTOR

FROM: MEMPHIS

ATTENTION EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

UNSUB; THREAT TO DERAIL CAMPAIGN TRAIN OF U. S. SENATOR
HOWARD H. BAKER, JR.
HOWARD BAKER IN 1972. FEDERAL TRAIN WRECK STATUTE.

ON JULY 31, 1975, JAMES ALVIN BROWN, JR., APPEARED IN NASHVILLE RA OF FBI, AS PREARRANGED, AT WHICH TIME HE WAS INTERVIEWED RE INSTANT MATTER. BROWN ARRIVED IN THE OFFICE APPROXIMATELY 10 A. M. AND DEPARTED ABOUT 1 P. M. IDENTITIES OF INTERVIEWING AGENTS WERE MADE KNOWN TO BROWN ALONG WITH PURPOSE OF INTERVIEW AND HE WAS FURNISHED FORM "INTERROGATION; ADVICE OF RIGHTS". BROWN STATED HE UNDERSTOOD HIS RIGHTS AND SIGNED THE FORM. AT CONCLUSION OF INTERVIEW, BROWN WAS ASKED IF HE WOULD LIKE HIS STATEMENT. TO BE IN FORM OF SIGNED STATEMENT AND HE AGREED TO SIGN THE STATEMENT. WHEN BROWN LEFT THE OFFICE, HE STATED HE WOULD RETURN BETWEEN 4 AND 5 TO READ AND SIGN THE STATEMENT AS HE HAD A PREVIOUS ENGAGEMENT TO MEET AT 2 P.M. TO DATE, BROWN HAS NOT RETURNED TO FBI OFFICE TO READ AND SIGN STATEMENT.

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ON AUGUST 1, 1975, EARLY EDITION OF "NASHVILLE BANNER", A NASHVILLE, TENN. NEWSPAPER, CONTAINED ARTICLE WHICH IS ENTITLED "FBI MAY CHARGE BROWN IN CAMPAIGN TRICKS". IT IS APPARENT BROWN VISTED THE NEWSPAPER AFTER LEAVING THE FBI OFFICE. THE ARTICLE APPEARING IN NEWSPAPER IS BEING SUBMITTED TO BUREAU BY FACSIMILE ON AUGUST 1, 1975, INFORMATION FURNISHED BY BROWN IS SUBSTANTIALLY SAME AS HE HAS PREVIOUSLY FURNISHED TO A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE SENATE WHO IS CONDUCTING THEIR OWN INVESTIGATION.

MEMPHIS RESPONDING TO PRESS INQUIRIES WITH STATEMENT THAT NONE OF THE INFORMATION APPEARING IN AFOREMENTIONED "NASHVILLE BANNER" ARTICLE WAS FURNISHED BY FBI. IN ADDITION, IT WAS STATED THE FBI WOULD NEITHER CONFIRM NOR DENY WHETHER INVESTIGATION OF THIS TYPE IN OR IS NOT BEING CONDUCTED.

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RE BUREAU AIRTEL TO MEMPHIS, JUNE 20, 1975, CAPTIONED AS ABOVE.

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ABOVE INFORMATION BEING MADE KNOWN TO BUREAU DUE TO
FACT IT HAS RECEIVED NEWSPAPER PUBLICITY AND CONCERNS
THE GOVERNOR OF TENNESSEE.

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6:00 PM NITEL AUGUST 4, 1975 JLC

TO DIRECTOR

FROM MEMPHIS (160-198) (P)

UNSUBS; THREAT TO DERAIL CAMPAIGN TRAIN OF U. S. SENATOR
HOWARD BAKER IN 1972; FTWS.

RE MEMPHIS TELETYPE AUGUST 1, 1975.

ON AUGUST 1, 1975, [REDACTED] ATTORNEY AT
LAW, LAWRENCEBURG, TENNESSEE, TELEPHONICALLY CONTACTED
NASHVILLE RA AND ADVISED SA [REDACTED] THAT HE
REPRESENTS JAMES A. BROWN, JR. [REDACTED] ADVISED THAT ON
HIS ADVICE, BROWN WOULD NOT RETURN TO SIGN STATEMENT IN
INSTANT MATTER AND WOULD MAKE NO OTHER STATEMENTS.

INVESTIGATION CONTINUING, MEMPHIS.

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concerning the stopping of Mr. BAKER's train and is certain in his own mind that BROWN was not serious when making this statement.

[] stated he at no time ever heard any statement made concerning the possibility of diluting the fuel in Mr. BAKER's campaign train and again stated he had heard no statement other than the aforementioned statement of JAMES BROWN regarding anything to do with the stopping, slowing, or derailling of Mr. BAKER's train. He stated he personally is acquainted with all persons who had a place of responsibility of RAY BLANTON's campaign of 1972 and all these individuals are very respectable persons who would not in any way participate in stopping, slowing, or derailling a train.

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[] advised that following the November, 1972, election, exact date unrecalled, JAMES BROWN telephonically contacted him. [] stated when he answered his telephone, he heard the person on the other end of the call furnishing the telephone operator with a credit card number. [] stated he recognized the credit card number as being the number of Mr. RAY BLANTON's credit card and recognized the voice furnishing the operator this number as that of JAMES BROWN. JAMES BROWN then told him in the telephone conversation that he was in the State of Florida and mentioned the name of some man with him. BROWN gave no reason for making this telephone call to him other than to tell him he was vacationing in Florida.

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[] stated he does not recall the city in Florida that BROWN was in but did know BROWN had made this telephone call on the credit card of [] and did know that Mr. BROWN's employment with Mr. BLANTON had been terminated previous to this telephone call.

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REPORTING OFFICE MEMPHIS	OFFICE OF ORIGIN MEMPHIS	DATE 8/20/75	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 6/26/75 - 8/12/75
TITLE OF CASE "CHANGED" LEONARD RAYMOND BLANTON, GOVERNOR, STATE OF TENNESSEE; JAMES ALVIN BROWN, JR.		REPORT MADE BY SA [redacted]	TYPED BY cjs ^{b6} _{b7C}
[redacted] GENE BLANTON: [redacted] [redacted]		CHARACTER OF CASE FEDERAL TRAIN WRECK STATUTE - CONSPIRACY	

UNSUB (1);
THREAT TO DERAIL CAMPAIGN TRAIN
OF U.S. SENATOR HOWARD BAKER IN 1972

The title is being marked changed to set forth names of subjects as developed in interview of JAMES ALVIN BROWN, JR., at Nashville, Tennessee, on 7/31/75. Title previously carried as UNSUBS.

REFERENCES: Bureau airtel to Memphis 6/20/75
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LEADS:

THE KNOXVILLE DIVISION

AT LENOIR CITY, TENNESSEE

Will contact [redacted] in an effort to determine present location of [redacted]. Will then set forth lead requesting her interview regarding statements made by BROWN in enclosed FD-302. Also determine if [redacted] known to her and, if so, present location.

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THE LOS ANGELES DIVISION

AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

Will interview [redacted] regarding allegations made in instant matter by JAMES ALVIN BROWN, JR. Will, at time of interview, determine if [redacted] known and, if so, present location and set forth appropriate lead for interview.

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THE WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE

AT WASHINGTON, D. C.

Locate and interview [redacted] recently married, present married name unknown, who is employed by a Senator or Congressman in Washington, D. C., and whose husband, name unknown, is employed by a Congressman in Washington, D. C. Thereafter interview her regarding information furnished by JAMES ALVIN BROWN, JR., in enclosed FD-302.

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THE MEMPHIS DIVISION

AT ADAMSVILLE, TENNESSEE

Will, through B & B Construction Company, locate and interview [redacted] for B & B Construction Company, regarding information furnished by JAMES ALVIN BROWN, JR., that [redacted] removed flares and warning devices from BROWN's room at the Continental Inn Motel, Nashville, Tennessee. Will also, through [redacted] determine if anyone by the name of [redacted] known by him as working for Mr. BLANTON's 1972 campaign and set forth appropriate lead for interview, if identified.

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2) Interview [redacted] regarding information as furnished by JAMES ALVIN BROWN, JR.

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AT NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

Will interview [redacted] legal counsel to Governor RAY BLANTON; [redacted] currently employed on 10th floor of Andrew Jackson Building; [redacted] reportedly [redacted] Governor RAY BLANTON; and Mr. RAY BLANTON, Governor of Tennessee, regarding information furnished by JAMES ALVIN BROWN, JR.

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ADMINISTRATIVE:

Two copies of instant report are being furnished the Bureau in the event the Bureau desires to furnish copies of this report to the Department of Justice.

For the information of the Bureau, leads set forth for auxiliary offices in this report have been previously set forth in interoffice communication; therefore, no copies of instant report being furnished auxiliary offices.

**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
Federal Bureau of Investigation**

Copy to: 1 - U. S. Attorney, Nashville, Tennessee

Report of: SA [REDACTED]
Date: August 29, 1975

Office: MEMPHIS

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Field Office File #: 160-198

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Title: LEONARD RAYMOND BLANTON,
GOVERNOR, STATE OF TENNESSEE;
JAMES ALVIN BROWN, JR.:

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XXXXXX UNKNOWN SUBJECT (1);

THREAT TO DERAIL CAMPAIGN TRAIN OF
UNITED STATES SENATOR HOWARD BAKER IN 1972

Character: FEDERAL TRAIN WRECK STATUTE - CONSPIRACY

Synopsis:

USA, Nashville, Tenn., on 6/26/75, advised that review of complaint furnished by JAMES ALVIN BROWN, JR., to the Secretary of U. S. Senate revealed allegations by BROWN that persons working in the RAY BLANTON for U. S. Senate Campaign during 1972 made plans but never executed these plans to sabotage BLANTON's opponent, HOWARD BAKER's, campaign train on its route across the state. The USA advised these allegations indicate possible violations of the Federal Train Wreck Statute and the Federal Conspiracy Statute. JAMES A. BROWN, JR., interviewed Nashville, Tenn., 7/31/75 and furnished statement that [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] all employees of RAY BLANTON's 1972 campaign for U. S. Senate, made plans to slow or stop HOWARD BAKER's campaign train and also made plans to derail this train if efforts to slow or stop it failed. BROWN also advised he contacted a Mr. HARRIS, employee of the Louisville and Nashville Railroad, Nashville, who told him of how a train could be slowed and told him how a train could be derailed by using a jack to spread the tracks. BROWN also advised that [REDACTED] RAY BLANTON, was present during portions of conversations. BROWN advised these plans were told to RAY BLANTON, who agreed to these plans. WALTER ROBERT HARRIS, JR., interviewed 8/11/75 and denied having instructed BROWN in how to slow or derail train and denied ever having seen or talked to BROWN. [REDACTED] interviewed

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8/12/75 and advised she heard a general statement made regarding the slowing or stopping of HOWARD BAKER's train by unknown individual at BLANTON's campaign headquarters but denied any participation or knowledge of any specific plans to slow or derail HOWARD BAKER's train. [redacted]

[redacted] interviewed Nashville, Tenn., 8/12/75 and denied possessing any information regarding specific plans to slow or derail campaign train of HOWARD BAKER in 1972 but stated he heard a statement made by JAMES BROWN that the BAKER campaign train should be stopped.

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DETAILS:

Investigation was instituted in this matter at Nashville, Tennessee, to determine if a violation of the Federal Train Wreck Statute or of the Federal Conspiracy Statute existed.

The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] at Nashville, Tennessee:

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On June 26, 1975, [redacted] U. S. Attorney, Nashville, advised that his office had received from the U. S. Department of Justice a copy of a complaint as furnished to the Secretary of the U. S. Senate by JAMES A. BROWN, JR. [redacted] advised that in this complaint BROWN stated that from August 1, 1972, until after the November, 1972, elections, he, BROWN, was an employee of RAY BLANTON, an unsuccessful candidate for the office of U. S. Senate in the November, 1972, General Election. BROWN alleged in this complaint that during this campaign persons working in the RAY BLANTON for U. S. Senate Campaign during 1972 made plans but never executed these plans to sabotage the campaign train of Senator HOWARD BAKER in its route across the state. BROWN also alleged that he was dispatched to see a Mr. HARRIS, employee of the Louisville and Nashville Railroad, Nashville, who instructed him how to slow or stall a train without causing injury. One method was to jack the tracks apart so as to derail the train on a hill. Other methods were to place Crisco on the rails and to place an exploding warning device on the tracks to warn the engineer of the train of danger. BROWN also alleged that \$200 had been paid to some unknown person to dilute the train's diesel fuel with water when the train was stopped at Nashville, Tennessee.

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[redacted] advised [redacted]
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On June 27, 1975, efforts were made to contact
[redacted] Nashville, with
negative results.

On July 1, 1975, JAMES ALVIN BROWN, SR., was con-
tacted by SA [redacted] Mr. BROWN advised that his son,
JAMES ALVIN BROWN, JR., currently resides at Nashville but he
does not recall the exact address of his son. He advised his
son could be reached through telephone #256-1051. He further
advised that his son is employed by Kroger Company at the
Kroger Warehouse in Nashville, Tennessee.

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Date of transcription 8/11/75

JAMES ALVIN BROWN, JR., residence 1150 Vaultee Boulevard, Apartment M-8, Nashville, Tennessee, was interviewed at the Nashville Office of the FBI. At the beginning of the interview, BROWN was advised by SA [] that information had been received that he possibly had participated in the planning to derail a campaign train operated by U. S. Senator HOWARD BAKER in 1972. He was further advised that due to this information, he (BROWN) possibly violated the Federal Train Wreck Statute and the Federal Conspiracy Statute. BROWN was advised he was to be interviewed regarding this matter if he consented to such interview. BROWN was immediately thereafter furnished an "Interrogation: Advice of Rights, Waiver of Rights" form by SA [] BROWN read the contents of this form and the contents of this form were explained to him by SA [] BROWN advised he understood what his rights, was willing to be interviewed, and signed the "Interrogation; Advice of Rights, Waiver of Rights" form.

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BROWN advised he is presently employed at the Kroger Distribution Center, 1700 Elm Hill Pike, Nashville, Tennessee as a warehouseman. He advised he is a graduate of Middle Tennessee State University, Murfreesboro, Tennessee, having a Bachelor of Science degree with major in Political Science and History. He advised his parents are Mr. and Mrs. JAMES ALVIN BROWN, SR., 246 Admiral Circle, Lawrenceburg, Tennessee. He advised he was arrested in the past at Waynesboro, Tennessee on a drunk driving charge, this charge having been reduced to the charge of reckless driving and he was fined approximately \$25. BROWN stated he has been a patient in numerous hospitals over the past years. He stated he was hospitalized in the Giles County Hospital in 1968 as the result of an automobile accident and he was also a patient in the Lawrence County Hospital in 1968 as the result of an automobile accident. He advised he was also a patient in the Cookeville General Hospital, Cookeville, Tennessee, in 1970 as the result of an automobile accident and was a patient in St. Mary's Hospital, Knoxville, Tennessee, in 1969 as the result of an automobile accident and also was treated at that time for stomach ulcers. He advised he

Interviewed on 7/31/75 at Nashville, Tennessee File # ME 160-198by SA [] DLH/nkt Date dictated 8/5/75b6
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was a patient in the Baptist Hospital, Nashville, Tennessee in 1970 or 1971 at which time he was treated for stomach ulcers and again was a patient in the Parkview Hospital, Nashville, in 1972 for the same reason. He advised that in 1973 he underwent surgery in the Westside Hospital, Nashville, for stomach ulcers. He advised he was also a patient in the Madison Hospital, Madison, Tennessee, in April, 1975, for depression.

BROWN advised he had no reason whatsoever for medical personnel in hospitals not to release information concerning himself and had no reason for school officials not to release information concerning himself and at this time was furnished an "Authority To Release Information" form and an "Authority to Release Medical Information" form. After having read the contents of both of these forms, BROWN advised he understood the contents of these forms and signed both forms.

BROWN thereafter furnished an oral statement regarding his activities as a volunteer worker and paid campaign worker for Mr. RAY BLANTON during Mr. BLANTON's campaign for U. S. Senator from the State of Tennessee, 1972. BROWN was then asked by SA [redacted] if he desired to furnish a signed statement concerning these activities. BROWN advised that he did. [redacted] stenographer, FBI, was then summoned to the interview. [redacted] was advised that SA [redacted] was going to dictate to [redacted] a statement of information he had furnished and that he was to listen during this dictation and to intercede if any information dictated was not correct. The following statement was then dictated to [redacted] by SA [redacted]

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July 31, 1975
Nashville, Tennessee

I, James Alvin Brown, Jr., make the following
free and voluntary statement to [redacted] and

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[redacted] who have identified themselves to me as
Special Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.
Agent [redacted] has advised me of my rights and has furnished me
with a paper containing my rights, which I have read. I
understand what my rights are and have signed this paper.

From 1970 to 1973, I was a student at Middle
Tennessee State University (MTSU), Murfreesboro, Tennessee,
and graduated from that university with a BS degree in
Political Science and History. In [redacted]

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In August, 1972, I became interested in the Ray
Blanton for U. S. Senator campaign for the State of Tennessee.
In approximately July, 1972, I met Mr. Ray Blanton at an
Elks Convention at the Hyatt Regency Motel at Knoxville,
Tennessee. I talked to Mr. Blanton and told him of my
desire to participate in his campaign. He told me to contact
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headquarters at the Continental Inn, Nashville, Tennessee.

A few days later, I telephonically contacted [] and set up an appointment. I met this appointment, talked to [] and immediately thereafter went to work as a volunteer worker in Mr. Blanton's campaign. As a volunteer worker, I received no salary, but did receive paid expenses. As a volunteer worker, I worked with [] who was in charge of Mr. Blanton's youth campaign.

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In September, 1972, I was told by []

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[] that I was to become a salaried campaign worker.

I believe this decision was reached by them due to my performance in setting up a campaign committee in Robertson County, Tennessee. [] was, at that time, Mr. Blanton's

[] and is now Governor Ray Blanton's

[] My salary was set at \$500 per month, plus expenses. I was told by [] that I was to be an "advance man" for Mr. Blanton and was to travel ahead of Mr. Blanton on his campaign tours to arrange for advertising, transportation, motel accommodations, and other needed facilities. I worked in this capacity for approximately one week to ten days, during which time I traveled to

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Chattanooga, Tennessee; Clarksville, Tennessee; and Jackson, Tennessee, where Mr. Blanton made campaign speeches.

At the end of that period, I was told by

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[redacted] that they desired that I begin traveling with Ray Blanton, but my duties would remain the same. Mr. Blanton was traveling by airplane and, therefore, I needed to be with him to assure all needed facilities were arranged. I agreed and did perform these duties in traveling with Mr. Ray Blanton throughout the remainder of Mr. Blanton's Senatorial campaign which ended in November, 1972.

In approximately October, 1972, the Ray Blanton campaign received information that Mr. Blanton's opponent, Howard Baker, was planning to operate a campaign train starting in the Tri-Cities area of East Tennessee, and to run across the State of Tennessee, and to end in Memphis, Tennessee. As a result of this information, a meeting was held by members of the Blanton campaign workers and present at this meeting in addition to myself were

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[redacted] to Mr. Blanton,
[redacted] of Ray Blanton.

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At this meeting, we talked of obtaining a bus to travel along with Howard Baker's train and considered using the slogan such as "While Baker rides the train, Tennessee school children are riding buses." We talked of this slogan inasmuch as the busing of school children was an issue at that time. We then realized that the bus in all likelihood, would not be able to parallel the schedule of Howard Baker's train and started talking of different ways we could offset Mr. Baker's campaign promotion. Several meetings were held at the Continental Inn and in each instance, [redacted]

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[redacted] and myself were present.

[redacted] was also present on occasion.

At one of these meetings, [redacted] stated that a Mr. Harris, who is employed with the Louisville and Nashville Railroad, and [redacted] was a volunteer worker in the Blanton campaign, could furnish information as to how to slow Howard Baker's train down. I was told to contact Mr. Harris and [redacted] set up an appointment for me. I believe this appointment was set up for the day following this meeting.

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On the date of the appointment, Mr. Harris came to the Blanton campaign headquarters at the Continental Inn, where I met with him. Mr. Harris was a white male,

approximately 45 to 50 years of age, and was dressed in work-type clothing, indicating he was possibly a mechanic. He and I then left the Continental Inn in Harris' automobile, which I believe was a green Rambler. Harris was already aware of the fact that I was interested in a plan to slow down Howard Baker's train. He and I drove to a railroad yard in the general area of Trousdale in Nashville. While driving to this location, Harris stated that one could grease railroad tracks and cause a train to stall. He stated that if the tracks were greased at a location where the tracks were on a slight incline and were greased for a distance of approximately 200 ft., it would cause the train to be delayed for an extended period of time. He also stated that he could obtain devices that were used by the railroads that caused trains to stop because of danger ahead. He also stated the railroads utilized flares in warning trains of danger ahead. Mr. Harris then stated that if a location on railroad tracks was found where the tracks were running at a slight upgrade, one could use a jack and spread the tracks apart, causing the derailing of the next train passing through. He stated that if an incline location was found, the derailing of the train would

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cause no injury. He described the type of jack to me and stated that one would need to use a piece of wood on each end of the jack.

Mr. Harris and I then left the railroad tracks in the area of Trousdale and drove to a round house area of what I believe to be Radnor Yards. Mr. Harris went in one of the round houses and obtained 12 to 15 flares and approximately 12 to 15 warning devices. These warning devices contained a wire which is wrapped around the railroad track and when a train passes over this wire, it causes a slight explosion, which warns the train crew of danger ahead. Mr. Harris gave me these flares and warning devices. He also took me to one of the train engines and showed me how to operate it, stating it would be easy to steal a train engine. Mr. Harris and I then traveled back to the Continental Inn.

Upon arrival at the Continental Inn, I took the warning devices and flares to my motel room and placed them in a drawer in a chest. [redacted] for Mr. Blanton, later removed these flares and devices from my room.

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While talking to Mr. Harris, he suggested I use axle grease in greasing the railroad tracks and I stated I did not know how I would explain my possession of the grease should I be caught. He then told me I could use Crisco as Crisco would do the same job.

After I returned to the Continental Inn and Mr. Harris had left, I attended a meeting with [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] I told them of my conversation with Mr. Harris. [REDACTED] was also present at this meeting. [REDACTED] to determine the cost of renting a bus. We then decided that we would attempt to grease the railroad tracks that Mr. Baker's train was traveling on and if this failed, to use the warning devices to slow Mr. Baker's train. We decided if these failed, we would then find a location where the train would be traveling up a hill and spread the tracks to derail Mr. Baker's train. I then stated that I would need help, as I was the one selected to stop Mr. Baker's train. Either [REDACTED] mentioned

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[REDACTED] was brought to the meeting.

[REDACTED] was told of the plan and agreed to assist me.

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On the same day of the aforementioned meeting, but possibly at a different meeting, we conversed as to where we would attempt to stop Mr. Baker's train. We decided we would try to stop the train somewhere outside the Tri-Cities area in East Tennessee.

The following day, Mr. Harris appeared at the Blanton campaign headquarters and had a map of the railroad tracks located primarily in the East Tennessee area. I don't know why he brought the map, but I assume it was at the request of [] and was a result of the previous day's conversation regarding the location where we wanted to stop Baker's train. Another meeting was held and present at this meeting were [] [] and myself. [] was present during parts of the conversations. We decided on stopping Howard Baker's train outside of Bristol, Tennessee, but no definite location was established. Myself [] were to select the location when we arrived in the Bristol area. As I recall, Mr. Baker's train was to be leaving the Tri-Cities area within the next 48 hours. [] had completed her inquiry regarding a bus and it was determined

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the rental of a bus was too expensive. She was then told by someone at the meeting to try to get [] and me a vehicle with four-wheel drive.

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That night, Mr. Ray Blanton arrived from Washington, D. C. by commercial airlines at the Nashville Airport.

[] I met him at the airport and as we were walking from the plane to our car, [] I told Ray Blanton of our plan. Ray Blanton was told that our plan was to grease the railroad tracks and to use the warning devices in efforts to slow Howard Baker's train. He was also told that if these failed, we planned to spread the railroad tracks on an incline, causing the derailment of Mr. Baker's train. Mr. Blanton was concerned over the portion of the plan regarding the spreading of the tracks and requested that I repeat this portion of the plan. I told him of my conversation with Mr. Harris and that Mr. Harris had assured me that if the tracks were spread at a location where the tracks were on an incline, the train would be traveling at a slow enough speed when derailed, that it would cause no injuries. Mr. Ray Blanton then agreed to this plan, but stated,

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"You know you can't get caught." I assured him that our plan would be such that [] I would not be caught.

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The following morning [] I planned to leave Nashville enroute to East Tennessee. The Howard Baker campaign train was scheduled to leave the Tri-Cities area the following day. I never saw a vehicle, but

I assumed that [] had arranged for the type of vehicle needed. That morning I held a conversation with

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[] he stated he believed we should wait and see what type of publicity the Baker train received in its travel from Bristol, Tennessee, to Knoxville, Tennessee. Present during this conversation were []

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[] myself and possibly [] All of us present wanted to go ahead with the plan, but [] was in charge of the campaign and his wishes prevailed.

It was then decided that we would wait for the train to travel to Knoxville, Tennessee. As a result of this decision, [] I never did obtain a jack to be utilized in the spreading of the tracks or any grease for the greasing of the tracks.

The Howard Baker train, after traveling from the Tri-Cities area to Knoxville, Tennessee, received

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excellent publicity. A meeting was then held at the Ray Blanton headquarters at the Continental Inn, Nashville, and present were [redacted] myself and possibly [redacted]. It was decided due to the excellent publicity received by Howard Baker's train, that [redacted] myself would try to slow or stop Baker's train just outside of Chattanooga. [redacted] then stated that he had talked to Mr. Harris and Harris had stated he could get someone to dilute the fuel of Baker's train and that this would cause the train to stall. [redacted] stated that the individual Harris would get to dilute this fuel, would charge \$200 for performing this action. It was known that Mr. Baker's train was scheduled to arrive in Nashville after leaving Chattanooga. [redacted] expressed his feelings that he liked this plan over the previous plan. [redacted] then told the other individuals present to make arrangements to have Baker's train fuel diluted. I assumed this fuel was to be diluted with water. I then telephoned Mr. Harris at his home and told him of [redacted] orders. I told Mr. Harris to get with [redacted] and obtain the \$200 for payment to the individual. I held a conversation with

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[] later and [] told me everything was arranged.

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The following day, Howard Baker's train arrived in Nashville and I went down to Union Station and saw the train arrive. I then went back to the Continental Inn to Mr. Blanton's campaign headquarters and at approximately 7:00 P. M., [] arrived. I told him that all arrangements had been made for the diluting of the fuel in Baker's train and [] immediately told me he wanted this plan called off. He gave me no reason for wanting it called off and told me to get on the telephone and see that the plan was called off. I immediately called Mr. Harris and told him to call the plan off. He stated he did not know if he could at this late time get the plan called off, but would attempt to and then asked me what to do about the \$200, indicating to me he had already paid the \$200 out. I told him I did not know anything about the \$200, but did know the plan was to be called off.

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Mr. Harris called back approximately two hours later and talked to [] stated that Harris had gotten the plan called off.

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No further attempts were made to stall or
derail Howard Baker's train and I do not know why []
[] had changed his mind in getting the plan called off.

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JAMES ALVIN BROWN, JR.

Witness:

[] Special Agent
FBI, Nashville, Tennessee, 7/31/75.

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[] Special Agent
FBI, Nashville, Tennessee, 7/31/75.

Upon completion of the dictation of the above statement by SA [REDACTED] BROWN advised that the information dictated was true and correct. He was then advised it would be a period of time before this statement would be in typed form for him to read and sign if so desired. BROWN advised he needed to go to his place of employment for a short period of time and would return to the Nashville Office of the FBI, prior to 5:00 PM on this date for the reading and signing of this statement. BROWN did not return to read and sign this statement.

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In addition to the information set forth in the above statement, BROWN advised that he believed the following individual who were workers in the RAY BLANTON Senatorial Campaign in 1972 were aware of the plans to derail or slow HOWARD BAKER's campaign train although these individuals did not participate in any way in these plans:

[REDACTED]
WSM Radio and Television, Nashville, Tennessee

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[REDACTED] approximately [REDACTED] RAY BLANTON when BLANTON was a Congressman in Washington, D. C. [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] who he believes to be a secretary in Washington, D. C.

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[REDACTED] who he believes is now a secretary in Washington, D. C.

[REDACTED] B & B Construction Company, Adamsville, Tennessee, a construction company operated by the BLANTON family

The following is descriptive data of [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] as obtained during interview and observation:

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Name	JAMES ALVIN BROWN, JR.
Race	White
Sex	Male
Date of birth	September 29, 1947
Place of birth	Lawrenceburg, Tennessee
Height	6'1"
Weight	170
Hair	Brown
Eyes	Green
Residence telephone	<input type="text"/>
Marital status	Divorced

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On August 1, 1975, an individual stating he was [redacted] Attorney at Law, Lawrenceburg, Tennessee, telephonically contacted SA [redacted] at the Nashville, Tennessee, Resident Agency of the FBI. [redacted] advised that he represented JAMES ALVIN BROWN, JR., and that JAMES ALVIN BROWN, JR., had not returned to the Nashville Office of the FBI to read and sign a written statement in instant matter on his, [redacted] advice. [redacted] advised that BROWN would not be returning to sign this statement and he had advised BROWN not to sign a statement or make any other statement.

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By letter dated August 4, 1975, [redacted] Attorney at Law, Lawrenceburg, Tennessee, advised SA [redacted] that he represented JAMES BROWN. [redacted] advised in this letter that it was on his advice BROWN did not return to the Nashville Office of the FBI to sign the statement and he had advised BROWN to furnish the FBI no further statements, either orally or in writing. [redacted] requested in this letter that no further questions be proposed to BROWN unless he, [redacted] was present.

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The following investigation was conducted at Nashville, Tennessee, on August 7, 1975, by SA [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] Inspector, Special Services, Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company, Nashville Railroad Company, Nashville, Tennessee, was contacted. [REDACTED] advised that during October of 1974 the Special Services Section of the Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company conducted an investigation regarding an allegation that an employee, WALTER ROBERT HARRIS, JR., had participated in plans to slow or derail the campaign train of Senator HOWARD BAKER in 1972. Mr. O'BRIEN advised that on October 26, 1974, he personally contacted Mr. HARRIS regarding these allegations and Mr. HARRIS had denied completely of having participated in the plans to derail Senator BAKER's train and stated that he, HARRIS, had never met JAMES ALVIN BROWN, JR., who had made these allegations.

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[REDACTED] advised that WALTER ROBERT HARRIS, JR. resides at 633 McMurray Drive, Nashville, Tennessee, [REDACTED] He advised that Mr. HARRIS has been employed with the Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company since February 28, 1947, and is currently a yard engineer. He advised that Mr. HARRIS was disciplined by the Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company during August of 1949 as a result of a derailment of a train engine and was again disciplined for a period of 10 days during November, 1951, for failure to obtain a watch inspection. He advised the disciplinary action in August of 1949 is reflected in the files merely as disciplined for 60 days. He advised that in 1972 Mr. HARRIS was commended by the Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company for having served 25 years with this railroad company. He advised that in March of 1970 Mr. HARRIS was injured with indications from the file of this being a neck injury, and he returned to work in July, 1970.

[REDACTED] advised that files of his office reflect that JAMES ALVIN BROWN, JR., the person making the allegation that WALTER ROBERT HARRIS, JR. had instructed

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him in methods of derailling and slowing trains, began an employment with the Kroger Warehouse Company, Nashville, in August of 1973. BROWN was absent from work on July 12, 1974, through July 14, 1974, and did not call in to the Kroger Company reporting reasons for not working as he had previously been instructed. He further advised that he had determined that BROWN had missed 27 percent of his scheduled work days with Kroger during the period from May 30 to July 22, 1974. He advised that he had learned that BROWN was previously employed with Associates Capital Company of Oak Ridge, Tennessee, for a period of three years and was also employed by the Cumberland Capital Company of Knoxville, Tennessee. Previous addresses for BROWN listed in his files were [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] advised that the investigation conducted by his company regarding the allegations against Mr. HARRIS failed to develop any positive information.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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Date of transcription 8/18/75

WALTER ROBERT HARRIS, JR., 633 McMurray Drive, Nashville, Tennessee, was interviewed at his residence. At the beginning of the interview Mr. HARRIS was advised by SA [] that he was to be interviewed regarding information received that plans were to be made to slow or derail the campaign train of Senator HOWARD BAKER during Senator BAKER's campaign of 1972. Mr. HARRIS was then furnished an "Interrogation; Advice of Rights" waiver of rights form which he read. After having read the contents of this form Mr. HARRIS advised he understood what his rights are, was willing to be interviewed, but did not desire to sign this form.

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Mr. HARRIS advised his home telephone number is []. He advised he has been employed with the Louisville and Nashville Railroad for 28 years and is currently employed as an engineer with this railroad company.

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Mr. HARRIS advised that during 1972 [] worked as a volunteer worker in the senatorial campaign of Mr. RAY BLANTON, and that Mr. BLANTON's opponent in this campaign was Mr. HOWARD BAKER. He advised that he, himself, did not work in the campaign of Mr. BLANTON and did not in any way participate in this campaign. Mr. HARRIS advised that he is aware that a Mr. BROWN, a former campaign worker for RAY BLANTON, had made statements regarding alleged efforts of members of RAY BLANTON's campaign of 1972 talking of attempting to derail the campaign train of Mr. BAKER. Mr. HARRIS stated this information is a well known fact, as it has been printed in newspapers, and that he personally has been contacted by numerous newspaper reporters regarding this matter. He advised that he is aware that Mr. BROWN alleged that he, Mr. HARRIS, was to instruct certain individuals of RAY BLANTON's campaign in methods of derailing a train. Mr. HARRIS stated these statements are completely untrue and that at no time has he ever instructed anyone in methods of derailing or slowing a train, and in particular has never talked to anyone on how to slow or derail Mr. BAKER's train during that campaign.

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Mr. HARRIS advised that during Mr. BLANTON's campaign of 1972, Mr. BLANTON headquartered his campaign in the Continental Inn, Nashville. He stated [redacted] did work as a volunteer worker for Mr. BLANTON, and during this time he went to the BLANTON headquarters on one or two occasions. He advised he did not personally meet Mr. BLANTON until the night of the senatorial election in 1972, at which time a party had been planned which was to have been a victory party. He stated inasmuch as Mr. BLANTON had been defeated by Mr. BAKER the party turned in to be a party in defeat. But, he did on that occasion meet Mr. RAY BLANTON for the first time. Mr. HARRIS stated he is not acquainted with [redacted] although he has heard of [redacted] and understands that [redacted] is currently employed with Mr. BLANTON. He stated he has never met Mr. BLANTON [redacted] nor has he met [redacted]. He stated he has never met any of these individuals and has never conversed with any of these individuals either in person or by telephone.

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He advised he has never been approached by anyone for information on how to derail or slow a train. He stated he has never met JOHN ALVIN BROWN, JR. and to his knowledge has never talked to BROWN.

Mr. HARRIS stated he is also aware that an allegation had been made that a person was hired for the amount of \$200 to delute the fuel of Senator BAKER's campaign train when it was in Nashville, Tennessee. He advised that he has no personal knowledge, whatsoever, concerning this matter and that he was never approached by anyone to cause the fuel of Senator BAKER's train to be deluted and never attempted to hire anyone to perform such an act.

Mr. HARRIS advised that railroads do utilize an explosive device for warning trains of danger ahead. He stated this explosive device consists of some type of explosive material with a piece of lead attached. He stated this piece of lead is wrapped around a railroad track when one desires that an oncoming train be slowed or stopped, and when this train runs over this particular explosive device it causes an explosion, merely to notify the train crew of danger ahead. He stated the general

rule for use of these explosive devices is that two such devices are placed on the tracks if the oncoming train is to travel further at a restricted speed and one is placed on the track if it is desired the train to be stopped. He stated that once a moving train runs over such a device the crew then is alert for a second device which is placed approximately ten rail lengths from the first one. If the second device is not encountered the train comes to a stop and members of the crew then walk ahead to determine what the danger is. If the second device explodes then the train travels at a restricted speed to the next communication point to check on what danger is ahead. Mr. HARRIS stated he has never instructed anyone connected with the RAY BLANTON campaign of 1972 in the use of such devices and has never talked to anyone about the spreading of tracks for purpose of derailing a train. He stated that anyone in their right mind would realize that there is no such thing as derailing a train without the possibility of injury to persons aboard the train.

Mr. HARRIS advised that during 1972 [redacted] drove a 1965 Oldsmobile, solid blue in color, bearing Tennessee license [redacted]. He stated he, himself, drove a 1971 Plymouth Fury, white over blue in color, bearing Tennessee license WB4SOK2. He stated he is a ham radio operator and these license plates denote this fact.

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The following is descriptive data as obtained from interview and observation:

Name:	WALTER ROBERT HARRIS, JR.
Race:	White
Sex:	Male
Date of Birth:	January 9, 1925
Place of Birth:	Nashville, Tennessee
Height:	6' 2"
Weight:	210 pounds
Hair:	Blond - graying
Eyes:	Blue
Residence:	633 McMurray Drive, Nashville, Tennessee
Employment:	Engineer with Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company, Nashville, Tennessee

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Military Service;

Served in U. S. Navy from
1941 until 1945, Serial
Number unrecalled

Arrests:

None

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[redacted] was interviewed at the office of attorney [redacted] Seventh Avenue and Union Street, Nashville, Tennessee. At the beginning of this interview, [redacted] was advised by SA [redacted] that she was to be interviewed regarding information received that persons working in the 1972 senatorial campaign of Mr. RAY BLANTON had made plans to slow or derail or stop a campaign train of Mr. HOWARD BAKER. [redacted] was immediately thereafter furnished an "Interrogation; Advice of Rights" form which she read. After having read the contents of this form, [redacted] advised she understood what her rights are, was willing to be interviewed, and she signed the form.

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[redacted] advised she is presently employed as [redacted] at the Tennessee Society of Professional Engineers and Consulting Engineers of Tennessee, Inc., with offices located at 311 Church Street, Room 319, Exchange Building, Nashville, Tennessee. She advised she resides at [redacted] Nashville, and has home telephone number [redacted].

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[redacted] advised that in January, 1966, she started to work for Mr. RAY BLANTON when Mr. BLANTON first became a Congressman from the 7th District in the State of Tennessee. She advised this employment was in Washington, D. C., and she was employed as Mr. BLANTON [redacted]. She stated that she continued this employment with Mr. BLANTON until either the last day of December, 1972, or the first few days in January, 1973.

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[redacted] advised that during 1972 Mr. BLANTON became a candidate for the U. S. Senate from the State of Tennessee and in that year set up campaign headquarters in the Continental Inn Motel, Nashville. At that time she remained as Mr. BLANTON [redacted] but also traveled to Tennessee and started to work in Mr. BLANTON's campaign headquarters as [redacted] in Mr. BLANTON's campaign travels and was also [redacted] for Mr. BLANTON's campaign.

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by SA [redacted] SA [redacted] :DLH:cjs Date dictated 8/12/75

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[] advised that during this campaign a Mr. JAMES BROWN was hired as a worker in this campaign and Mr. BROWN's duties in this employment was to coordinate placement of campaign billboards and other type campaign posters, as well as to travel with Mr. BLANTON.

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[] advised that during Mr. BLANTON's campaign, Mr. BLANTON, himself, was completely in charge of all activities. She advised that []

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[] all had specific duties with regard to this campaign and all had decision-making positions. She advised that JAMES BROWN [] both employees in this campaign, did not, as far as she knew, have a part in the decision making of this campaign.

[] advised that at no time was she ever told by anyone in the BLANTON for Senate Campaign to rent a bus or rent any other type of vehicle or to obtain any other type of vehicle. She stated that at no time did she ever hear any conversation regarding the greasing or placing of Crisco on railroad tracks. [] advised that the only time throughout Mr. BLANTON's campaign that she ever heard any statement made concerning the slowing or stopping of HOWARD BAKER's campaign train was on a date sometime around the time this train was to run. She stated that on that date she entered one of the rooms at BLANTON's campaign headquarters in the Continental Inn where several of the campaign workers were. She stated she specifically recalled that [] were not present in this room. She stated she feels relatively certain that []

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[] JAMES BROWN, [] were present in the room and she believes possibly other workers were in the room. She stated she heard some statement regarding the slowing or stopping of Senator BAKER's train but does not recall exactly what this statement was. She stated the talk in this room was just idle talk and the statement was something to the effect that it sure would be nice if HOWARD BAKER's train was slowed or stopped. She stated she does not recall what individual made this statement and did not believe the individual was serious in stopping the train. She stated that upon hearing this statement, she told all persons in the room to quit talking about things like that and if they did not have anything to do she could find them something to do. [] again stated

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this was the only occasion on which she ever heard any talk about the slowing or stopping of HOWARD BAKER's train and at no time did she ever hear any statement made regarding the derailing of this train.

She stated she did not recall anything at all about what date this statement was made on but did believe the statement would have been made sometime around the time Mr. BAKER's train was to move across the State of Tennessee because of the fact the workers at campaign headquarters were talking about this train.

[redacted] again stated that at no time did anyone ever request of her that she try to rent a bus to be used as a campaign tactic. She advised she does recall some statement being made at the campaign headquarters about the feasibility of getting a bus to try to offset the publicity being received by the BAKER campaign train.

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[redacted] advised that she had never met any man by the name of HARRIS but does recall having seen a Mr. HARRIS around the campaign headquarters of Mr. BLANTON on one or two occasions who was [redacted] a volunteer worker. [redacted] stated she had no knowledge whatsoever of any activity on the part of Mr. HARRIS regarding the campaign of Mr. BLANTON. She advised she had no information whatsoever regarding any payment to a person in an effort to have the fuel of Mr. BAKER's campaign train diluted with water or other substance and at no time did she ever observe any railroad warning flares or other explosive type warning devices at the BLANTON for Senate campaign headquarters.

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[redacted] advised that on October 30, 1972 [redacted] KENNARD JOHNSON, was killed while working at Nashville, Tennessee. She advised that due to her brother's death on that date, she did not participate in work at the BLANTON campaign headquarters following that date until about the date of the election. She advised she had no personal knowledge as to activities at Mr. BLANTON's campaign headquarters during that period of time.

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[redacted] advised that [redacted] who was known as [redacted] was [redacted] during the BLANTON for Senate Campaign and [redacted] was recently married in [redacted]

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Memphis, Tennessee. She advised she does not know the name of the [redacted] but does not [redacted] worked for some congressman in Washington, D. C., and believes [redacted] also is employed with a congressman in Washington, D. C. She advised that she knew no one by the name of [redacted] who was employed in the BLANTON for Senate Campaign. She stated a [redacted] was hired by Mr. BLANTON to replace her in the Washington, D. C., office when she [redacted] came to Tennessee for work in the campaign and [redacted] also traveled to Tennessee to do some work in Mr. BLANTON's campaign.

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She advised that [redacted] also worked in the BLANTON for Senate Campaign and believes she resided in Washington, D. C., [redacted]
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The following descriptive data was obtained from interview and observation:

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[redacted] was interviewed at his place of employment, [redacted] furnished the following information:

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He resides at [redacted] Nashville, and is employed at [redacted]. He advised he has been employed in this capacity since [redacted]

[redacted] advised that RAY BLANTON, the current Governor of the State of Tennessee, is a personal friend of his and he has known Governor BLANTON since 1965. [redacted] advised that during 1972 RAY BLANTON unsuccessfully sought a U. S. Senate seat from the State of Tennessee. In that campaign, Mr. BLANTON's opponent was Mr. HOWARD BAKER. [redacted] advised that he worked in Mr. BLANTON's campaign during 1972 but was not a paid employee. Due to his experience in the advertising business, he felt he would be of assistance to Mr. BLANTON and due to his friendship with Mr. BLANTON he waived his knowledge in advertising to Mr. BLANTON without charge.

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Throughout Mr. BLANTON's campaign during 1972, he, [redacted] was at Mr. BLANTON's campaign headquarters in the Continental Inn Motel, Nashville, on a daily basis. At no time did he hear anyone connected with Mr. BLANTON's campaign make any statement regarding the slowing, stopping, or derailing of HOWARD BAKER's campaign train other than one statement made by [redacted] a worker in Mr. BLANTON's campaign. He stated this statement was made by BROWN one day at Mr. BLANTON's campaign headquarters and the only persons present at the time this statement was made were BROWN and himself. He stated he does not recall the exact circumstances but did recall that he and BROWN were the only two people in one of the rooms maintained by the BLANTON for U. S. Senate Campaign and BROWN made some statement to the effect that Mr. BAKER's train should be stopped. This statement was not a malicious type statement but was merely an off-the-cuff statement by BROWN. [redacted] stated he merely replied to this statement that any action like that would merely give BAKER more publicity and he, [redacted] laughed. He never heard any additional statement made by BROWN or anyone else

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by SA [redacted] :DLH:ejc Date dictated 8/12/75

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REPORTING OFFICE WASHINGTON FIELD	OFFICE OF ORIGIN MEMPHIS	DATE 9/26/75	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 9/2-15/75
TITLE OF CASE LEONARD RAYMOND BLANTON; ET AL BLANTON FOR SENATE CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE, 1972		REPORT MADE BY <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100%;"></div>	TYPED BY <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100%;"></div>
		CHARACTER OF CASE ELECTION LAWS	

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REFERENCES: Memphis airtel to Knoxville, 8/14/75, captioned LEONARD RAYMOND BLANTON; ET AL; THREAT TO DERAIL CAMPAIGN TRAIN OF U.S. SENATOR HOWARD BAKER IN 1972; FTWS - CONSPIRACY; Knoxville airtel to WFO, 8/27/75, captioned as above; Memphis teletype to Director, 8/28/75.

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Inasmuch as negative information was provided by regarding the alleged violations of Election Laws and the Federal Train Wreck Statute, one report has been prepared with copies designated for case files in both classifications. It is noted that leads to interview were set forth

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regarding both of the above alleged violations. Since was also employed by BLANTON at this time, she, too, was interviewed regarding her knowledge of threats to derail Senator BAKER's campaign train.

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ET AL
BLANTON FOR SENATE CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE,
1972

Character:

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interviewed at Washington, D.C., on 9/11/75, 9/12/75, and 9/15/75 respectively. All claim no knowledge, either first hand or hearsay, of any illegal activities of BLANTON Campaign Committee regarding reporting of contributions or a plot to derail Senator BAKER Campaign Train in 1972. Details set forth.

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[redacted] who is employed as the [redacted] to Congressman JOHN MURPHY, Rayburn Building, room 2187, telephone 225-3371, and resides at [redacted] telephone [redacted]

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[redacted] was contacted at her place of employment. [redacted] was advised of the identity of the interviewing agents and the fact that it was desired that she be interviewed regarding alleged campaign violations by Governor BLANTON of Tennessee when he was running against Senator HOWARD BAKER in the 1972 Senatorial Election.

[redacted] was immediately advised of certain of her rights by Special Agent (SA) [redacted] as shown on an Interrogation; Advice of Rights form. [redacted] advised that she understood these rights, signed the above form, and agreed to answer questions about BLANTON's campaign.

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[redacted] advised that she was employed by BLANTON when he was a United States Congressman and worked primarily in his Washington Office from January, 1971, through the end of 1972. She stated she was primarily employed as his [redacted] and also did some work for him and his campaign in late 1972, when she temporarily returned to Tennessee. [redacted] advised that she had returned to Tennessee in August and September, 1972, subsequently returned to Washington, and then returned to Tennessee in October, 1972, and remained there through the end of the November elections.

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[redacted] stated that her duties there entailed [redacted] for BLANTON and advised that she had absolutely nothing to do with the recording of contributions to BLANTON's campaign. She advised that she would sometimes, on an infrequent basis, type thank you cards which were sent to BLANTON's campaign contributors. She advised that the names of these contributors were supplied to her by either [redacted]

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[redacted] again stated that she had absolutely no knowledge of any false reporting of contributions and again stated that she, to the best of her recollection, never

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by SAs [redacted] and JDS:gmb Date dictated 9/12/75

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prepared any records of the campaign contributors. In a response to a question regarding the method of recording these contributions, [] advised that she was not positive but thought they were recorded on some type of index cards and again stated that she never typed any of these. b6 b7C

[] advised that she recalled the train utilized by Senator BAKER during his campaign and stated that she went to see it on one occasion when it was in Nashville, Tennessee. She advised the reason she went to see this train was merely curiosity in that she wanted to see what type of turn out BAKER would receive on his campaign efforts. [] advised that she had no knowledge of and never heard anyone discussing any efforts by anyone to take any type of action whatsoever against Senator BAKER's train. b6 b7C

At this point [] was asked if she was acquainted with or recognized a list of approximately seven names. To these questions she replied that to her recollection []

was the [] to BLANTON in his WDC office during his congressional term, JIM BROWN was BLANTON's "advance man" during campaign trip, [] she recalled seeing around the campaign office though she did not know what his function was, [] RAY BLANTON, was frequently in the campaign office though she did not know in exactly what capacity, and [] was BLANTON [] She advised the name WALTER ROBERT HARRIS, Jr., meant nothing to her whatsoever. b6 b7C

[] also advised that [] has recently [] is employed in the office of Congressman JIM JONES in the Cannon Office Building. She also stated that [] resides at [] WDC. Regarding [] advised that at one point she was employed by the Geological Survey in WDC and has allegedly recently been transferred to the San Francisco office of the Geological Survey. b6 b7C

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[redacted] who is employed as a [redacted] for Congressman JAMES R. JONES, Room 225, Cannon Office Building, Washington, D.C. (WDC), telephone 225-2211 and resides at [redacted] telephone [redacted] was contacted at her place of employment. [redacted] was advised of the identity of the interviewing agents and of the nature of the inquiry. [redacted] was immediately advised of certain of her rights by Special Agent (SA) [redacted] as shown on an executed Interrogation; Advice of Rights form, (FD-395). [redacted] advised that she understood her rights, was willing to speak with the interviewing agents, and signed the above described form. [redacted] than provided the following information.

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[redacted] advised that she was employed in the office of Congressman RAY BLANTON from June, 1969, through December, 1972. She advised that her employment consisted of working mainly in WDC though she did travel to Tennessee on several occasions. She advised that she was in Tennessee during the later part of June and July, 1972, and again from September, 1972, through the 1972 election in which BLANTON was running for a seat in the United States Senate.

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[redacted] noted that her position in BLANTON's office was that [redacted] and in that capacity she had absolutely nothing to do with policy type decisions. [redacted] advised that to the best of her recollection, records regarding campaign contributors were recorded in what she described as "some type of accounting ledger book". [redacted] advised that she does not recall the use of index cards in recording campaign contributors. She advised that she did not fill out any of the forms required by law which were submitted regarding the names and amounts of contributors. She noted, however, that in her capacity [redacted] she would frequently open the daily mail and would periodically handle checks submitted to the campaign. [redacted] advised that she would record the name, address, and amount of the contribution and would then give the check to [redacted] or someone else in authority. [redacted] advised that she would

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frequently type thank you letters to contributors and noted that as far as she knew, a thank you letter sent to each contributor.

[redacted] advised that she had no personal knowledge and never heard of anyone discussing a situation wherein contributions were attributed to someone other than the individual who actually provided the money. b6 b7C

[redacted] recalled that Senator BAKER had, towards the end of the campaign, utilized a train and traveled from one end of Tennessee to the other stopping in many of the towns along the way. She advised that she was in Tennessee at this particular time but had heard absolutely nothing regarding any attempts by anyone to either slow down, sabotage, or derail Senator BAKER's train. She added that she had read of these allegations in the newspaper approximately seven months ago. b6 b7C

[redacted] stated that she had neither observed nor participated in any illegal or questionable activities during BLANTON's campaign. b6 b7C

[redacted] advised that [redacted] a former BLANTON campaign worker [redacted] could be reached at [redacted] b6 b7C

[redacted] She also added that [redacted] with BLANTON, could be reached at WDC telephone [redacted]

[redacted] advised that she had absolutely no further information regarding the allegations made against former Congressman BLANTON. b6 b7C

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[redacted] who resides at [redacted] telephone number [redacted] was contacted at her residence. [redacted] was advised of the identity of the interviewing Agents and the nature of the inquiry. [redacted] was orally advised of certain of her rights by SA [redacted] and provided a form entitled Interrogation; Advice of Rights (FD-395). After being orally advised of her rights and also after reading the above described form, [redacted] stated that she understood her rights, was willing to speak with the interviewing Agents, and so indicated by signing the above described form. [redacted] then provided the following information:

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[redacted] advised that she was formerly employed by then Congressman RAYMOND BLANTON from July, 1969 through late 1972 when his term as a Congressman was completed. [redacted] advised that she was employed primarily in WDC, though, on occasion she did travel to Tennessee for various purposes. She stated she was employed primarily as a "case worker" which entailed the handling of various constituent problems.

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[redacted] advised she was in Tennessee during the summer of 1972, and after returning to Washington for an unspecified period of time, she again returned to Tennessee for several weeks just prior to the 1972 Senatorial election.

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[redacted] advised that while in Tennessee, she was still primarily a case worker though she did do a certain amount of work for BLANTON's campaign. She advised that her work for the campaign committee primarily involved the typing of thank you notes to campaign contributors and workers. She advised that she received the names of those individuals to whom she was to prepare thank you notes from [redacted] and perhaps sometimes [redacted] could not be sure, but she stated that she perhaps got the names from other individuals on various occasions also.

[redacted] stated that at no time did she have anything to do with recording the names of contributors for the campaign committee. [redacted] stated that to the best of her recollection, these records were primarily kept by

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[redacted] and perhaps sometimes by [redacted] [redacted] advised that she had absolutely no idea of how the names were recorded, and again stated that she never had anything to do with this aspect of the campaign.

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[redacted] advised that she had no personal knowledge nor had she ever heard anything regarding any situation wherein campaign contributions were attributed to someone other than who had actually donated the money. She also advised that she had no personal knowledge, nor had she ever heard anything in which more than one set of records were kept regarding these contributions.

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[redacted] also advised that she had never heard of any plan by anyone in which Senator BAKER's campaign train was to be either delayed, sabotaged, or derailed. [redacted] advised that she was in Tennessee during that particular period of time (when Senator BAKER utilized a campaign train) and stated the only discussion she recalls regarding the train was an idea from [redacted] that BLANTON should travel from one end of Tennessee to the other in an "antique car".

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[redacted] advised that the one item she most recalls from her involvement with the campaign was the fact that they "never had any money".

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[redacted] stated that while she had no personal knowledge or hearsay information regarding any campaign violations or plots to derail Senator BAKER's train, she had heard of these allegations from friends still in Tennessee. She also advised that on one occasion she had been questioned by a reporter for a Tennessee newspaper, and recalled him only as BILL (LNU).

When questioned regarding the identity and responsibility of certain individuals, [redacted] provided the following information:

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She advised that [redacted] was more or less the [redacted] [redacted] for BLANTON; [redacted] was the [redacted] (RAY BLANTON) was frequently at the campaign office though [redacted] did not know his official capacity, if any.

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When asked about [redacted] advised that she considered him a "drunk" and a "loser". She stated

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that she had no idea how he may have become involved with BLANTON's campaign, and stated she simply did not like him.

[redacted] described him as being [redacted] "a snazzy dresser", and an individual who frequently talked about all of his women. [redacted] advised that while she had no firsthand knowledge regarding this, she had heard that he had used BLANTON's campaign credit cards during the campaign to purchase personal items for himself. BROWN had allegedly not repaid the campaign for these purchases. [redacted] advised that while he had never done anything to her, she simply did not like the way he acted, and had no idea on how he could have been involved with BLANTON's campaign.

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[redacted] advised that [redacted] was associated with the campaign and handled supplies for the campaign.

[redacted] stated that the names [redacted] Thurman Green Construction Company, and [redacted] were all completely unfamiliar to her. She stated that the name WALTER ROBERT HARRIS, Jr. did ring a bell with her, though she could not recall where or when she may have heard that particular name.

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[redacted] stated that she has absolutely no knowledge regarding any violations by the BLANTON campaign, and felt that the allegations were a "political move" by someone. When asked if she was aware or had heard who had made the allegations, [redacted] advised that it was her impression that JAMES BROWN had done so.

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REPORTING OFFICE MEMPHIS	OFFICE OF ORIGIN MEMPHIS	DATE 10/17/75	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 8/27 - 10/15/75
TITLE OF CASE LEONARD RAYMOND BLANTON, GOVERNOR, STATE OF TENNESSEE; JAMES ALVIN BROWN, JR.;		REPORT MADE BY SA 	TYPED BY CMC
		CHARACTER OF CASE FTWS - CONSPIRACY	
WALTER ROBERT HARRIS, JR.;			

UNSUB (I);
THREAT TO DERAIL CAMPAIGN TRAIN OF
U.S. SENATOR HOWARD BAKER IN 1972

REFERENCES: Memphis report of SA 8/29/75.
WFO airtel to the Bureau, 9/16/75.

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LEADSMEMPHIS DIVISION

AT NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE. Will interview
telephone re information as furnished by JAMES ALVIN
BROWN, JR.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS CLAIMED					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NONE	ACQUIT- TALS	CASE HAS BEEN: PENDING OVER ONE YEAR <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO PENDING PROSECUTION OVER SIX MONTHS <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO
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(2) Will recontact USA, Nashville, re prosecutive opinion in instant matter.

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Title: LEONARD RAYMOND BLANTON, GOVERNOR,
STATE OF TENNESSEE; JAMES ALVIN BROWN, JR.;b6
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[REDACTED] WALTER ROBERT HARRIS, JR.;

UNKNOWN SUBJECT (1); THREAT TO DERAIL CAMPAIGN TRAIN

~~XXXXX~~ OF UNITED STATES SENATOR HOWARD BAKER IN 1972.

Character: FEDERAL TRAIN WRECK STATUTE - CONSPIRACY

Synopsis: [REDACTED] interviewed 8/27/75, and denied instructing
JAMES ALVIN BROWN, JR. to attempt to slow Senator HOWARD
BAKER's campaign train. [REDACTED]b6
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[REDACTED] State of Tennessee, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] interviewed,
denied knowledge of any info concerning serious statements
made re slowing or derailing Sen. HOWARD BAKER's train
during Senatorial Campaign of 1972. LEONARD RAYMOND BLANTON,
Governor, State of Tennessee, interviewed 9/24/75, and ad-
vised at no time during 1972 Senatorial Campaign, or at any
other time did he hear any statement made by any individual
working in his campaign regarding slowing or derailing of
train of HOWARD BAKER. [REDACTED] to GovernorBLANTON interviewed Nashville, Tenn., and denied any knowledge
of plans to slow or derail HOWARD BAKER's campaign train
during 1972. USA, Nashville, contacted 10/15/75, and advisedb6
b7C[REDACTED] has testified before FGJ, Nashville, and that
[REDACTED] scheduled to testify before FGJ, Nashville,
10/22/75. Additionally, USA advised he anticipates that
WALTER ROBERT HARRIS, JR. will testify before FGJ, Nashville,
during November, 1975.

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DETAILS:

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[redacted] was interviewed at his place of residence. At the beginning of the interview, [redacted] was advised by SA [redacted] that information had been received that he possibly had participated in planning to derail a campaign train utilized by United States Senator HOWARD BAKER in 1972. He was further advised that due to this information, he, [redacted] possibly violated the Federal Train Wreck Statute and the Federal Conspiracy Statute. [redacted] was advised he was to be interviewed regarding this matter if he consented to such interview. [redacted] was immediately thereafter furnished an Advice of Rights form by SA [redacted]. [redacted] read the contents of this form and the contents of this form were explained to him. [redacted] advised he understood his rights, signed the Waiver of Rights form and advised he was willing to be interviewed.

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[redacted] advised he was employed by LEONARD RAYMOND BLANTON during BLANTON's campaign for United States Senator from Tennessee in the fall of 1972. [redacted] said he was employed as BLANTON's publicity man and in this capacity he contacted the news media, coordinated publicity, speech writing and advertising.

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[redacted] advised he recalls JAMES ALVIN BROWN, JR. was also involved in BAKER's senatorial campaign in the fall of 1972. [redacted] said he believes BROWN was BLANTON's chauffeur during part of the campaign.

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[redacted] categorically denied instructing JAMES ALVIN BROWN, JR. to attempt to slow down BAKER's campaign train by the use of flares, warning devices, diluting the train engine's fuel, spreading the railroad tracks or greasing the railroad tracks with Crisco Oil or any type of grease.

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[redacted] advised that during the time in 1972 when BAKER's campaign train was in operation, there was some conversation made among BLANTON's campaign workers that an effort should be made to slow BAKER's campaign train through the use of Crisco Oil, which was to be put on the tracks. [redacted] advised he does not know who initially made this suggestion but it was not of a serious nature and no one took this idea seriously.

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by SA [redacted] and SA [redacted] JPH/jaj *50H* Date dictated 8/29/75

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[redacted] stated he does not recall having any discussions with WALTER ROBERT HARRIS, JR. during BLANTON's campaign in the fall of 1972 and, in fact, does not even know HARRIS.

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The following description of [redacted] was obtained by interview and observation:

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Education

[redacted]
6'
160 pounds
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Slender
Single

Occupation

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Unemployed attorney

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During the interview with [redacted] for the State of Tennessee, in another matter, [redacted] voluntarily stated that he was upset over some articles that he had read in the paper. [redacted] pointed out that he read in the paper concerning a statement made by Mr. BROWN concerning the 1972 Senatorial campaign involving then Congressman RAY BLANTON and U. S. Senator HOWARD BAKER. [redacted] said he was specifically referring to the statement contributed by BROWN that Crisco was discussed to be used by the BLANTON campaign committee to slow or derail Senator BAKER's campaign train. [redacted] stated that a statement like that appeared to him to be made after a long day's work and several hours in a bar. [redacted] voluntarily stated that he had no personal knowledge that any such matter was discussed in his presence during any of the BLANTON campaign committee meetings that he attended during the U. S. Senatorial race for the State of Tennessee during 1972.

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[redacted]
[redacted] was interviewed at his place of residence. He was advised of his rights by SA [redacted]. [redacted] advised that he understood his rights and voluntarily signed the form entitled "Your Rights." [redacted] advised that he was employed as a pilot by B&B Construction Company, Adamsville, Tennessee, in July, 1972. He recalled at the time of his employment, the senate campaign of RAY BLANTON was well underway.

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[redacted] advised that at no time during this campaign did anyone discuss with him any plan to delay or derail a train used by Senator BAKER. [redacted] further advised that he did not go to the room of JAMES BROWN located at the Continental Inn and remove any flares or devices or anything else.

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[redacted] advised that the first knowledge he had of this alleged plan was when he read about it in the newspapers approximately one year ago. He advised that he received numerous press inquiries about his alleged part in the removal of flares and devices from the Continental Inn. He stated that he denied to the press any knowledge of this matter. He stated that approximately two months ago he again began receiving press inquiries about this matter.

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[redacted] reiterated that he has no knowledge of any alleged plan to derail Senator BAKER's train and that he never took part in any plan to accomplish the derailment or delay of Senator BAKER's train.

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by SA [redacted] be _____ Date dictated 9/16/75

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[redacted] Geochemistry and Geophysics Division, Branch of Field Geochemistry and Petrology, Building 1, Room 205, United States Geological Survey (USGS) 345 Middlefield, telephone [redacted] was orally advised of her rights by SA [redacted] and was additionally furnished with an "Interrogation; Advice of Rights" form, which she read, stated she understood and signed. [redacted] furnished the following information:

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She presently resides at [redacted] She said she began her employment in the office of Congressman BLANTON in Washington, D.C. in February, 1972. She terminated this employment on January 6, 1973, and began employment with the USGS in the Washington, D.C. area prior to moving to California approximately one year ago.

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When she began her employment in the offices of Congressman BLANTON, she became his [redacted] when [redacted] went to the State of Tennessee in connection with work for BLANTON's campaign in 1972.

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She maintained office space in Washington, D.C. officially for 11 months, but occasionally visited BLANTON's campaign headquarters in Nashville, Tennessee at the Continental Inn. She maintained her residence in the Washington, D.C. area and when travelling to Tennessee she rode with [redacted] She made several trips to Tennessee working in the campaign headquarters for short periods of time and would then return to Washington, D.C. When in Nashville, she stayed at the residence of [redacted]

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[redacted] advised that while in Washington and Nashville, employed for Congressman BLANTON, she heard no conversations regarding Senator HOWARD BAKER's train trip through the state of Tennessee. She recalled only that near the close of Congressman BLANTON's campaign she believes she was told by [redacted] now known as [redacted] telephonically, something about a train derailment or crank story in connection with Senator BAKER's train trip. She

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On 9/19/75 at Menlo Park, California File # SF 56-142
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said she has absolutely no information regarding this matter and was unable to suggest anyone employed by Congressman BLANTON who might have information regarding this matter.

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Date of transcription 10/8/75

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LEONARD RAYMOND BLANTON, Governor, State of Tennessee, was interviewed at the Executive Mansion in the presence of attorney and [redacted]

[redacted] SAs [redacted] introduced themselves. SA [redacted] orally outlined to Governor BLANTON that he was to be interviewed regarding an allegation made that workers in his senatorial campaign of 1972, planned to slow or derail a campaign train operated by HOWARD BAKER during that campaign, and that he, BLANTON, had been made aware of these plans and agreed to these plans. Governor BLANTON thereafter was advised by SA [redacted] of his constitutional rights and was furnished an "Interrogation; Advice of Rights" form. After having read the contents of this form, Governor BLANTON advised he understood what his rights are, was willing to be interviewed, but did not desire to sign the form. Governor BLANTON furnished the following information:

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He was a candidate for the United States Senate from Tennessee during the election of 1972, and his opponent in that campaign was HOWARD BAKER. He advised that Mr. BAKER did operate during that campaign a "campaign train" that started a run in East Tennessee and ended in West Tennessee. He advised at no time during this campaign or at any other time did he hear any statement made by any individual working in the Blanton for Senate campaign regarding the slowing or derailling of this train by use of grease, warning devices or any other method. He advised he did not hold a conversation with anyone regarding plans to flow or derail this train and that any statement regarding this fact would be completely untrue. Governor BLANTON advised that any allegation regarding such plans to derail or slow this train would be quite absurd in that the engineer of Mr. BAKER's campaign train was [redacted] and that [redacted] and the [redacted] both worked for him, Mr. BLANTON, in the Blanton for Senate campaign. He stated that if any desire existed on his part to have this train slowed

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by SAs [redacted] and [redacted]
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it would have been an easy matter to have it done through the [redacted]

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Governor BLANTON advised he has no knowledge whatsoever regarding an allegation of the hiring of an individual for \$200 to dilute fuel in the BAKER campaign train by persons working in his campaign.

Governor BLANTON stated that JIM BROWN who was an employee of his during the Blanton for Senate campaign of 1972 and who has made statements regarding this matter is a thief and liar. He advised BROWN is a liar as BROWN has made statements regarding the plan to slow or derail Senator HOWARD BAKER's train and these statements are completely untrue. Governor BLANTON stated that BROWN is a thief as he improperly used a BLANTON campaign MasterCard credit card after the 1972 senatorial campaign was over for obtaining services and merchandise which he had no authority to do. However, the BLANTON campaign disclaimed responsibility for these charges.

Governor BLANTON characterized this investigation as a political investigation, and stated he planned to make a telephone call to Attorney General [redacted] to protest this investigation.

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The following is a physical description of Governor LEONARD RAYMOND BLANTON:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Age	45 years
Height	5'9"-10"
Weight	170-75 pounds
Hair	Black, graying
Residence	Executive Mansion Curtiswood Lane Nashville, Tennessee

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Date of transcription 10/8/75

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[redacted] to Governor LEONARD RAYMOND BLANTON, Nashville, Tennessee, was interviewed at the Executive Mansion, Curtiswood Lane, Nashville. SA [redacted]

[redacted] introduced themselves and [redacted] was advised by SA [redacted] that he was to be interviewed regarding an allegation that he and other workers in LEONARD RAYMOND BLANTON's campaign for United States Senate, 1972, made plans to slow or derail a campaign train operated by BLANTON's opponent, HOWARD BAKER.

[redacted] was thereafter furnished an "Interrogation; Advice of Rights" form by SA [redacted] and having read the contents of this form, advised he understood what his rights are, was willing to be interviewed and signed the form. Thereafter [redacted] furnished the following information:

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He advised that he became associated with LEONARD RAYMOND BLANTON's campaign for United States Senate in 1972 during approximately April of 1972. At that time, he became campaign coordinator for Mr. BLANTON and worked in the campaign throughout the remainder of the campaign. He advised during this campaign HOWARD BAKER, Mr. BLANTON's opponent in this campaign, did operate, what was characterized as, a campaign train from the East Tennessee area and which traveled through Tennessee, ending in West Tennessee. He advised at that time, talk was held in meetings of the workers of Mr. BLANTON's campaign as to what could be done to offset the publicity received by BAKER and, in fact, consideration was given to the use of a bus to travel across the state and to utilize a slogan involving the bussing of school children. He stated he personally did not like that idea, and ultimately an airplane was used to try to combat publicity used by BAKER's campaign train. He stated this airplane started on a trip from Johnson City, Tennessee, and flew across the State of Tennessee, ending in Memphis, Tennessee.

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[] stated he was never at any meeting where any plans were made to slow or derail the campaign train of HOWARD BAKER. He stated he heard jokes made around the campaign headquarters of Mr. BLANTON concerning Senator BAKER's campaign train, but has no information as to the exact contents of these jokes and there was nothing ever said or done regarding the planning of derailing this train. [] stated he was personally present at many strategy meetings held usually on each Sunday night at the Continental Inn in Nashville, which was Mr. BLANTON's headquarters, but again stated that at no time was any plan ever discussed regarding the slowing or derailing of Mr. BAKER's campaign train.

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[] advised he has no knowledge whatsoever of any plan to pay someone \$200 for diluting fuel in Mr. BAKER's campaign train, and certainly was not a party himself in any such plan..

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On October 15, 1975, efforts to contact [redacted] [redacted] determined that he is presently ill and is not available for interview at this time.

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On the same date, [redacted] United States Attorney, Nashville, was contacted by SA [redacted] advised that [redacted]

[redacted] is not necessary. Additionally, [redacted] advised that [redacted]

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[redacted] advised that with the exception of an interview of [redacted] he desires no additional investigation in instant matter at this [redacted]

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TITLE OF CASE LEONARD RAYMOND BLANTON, GOVERNOR, STATE OF TENNESSEE; JAMES ALVIN BROWN, JR.; <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 40px; width: 100%;"></div> WALTER ROBERT HARRIS, JR.;		REPORT MADE BY SA <div style="border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; width: 150px; height: 1.2em; vertical-align: middle;"></div>	TYPED BY mgv b6 b7C
UNSUB (1); THREAT TO DERAIL CAMPAIGN TRAIN OF U. S. SENATOR HOWARD BAKER IN 1972		CHARACTER OF CASE FTWS - CONSPIRACY	

REFERENCES: Memphis report of SA
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**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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Report of: SA [redacted]
Date: December 18, 1975

Office: Memphis

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Title: LEONARD RAYMOND BLANTON, GOVERNOR, STATE OF TENNESSEE;
JAMES ALVIN BROWN, JR.; [redacted] WALTER ROBERT HARRIS, JR.;
UNKNOWN SUBJECT (1); THREAT TO DERAIL CAMPAIGN TRAIN OF U. S.
SENATOR HOWARD BAKER IN 1972

Character: FEDERAL TRAIN WRECK STATUTE - CONSPIRACY

Synopsis: THOMAS MARSHALL HARRIS interviewed, Nashville, Tenn., and advised he [redacted] have never had any association with LEONARD BLANTON or with any campaign of BLANTON. Information furnished by USA, Nashville, Tenn., that was received from [redacted] Camden, Tenn., re information received by [redacted] This information indicating that [redacted] possesses information re plans to use Crisco or torpedos to delay campaign train of HOWARD BAKER in 1972. [redacted] interviewed, 11/13/75.

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[redacted] interviewed and advised he possesses no information concerning any attempt to slow or derail campaign train of HOWARD BAKER. [redacted]

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[redacted] interviewed, Nashville, Tenn., 12/9/75, and denied any knowledge of plans to slow or derail campaign train of HOWARD BAKER during 1972 but did state he heard [redacted] make statement on one occasion re greasing of tracks.

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THOMAS MARSHALL HARRIS, Master Mechanic, Louisville-N-Nashville Railroad, Nashville, Tennessee, residence 5009 Darlington Drive, Nashville, was interviewed and furnished the following information:

HARRIS was advised he was to be interviewed regarding an allegation that workers for the Blanton for Senate Campaign in 1972 had conspired to slow or derail a campaign train operated by HOWARD BAKER during the senate campaign of 1972. Mr. HARRIS was further advised that information received that a Mr. HARRIS, employee of the Louisville-N-Nashville Railroad, and whose [redacted] for LEONARD BLANTON, allegedly was involved in this conspiracy.

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Mr. HARRIS advised that he is Master Mechanic for the Louisville-N-Nashville Railroad Company, and heads up the mechanical department of this railroad company. He advised that [redacted] has never participated in a political campaign and is in fact a supporter of the Republican Party. He advised that neither he [redacted] have ever had any association with LEONARD BLANTON or with any campaign run by Mr. BLANTON. He advised he was aware of allegations made in this matter, as he has read articles in Nashville newspapers concerning these allegations.

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Mr. HARRIS advised he was familiar with the campaign train operated by HOWARD BAKER during the senatorial campaign of 1972, inasmuch as he personally traveled by car on the highway parallel to this campaign train from Chattanooga to Memphis, Tennessee, at the direction of Louisville-N-Nashville officials. This travel was to assist in any mechanical problem that might arise with this train during this trip. He further advised that the engine on this train was a steam engine, fueled by coal and steam. He advised there would be no way whatsoever to dilute the fuel of this engine due to the fact it was powered by coal and steam.

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By communication dated November 4, 1975, [redacted]
[redacted] United States Attorney, Nashville, Tennessee,
advised that on October 31, 1975, Assistant United States
Attorney [redacted] Nashville, Tennessee, talked
by telephone to [redacted] at Camden,
Tennessee. [redacted] advised [redacted] that he had informa-
tion from a source regarding plans made in 1972 by BLANTON
people to use Crisco or torpedos to delay campaign train of
Senator HOWARD BAKER. [redacted] advised that his source had

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[redacted] in contact with [redacted]
[redacted] on November 3, 1975, identified his source as [redacted]
[redacted] He stated that he had been
able to determine that the train sabotage was to have happened
in Humphreys County, Tennessee, before the train got to the
Tennessee River.

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[redacted]
[redacted] was interviewed in the presence of Patrolman
[redacted] Police Department.

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about to furnish be held in confidence and not made available
to anyone other than the Federal Bureau of Investigation
and the United States Attorney's Office, Nashville, Tennessee.
She advised that she [redacted]
[redacted] was furnishing.

[redacted] advised she is [redacted]
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[redacted] would not sign a state-
ment and would decline to testify.

During the interview, [redacted]
[redacted]

[redacted] PHIFER became the
subject of an FBI investigation and later was indicted
in U. S. District Court, Western District of Tennessee [redacted]
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[REDACTED] during PHIFER's
campaigning for his second term as Sheriff of Benton County
(1974). [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] in 1972 when
RAY BLANTON was running against Senator HOWARD BAKER, PHIFER
was in fact, supporting TOM WISEMAN, another Democrat candidate.
[REDACTED] had heard PHIFER make statements that
he did not like BLANTON. [REDACTED] he had not
worked for or supported BLANTON.

[REDACTED] Senator
BAKER had beaten BLANTON for the U. S. Senate seat, [REDACTED]

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[redacted]
[redacted] He reportedly
is a partner with GENE BLANTON and a very loyal BLANTON
man. [redacted]
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had not even supported BLANTON in any way and reportedly
did not like him.

When asked for the source of the above information

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[redacted] declined to furnish this information.

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[redacted] during this interview, was asked

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in acknowledgment but would not furnish any information
regarding this particular matter [redacted]
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[redacted] did not know.

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With further reference [redacted]
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[redacted] was not very
well liked in Benton County. He is on the Democratic
Committee in Benton County. [redacted]
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[redacted] really did not
have any definite or positive information about any attempts
at derailing or stopping BAKER's train in 1972. [redacted]
[redacted]

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Date of transcription 12/18/75

[redacted] was interviewed at the State of Tennessee State Capitol Building, Nashville, Tennessee. At the beginning of the interview [redacted] was advised by SA [redacted] that he was to be interviewed regarding information received that persons working in the 1972 senatorial campaign of Mr. RAY BLANTON had made plans to slow or derail or stop a campaign train of Mr. HOWARD BAKER and that he allegedly participated in these plans. [redacted] was furnished an "Interrogation; Advice of Rights" form and read aloud the contents of this form. Upon reading the contents of this form [redacted] advised he understood what his rights are, was willing to be interviewed, and signed the form. [redacted] furnished the following information:

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During the senatorial campaign of 1972 he worked for RAY BLANTON, who was, at that time, Congressman and was a candidate for United States Senate from the state of Tennessee. He was [redacted]

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[redacted] During the latter part of the campaign he did some youth work for Mr. BLANTON. This work consisted of contacting friends at Memphis State University in Memphis in efforts to obtain young people to work in the Blanton for Senate campaign.

He recalls that during the senatorial campaign of 1972 Mr. HOWARD BAKER, an opponent of RAY BLANTON, announced that the BAKER campaign would operate a train from the East Tennessee area to end in West Tennessee, this train to travel across the state of Tennessee. He recalls that this announcement was regarded by persons working in Mr. BLANTON's campaign as being an excellent campaign tactic, and persons working in Mr. BLANTON's campaign did talk of what could be done to offset the publicity that would be received by Mr. BAKER by using this campaign train. He recalls that a plan was talked about wherein Mr. BLANTON would operate a bus to travel parallel to Mr. BAKER's campaign, this bus utilizing some type of slogan regarding the bussing of school children. Although a

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plan was talked about concerning the use of a bus, at no time did he ever hear anyone make any statement regarding a plan to derail this campaign train. On one occasion JIM BROWN, a worker in the campaign of Mr. BLANTON, made some type of statement regarding the greasing of tracks, but he only heard JIM BROWN make the statement on one occasion and never heard any other statement whatsoever made concerning the greasing of tracks to slow Mr. BAKER's campaign train. JIM BROWN was a worker in the campaign of Mr. BLANTON and did some traveling with Mr. BLANTON.

He was never approached by anyone to participate in any plan to slow or derail this campaign train operated by Mr. BAKER and was never present in any meeting or any type of gathering where any plans were talked about wherein the campaign train of Mr. BAKER would be slowed or derailed other than the statement made by JIM BROWN regarding the greasing of tracks. At no time did he ever hear any statement made regarding the use of flares or any other type of device for the purpose of slowing or derailing Mr. BAKER's campaign train, and at no time had he ever heard anyone talk about the deluting of the fuel of this train.

He recalls a [redacted] who worked in the campaign of Mr. BLANTON during 1972, but at no time has he ever met, to his knowledge, [redacted]. He again stated that with the exception of the statement made by JIM BROWN regarding the greasing of tracks he was never aware of any plan to slow or derail the campaign train of HOWARD BAKER.

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The following is descriptive data as obtained from interview and observation:

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Marital status

Height

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[REDACTED]

6' 2"

235 pounds

Light brown

Blue

[REDACTED] Governor

RAY BLANTON, State of
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[redacted] also known as [redacted] advised that he possessed no information concerning any attempted slowdown or derailment of the campaign train of Senator HOWARD BAKER in 1971 or 1972. [redacted] stated that he had been reading some in the papers concerning the fact that someone may have put some lard or other substance on some tracks, but that he knew nothing about this particular matter. He advised that he is a Democratic committeeman in Benton County, Tennessee, and is on the BLANTON Patronage Committee in Benton County. He advised that he recalled that on the date that the BAKER train came into Camden, that schools had dismissed their classes and there was a rather large turnout. He advised that he heard of no problems while the train was here, or even before it arrived here.

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[redacted] Benton County, Tennessee, voluntarily appeared at the Jackson, Tennessee Resident Agency. He stated that he had been in town on another matter and just dropped by the Resident Agency. During a general discussion [redacted]

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Later that night, [redacted] telephonically contacted SA [redacted] at his residence in Jackson, Tennessee, and advised that with regard to the investigation concerning the campaign train of Senator HOWARD BAKER,

[redacted]
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he might make. [redacted]

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matter with his attorney, [redacted]. He stated it was not necessary for him to contact [redacted] and that he knew as much about this matter as [redacted] would know.

It was again suggested to [redacted] that he contact his attorney so his attorney would know what he was doing or wanted to do in this matter.

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REPORTING OFFICE MEMPHIS	OFFICE OF ORIGIN MEMPHIS	DATE 2/6/76	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 1/23/76
TITLE OF CASE LEONARD RAYMOND BLANTON, GOVERNOR, STATE OF TENNESSEE; JAMES ALVIN BROWN, JR.; WALTER ROBERT HARRIS, JR., UNSUB (1); THREAT TO DERAIL CAMPAIGN TRAIN OF U. S. SENATOR HOWARD BAKER IN 1972		REPORT MADE BY SA 	TYPED BY sad
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Report of: SA [REDACTED]
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Title: LEONARD RAYMOND BLANTON, GOVERNOR, STATE OF TENNESSEE;
JAMES ALVIN BROWN, JR.; [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] WALTER ROBERT
HARRIS, JR.; UNSUB (1); THREAT TO DERAIL CAMPAIGN TRAIN
OF U. S. SENATOR HOWARD BAKER IN 1972.

Character: FEDERAL TRAIN WRECK STATUTE - CONSPIRACY

Synopsis: USA, Nashville, Tenn., contacted 1/23/76 and advised [REDACTED]
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DETAILS:

On January 23, 1976, United States Attorney
(USA) CHARLES H. ANDERSON, Nashville, Tennessee, was
contacted by SA [REDACTED] advised
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