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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

TO : Mr. Moore

FROM : J. O. Ingram

SUBJECT: RYMUR

DATE: 11/23/78

1 - Mr. Adams
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PURPOSE: To provide information obtained from the State Department. *lu*

RECOMMENDATION: Appropriate investigative lead be directed to the field. *(w)*

DETAILS: On 11/22/78, [REDACTED], Bureau of Inter-American Affairs, State Department, advised Liaison Officer [REDACTED], that a ham radio operator, [REDACTED] telephoned the State Department that date to advise that during the past year he had radio communications with Albert Touchette from Guyana. He said they exchanged cards by mail containing bits of personal information, a typical practice of ham operators. Touchette indicated to [REDACTED] that he was working to assist the government of Guyana in humanitarian ways in an attempt to provide better conditions for the Guyanese. Touchette's address was Box 893, Georgetown, Guyana, S. A.

[REDACTED] said [REDACTED] advised that he was from the Washington, D. C., area, telephone [REDACTED], but did not provide [REDACTED] with his address.

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A COMPLAINT WAS FILED AT 2:45 PM, PST, THIS DATE AS FOLLOWS: (u)

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THAT HE IS A SPECIAL AGENT OF THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF
INVESTIGATION; THAT HE IS INFORMED AND BELIEVES AND, HAVING
PARTICIPATED IN REVIEWING INFORMATION PROVIDED BY [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WAS ASSOCIATED WITH PEOPLE'S TEMPLE
(PT) IN SAN FRANCISCO FOR A PERIOD OF SEVERAL YEARS. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] CEASED TO BE A MEMBER OF THE PT BUT HE MAINTAINED

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CONTACT WITH FAMILY MEMBERS IN THE ORGANIZATION AND KNOWS PARTICIPANTS IN THE ORGANIZATION BASED UPON HIS PERSONAL EXPERIENCE COVERING APPROXIMATELY [REDACTED] IN DURATION. ON NOVEMBER 13, [REDACTED] CONGRESSMAN RYAN AND [REDACTED] WENT TO THE COMPOUND AT JONESTOWN. ON NOVEMBER 17, [REDACTED] PREPARED TO LEAVE THE COMPOUND IN THE EARLY AFTERNOON HOURS. FROM THE JONESTOWN COMPOUND ON THE 17TH OF NOVEMBER, 1978, THE PARTY, INCLUDING CONGRESSMAN RYAN, WENT TO AN AIRPORT SITE AT FORT KAITUMA. AT THAT LOCATION THE PARTY EXPECTED TO LEAVE TO RETURN TO GEORGETOWN AND EVENTUALLY RETURN TO THE UNITED STATES. WHILE AT THE AIRPORT SITE TWO AIRPLANES WERE PRESENT IN WHICH THE PARTY OF CONGRESSMAN RYAN [REDACTED] AND CERTAIN MEMBERS OF THE PT GROUP WHO HAD BEEN RESIDING AT JONESTOWN PREPARED TO BOARD THE PLANES FOR PURPOSES OF RETURNING. WHILE THE TWO PLANES WERE AT THE AIRSTRIP, [REDACTED] A TRACTOR PULLING A TRAILER OF PT INDIVIDUALS. THE TRACTOR PULLED THE TRAILER TO THE EDGE OF THE CLEARING AT THE FAR END OF THE RUNWAY. [REDACTED] TOLD CONGRESSMAN RYAN TO HURRY UP AS HE FELT SOMETHING SERIOUS WAS ABOUT TO HAPPEN. [REDACTED] THE INDIVIDUALS ON THE (u)

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TRAILER [REDACTED] TO BE THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS: BOB KICE, TOM KICE, JOSEPH WILSON, ALBERT TOUCHETTE, RON JAMES, EDDY CRENSHAW, WESLEY BRIDENBACH AND RON TALLEY. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] URGED CONGRESSMAN RYAN TO HURRY UP AND LEAVE THE AREA. AMONG THE GROUP OF PEOPLE TO LEAVE ON THE FLIGHTS WAS LARRY LAYTON.

[REDACTED] THE TRAILER AND TRACTOR APPROACH WITHIN THIRTY FEET OF THE AIRCRAFT. AT THIS TIME ALSO THE MOTOR OF THE PLANE WAS RUNNING. [REDACTED] BEGAN HEARING SHOOTING. HE IMMEDIATELY OBSERVED CONGRESSMAN RYAN FALL TO THE GROUND. AT THIS SAME TIME VARIOUS PEOPLE STARTED FALLING TO THE GROUND DUE TO THE RIFLE FIRE. [REDACTED] MEMBERS OF THE GROUP ON THE TRAILER CARRYING ARMS. [REDACTED] THE MEMBERS OF THE TRAILER GROUP APPROACHING CONGRESSMAN RYAN'S PARTY. HE OBSERVED TOM KICE SHOOT DON HARRIS, REPORTER FOR NBC NEWS IN THE HEAD AT POINT BLANK RANGE. HE ALSO OBSERVED BOB KICE, JOSEPH WILSON AND ALBERT TOUCHETTE SHOOTING VICTIMS IN THE HEAD. AT THE TIME THAT [REDACTED] ALL THE SHOOTING GOING ON, HE HAD ESCAPED FROM THE PLANE AREA TO THE JUNGLE PERIMETER. DUE TO WHAT HE SAW [REDACTED] FURTHER RETREATED INTO THE JUNGLE AND REMAINED THERE UNTIL

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APPROXIMATELY 9:30 AM THE NEXT DAY. HE THEN RETURNED BACK TO THE AIRSTRIP LOCATION. WHEN HE ARRIVED AT THIS TIME, HE SAW WHAT HE BELIEVED TO BE GUYANESE SOLIDERS CHECKING THE BODIES AT THE AIRSTRIP. HE DECIDED TO APPROACH THE SOLIDERS AND IDENTIFY WHO HE WAS. HE ASKED THEM FOR PROTECTION AND THEY FURNISHED HIM PROTECTION AT THIS TIME. [REDACTED] BASES HIS IDENTIFICATION OF THE PT MEMBERS ON THE TRAILER BASED UPON HIS PERSONAL ASSOCIATION WITH THE ORGANIZATION AND HIS KNOWLEDGE OF THE MEMBERS OF THE GROUP. DONALD R. HALE, SPECIAL AGENT, FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION. SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME THIS 24 DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1978, FREDERICK J. WOELFLEN, UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE. (u)

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FOR THE

NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

MAGISTRATES DOCKET NO. 3-78

CASE NO. 2135 MF

UNITED STATE OF AMERICA

COMPLAINT FOR VIOLATION OF

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BOB KICE; TOM KICE; JOE WILSON; U.S.C. TITLE 18

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ALBERT TOUCHETTE; RON JAMES; SECTION 351 (A) (D) - CONSPIRACY TO
EDDY CRENSHAW; RON TALLY; COMMIT MURDER AND MURDER OF A
WESLEY BRIDENBACH CONGRESSMAN
BEFORE FREDERICK J. WOELFLEN (MAGISTRATE), SAN FRANCISCO,
CALIFORNIA (ADDRESS OF MAGISTRATE).

THE UNDERSIGNED COMPLAINANT BEING DULY SWORN STATES: (u)

THAT ON OR ABOUT NOVEMBER 17, 1978 AT JONESTOWN, GUYANA AND
PORT KAITUMA, GUANA, (1) BOB KICE; TOM KICE; JOE WILSON; ALBERT
TOUCHETTE; RON JAMES; EDDY CRENSHAW; TON TALLY; WESLEY
BRIDENBACH: COUNT I: ON THE 17TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1978, IN
JONESTOWN, GUYANA AND PORT KAITUMA GUYANA DEFENDANTS BOB KICE;
TOM KICE; JOE WILSON; ALBERT TOUCHETTE; RON JAMES; EDDY
CRENSHAW; RON TALLY; WESLEY BRIDENBACH, WILLFULLY AND KNOWINGLY
DID COMBINE, CONSPIRE, CONFEDERATE AND AGREE TOGETHER, WITH
EACH OTHER, AND WITH DIVERSE OTHER UNKNOWN PERSONS TO KILL, LEO
RYAN, A CONGRESSMAN OF THE UNITED STATES, IN VIOLATION OF
TIT 18, UNITED STATES CODE, SECTION 351 (D). (u)

IN FURTHERANCE OF THE CONSPIRACY AND TO EFFECT ITS OBJECT
THEREOF, DEFENDANTS BOB KICE; TOM KICE; JOE WILSON; ALBERT

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TOUCHETTE; RON JAMES; EDDY CRENSHAW; RON TALLY; WESLEY
BRIDENBACH; PERFORMED THE FOLLOWING OVERT ACTS: (u)

1. ON OR ABOUT NOVEMBER 17, 1978, IN PORT KAITUMA, GUYANA,
THE DEFENDANTS DROVE IN AN TRACTOR-TRAILER TO THE AIRSTRIP OF
PORT KAITUMA. (u)

COUNT II: ON OR ABOUT THE 17TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1978, IN
PORT KAITUMA, GUYANA, DEFENDANTS BOB KICE; TOM KICE; JOE WILSON;
ALBERT TOUCHETTE; RON JAMES; EDDY CRENSHAW; RON TALLY; WESLEY
BRIDENBACH, WITH MALICE AFORETHOUGHT AND WITH PREMEDITATION,
DID SHOOT LEO RYAN, A CONGRESSMAN OF THE UNITED STATES, WITH A
FIREARM, THEREBY CAUSING INJURIES FROM WHICH LEO RYAN DID DIE. (u)

ALL PAPERS REGARDING THIS WARRANT WERE SEALED AND NO PUBLICITY
GIVEN. FBIHQ SHOULD CONSIDER ADVISING ALL OFFICES OF THE EXISTENCE
OF THIS WARRANT IN THAT SAN FRANCISCO IS UNAWARE OF THE LOCATION OF
ALL OF THESE INDIVIDUALS AND THE POSSIBILITY EXISTS ONE OR MORE MAY
HAVE ESCAPED GUYANA AND BE IN THE UNITED STATES. (u)

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Moore

FROM : J. O. Ingram

SUBJECT: RYMUR

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DAILY SUMMARY (u)

At 2:22 p.m. this date, San Francisco Office advised that San Francisco Mayor George Mosconi and City Supervisor Harvey Milk were shot and killed in the Mayor's Office by an individual identified as Dan White. The shooting, which occurred at approximately 2:15 p.m., Eastern Standard Time, apparently is not related to captioned matter, but rather, is the outgrowth of a political argument over whether White could withdraw his resignation as City Supervisor and be reinstated by the Mayor. White, a city fireman, apparently became enraged at the Mayor's decision to appoint another individual to take White's place and shot both individuals. White is in local custody at this time. San Francisco is endeavoring at this time to determine if Dan White has ever had any association with the Peoples Temple (u)

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[REDACTED], former member of the Planning Commission of the Peoples Temple, has furnished information to the San Francisco Office that the Peoples Temple is made up of four types of persons. These types include ex-members, current members, members of the Planning Commission, and "the Angels" or "Staff" who are the innercircle of the Planning Commission. The Angels have been characterized as the "hit men" by ex-members who have been interviewed. Ex-members have also indicated the existence of a contingency plan which would go into effect under the following conditions to include the following results: (u)

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If a public official attempted to expose the Peoples Temple, Angels were to kidnap the public official's children, kill those children, kill their own children, and then commit suicide. (u)

If the Church fell, the following persons are to be assassinated: San Francisco Mayor Mosconi, the President of the United States, and the Governor of California. Also (u)

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named were those in line to succeed to the Presidency. The foregoing information has been made available to local officials in California as well as the Justice Department. United States Secret Service (USSS), CIA, State Department, National Security Agency, Defense Intelligence Agency, and the White House Situation Room. (u)

Telephonic contact with Legat Robert Ogelsby has revealed that the Guyanese Police have taken appropriate steps to preserve and protect all physical evidence in Guyana which includes 32 weapons listed by Guyanese and furnished to the FBI for NCIC checks. NCIC is negative re all weapons and this information is being relayed to Guyana for the information of local authorities. (u)

It has been determined that the briefcase belonging to Congressman Ryan was given by DCM Richard Dwyer, State Department Official in Guyana, to James Schollaert, a Committee Staffer for Congressman Ryan. Schollaert has returned to his home in [REDACTED] and is being interviewed by the Alexandria Office. (u) b7c

Medical records and various unidentified tape recordings located at the Jonestown community are in the possession of the American Embassy at Georgetown, Guyana. The State Department intends to turn these documents over to the FBI unless the Government of Guyana insists upon retention of those items for prosecution in Guyana. In the latter event, all materials will be copied for the FBI before the originals are turned over to the Government of Guyana. (u)

The current status of Americans in Guyana is as follows: (u)

46 individuals are in residence at the Lamaha Gardens, Peoples Temple Headquarters in Georgetown, Guyana. This is the location where Sharon Amos and her three children were murdered at about the same time the mass suicide took place in Jonestown. It is recalled that the Lamaha Gardens is a Peoples Temple owned structure in Georgetown, Guyana. (u)

29 individuals are currently housed at the Park Hotel. This group is composed of those formerly listed as the group who elected to stay at Police Headquarters before being persuaded to go to the hotel. Included in this group are (u)

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two brothers named Carter and Michael J. Prokes who were at one time held by local police but who have since been released. Local authorities appear convinced that these individuals were not involved in either the airport incident or the mass suicide. (u)

Two individuals are in a public hospital; one individual, Miguel DePina was allowed to return to the United States on a commercial flight due to advanced age and ill health. Mr. DePina is being interviewed at Los Angeles following his arrival there on this date. (u)

Two individuals have been arrested by local authorities in Guyana. Larry Layton has been charged with murder. Layton was born on [REDACTED] Layton has been charged with the murder of Congressman Ryan although it is unclear as to whether he actually shot Ryan personally. The second individual being detained by local authorities is Charles Beikman who has been charged with the murders of Sharon Amos (supra) and her children. Beikman was born [REDACTED] No further information is available at this time regarding these arrests other than the fact that Larry Layton is scheduled to go to trial in Guyana on 1/15/79. No trial is yet set for Charles Beikman. (u) b7c

The identities of all persons travelling in the Ryan party both to Georgetown and to Jonestown is now known. We are insuring that all of these individuals are promptly interviewed. We are attempting to identify all members of the news media who are either in Guyana or who have returned from Guyana during the period of this incident. State Department has advised that they do not have a list of media personnel and we probably will be forced to rely upon media publications in order to identify all representatives of the media for interviews. (u)

The San Francisco Office has arranged through the Office of the United States Attorney, San Francisco, for the New York Office to purchase from NBC News, New York, a copy of film footage of the events at the crime scene. The costs, which will be borne by the United States Attorney's Office, San Francisco, should only amount to the costs of reproduction of the film. We have deemed this action more expedient than seeking the issuance of a subpoena which would undoubtedly involve a lengthy court battle in which NBC would no doubt feel compelled to challenge the subpoena to protect its industry. (u) 2

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A teletype has been sent to all offices and Legats this date advising of the legitimate interest of USSS and instructing that these interests be accommodated. (2)

The investigation into the background of Dr. Larry Schacht has begun. Dr. Schacht is believed to be the individual who was the medical officer at the Jonestown community who prepared the suicide laced Koolaid from which many victims drank. A file review by the Houston Division indicates prior investigation of Schacht and family members regarding Students for a Democratic Society (SDS) activities and former Communist Party USA connections. This matter is being followed closely to insure that the background investigation is limited to Dr. Larry Schacht and not to other family members where not shown to be pertinent to the showing of a criminal violation. (4)

Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms Division of the United States Treasury Department has undertaken the task of tracing the Jonestown weapons for the FBI.

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Attached for information is an affidavit in support of arrest warrants for individuals charged in this matter with violations of the Congressional Statute (18USC351(a) and (d)). It is expected that the persons named in these arrest warrants will be served at Charleston, South Carolina, if they return from Guyana. (4)

Investigation continuing. (4)

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (89-4286)

FROM: SAC, TAMPA (89-79) (P)

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SUBJECT: RYMUR (A)

OO: San Francisco

Reference Tampa teletypes dated 11/21/78, 11/24/78,
 and 11/27/78. (u)

Enclosed for the Bureau are the following: (u)

- (1) Machine copy of postcard to [REDACTED]
 from Peoples Temple (PT), Guyana.
- (2) Machine copy of Page 66, QST (magazine),
 August, 1978, edition.
- (3) Machine copy of postcard to [REDACTED]
 from PT, Guyana.
- (4) Machine copy of handwritten airletter to [REDACTED]
 from PT, Guyana. (u)
- (5) Machine copy of newspaper article regarding
 Tom Dickson in the November 21, 1978, Tampa
 Tribune.

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Enclosed for Indianapolis one copy each of two FD-302s with [REDACTED], on November 21, 1978, and November 27, 1978. (u)

Enclosed for San Francisco are the following: (u)

- (1) One each of the above five enclosures to the Bureau.
- (2) Original and one copy of FD-302 with [REDACTED], on November 21, 1978.
- (3) Original and one copy of FD-302 with [REDACTED] on November 22, 1978.
- (4) Original and one copy of FD-302 with [REDACTED] on November 24, 1978.
- (5) Original and one copy of FD-302 with [REDACTED], on November 27, 1978.
- (6) Original interview notes (4) regarding the above FD-302s.

The above enclosures are being furnished as previously indicated in referenced teletypes. (u)

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FROM TAMPA (89-79)

RYMUR (A)

OO: SF (89-250)

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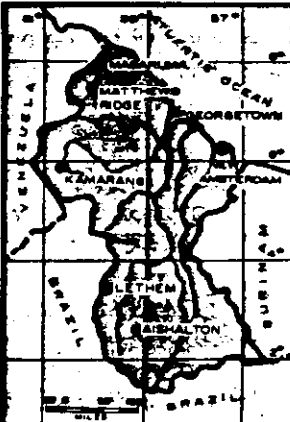
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Co-operative Republic of GUYANA

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Dear [redacted]
We are terribly sorry for the delay in getting a QSL Card to you in response to our contact. We are located deep in the interior of the tropical forest and there have been delays in getting our QSL Cards from the Print. We are trying to remedy this now. We promise to get a QSL Card to you just as soon as we possibly can. Our Project has been very successful and we feel a great debt to amateur radio which has been a true life-line for us out here. Lives have been saved because of the help of operators who have put us in touch with critical Medical information. We now have over a thousand residents here in the community and we have been able to help many people in the surrounding communities as well as our own. With a variety of needs our Medical facilities have expanded and we are planning to even do more in the near future to help as many as possible.

Agriculture livestock construction and all kind of Project that have been developed are proving that even in the jungle. People who work together can accomplish much.

We are inspired by what has been accomplished through combined effort and a spirit of good-will and service to our fellow man. We thank you as an amateur radio operator for your contact and expression of encouragement. We hope you will be receiving your QSL Card from us soon and will QSO with us again.
Pleasant 73's

Tragedy Not Surprising To Ex-Sect Member

By JIM BEAMGUARD
Tribune Staff Writer

Tom Dickson of Tampa says he wasn't surprised when he heard that members of the People's Temple had ambushed Rep. Leo J. Ryan in Guyana.

Dickson says he was one of the early members of the sect when it was first organizing in Indianapolis in the early 1960s, and is now chief of a security company in Tampa.

"Whether he pulled the trigger or not, Jim Jones is still responsible," Dickson says. "There was no way it could end up but that way."

Dickson, 53, says he joined the sect out of curiosity, and became a member of the "elder council" of the then-growing organization. One job of that council was to keep members from quitting the church, Dickson says.

"He would threaten people, tell them something tragic would happen if they walked away," he says. "He would fake healings," Dickson said, to make others believe in him.

Advocating conservative dress, bread lines, communal living, anti-violence, and miracles of healing, Jones built a strong following in Indianapolis in the early 1960s, Dickson says.

"He did a lot of things for the poor," Dickson recalls. "He wanted to start a commune. He said he had a revelation from God that people had to band together against totalitarianism."

"No one else was supposed to have anything, but he had three Cadillacs and plenty of money. He was making slaves out of the people. They were mostly young people, lower class people, and women. He had them painting his house, fixing his car."

"I finally told him, 'Jim, I'm not going to let you get away with this stuff.' He jumped right up and shouted, 'You're speaking against the anointed prophet of God,'" Dickson says.

So Dickson quit the organization, and says he tried to talk others out of leaving Jones. Some members turned against the sect, and Jones moved to Hawaii.

Later he returned to Indianapolis, Dickson says, then moved to California.

The Rev. Harry Curran, now living in Minnesota, says he knew Dickson when the man was a member of the sect.



Tom Dickson recalls Jones from early days.

"He (Dickson) was pretty deep in it before Jimmy went off the deep end," Curran said Monday night. Curran, of the Assembly of God Church in Manakato, said he and his family attended a Jones meeting in Indianapolis, walked out before it was over, and Jones shouted to them as they left that they would have heart attacks if they left.

"He pronounced a curse on us," Curran said. "Of course, nothing happened."

When Jones left for California, many of his followers went too, Dickson says.

"Mothers were calling me up, asking me to talk their sons out of going to California with Jones," Dickson says.

Most of them didn't listen to him, he recalls.

"A lot of people believed he was actually God," Dickson says.

After seeing the devotion showed to Jones, Dickson says he understands how there could have been mass suicides after the ambush in Guyana.

"I can hear him now," Dickson says. "He would say, 'The end is coming. They are going to throw you in jail.' He would talk of a better life, give them a suggestion."

"I told him the day I left, 'Jim, you're a devil. Something serious is going to happen.' And he said, 'It won't happen to me.'"

"He'll go somewhere else," Dickson says, "and start it all over again."

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Revised Club Competition Rules

"Three cheers for three tiers!"

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As early as mid-1976 the Contest Advisory Committee was studying the problem of ARRL-affiliated club competition because the giant clubs in metropolitan areas were dominating the standings. This left the smaller clubs and those in areas with few hams out of the running.

After review in early 1978 the ARRL Board of Directors approved a three-tiered competition which will allow clubs of approximately equal size to compete against each other. The revised club competition rules will be in effect for the 1978 ARRL November Sweepstakes, and the 1979 January VHF Sweepstakes and International DX Competition.

Club Competition

Only ARRL-affiliated clubs may participate in the club competition. A member must be listed in the regular score listings before he can be counted for a club.

In order for a club to be listed, two points must be met:

a) At least three entries from members of the club must be submitted.

b) All members wishing to be included in the club scores must indicate the club name on their summary sheet and the club secretary must send a list of all club members eligible to compete for the club and which level (unlimited, medium, local) they wish to enter for each competition. Remember to meet the mailing deadline!

There are three levels of club competition:

Unlimited. Any club submitting 51 or more entries would be in this class. (One station can submit two entries, one on phone and one on cw in the November Sweepstakes and the DX Competition.) All stations and all operators must reside within 175 miles of the club's center. All members more than 50 miles from the club's center must attend at least 50 percent of the club's meetings to be eligible to submit an entry. If, however, he has not been a member for a year's time, he must have attended at least 50 percent of the meetings since he became a member. There would be no attendance requirement for those members within 50 miles. However, to be considered bona fide, a member must be active in club affairs. Members living outside of 175 miles and/or members operating stations outside of 175 miles may not compete in the club competition. The club must be an ARRL-affiliated club.

Medium. Any club submitting more than 10 but not more than 50 entries would be in this class. There would be the same mileage and attendance requirements as the unlimited class club. The club must be an ARRL-affiliated club.

Local. Any club submitting 10 entries or less would be in this classification. All members must reside within 20 miles of the club's center. There would be no attendance requirement. Again, the club must be an ARRL-affiliate.

Single- and multioperator station scores may be counted. At a guest-operated

single-operator station, both the guest-operator and the station licensee must be members of the same club in order to count the score for that club. At multi-operator stations at least 66 percent of the operators must be members of the same club in order for the score to count for that club.

In conjunction with the 50-percent attendance rule, the club must hold at least four in-person meetings per year. A club's entry classification may be changed if, in the opinion of the ARRL Awards Committee, the club has manipulated its number of entries to fall into a lower classification (i.e., if a club with 100 members submits only the 50 highest scores, even if more than 50 of its members wish to compete).

It is not within the intent of these rules that a club should vote out a member or a member resign and then be voted back into the club later in order that he can meet the 50-percent attendance rule.

The highest affiliated-club entry will be awarded a gavel in each category (unlimited, medium, local.)

The highest single-operator cw score and the highest single-operator phone score in any club entry will be rewarded with a club certificate when at least three single-operator cw and/or three single-operator phone scores are submitted.

Disqualifications

The disqualification criteria remain the same as printed on page 83 of February 1978 QST.

Strays

LONG-DISTANCE DELIVERIES

□ From all across the United States, amateurs and doctors teamed up in February to help a missionary doctor deliver twins in a remote Guyanan village. After the mother-to-be had become two weeks overdue, then gone into prolonged labor, Dr. Larry Schacht asked Al Touchette, WB6MID/8R3, to call for

assistance. His first transmission, on the 20-meter Maritime Mobile Net, was answered by N2EI/4, K4ZP, KP4DGT, WB5QAV and W7BIG. Changing band conditions, however, prevented completion of the exchange.

Amidst the patient's complications, Al established contact later that night with more U.S. hams. They were able to phone patch various specialists or relay the messages to and from Dr. Schacht. Among them were K3DML, Potomac, MD, who patched in Dr. Albert A. Green-

field, an obstetrician; W3JBJ, Williamsport, PA, an orthodontist, who patched in Dr. Kenneth L. Cooper, an obstetrician; and WA1YAX, Wallingford, CT, who relayed for Dr. Sturla Stefason, an anesthesiologist at Yale-New Haven Hospital, in Connecticut. Despite the lack of modern facilities, Dr. Schacht was talked through a Caesarean section and delivered healthy, identical twin girls. The next day, Valentine's Day, the mission doctor reported over the air that all were doing well.

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Peoples Temple Agricultural/Medical Project

Working to assist the Guyanese Government to feed,
clothe, and house its people, and further the human
service goals that have characterized Peoples Temple.

Radio [REDACTED] confirming our QSO on 9/13/78

GMV 0045 UR SSB X CW AM
RST 5/7 MH 21 YAESU 101EE
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Antenna MOSLEY CL 36
Comments:

Thanks for the QSL. The Guyanese
people are extremely grateful for
whatever assistance & encourage-
ment received. Best wishes to
you and yours. Hope to hear you
on the radio real soon.

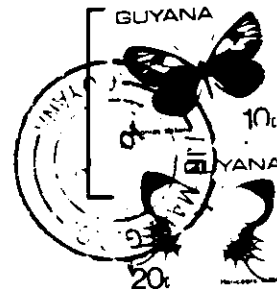
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Working to assist the Guyanese Government to feed, clothe, and house its people, and further the human service goals that have characterized Peoples Temple.

Radio [redacted] confirming our QSD on 10/16/78

GMV 040 UR SSE X CW AM

RST 5/9 MHs 14 XMTR YAESU 101EE

MOSLEY CL 36

Antenna Comments:
Thanks for the QSL. This is a very beautiful country. The people are very friendly to the USA. They are doing a great job and appreciate whatever encouragement offered. Best wishes to you and yours.

CUL 73's

WB6 MID/8R3

Albert Touchette - Jonestown
Port Kaituma, N.W.R., Guyana



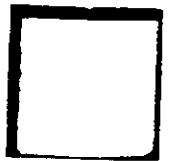
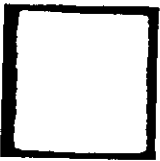
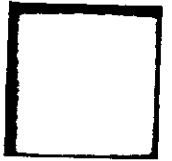
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1 - Mr. Adams
1 - Mr. Moore
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1 - Mr. [REDACTED]

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

Honorable Cyrus R. Vance
The Secretary of State
Washington, D. C. 20520

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
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DATE 10/1/92 BY 646 [REDACTED]

Dear Mr. Secretary:

In connection with an official investigation into the facts surrounding the death of Congressman Leo J. Ryan of California, you are requested to make available for review by Special Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation any correspondence your Department may possess relating to the Peoples Temple Disciples of Christ. (u)

Your cooperation in this matter is deeply appreciated. (u)

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Sincerely yours,

William H. Webster

William H. Webster
Director

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NOTE: Above letter being sent to State Department at their request for inclusion in their files regarding this matter.

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REPLY TO
ATTN OF: PBH:MEA:mar

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SUBJECT: Autopsies of Jones and
Peoples Temple Victims

TO: Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation

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Levy

Although there is no federal criminal violation apparently related to the Jonestown suicide/murders, questions being raised in public and official circles, and the need to preserve evidence for purposes of the investigation by Guyanese authorities, indicate the desirability of conducting autopsies on at least a sampling of four Peoples Temple victims as well as on Jones and his confidante, Maria Katsaris (or Katzaris) both of whom, according to the media, died from gunshot wounds. It is also requested that an autopsy be conducted on the medical aid at Jonestown, Dr. Larry Schacht. It should be noted that the Guyanese government has requested an autopsy on Jones.

Before these autopsies may be conducted, it will be necessary to secure the permission of the next of kin of the individuals upon whom the autopsies are to be conducted. Therefore, it is requested that the FBI immediately seek to contact such next of kin.

Should the next of kin of Jones, Katsaris or Schacht refuse to accede to our request for an autopsy, it is requested that the body of any such person whose next of kin does not consent to an autopsy, be turned over to Delaware state authorities so that they may conduct an autopsy.

Philip B. Heymann
Philip B. Heymann
Assistant Attorney General
Criminal Division

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (89-4286)

FROM: *mlf* SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (89-250) (P) (SQ. 10)SUBJECT: RYMUR

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 DATE 10/1/92 BY 1098

Enclosed herewith for WFO is a grand jury subpoena for the Federal Communications Commission (FCC), in Washington, D.C. (u)

"ARMED AND DANGEROUS. SUICIDAL TENDENCIES". (u)

LEADS: (u)

WFO will serve the enclosed subpoena on the FCC as soon as possible, and obtain [REDACTED] (u)

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ATTENTION C/D COMMAND POST

RYMUR, OO: SAN FRANCISCO

FBI SAN FRANCISCO DAILY SUMMARY (U)

~~SUBPOENA FOR FCC RECORDS FORWARDED TO WFO THIS DATE.~~ (U)

SUBPOENAS OBTAINED FOR SIX SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA BANKS
IN WHICH PEOPLE'S TEMPLE (PT) ACCOUNTS BELIEVED TO EXIST.

PROCEDURE FOR OBTAINING TELEPHONE TOLL RECORDS OF PT
IN SAN FRANCISCO BEGUN. (U)

MARK LANE AND USA NDC IN TELEPHONIC CONTACT RE LANE'S
CLIENT, WHO HE IDENTIFIED AS TERRI BUFORD. DISCUSSION CENTERED
ON IMMUNITY, WHICH USA NDC AND FBI, SAN FRANCISCO, BELIEVE TO
BE PREMATURE. (U)

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ARRIVED SAN FRANCISCO AND EXTENSIVELY DEBRIEFED THIS DATE.

INFORMATION RECEIVED VERY SIMILAR ~~TO~~ THAT REPORTED IN MEDIA. / u/

ARMED AND DANGEROUS. SUICIDAL TENDENCIES. / u/

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Dear F.B.I.

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When you examine the Jones town
murders please remember that 150 children
were murdered, most with the consent of
their parents. Surely a country whose President
has taken upon himself the goal of advancing
human rights in the entire world can spare
a little inquiry into what happened to the
human rights of the children in Jones town.

Perhaps we may never see such slaughter
on a grand scale again - but if we can
save a few children from losing their human
rights under similar circumstances, the effort
should be made. DE-2 REC-102 89-4286-736

The proliferation of "religious cults" whose
sole purpose is to collect money should stop.

It's time to tax income to all religious
groups so that large immensely
wealthy groups, such as the Catholic Church,
will have to follow God's word & divide
their wealth with the poor. No church should
be allowed to hoard immense wealth under
the guise of doing God's work.

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we suggest the attorneys for
the Peoples Temple be questioned thoroughly on

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what they ~~have~~ ^{know} about the cult ~~before~~ ^{before} Rep. Ryan went to Jones town.

We suggest the government provide legal service to determine the disposition of the funds of the Peoples' Temple and not allow Mr. Gary or Mr. Lane or any private lawyer to charge huge fees to do it.

There is no doubt the Peoples' Temple has, through its members, perpetrated heinous crimes and for that reason it should be terminated.

We have religious freedom in our country but this confers no right on any one to confuse liberty with licence.

There is much truth in the two articles I enclose - I am not alone in feeling as I do about the dangers of tolerating too much - when cults do harm people & it's reported to the government it should not only be "investigated", as Jones town was - grand juries should be allowed to gather testimony & charges should be filed where warranted - so that the courts, through the medium of citizen jurists, can adjudicate these matters.

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ENCLOSURE

These questions and others should be asked by some public body of Lane and Garry. Jones is no longer their client, and their claim of confidentiality is considerably lessened, if existent at all. These lawyers' conduct during and after the tragedy has a high odor to me at least.

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RYMUR. OO: SAN FRANCISCO.

RE DALLAS TELETYPE TO BUREAU, INTERESTED OFFICES, NOVEMBER

29, 1978. BY TELETYPE 12/1/78 FBI DALLAS FURNISHED THE FOLLOWING TO
MEMPHIS, SAN FRANCISCO, AND FBIHQ: (u)

ON NOVEMBER 30, 1978, LATE PM, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] (PROTECT IDENTITY) WAS INTERVIEWED BY AGENTS.

[REDACTED] DISPLAYED EXTREME RELUCTANCE IN SPEAKING OF ACTIVITIES
CONCERNING PEOPLE'S TEMPLE (PT). [REDACTED] CONSIDERABLY MORE
RESPONSIVE TO SOME QUESTIONS THAN WAS DISPLAYED AT PREVIOUS
MEETING, BUT SHE EXHIBITS CONTINUING FEAR OF RETALIATION FROM
CURRENT PT MEMBERS AND WILL NOT RESPOND TO SOME QUESTIONS BECAUSE
OF THIS, EVEN THOUGH SHE ACKNOWLEDGES HAVING DIRECT AND INDIRECT
KNOWLEDGE OF INFORMATION [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] FURNISHED A STRUCTURAL DESCRIPTION OF THE ORGANIZATION OF THE PT WHICH CORRESPONDS TO THAT ALREADY KNOWN TO THE BUREAU. [REDACTED] PT HIGHLY "COMPARTMENTALIZED" AND ILLEGAL AND ILLICIT ACTIVITIES OF PT KNOWN ONLY TO VARIOUS MEMBERS WHO HAD NEED TO KNOW. REVEREND JONES OVERSAW ENTIRE OPERATION OF PT AND WAS ONLY PERSON WHO HAD COMPLETE KNOWLEDGE OF ENTIRE ACTIVITIES OF PT. [REDACTED] INNER CIRCLE OF THIRTEEN TO FIFTEEN ELITE PT MEMBERS WERE KNOWLEDGEABLE OF SPECIFIC ILLEGAL ACTIVITIES OF CHURCH, BUT NO ONE INNER CIRCLE MEMBER FAMILIAR WITH ALL OF THESE ACTIVITIES. (u)

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[REDACTED] REVEREND JONES WAS KNOWN TO ALL INNER CIRCLE ELITE AS AN AVOWED MARKXIST WHOSE ULTIMATE GOAL WAS ESTABLISHING SOCIALISTIC STATE IN UNITED STATES. JONES DIRECTED ALL CHURCH EFFORTS TO THIS GOAL AND PREDOMINANT PHILOSOPHY OF CULT WAS "THE END JUSTIFIES THE MEANS". ACCORDING [REDACTED] [REDACTED] CRIME WAS JUSTIFIED IF IT EFFECTED THE GOAL OF SOCIALISM. (u)

[REDACTED] SHE HAD PERSONAL KNOWLEDGE OF HIT LISTS WHICH WAS COMPILED AT JONES DIRECTION BY PT MEMBER AND INNER CIRCLE ELITE, JACK BEAM. AT TIME OF [REDACTED] FIFTY TO SEVENTY-FIVE NAMES APPEARED ON HIT LIST AND INCLUDED SELECT U. S. SENATORS, CONGRESSMEN, STATE GOVERNMENT LEADERS, HEADS OF MAJOR CORPORATIONS, REPORTERS, AND OTHER AVOWED ENEMIES OF THE PT. JONES WAS COMPLETELY RESPONSIBLE FOR PICKING INDIVIDUALS WHO WERE INCLUDED ON HIT LIST. PERSONS TARGETED WERE PERSONAL ENEMIES OF CHURCH IE DEFECTED MEMBERS, PUBLIC CRITICS OF JONES OR PROMINENT "CAPITALISTIC" INDUSTRIAL LEADERS. ALSO INCLUDED ON LIST WERE KEY ELECTED OFFICIALS AND INDUSTRIAL CORPORATION EXECUTIVES WHO WERE CONSIDERED TO BE "CAPITALISTIC" LEADERS WHOSE ELIMINATION WOULD FURTHER (u)

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THE CAUSE OF SOCIALISM IN THE UNITED STATES. PURPOSE OF

HIT LIST WAS TO ELIMINATE PT ENEMIES AND TO ACCOMPLISH

CONVERSION OF UNITED STATES TO SOCIALISM. [REDACTED]

CORPORATION HEADS PRIMARY TARGETS AS THEY WERE BELIEVED TO
CONTROL THIS COUNTRY'S ECONOMY AND HENCE

EXISTING POLITICAL SYSTEM. [REDACTED] SHE HAD KNOWLEDGE

OF IDENTITY OF PERSONS ON HIT LIST BUT DECLINED TO NAME

SAME (PROBABLY BECAUSE OF PERSONAL INVOLVEMENT). [REDACTED]

NOT STATE IF PRESIDENT OR VICE PRESIDENT OF UNITED STATES

INCLUDED ON LIST. (u)

[REDACTED] PRESIDENT OF UNITED STATES NOT
CONSIDERED AN IMPORTANT TARGET SINCE PRESIDENT HAS VERY LITTLE
CONTROL OVER ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL DIRECTION OF UNITED STATES
IN PT'S OPINION. (u)

[REDACTED] IT WAS "A MATTER OF FACT" THAT
WITHIN THE NEXT SIX TO TWELVE MONTHS AFTER MASS SUICIDES IN
GUYANA, THAT ELIMINATIONS OF PERSONS ON HIT LIST WOULD BE
IMPLEMENTED BY SURVIVING PT MEMBERS. [REDACTED]

BUT STATED RECENT EVENTS WERE PART OF A "LARGER PLAN" INITIATED
LONG AGO BY JONES AND INNER CIRCLE ELITE AND THIS PLAN WOULD

BE CARRIED OUT REGARDLESS OF JONES DEMISE. [REDACTED] SHE

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[REDACTED] ALLEGES
THESE INDIVIDUALS HAVE KNOWLEDGE OF CURRENT PT CHURCH PLANS
[REDACTED] THAT HER ABOVE OBSERVATION BASED ON THIS INFORMATION.

[REDACTED] NO KNOWLEDGE OF EXTENT OF THE ADDITIONS MADE TO
HIT LIST [REDACTED] BUT BELIEVES IT NOW TO BE
"ENLARGED". [REDACTED] (u)

[REDACTED] REGULAR FIREARMS TRAINING CONDUCTED BY PT
[REDACTED] FOR "SELECT" MEMBERS. [REDACTED] PT
SYSTEMATICALLY ACQUIRED WEAPONS FROM "STREET SOURCES" AND
INTIMATED AUTOMATIC WEAPONS INCLUDED. [REDACTED] WEAPONS
CACHES WERE MAINTAINED AT VARIOUS LOCATIONS AND INDICATED
PAST KNOWLEDGE OF THESE LOCATIONS BUT DECLINED TO STATE FURTHER
DETAILS. [REDACTED] PT MEMBERS IN INNER CIRCLE, PT SECURITY
GUARDS, ANGELS, AND SELECT MEMBERS OF PLANNING COMMISSION WERE
ROUTINELY TRAINED BY OTHER PT MEMBERS WHO WERE U.S. MILITARY
VETERANS IN THE USE OF FIREARMS. ONLY PERSON [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] CONDUCTING THIS TYPE TRAINING WAS ONE HAROLD CORDELL
(PHONETIC), NOT FURTHER IDENTIFIED [REDACTED] PT
ATTORNEY CHARLES GEARY SUBSTANTIALLY ASSISTED PT IN ACQUIRING
FIREARMS. [REDACTED] SHE WOULD NOT GO INTO DETAILS OF GEARY'S

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ASSISTANCE TO PT IN THIS REGARD, BUT STATED PT "HAD SOMETHING ON" GEARY WHICH GUARANTEED GEARY'S COOPERATION IN THIS MATTER.

[REDACTED] GEARY IS WELL AWARE OF PT CHURCH ILLEGAL ACTIVITIES AND PLANS NOT FROM HIS RELATIONSHIP AS ATTORNEY FOR CULT, BUT RATHER THROUGH SOME TYPE OF PARTICIPATION. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] PT ATTORNEY MARK LANE ALSO HAS BEEN COMPROMISED BY PT CULT AND HAS DISTINCT KNOWLEDGE THROUGH HIS ASSOCIATION WITH CHURCH MEMBERS OF CULT'S ILLEGAL ACTIVITIES. [REDACTED] SHE DOES NOT KNOW OF ANY ILLEGAL ACTIVITIES IN WHICH LANE IS INVOLVED. (u)

[REDACTED] SHE DOES HAVE KNOWLEDGE OF SUBSTANTIAL CACHES OF MONEY MAINTAINED BY THE PT. [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (u)

[REDACTED] (u)
[REDACTED] EACH OF THESE INDIVIDUALS WAS AN INNER CIRCLE MEMBER. [REDACTED] IDENTIFY SPECIFIC BANKS INVOLVED AND IT IS NOT KNOWN FROM HER RESPONSES TO QUESTIONS IF SHE POSSESSES SUCH (u)

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INFORMATION. [REDACTED] AMOUNTS OF CASH WERE MAINTAINED
IN VARIOUS US BANKS, PRINCIPALLY IN THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AS
OPERATING CAPITAL FOR PT. (u)

[REDACTED] ANY QUESTIONS DEALING WITH CONTINGENCY
PLANS IN PT CHURCH WHICH WOULD BE UTILIZED AS A MEANS OF RETALIATION
AGAINST PERSONS ATTEMPTING TO ARREST REVEREND JONES. LIKEWISE,

[REDACTED] KNOWLEDGE OF ANY THREATS TO PUBLIC
OFFICIALS, FORMER MEMBERS, OR PRESS REPRESENTATIVES BY THE PT IN
THE PAST, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF ADMITTING THAT SHE HAD THIS
KNOWLEDGE AND THIS HAD, IN FACT, HAPPENED. [REDACTED]

PLANS DID EXIST AND WERE UTILIZED TO COMPROMISE PUBLIC OFFICIALS
PT GOALS AND SHE ADVISED SHE HAD KNOWLEDGE THIS HAD OCCURRED
IN PAST. SHE WOULD NOT FURTHER ELABORATE. DURING [REDACTED] FIRST (u)

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MEETING [REDACTED] AS NOTED IN REFERENCED TELETYPE, [REDACTED] SHE KNEW OF A PLAN TO COMPROMISE THE [REDACTED] IN UKIAH, CALIFORNIA, IN THE EARLY 1970'S THROUGH THE HOMOSEXUAL APPROACH BY THE PT. [REDACTED]

NOR WOULD SHE STATE THIS PLAN ACTUALLY WAS IMPLEMENTED. [REDACTED] HAS STATED THOUGH, THAT PT EXPERIENCED "NO PROBLEMS" IN UKIAH, CALIFORNIA, INTIMATING PT HAD SOME LEVERAGE ON [REDACTED] THERE AND PERHAPS OTHER ELECTED OFFICIALS. (u)

[REDACTED] PT UTILIZED VOTING BLOC STRENGTH IN OBTAINING COOPERATION AND NON-INTERFERENCE BY LOCAL AND STATE OFFICIALS IN STATE OF CALIFORNIA. [REDACTED] PT MEMBERS VOTED IN UNISON FOR CANDIDATES WHOM REVEREND JONES DESIGNATED AND THROUGH THIS, JONES WAS ABLE TO SECURE CERTAIN FAVORS IN RETURN FROM THESE OFFICIALS. [REDACTED] CITED PUBLIC OFFICIALS, UKIAH, CALIFORNIA, NO NAMES GIVEN, AS EXAMPLES OF THIS. (u)

[REDACTED] WITHIN PT, THERE EXISTED A GROUP KNOWN AS "THE ANGELS" OR "THE MESSENGERS". [REDACTED] THESE PERSONS WERE ASSIGNED TO ACCOMPLISH "HITS" WHICH WOULD INCLUDE EVERY TYPE OF CRIME, INCLUDING MURDER. [REDACTED] THE FOLLOWING PT MEMBERS WHO WERE "ANGELS": TERRY BUFORD, BOB KICE [REDACTED] (u)

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LARRY LATON, JACK BEAM. WITH THE EXCEPTION OF BEAM, ANGELS WERE STRONG-ARM TYPES WHO WERE NOT NOTED FOR MENTAL ABILITIES BUT EXTREMELY LOYAL AND DEDICATED FOLLOWERS OF JONES AND FOLLOWED ORDERS METICULOUSLY. THE "ANGELS" LOYALTY WAS TESTED FREQUENTLY BY JONES. LESS TESTED AND TRUSTED PT STRONG-ARM TYPES WERE ASSIGNED "SECURITY GUARD" DUTY AND IT WAS THEIR FUNCTION TO KEEP PT MEMBERS IN LINE WITH WISHES OF REVEREND JONES. [REDACTED] NOT NAME ALL ANGELS SHE KNEW BUT INDICATED ABOVE NAMES ARE NOT, BY ANY MEANS, ALL INCLUSIVE. [REDACTED] SHE WOULD BE MORE WILLING TO TALK REGARDING THIS AFTER SHE KNEW THE IDENTITIES OF PT MEMBERS WHO DIED IN GUYANA. [REDACTED] SHE KNEW FOR A FACT BOB KICE WAS INVOLVED IN JONESTOWN AIRPORT SHOOTING OF CONGRESSMAN RYAN AND NEWSMEN BUT WOULD NOT STATE SOURCE OF THIS INFORMATION. (u)

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[REDACTED] PT HAD "CAPABILITIES" TO MANUFACTURE CERTAIN STREET DRUGS PRIOR TO PT ESTABLISHING AGRICULTURAL COMMUNITY IN GUYANA, BUT HAS NO KNOWLEDGE THIS EVER OCCURRED WHILE CULT WAS LOCATED IN US. [REDACTED] NO KNOWLEDGE OF CULT'S DRUG ACTIVITIES IN GUYANA. [REDACTED] PT DID RECRUIT ONE "CHRIS LEWIS" (PHONETIC), A NEGRO MALE, NOT FURTHER DESCRIBED, AS A PT MEMBER

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IN SAN FRANCISCO. LEWIS WAS A KNOWN POLICE CHARACTER AND ENGAGED IN DRUG TRAFFICKING AND PIMPING ACTIVITIES IN SAN FRANCISCO AREA AT THE TIME OF HIS CONVERSION TO THE PT CHURCH. JONES ALLOWED LEWIS TO CONTINUE WITH HIS ILLEGAL ACTIVITIES SUBSEQUENT TO HIS JOINING PT CHURCH AND MONETARY PROCEEDS OF LEWIS' ACTIVITIES WERE FUNNELED DIRECTLY TO JONES AND THE PT CHURCH. (u)

[REDACTED] LEWIS WENT TO GUYANA WITH JONES BUT SUBSEQUENTLY RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES. [REDACTED] JONES WAS SHOT AND

KILLED IN THE SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA AREA IN THE PAST. [REDACTED] WOULD NOT OR COULD NOT ELABORATE DETAILS OF LEWIS' DEATH AND DID NOT STATE WHETHER PT INVOLVED IN THIS. [REDACTED] SANDY

BRADSHAW, A [REDACTED] IN SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, IS A MEMBER OF THE INNER CIRCLE OF THE PT CHURCH CURRENTLY AND INTIMATED BRADSHAW IS ALSO "AN ANGEL". [REDACTED] BRADSHAW, MORE THAN ANY OTHER PERSON, KNOWS THE CURRENT PLANS OF THE PT CHURCH REGARDING IMPLEMENTATION OF CONTINGENCY PLANS AND/OR CARRYING OUT MURDERS OF THOSE NAMED IN HIT LIST. [REDACTED]

TERRY BUFORD IS KNOWN BY HER TO BE IN CHARGE OF PT FILES AND IS THE CURRENT PT MEMBER ASSIGNED TO MAINTAIN THE PT HIT LIST. (u)

WHILE ANSWERING SPECIFIC QUESTIONS DURING THIS INTERVIEW, [REDACTED]

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INDICATED THAT THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS ARE [REDACTED]

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RELUCTANT TO DISCUSS HER KNOWLEDGE OF ANY OF THESE INDIVIDUALS' ACTIVITIES. (u)

[REDACTED] PT DEFECTORS MIKE CARTMELL AND DEBBIE BLAXELY WOULD READILY FURNISH INFORMATION REGARDING THEIR KNOWLEDGE OF THE PT. [REDACTED] MIKE CARTMELL WAS KNOWN TO HER TO BE A PLANNING COMMISSION MEMBER BUT SHE DOES NOT KNOW THE EXTENT OF CARTMELL'S KNOWLEDGE OF EXPLICIT ILLEGAL ACTIVITIES ON THE PART OF THE PT. [REDACTED] ANY INFORMATION FURNISHED BY THESE TWO INDIVIDUALS REGARDING CONTINGENCY PLANS OR HIT LISTS WOULD PROBABLY BE SECOND HAND INFORMATION. (u)

REGARDING [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] STATED
SHE DOES NOT WISH THAT THIS INFORMATION BE IMPARTED TO [REDACTED] (u)

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (u)

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[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] WAS DIRECT KNOWLEDGE OF CRIMINAL
ACTIVITIES ON THE PART OF THE PT AND [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] HAD PARTICIPATED IN THE
PLANNING AND SUBSEQUENT MURDERS OF SEVERAL PT ENEMIES (POTENTIAL
PT DEFECTORS). THIS INFORMATION IS BELIEVED TO BE RELIABLE
BECAUSE [REDACTED] IMPLICATED [REDACTED] IN THE PLANNING OF THESE
MURDERS. (u)

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] BUT STATED THESE INDIVIDUALS WOULD NOT
COOPERATE WITH ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT AUTHORITIES IN INVESTIGATION

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[REDACTED] BOTH OF THESE INDIVIDUALS ARE
TERRIFIED OF RETALIATION BY THE PT AND INDICATED THAT [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] HAD RECENTLY RECEIVED THREATENING
PHONE CALLS FROM PT MEMBERS. (u)

[REDACTED] SHE WAS EXTREMELY NERVOUS AND FEARFUL OF AGAIN
MEETING WITH BUAGENTS BUT DID AGREE TO TELEPHONICALLY CONTACT
THE DALLAS OFFICE DURING THE FOLLOWING WEEK FOR THE PURPOSE
OF ARRANGING ANOTHER INTERVIEW. IT IS BELIEVED THAT WITH EACH
INTERVIEW [REDACTED] MORE COOPERATIVE AND FURNISHES
MORE VALUABLE INFORMATION RE PT ACTIVITIES. IT IS FELT THAT
AN ATTEMPT [REDACTED] TO INTERVIEW [REDACTED] AT
THIS TIME COULD JEOPARDIZE ANY FURTHER COOPERATIVE INTERVIEWS
[REDACTED] INTERVIEWS WITH [REDACTED] WOULD NOT BE
PRODUCTIVE AT THIS TIME. (u)

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[REDACTED] AND WILL VIGOROUSLY
ATTEMPT TO SECURE ADDITIONAL COOPERATION ON HER PART RE PAST
[REDACTED] PT ACTIVITIES. IT IS THE OPINIONS OF THE INTERVIEWING
AGENTS THAT CONTINUED CONTACTS [REDACTED] OF THE SAME NATURE AS
THE PREVIOUS TWO MEETINGS WILL ENABLE THE BUREAU TO OBTAIN
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REGARDING THE IDENTITIES AND SPECIFIC
ILLEGAL ACTIVITIES OF THE PT. [REDACTED] TOLD THE INTERVIEWING
AGENTS THAT SHE HAS REVEALED A MINUTE PERCENTAGE OF THE INFORMATION
WHICH SHE HAS REGARDING THESE PERSONS AND ILLEGAL ACTIVITIES. IT
IS ALSO FELT THAT ANY ATTEMPTS TO SUBPOENA [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] AT THIS TIME WOULD PROBABLY BE COUNTERPRODUCTIVE.
[REDACTED] PREVIOUSLY INDICATED [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

BUT STATED SHE DOUBTS ANY [REDACTED] CONTAIN ANY
INCRIMINATING EVIDENCE AGAINST PT MEMBERS. [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WILL MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO DETERMINE IF THIS IS
THE CASE AND TO SECURE SAME. (4)

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[REDACTED] REVEALED SHE CURRENTLY HOLDS [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]. FROM THESE RECORDS [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (u)

IT IS IMPERATIVE THAT UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES SHOULD [REDACTED]
COOPERATION IN THIS MATTER BE DIVULGED NOR SHOULD THE GIST OF
HER STATEMENTS BE FURNISHED TO ANY OUTSIDE PERSONS [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (u)

IT SHOULD ALSO BE NOTED THAT DURING THIS INTERVIEW [REDACTED]
ADVISED THAT SHE KNEW PT DOCTOR LARRY SCHACHT BUT SHE DID NOT
ELABORATE A RELATIONSHIP OR EXTENT OF ASSOCIATION WITH THIS
INDIVIDUAL. (u)

FOR INFORMATION OF THE BUREAU, [REDACTED] CURRENT
MEMBERS OF THE PT CHURCH ARE INVOLVED IN A LAW ENFORCEMENT CAPACITY,
SUCH AS SANDY BRADSHAW, [REDACTED] SAN FRANCISCO,
CALIFORNIA. [REDACTED] ELUDED TO THE FACT THAT THE PT HAS,
IN THE PAST, HAD OTHER LAW ENFORCEMENT TYPES RECRUITED TO SERVE (u)

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PT NEEDS. IN VIEW OF THIS THE BUREAU MIGHT CONSIDER REQUIRING
FIELD OFFICES TO MAINTAIN THE FILES RE CAPTIONED MATTER
IN A SECURE PLACE WHERE ACCESS IS LIMITED. THIS WOULD PRECLUDE
AN UNINTENTIONAL DISCLOSURE OF SOURCE INFORMATION BY CLERICAL
OR OTHER BUREAU PERSONNEL TO PT CHURCH SOURCES. (u)

[REDACTED] WILL ADVISE THE BUREAU AND SAN FRANCISCO OF
DEVELOPMENTS AS THEY OCCUR. SAN FRANCISCO IS REQUESTED TO ADVISE

[REDACTED] THEY DESIRE IMMEDIATE CONTACT TO BE MADE WITH [REDACTED] b7c

[REDACTED] (u)
[REDACTED] (u)
ABOVE FURNISHED TO NEW YORK FOR INFORMATION. (u)
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SAN FRANCISCO DAILY SUMMARY (u)

INVESTIGATION BEGUN TO DETERMINE IF EDDIE JAMES HALMON
IS IDENTICAL WITH EDDIE CRENSHAM. (u)

INVESTIGATION BEGUN TO LOCATE FINGERPRINTS FOR WESLEY
BRIEDENBACH. (u)

MAILGRAMS FROM DISTRICT ATTORNEY FREITAS REQUESTING
CONCURRENT INTERVIEWS OF PERSONS RETURNING FROM GUYANA
ACKNOWLEDGED. FREITAS ADVISED PERSONS WOULD RETURN ON
PIECEMEAL BASIS AND THAT FBI WOULD FURNISH ANY INFORMATION
CONCERNING LOCAL OR STATE VIOLATIONS UNDER HIS JURISDICTION
TO HIS OFFICE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. FREITAS REQUESTING LETTER (u)

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INDICATING SAME AND SUCH LETTER WAS SENT. IT APPEARS AT THIS
TIME FREITAS IS SATISFIED (u)

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RYAN'S AUTOPSY REPORT MAILED TO ATTORNEY HANDLING RYAN'S
ESTATE PER REQUEST OF RYAN'S CONGRESSIONAL AIDE AND WITH
CONCURRENCE OF USA NDC. (u)

SAN FRANCISCO IS EXPERIENCING DIFFICULTY LOCATING NEXT
OF KIN OF PERSONS TO BE AUTOPSIED AND WILL CONTINUE EFFORTS
THROUGH WEEKEND (u)

USA NDC IN TELEPHONIC CONTACT WITH MARK LANE, MEMPHIS,
RE IMMUNITY FOR TERRI BUFORD. LANE AGREED TO INTERVIEW OF
HIMSELF BY USA NDC IN MEMPHIS CONCERNING INFORMATION BUFORD
HAS IN HER POSSESSION. HOWEVER, AGREEMENT WAS MADE THAT

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USA NDC WOULD MAKE AN ON THE SPOT DETERMINATION OF IMMUNITY FOR BUFORD. SAN FRANCISCO FBI INTERPOSED OBJECTION, INDICATING IT WAS PREMATURE TO OFFER IMMUNITY TO BUFORD WITH A NUMBER OF WITNESSES STILL IN GUYANA AND WITH CONTINUING INTERVIEW BEING CONDUCTED BY DALLAS [REDACTED]. USA NDC AGREED AND RECONTACTED LANE INDICATING OTHER COMMITMENTS IN SAN FRANCISCO PRECLUDED HIS VISIT WHICH WAS SCHEDULED FOR SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1973. (u) 67c

PREPARATION FOR SUBPOENA DUCES TECUM FOR PHONES OF MARK LANE BEGUN DUE TO POTENTIAL OF IDENTIFYING LOCATION OF TERRI BUFORD AND TO ASSIST IN OTHER INVESTIGATIVE MATTERS. (u)

SAN FRANCISCO IS NOT IN POSSESSION OF ANY INFORMATION WHICH SUBSTANTIATES PLANNED CBS NEWS STORY OF SAN FRANCISCO POLICE HAVING INFORMATION IN 1976 THAT THE PT HAD A CACHE OF WEAPONS IN THE TEMPLE IN SAN FRANCISCO, WERE DRAWING UP A HIT LIST OF PUBLIC OFFICIALS, AND THAT MAYOR MOSCONE HAD THE INVESTIGATION KILLED. ^c COP GAIN, WHO WAS NOT CHIEF IN 1976, ADVISED OF POSSIBLE CBS NEWS STORY. (u)

PREPARATION FOR SUBPOENA DUCES TECUM FOR ALL DOCUMENTS AND MONIES OF THE PT BEING PREPARED FOR BOTH MARK LANE AND (u)

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TERRI BUFORD IN THE POSSIBILITY BUFORD HAS GIVEN LANE DOCUMENTS AND MONEY FOR SAFEKEEPING. HOWEVER, WHILE THE SUBPOENA IS BEING PREPARED IN THE EVENT IT IS NECESSARY, SAN FRANCISCO FBI AND USA NDC ARE REVIEWING INFORMATION TO DETERMINE IF A SEARCH WARRANT FOR LANE'S OFFICE AND RESIDENCE AND BUFORD'S RESIDENCE (WHEN IDENTIFIED) CAN BE OBTAINED UNDER THE THOUGHT THAT SERVICE OF THE SUBPOENA COULD RESULT IN THE DESTRUCTION OF PERTINENT RECORDS WHEREAS SERVICE OF THE WARRANT COULD PRECLUDE SUCH DESTRUCTION. FURTHER, THE SERVICE OF A SUBPOENA ON LANE FOR BUFORD COULD PUT SUFFICIENT PRESSURE ON BUFORD TO GO UNDERGROUND. AT THIS POINT, LANE APPEARS TO BE IN CONTINUAL CONTACT WITH BUFORD AND IT IS FELT THAT LACK OF STRONG GOVERNMENT PRESSURE TO LOCATE BUFORD OR PLACE HER IN WHAT SHE MAY CONSIDER AN UNTENABLE POSITION IS KEEPING HER AVAILABLE TO LANE. (u)

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FROM: ADIC, NEW YORK (89-495) (P) (212)

SUBJECT: RYMUR

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Re Brooklyn-Queens MRA teletype to Bureau, dated 11/30/78. (u) b7c

Enclosed for San Francisco is the original letter mailed to [REDACTED]

It is postmarked in Guyana with a return address of "P.O. Box 893 Georgetown, Guyana, S.A.". (u)

Enclosed for information of FBIHQ are two copies of this letter. (u)

The post office markings are illegible, but the letter was received by [REDACTED] on 12/1/78. It therefore may have been mailed just prior to mass suicides at Jonestown. The letter gives no indication of a conspiracy or attempt to assassinate Congressman RYAN. The letter is signed by MARION CAMPBELL. Retel notes CAMPBELL a survivor of PT who is now residing in [REDACTED] (u)

[REDACTED] advised the NYO on 12/2/78 that she is a Bible minister and gave a contribution to Reverend JIM JONES several years ago after hearing him give a sermon at a NY church. [REDACTED] does not know any PT members. Periodically, she received [REDACTED]

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solicitations for donations to PT but threw them away unanswered.
She does not know MARION CAMPBELL. (u)

The letter is forwarded to San Francisco for whatever
use San Francisco deems necessary. (u)

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Dear [redacted] Pastor Jim Jones has undertaken a great work for humanity. This one-thousand (1000) member community of Jonestown, Guyana, South America, is showing the world a model of cooperation and love. Here, every good desire is being realized. The hand of hope is reaching out in love to care for the needy, to bring relief to the oppressed. Everyone who comes to the miracle community of Jonestown has been helped at what Pastor Jim Jones has accomplished in such a short time. Yes, a miracle of faith, sick and determination & an inspiration and help to all in need.

Though literally hundreds have been reached by the miracle of this healing ministry, much more needs to be done. And for medical science is now serving many in the immediate area of our district, and we would like to reach even more of the outlying areas and add to the appreciable number of cures that we already have.

Pastor Jones asks you to help sow the seeds of love with practical assistance. The jungle blooms with hundreds of plants and acres of vital, organic foods. Can you catch the lovely fragrance of this beautiful land? A reminder of how wonderful our lives are here, as we follow the higher path of service to mankind with Pastor Jones.

Don't you help in this great effort, assist us to build the foundations for a new world, extend the great chain of compassion across the seas to unite mankind in bonds of universal cooperation? The special number of faith this month for Jonestown is \$50.33. Your generous gift, assistance will be a blessing to others and by the higher laws of life, your giving will return to bless you. The scripture of every great faith proclaims this to be so.

From this beautiful community of love, Pastor Jim Jones sends to you in affection, his personal thanks and Meditations for health, well-being and prosperity.

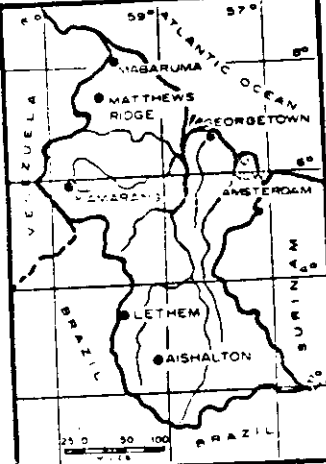
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Though literally hundreds have been reached by the miracle of this healing ministry, much more needs to be done. Our free medical clinic is now serving many in the immediate area of our district, and we would like to reach even more of the outlying areas and add to the appreciable number of cures that we already have.

Pastor Jones asks you to help sow the seeds of love with practical assistance. The jungle blooms with hundreds of plants and acres of vital, organic foods. Can you catch the lovely fragrance of this beautiful land? A reminder of how wonderful our lives are here, as we follow the higher path of service to mankind with Pastor Jones.

Don't you help in this great effort, assist us to build the foundations for a new world, extend the great chain of compassion across the seas to unite mankind in bonds of universal cooperation? The special number of faith this month for Jonestown is \$50.33. Your generous gift, as always, will be a blessing to others and by the higher laws of life, your giving will return to bless you. The scriptures of every great faith proclaim this to be so.

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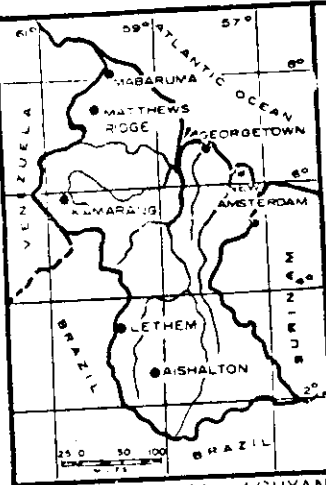
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AN APPOINTMENT WAS MADE TO INTERVIEW LT. GOVERNOR MERVYN
M. DYMALLY ON DEC. 4, 1978, RE CAPTIONED MATTER. ON MORNING
OF DEC. 4, 1978, [REDACTED] COUNCIL TO THE LT. GOVERNOR,
TELEPHONICALLY ADVISED THAT THE LT. GOVERNOR WOULD BE UNABLE
TO KEEP THE APPOINTMENT. SHE CITED THE GREAT VOLUME OF WORK
IN CONNECTION WITH DYMALLY LEAVING OFFICE AT THE END OF DECEMBER
AND STATED SHE HAD NO IDEA WHEN HE WOULD BE AVAILABLE FOR
INTERVIEW. (u)

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[REDACTED] ADVISED SHE WOULD CONTACT THE SACRAMENTO
OFFICE WHEN THE LT. GOVERNOR IS AVAILABLE FOR INTERVIEW

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[REDACTED] SPECIAL CONSULAR SERVICES, STATE DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON, D. C., ADVISED THIS DATE THAT THREE SURVIVORS FROM GUYANA WILL ARRIVE AT MIAMI, FLORIDA, VIA ALM AIRLINES AT 1:30 P.M., EST, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1978. STATE DEPARTMENT ADVISES THAT ROYAL DUTCH AIRLINES (ALM) FLIGHT 942 WILL DEPART GEORGETOWN, GUYANA, AND WILL BECOME ALM FLIGHT 971 AT ARRIVAL MIAMI, FLORIDA.

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THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS REPORTEDLY WILL BE ABOARD THE FLIGHT:

1. JOHNNY FRANKLIN, SR., DOB [REDACTED]

PASSPORT [REDACTED]

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- 1 - MR. MOORE
- 1 - MR. INGRAM
- 1 - MR. GOW
- 1 - [REDACTED]
- 1 - [REDACTED]

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2. ROBERT B. PAUL, DOB [REDACTED] PASSPORT

NUMBER [REDACTED]

3. RICHARD CLARK, DOB [REDACTED] PASSPORT

NUMBER [REDACTED]

STATE DEPARTMENT HAS ADVISED THAT THEY ARE COORDINATING WITH DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION AND WELFARE (HEW) REGARDING PROVIDING FOR PERSONAL NECESSITIES OF RETURNING SURVIVORS. MIAMI COORDINATE LOCALLY WITH HEW AND U. S. SECRET SERVICE. IF SECRET SERVICE DESIRES, JOINT INTERVIEWS OF RETURNING SURVIVORS MAY BE CONDUCTED. NO FURTHER INFORMATION REGARDING SURVIVORS OR THEIR ITINERIES AVAILABLE AT THIS TIME. MIAMI REFER TO BUREAU TELETYPE TO ALL OFFICES DATED 12/1/78 IN WHICH SUGGESTED AREAS OF INTERVIEW ARE SET FORTH. MIAMI SUTEL RESULTS OF INTERVIEWS AND FOLLOW WITH FD 302'S FOR FBIHQ, BROOKLYN QUEENS MRA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

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RE SAN FRANCISCO TELETYPE DATED DECEMBER 1, 1978. (u)

THE BUREAU MAKES THE FOLLOWING COMMENTS REGARDING INFORMATION SET FORTH IN REFERENCED SAN JUAN TELETYPE: (u)

1. SAN JUAN SHOULD SUTEL UNITED STATES ADDRESSES FOR

[REDACTED] IF KNOWN. ALSO
FUTURE PLANS WITH REGARDS TO ARRIVAL IN THE UNITED STATES FOR
FURTHER INTERVIEW. (u)

2. IF KNOWN, SAN JUAN SHOULD ELABORATE ON INFORMATION
FURNISHED BY [REDACTED] AS TO THE IDENTITIES OF THE "COORDI-
NATORS IN GEORGETOWN" WHO PROVIDED HIM MONEY FOR THE PURCHASE (u)

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OF SUPPLIES AS SAME COULD POSSIBLY IDENTIFY MEMBERS OF THE
INNER CIRCLE OR GOVERNING COUNCIL OF PEOPLE'S TEMPLE (PT)
CHURCH WHO MAY HAVE KNOWN OF PLANS TO ASSASSINATE CONGRESSMAN
RYAN OR OTHER U. S. GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS. (u)

3. IF KNOWN, SAN JUAN SHOULD IDENTIFY THE LOCATION WHERE
STATEMENTS [REDACTED] WROTE ALLEGING WILLINGNESS TO ASSASSI-
NATE UNRECALLED PUBLIC OFFICIALS, INCLUDING PRESIDENT OF THE
UNITED STATES, MIGHT BE LOCATED. SAN FRANCISCO SHOULD INSURE
THAT CONTACT WITH U. S. ATTORNEY, SAN FRANCISCO, IS MADE REGARD-
ING INFORMATION THAT [REDACTED] SIGNED SUCH STATEMENTS TO
DETERMINE IF PROSECUTION OF HER IS WARRANTED SHOULD THESE STATE-
MENTS BE LOCATED AND HER STATEMENT CORROBORATED. (u)

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4. IF AVAILABLE, SAN JUAN SHOULD PROVIDE ADDRESSES FOR
TERRY BUFORD, SANDRA BRADSHAW, JEAN BROWN, TOM ADAMS, DEBRA
TOUCHETTE, LEONA COLLIER, DESCRIBED BY [REDACTED] AS CLOSE TO
JIM JONES. UPON RECEIPT, OR IF WHEREABOUTS OF ABOVE ALREADY
KNOWN TO SAN FRANCISCO, ABOVE SHOULD BE INTERVIEWED IF NOT
ALREADY DONE. (u)

BUTTE OFFICE SHOULD ATTEMPT TO LOCATE [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] AND INTERVIEW SAME RE (u)

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KNOWLEDGE OF PT, ANY PLOT TO ASSASSINATE CONGRESSMAN RYAN,

OR ANY OTHER GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS. SUGGESTED QUESTIONS

PREVIOUSLY FURNISHED ALL OFFICES SHOULD BE TENDERED TO [REDACTED] IN INTERVIEW. SAN JUAN ALSO PROVIDE U. S. ADDRESS AND ITINERARY OF [REDACTED] AND SET FORTH LEAD FOR AN ADDITIONAL INTERVIEW IN VIEW OF THE FACT THAT HER INTERVIEW IN PORT OF SPAIN, TRINIDAD, COULD NOT BE COMPLETED. (u)

SAN JUAN'S LEAD WITH REGARDS TO THE GUYANESE ATTORNEY WHO OFTEN HELPED THE PT IN GEORGETOWN HAS BEEN FURNISHED TO LEGAT CARACAS FOR HANDLING. ADDITIONAL LEADS REGARDING [REDACTED] [REDACTED] INFORMATION AS SET FORTH IN RETEL WILL FOLLOW IN SEPARATE TELETYPE. ARMED AND DANGEROUS. SUICIDAL TENDENCIES. (u)

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NOTE:

THE ABOVE LEADS ARE BASED ON A REVIEW OF SAN JUAN'S
TELETYPE DATED 12/1/78, INDICATING INTERVIEW OF [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] WERE CONDUCTED BY SJ AGENTS
ON NOVEMBER 26 - 27, 1978, AT PORT OF SPAIN, TRINIDAD AND
BRIDGETOWN, BARBADOS. THE SUMMARY TELETYPE PROVIDES INFORMATION
WHICH SHOULD BE FURTHER CLARIFIED BY ADDITIONAL INVESTIGATION SET
FORTH IN THE ABOVE TEL WITH ADDITIONAL LEADS REGARDING THE INTERVIEW
OF [REDACTED] TO FOLLOW BY SEPARATE TELETYPE. (u)

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RENYCAL FROM SA [REDACTED] TO FBIHQ DECEMBER 4, 1978. (u)

BUREAU FUGITIVES CHARGED IN CAPTIONED CASE FOR
VIOLATION TITLE 18, SECTION 351, WHO HAVE NOT YET BEEN
ACCOUNTED FOR ARE AS FOLLOWS: (u)

THOMAS DAVID KICE, SR., NEGRO MALE, BORN NOVEMBER 18, 1935 (u)

WESLEY KARL BRIEDEBACK, WHITE MALE BORN SEPTEMBER 15, 1959 (u)

THE BUREAU POSSESSES FINGERPRINT CARDS ON THE ABOVE WHICH
WILL BE EXPEDITIOUSLY FURNISHED BROOKLYNQUEENS MRA ON
DECEMBER 5, 1978. (u)

FINGERPRINT CLASSIFICATIONS FOR KICE AND BREIDENBACH TO
FOLLOW BY FACSIMILE (u)

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AND SAN JUAN TELETYPE DATED DECEMBER 1, 1978 REGARDING INTERVIEWS
IN PORT OF SPAIN, TRINIDAD, AND BRIDGETOWN, BARBADOS. (u)

DURING INTERVIEW ON NOVEMBER 28, 1978, AT BRIDGETOWN,
BARBADOS, [redacted] GAVE HIS LAST ADDRESS IN
THE UNITED STATES TO HIS BEST RECOLLECTION ONLY AS [redacted]

[redacted] NOTING HE HAD NOT ACTUALLY RESIDED
IN THE UNITED STATES SINCE 1974. [redacted] ALSO ADVISED
SAN JUAN AGENTS HE HAD NO IMMEDIATE PLANS TO RETURN TO THE

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UNITED STATES AND WAS TO REMAIN [REDACTED]

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OUTCOME AND RESOLUTION OF MATTERS REGARDING THE PEOPLE'S TEMPLE
(PT) AND FATE OF MEMBERS REMAINING IN GUYANA. (u)

ON DECEMBER 5, 1978, UNITED STATES COUNSIL RICHARD LA ROCHE,
BRIDGETOWN, BARBADOS, ADVISED THAT "ALBATROSS III" STILL IN PORT
OF BRIDGETOWN AND EXPECTED TO DEPART FOR PORT OF SPAIN, TRINIDAD,
ON FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1978. (u)

ALSO THIS DATE, LA ROCHE ADVISED THAT [REDACTED] DOES NOT
OBJECT TO FURTHER INTERVIEWING BY FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGA-
TION (FBI), HOWEVER, [REDACTED] ADVISED LA ROCHE THAT HE DOES NOT
WISH TO SUBMIT TO POLYGRAPH EXAMINATION. (u)

UNITED STATES ADDRESS PROVIDED NOVEMBER 26, 1978 AT PORT
OF SPAIN, TRINIDAD BY [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ALSO ADVISED THEY HAD NO IMMEDIATE PLANS TO RETURN
TO THE UNITED STATES AND WILL REMAIN [REDACTED]

PSMOP THE TIME BEING HAVING EXPRESSED INTENTIONS SIMILAR TO
THOSE OF [REDACTED] (u)

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[REDACTED] ADVISED ON NOVEMBER 26, 1973 THAT "SOME" MONEY FOR PURCHASES OF SUPPLIES WAS MADE AVAILABLE BY GEORGETOWN COORDINATORS DEVORAH TOUCHETTE AND PAULA ADAMS. OTHER MONIES WERE MADE AVAILABLE THROUGH EXTERNAL ACCOUNTS AT BARCLAYS BANKS IN GEORGETOWN, GUYANA, AND PORT OF SPAIN, TRINIDAD, ALLOWING GUYANESE DOLLARS TO CONVERT INTO TRINIDAD DOLLARS. [REDACTED] ADVISED THAT HIS KNOWLEDGE CONCERNING FINANCIAL MATTERS OF THE PT WAS LIMITED TO THE ABOVE. (u)

DURING INTERVIEW [REDACTED] ON NOVEMBER 26, 1973, SHE ADVISED THAT THE "CONFESSIONS" REGARDING ILLEGAL AND IMMORAL ACTS: STATEMENTS REGARDING WILLINGNESS TO ASSASSINATE UNRECALLED PUBLIC OFFICIALS, INCLUDING THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, AND BLANK PIECES OF PAPERS SIGNED BY [REDACTED] AND OTHER PT MEMBERS, WERE GIVEN TO "STAFF" MEMBERS IN PT, SAN FRANCISCO. SHE BELIEVES THESE AND OTHER DOCUMENTS WHICH MAY HAVE CAUSED PROBLEMS FOR PT WERE DESTROYED AT PT SAN FRANCISCO BY "STAFF" PER JIM JONES' INSTRUCTIONS DURING SPRING, 1977, WHEN PT WAS UNDER "ATTACK" AND SCRUTINY BY NEWS MEDIA, GOVERNMENT, AND GENERAL PUBLIC. (u)

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CONCERNING [REDACTED]'S REFERENCE REGARDING HAVING SIGNED
STATEMENTS ALLEGING WILLINGNESS TO ASSASSINATE PUBLIC OFFICIALS,
SAN JUAN WISHES TO STRESS THAT [REDACTED] ADVISED THIS OCCURRED SOME
YEARS AGO WHEN [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] SHE PLACED THIS ACT
IN THE OVERALL CONTEXT OF PT MEMBERS SIGNING BLANK PAGES OF
PAPER ON WHICH INCRIMINATING OR COMPROMISING INFORMATION WAS
LATER PLACED. SHE INDICATED SHE REGARDED THESE SIGNED STATEMENTS,
I.E., REGARDING ASSASSINATIONS AS WELL AS ADMITTING IMMORAL ACTS,
TO BE "A FARSE", AND THAT SHE NEVER TOOK THIS SERIOUSLY. IT WAS
AN INTIMIDATION METHOD TO GAIN CONTROL OVER PT MEMBERS, AND WAS
A "TEST OF FAITH." (u)

[REDACTED] WAS THE MOST COOPERATIVE OF ALL THE INDIVIDUALS
INTERVIEWED IN TRINIDAD AND BARBADOS AND APPEARED THE MOST CREDIBLE.
SAN JUAN'S JUDGEMENT IS THAT SHE IS NOT A WELL EDUCATED PERSON,
AND NOT OVERLY INTELLIGENT. NEITHER SHE NOR ANYONE INTERVIEWED
IN TRINIDAD/BARBADOS CONFIRMED OR WOULD ADMIT TO THE EXISTENCE
OF THE "ANGELS" OR "HIT TEAMS". (u)

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[REDACTED] WAS SPECIFICALLY QUERIED REGARDING ADDRESSES OF TERRY BUFORD, SANDRA BRADSHAW, JEAN BROWN, AND LEONA COLLIER ON NOVEMBER 26, 1978. SHE ADVISED ALL WERE RESIDING AT TEMPLE IN SAN FRANCISCO [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ADDRESSES FOR ABOVE INDIVIDUALS PRIOR TO THEIR RESIDENCE IN TEMPLE UNKNOWN TO [REDACTED] [REDACTED] ADVISED ON NOVEMBER 26, 1978 PAULA ADAMS AND DEBBIE TOUCHETTE RESIDED IN "LAMANA HOUSE", A PT FACILITY, GEORGETOWN, GUYANA. PRIOR TO THEIR RESIDENCE IN GUYANA, THEY RESIDED IN TEMPLE, SAN FRANCISCO. (u)

AS NOTED IN REFERENCED SAN JUAN TELETYPE, [REDACTED] [REDACTED] INTERVIEW WAS PREMATURELY TERMINATED FOR REASONS OUTLINED THEREIN; THEREFORE, NO ADDRESS IN U.S. OBTAINED FROM HER. ONLY ADDRESS FURNISHED [REDACTED] WAS JONESTOWN, GUYANA. NO ITINERARY WAS OBTAINED FROM [REDACTED] HOWEVER, SHE TOLD U.S. CONSUL, JOHN ADAMS, PORT OF SPAIN, THAT SHE HAD NO IMMEDIATE PLANS TO RETURN TO U.S. (u)

CONTACT IS BEING MAINTAINED [REDACTED] AND SHOULD [REDACTED] RETURN TO U.S., APPROPRIATE LEADS WILL BE SET OUT. (u)

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INTERVIEWS OF [redacted]

[redacted] (PROTECT IDENTITIES) AT NEW YORK ON

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IN REFERENCED TELETYPE, INCLUDING NAMES OF TOP ECHELON

MEMBERS OF PT, PLANNING COMMISSION, AND PROBABLE EXISTANCE

OF HIT LIST. INVESTIGATION DETERMINED TERRY BUFFORD TO BE

MOST DANGEROUS AND MOST KNOWLEDGABLE MEMBER OF PT PLANNING

COMMISSION. (u)

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AT 11:15 PM, NBC NEWS COVERAGE TAKEN 9:30 AM THIS DATE

AT MEMPHIS, TENN., SHOWED ATTY MARK LANE AND TERRY BUFFORD

ENTERING LANE'S HOUSE. (u)

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FROM INFORMATION DEVELOPED THROUGH INTERVIEWS
CONDUCTED TO DATE, IT APPEARS THAT PT CHURCH SHOULD NO
LONGER BE CONSIDERED A LEGITIMATE RELIGIOUS ORGANIZATION.
USA, SAN FRANCISCO SHOULD BE CONTACTED TO CONSIDER ISSUANCE
OF SUBPOENA DUCES TECUM FOR RECORDS OF PT CHURCH, AND
SUBPOENA'S FOR TOP ECHELON PT PLANNING COMMISSION MEMBERS
TO APPEAR BEFORE GRAND JURY INVESTIGATING CONSPIRACY TO
ASSASSINATE CONGRESSMAN RYAN. (u)

MEMPHIS WILL IMMEDIATELY ATTEMPT TO LOCATE AND
INTERVIEW TERRY BUEFFORD AT MARK LANE'S RESIDENCE. (u)

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ON NOV. 30, 1978, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], WAS INTERVIEWED AND ADVISED HE WAS A MEMBER
OF THE PEOPLE'S TEMPLE FOR THREE YEARS IN SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.,
AND DEFECTED IN [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ADVISED HE AND OTHERS BECAME
AWARE OF FALSE HEALINGS OF THE REV. J. JONES AND RUMORS THAT
JONES HAD HAD MEMBERS KILLED WHO TRYED TO DEFECT PRIOR TO THEIR
DEFECTION. (u)

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THE FOLLOWING ARE FORMER PEOPLE'S TEMPLE MEMBERS WHO DEFECTED

[REDACTED] (u)

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MICKY TOUCHETTE, [REDACTED] b7C

JIM AND TERRI CORB, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] (u)

MAYNE AND LENA PIETILA, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] (u)

JOHN AND VERA REDDULPH (ADDRESS UNKNOWN). (u)

ON NOV. 30, 1978, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], WAS INTERVIEWED AND ADVISED SHE BECAME A MEMBER OF THE PEOPLE'S TEMPLE IN INDIANAPOLIS, IND., IN 1950'S, ALTHOUGH SHE AND HER HUSBAND, [REDACTED] DID NOT GO WITH JONES AND THE CHURCH TO CALIF. WHEN THEY LEFT [REDACTED] [REDACTED] ADVISED THAT SHE TOOK CARE OF SOME PROPERTY FOR JONES IN INDIANAPOLIS WHILE HE WAS IN CALIF. (u)

[REDACTED] ADVISED THAT HER DAUGHTER, [REDACTED] WENT TO CALIF. TO JOIN JONES IN THE LATE 1960'S. [REDACTED] ADVISED HER DAUGHTER DEFECTED [REDACTED] AND RETURNED TO INDIANAPOLIS. [REDACTED] ADVISED HER DAUGHTER IS NOW MARRIED AND GOES BY [REDACTED] AND RESIDES [REDACTED] (u)

SAN FRANCISCO, AT [REDACTED] CALIF., CONTACT AND (u)

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INTERVIEW [REDACTED]

(u)
[REDACTED]
AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF., IF NOT ALREADY CONTACTED, INTERVIEW

[REDACTED]
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[REDACTED]
NEWARK, AT [REDACTED] INTERVIEW [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] RE HER MEMBERSHIP IN THE
PEOPLE'S TEMPLE. (u)

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RYMUR, OO: SAN FRANCISCO.

REFERENCE BUREAU TELETYPE TO ALEXANDRIA, NOVEMBER 30,
1978. (u)

A REPORTER SPECIALIZING IN RELIGIOUS AND POLITICAL ARTICLES
PRESENTLY EMPLOYED [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] IN WASHINGTON, D.C., WAS INTERVIEWED
ON DECEMBER 1, 1978, AND RELATED THAT AS A RELIGION REPORTER
FOR [REDACTED], HE PUBLISHED SEVERAL
ARTICLES REGARDING BACKGROUND OF THE PEOPLE'S TEMPLE (PT)
IN REDWOOD VALLEY IN NORTHERN CALIFORNIA. [REDACTED]

ATTENDED SEVERAL CHURCH SERVICES AT THE PT OF WHICH JIM
JONES WAS THE LEADER. [REDACTED] CHARACTERIZED JONES AS

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AN EXTREMELY MAGNETIC SELF-CENTERED INDIVIDUAL AND DESCRIBED THE CULT AS MARXIST IN NATURE AND VERY ANTI-AMERICAN. (u)

[REDACTED] STATED THAT [REDACTED], FORMER PT MEMBER, NORTHERN CALIFORNIA, PRESENTLY RESIDING UKIAH, CALIFORNIA, TOLD HIM THAT SHE AND HER HUSBAND WERE PERSONALLY AWARE OF WEAPONS IN THE POSSESSION OF THE CULT DURING 1972. [REDACTED] PRESENTLY EMPLOYED BY AN UNKNOWN TELEPHONE COMPANY IN UKIAH, CALIFORNIA, WAS ALSO WELL ACQUAINTED WITH THE PEOPLE'S TEMPLE DURING THE EARLY 1970'S, HOWEVER, SHE WAS NOT A MEMBER OF THE CULT. (u)

[REDACTED] WAS NOT AWARE OF THE CONDITIONS IN JONESTOWN, GUYANA, AND COULD PROVIDE NO PERTINENT INFORMATION REGARDING ACTIVITIES THERE. [REDACTED] BELIEVES THAT THE MAJOR MEDIA IGNORED THE ACTIVITIES OF THE PEOPLE'S TEMPLE IN NORTHERN CALIFORNIA DURING THE EARLY 1970'S ALTHOUGH THEY WERE AWARE OF THE CONDITIONS AND ACTIVITIES OF THE CULT. (u)

ON DECEMBER 4, 1973, [REDACTED] AND ADVISED THAT AN ASSOCIATE OF HIS IN NEW YORK, NEW YORK, INFORMED HIM THAT THE NEW YORK TIMES PUBLISHED AN ARTICLE ON DECEMBER 4, 1973, REGARDING JONESTOWN IN SECTION B AND (u)

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[REDACTED] WAS LISTED ALONG WITH TWO OTHER REPORTERS
AS BEING ON THE "HIT LIST" OF THE PT. [REDACTED] ADVISED
THAT CREDIBILITY OF THE HIT LIST WAS UNKNOWN AT THIS TIME,
HOWEVER, HE [REDACTED] AND MAY CONTACT
HEADQUARTERS IN AN ATTEMPT TO OBTAIN UP-TO-DATE INFORMATION. (u)

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NO LEADS BEING SET FORTH WITHIN SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION
AS ALEXANDRIA NOT AWARE AS TO THE SCOPE OF ONGOING
INVESTIGATION IN THAT AREA (u)

ARMED AND DANGEROUS. (u)

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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TO : Mr. Moore

DATE: 12/5/78

FROM : J. O. Ingram

SUBJECT:

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[REDACTED] Public Affairs Office, advised late p.m., 12/4 that [REDACTED] had advised that his inquiry had revealed the Peoples Temple did have accounts containing money and he had come in possession of one peice of information to the effect that one Swiss account was under the number 100.468.1 under the name of "Briget." He had no additional information re accounts. (u)

[REDACTED] was also told by a source that the source of cyanide used by the Jonestown doctor allegedly obtained from a Westchester County resident by the name of [REDACTED] (phonetic). (u)

Records should be reviewed regarding the name [REDACTED] if it has surfaced as well as San Francisco should be queried regarding the account number and see if there is any significance to this number to date. (u)

1-Mr. Gow
1-Mr. [REDACTED]
1-Mr. [REDACTED]
1-Mr. Ingram

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TELETYPE PREDICATED ON TELEPHONE CALL FROM SA [REDACTED]
BQMRA, DEC 5, 1978, REQUESTING INFORMATION ON ROSEVILLE TRAIN
EXPLOSION. BECAUSE [REDACTED], PEOPLE'S TEMPLE MEMBER STATED
IN INTERVIEW, [REDACTED] STATED HE
BOMBED A TRAIN IN ROSEVILLE, CALIFORNIA (u) REC-102 89-4286-757

SOUTHERN PACIFIC TRAIN DEPARTED NAVAL AMMUNITION DEPOT, 22 DEC 6 1978
HAMILTON, NEVADA, EVENING APRIL 26, 1973, 120 CARS, ENROUTE TO
CONCORD, CALIF., FOR SHIPMENT FAR EAST. TWENTY-ONE CARS CONTAINED
336 BOMBS PER CAR, EACH BOMB 250 POUNDS. TOTAL EXPLOSIVE FORCE
APPROXIMATED 1.4 MILLION POUNDS. REMAINDER CARS CONSISTED OF (u)

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LIQUID PROPANE GAS, CRRDE OIL, PAINT, CHEMICALS, FLOUR, MEAL,
DYE, ETC (u)

TRAIN ARRIVED ROSEVILLE, CALIF., APPROXIMATELY 6:05 AM,
APRIL 28, 1973, FIRE FIRST OBSERVED 7:50 AM, NEAR HEAD OF TRAIN.

FIRST EXPLOSION OCCURRED APPROXIMATELY 8:00 TO 8:05 AM. CHAIN
REACTION EXPLOSIONS CONTINUED THROUGH AFTERNOON OF APRIL 29, 1973 (u)

NO POSITIVE EVIDENCE OF SABOTAGE EVER ESTABLISHED. PROBABLE,
BUT YET UNDETERMINED, CAUSE OF INITIAL FIRE WAS WHEEL FIRE. (u)

SAN FRANCISCO AT SAN FRANCISCO. INSURE [REDACTED] INTERVIEWED
IN DEPTH REGARDING ALLEGED CLAIM HE BOMBED TRAIN IN ROSEVILLE,
CALIFORNIA. (u)

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RE MEMPHIS TELETYPE TO BUREAU, DECEMBER 1, 1978. (u)

FOR INFORMATION OF LOS ANGELES, [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] (PROTECT), ADVISED ON DECEMBER 1, 1978, THAT WHILE
ON WEEKEND DUTY NOVEMBER 26, 1978, [REDACTED]

HE RECEIVED AN ANONYMOUS TELEPHONE CALL, THE SUBSTANCE OF WHICH
IS AS FOLLOWS: (u) REC-102 89-4286-759

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THE ANONYMOUS CALLER RECEIVED A TELEPHONE CALL FROM
GUYANA FROM [REDACTED] A U. S. SOLDIER WITH THE GRAVES
REGISTRATION DETACHMENT IN JONESTOWN. THE SOLDIER WAS ABLE
TO GO THROUGH PT FILES BEFORE THEY WERE CONFISCATED BY GUYANA
OFFICIALS. HE ALLEGEDLY SAW EVIDENCE OF PT'S INVOLVEMENT

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IN DRUG SMUGGLING. THE SOLDIER TOLD [REDACTED] TO WRITE
DOWN THE FOLLOWING: "NOVEMBER 14, 1978 [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] TELEPHONE NUMBERS [REDACTED] AND
[REDACTED]" AND PASS IT ON TO ESQUIRE MAGAZINE. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] BELIEVES "ESQUIRE MAGAZINE" IS A REFERENCE TO (U)
CORUM'S SEPTEMBER, 1978, ARTICLE IN THAT MAGAZINE DETAILING
THE SOUTH AMERICAN DRUG TRADE. [REDACTED] BELIEVED CALL TO BE

LEGITIMATE AND BELIEVED FBI MAY BE INTERESTED IN THIS INFORMATION. (u)

ON NOVEMBER 29, 1978, [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] [REDACTED]
RESIDES SOMEWHERE ON [REDACTED], AND IS SUBSCRIBER
TO [REDACTED] [REDACTED] ALSO REPORTED THAT AN
INDIVIDUAL, NAME UNRECALLED, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] AT WHICH TIME THIS INDIVIDUAL WAS USING
ALIAS [REDACTED]. THIS PERSON, WHO WAS NOT KNOWN AS [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] AT FCI, EL RENO, ASSOCIATED AT FCI WITH PERSONS REPORTEDLY
ACTIVE IN THE WHITE PANTHER PARTY AND THE RAINBOW PEOPLES
PARTY. [REDACTED] BELIEVES THIS INDIVIDUAL WAS CONFINED (u)

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FOLLOWING CONVICTION FOR MANUFACTURING AND/OR SELLING AUTOMATIC
WEAPONS. [REDACTED] b7C

[REDACTED] (u)
ON DECEMBER 4, 1978, RECORDS, FCI, EL RENO, INDICATED
THAT A [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] (u)
AT LOMPOC, CALIFORNIA. WILL CONTACT APPROPRIATE OFFICIALS
AT FCI TO FURTHER IDENTIFY THE INDIVIDUAL DESCRIBED HEREIN
KNOWN AS [REDACTED] AND DETERMINE IF HE IS CURRENTLY
CONFINED FCI, LOMPOC, AND INTERVIEW REGARDING HIS KNOWLEDGE OF
PT, JIM JONES, AND WHY HIS NAME WAS MAINTAINED BY PT IN (u)

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JONESTOWN, GUYANA. IF [REDACTED] HAS BEEN PAROLED, SET OUT LEADS
TO ASCERTAIN HIS CURRENT WHEREABOUTS. (u)

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THIS DATE THAT AN ARTICLE APPEARING IN THE "LOS ANGELES TIMES",
MONDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1978, ISSUE ENTITLED "PEOPLE'S TEMPLE
PAID FEE TO LANE" WRITTEN BY HENRY WEINSTEIN AND ROBERT
SCHEER, CONTAINED INFORMATION REGARDING THE PEOPLE'S TEMPLE
(PH) "HIT" LIST. ACCORDING TO [REDACTED] WEINSTEIN HAS THE
IDENTITY OF NINE INDIVIDUALS WHO ARE ON THE HIT LIST.

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89-4286-760

LOS ANGELES, AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA:

TO DETERMINE

IDENTITY OF NINE PERSONS ON THE PT HIT LIST, AND THEREAFTER
SET OUT LEADS TO HAVE THOSE PERSONS NOTIFIED.

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ATTENTION CID COMMAND POST

RYMUR, OO: SAN FRANCISCO

SAN FRANCISCO DAILY SUMMARY (u)

INDIVIDUALS IDENTIFIED [REDACTED] AS BEING ON THE
HIT LIST WHEN SHE WAS AN ACTIVE MEMBER HAVE BEEN NOTIFIED OF
SAME OR WHERE THEY RESIDE IN OTHER DIVISION, TELEPHONIC LEADS
SET OUT TO MAKE SUCH NOTIFICATIONS. ¹⁴ REC-102 89-4286 - 761

PT ATTORNEY CHARLES GARRY ADVISED THIS DATE THAT HE HAD
FILED IN CALIFORNIA STATE COURT A PETITION FOR COURT DECREE TO
DISSOLVE THE PEOPLE'S TEMPLE DISCIPLE OF CHRIST CORPORATION.
THE PETITION REQUESTS INSTRUCTION FROM THE COURT ON HOW TO ²² DEC 6 1978
HANDLE THE DISSOLVEMENT AND WELD THE DISPURSEMENT OF ASSETS. ¹⁴

MARK LANE CONTACTED USA NDC TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS TO MAKE

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TERPI BUFORD AVAILABLE FOR INTERVIEW BY HIM IN DENVER.

USA NDC IS RETURNING THE LANE CALL SUGGESTING A MEETING NEXT WEDNESDAY IN SAN FRANCISCO. (u)

INFORMATION FROM SAN FRANCISCO MEDIA PERSON INDICATES A LOS ANGELES MEDIA PERSON HAS WRITTEN AN ARTICLE IN TODAY'S LOS ANGELES "TIMES" RE PT AND THAT HE HAS THE IDENTIFIES OF NINE PERSONS ON THE HIT LIST. LEADS SET. (u)

STEPHEN KATSARIS AGREED TO THE AUTOPSY OF HIS DAUGHTER, MARIA, THIS DATE. (u)

A CONFERENCE WAS HELD WITH SAN FRANCISCO DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S INVESTIGATORS AND INFORMATION EXCHANGED. TO THIS POINT, NEITHER SAN FRANCISCO FBI OR SAN FRANCISCO DISTRICT ATTORNEY HAS ANY SOLID EVIDENCE OF A CRIME BEING COMMITTED BY MEMBERS OF THE PT OTHER THAN RYMUR. (u)

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REFERENCE DIRECTOR TELETYPE TO SAN FRANCISCO, DATED

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ON NOVEMBER 20, 1978, [REDACTED]

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SIGNED STATEMENT OBTAINED AND BEING FORWARDED APPROPRIATE

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OFFICES. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] DETAILS OF FLIGHT FROM NEW YORK TO JONESTOWN, GUYANA PROVIDED. CHARLES GARY AND MARK LANE INTERCEDED ON BEHALF OF P.T. AND MADE ARRANGEMENTS FOR CONGRESSMAN RYAN AND MEDIA TO VISIT P.T. ON NOVEMBER 17, 1978, TRIP WAS ORGANIZED TO P.T. AND [REDACTED] FURNISHED COMPLETE OBSERVATIONS CONCERNING THIS VISIT. RETURN DESCRIBED BY [REDACTED] ON NOVEMBER 18, 1978 TO P.T. DETAILS OF CONFRONTATION BETWEEN P.T. RESIDENT AND CONGRESSMAN RYAN REFLECTED BUT [REDACTED] (u)

UPON PREPARING FOR DEPARTURE FROM P.T., APPROXIMATELY TWELVE DEFECTORS ACCOMPANIED CONGRESSMAN RYAN AND MEDIA. ALSO LARRY LAYTON, P.T. MEMBER, BOARDED TRUCK AND RODE TO AIRPORT. (u)

LARRY LAYTON ASCERTAINED HIMSELF AND DEMANDED TO BE ONE OF FIVE PASSENGERS ON SINGLE ENGINE PLANE. PERMISSION FOR SAME WAS GRANTED BY CONGRESSMAN RYAN. (u)

AFTER SINGLE ENGINE PLANE TAXIED FOR TAKEOFF POSITION, JIM CORR, MEMBER OF "CONCERNED RELATIVE GROUP" POINTED OUT A TRACTOR PULLING A WAGON WITH SEVERAL MEN STANDING. MR. (u)

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[REDACTED] DRIVER OF THIS VEHICLE WAS THE SAME DRIVER WHO
HAD DRIVEN [REDACTED] FROM P.T., NAME NOT
KNOWN. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] MEN IN TRACTOR TRAILER BEGAN
SHOOTING. NO DESCRIPTION OF ASSAILANTS. (u)

[REDACTED] RAN FOR COVER AND MADE AN EFFORT TO OBTAIN
A WEAPON FROM GUYANESE SOLDIER WHO WAS GUARDING A WRECKED
AIRPLANE NEAR SCENE OF ASSAULT. THIS EFFORT WAS NEGATIVE. (u)

WHEN SHOOTING ENDED AND ASSAILANTS LEFT, [REDACTED]
GATHERED WOUNDED, PROVIDED FIRST-AID, AND SHELTER UNTIL HELP
ARRIVED. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] GUN WAS USED BY LAYTON WHEN HE ASSAULTED PASSENGERS
IN SINGLE ENGINE AIRPLANE. ONCE U.S. OFFICIALS ARRIVED,
HE DEPARTED GUYANA AND RETURNED [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] FD-302 TO FOLLOW. (u)

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TO DIRECTOR (8-4286)(IMMEDIATE)

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ATTENTION BOMBRA RYMUR COMMAND

RYMUR

REFERENCE SAN FRANCISCO TELCALLS TO BUREAU, LOS ANGELES
AND SACRAMENTO, DECEMBER 4, 1978 **u** REC-102

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[REDACTED] (PROTECT IDENTITY), INTERVIEWED AT
SAN FRANCISCO, ADVISED THAT [REDACTED]
OF THE PEOPLES TEMPLE BETWEEN [REDACTED]
AND SINCE THAT TIME SHE HAS [REDACTED] AND
OTHER PEOPLES TEMPLE MEMBERS. LAST CONTACT SHE HAD WITH [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] WAS TWO DAYS BEFORE THE SUICIDES IN GUYANA. (u)

[REDACTED] THERE WERE APPROXIMATELY 150 MEMBERS ON THE PLANNING COMMISSION THROUGH THESE YEARS. [REDACTED] NAMED APPROXIMATELY 23 WHICH WERE LEADING FORCES IN THIS PLANNING COMMISSION. ABOVE THE PLANNING COMMISSION WAS AN ELITE GROUP OF INDIVIDUALS WHO WERE CLOSE CONFIDANTS OF JONES AND PRIVY TO INSIDE INFORMATION THAT THE PLANNING COMMISSION WAS NOT. [REDACTED] ELEVEN NAMES OF MEMBERS OF THIS ELITE GROUP. (u)

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[REDACTED] THAT PEOPLE ON THE HIT LIST WERE DISCUSSED WEEKLY DURING THEIR WEDNESDAY NIGHT PLANNING COMMISSION MEETINGS. IF JONES FELT THAT THERE WAS TROUBLE FROM THE NEWS MEDIA OR LAW ENFORCEMENT, HE WOULD HOLD TWO OR THREE MEETINGS A WEEK [REDACTED]

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WHEREABOUTS ARE UNKNOWN. (u)

SAN FRANCISCO IS PRESENTLY NOTIFYING SUPERVISOR KOPP AND APPROPRIATE OFFICIALS AT SAN FRANCISCO EXAMINER AND NEW WEST MAGAZINE. (u)

UNITED STATES SECRET SERVICE, SAN FRANCISCO, IMMEDIATELY ADVISED AND THEY ARE HANDLING NOTIFICATION OF FORMER PRESIDENT RICHARD NIXON. (u)

LEADS. NEW YORK. AT BOMBA, ATTENTION RYMUR COMMAND POST. WILL CONTINUE DEBRIEFING [REDACTED] AND INSURE STRICT CONFIDENTIALITY. (u)

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LOS ANGELES. AT LOS ANGELES. WILL IMMEDIATELY NOTIFY FORMER GOVERNOR REAGAN. (u)

SACRAMENTO. AT SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA. WILL IMMEDIATELY NOTIFY STATE ASSEMBLYMAN WILLIE BROWN. (u)

BUREAU AND ALL OFFICES SHOULD NOTE THAT [REDACTED] HAS REQUESTED THAT THE ABOVE INFORMATION BE KEPT IN THE STRICTEST CONFIDENCE AND THE FACT THAT SHE HAS BEEN CONTACTED BY BUREAU AGENTS BE HELD WITHIN BUREAU AND/OR A NEED TO KNOW BASIS. (u)

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LOS ANGELES HAS BEEN UNABLE TO LOCATE THE MOTHER OF
DAVID WISE. LOS ANGELES IS CONTINUING IN ITS EFFORTS
TO LOCATE EITHER DAVID WISE OR HIS MOTHER.

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ON DECEMBER 5, 1978, [REDACTED] WAS INTERVIEWED
AT HER RESIDENCE, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] SHE ADVISED THAT SHE HAD RESIDED
AT JONESTOWN, GUYANA FROM [REDACTED] TO [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] SHE HAD NO INFORMATION CONCERNING GUNS, DRUGS,
HIT LISTS, CONTINGENCY PLANS OR ANY ILLEGAL ACTIVITIES
CONCERNING THE PEOPLE'S TEMPLE. SHE WAS A MEMBER IN
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA FROM 1972 TO 1975. THE ONLY
WEAPONS SHE EVER SAW WERE IN 1974, WHEN SHE SAW ONE
RIFLE AND TWO PISTOLS WHICH TWO UNKNOWN MEMBERS TURNED
IN AT CHURCH. (u)

SHE WAS NOTIFIED BY THE UNITED STATES STATE DEPARTMENT

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[REDACTED] FOLLOWING CHILDREN WERE IDENTIFIED AMONG THE
DEAD AT JONESTOWN: (u)

[REDACTED], NEGRO FEMALE, DATE OF BIRTH
NOVEMBER 8, 1958. (u)

[REDACTED], NEGRO MALE, DATE OF BIRTH JUNE 3,
1962. (u)

THE FOLLOWING TWO CHILDREN ARE MISSING AND PRESUMED
DEAD: (u)

[REDACTED] NEGRO FEMALE, DATE OF
BIRTH SEPTEMBER 11, 1964, 4' 12" IN HEIGHT, 75 - 80 POUNDS,
SMALL BURN SCAP ON RIGHT CHEEK; SHE HAS FORWARDED DENTAL
RECORDS TO DOVER AIR FORCE BASE. (u)

[REDACTED] NEGRO MALE, DATE OF BIRTH
JUNE 11, 1973, 5' 8" IN HEIGHT, 120 POUNDS, NUMEROUS SCARS
ON BOTH LEGS, MOSTLY BELOW KNEES, SMALL SCAR OUTER CORNER
OF RIGHT EYE. RECENTLY HAD DENTAL WORK PERFORMED AT GEORGETOWN,
GUYANA BY DR. NG-A-FOOK. (u)

[REDACTED] ADVISED THAT THE UNITED STATES STATE
DEPARTMENT ADVISED THAT [REDACTED] ENOLA NELSON, ALSO KNOWN (u)

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AS KAY NELSON, DATE OF BIRTH NOVEMBER 9, 1927, HAD BEEN
IDENTIFIED AS ONE THE DEAD IN JONESTOWN ALONG WITH [REDACTED]
JAMES MC ELVANE. (u)

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ON DECEMBER 5, 1978, THE EXACT LOCATION OF THE
PEOPLE'S TEMPLE WAS DISCOVERED IN LOS ANGELES AT 4807
SOUTH WESTERN AVENUE. (u)

LOCAL MERCHANTS WERE NOT AWARE OF THE PEOPLE'S TEMPLE
BEING IN THE AREA. ACTIVITY WAS OBSERVED AT THE REAR OF
4807 SOUTH WESTERN. A U-HAUL TRUCK WAS BACKED INTO THE
REAR OF 4807 SOUTH WESTERN, AND A MALE NEGRO APPROXIMATELY
THIRTY YEARS, 5' 10", 200 POUNDS, WAS OBSERVED LOADING
CHAIRS AND MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS ONTO THE U-HAUL TRUCK.
THIS TRUCK BORE GEORGIA LICENSE JA2743 ON THE REAR AND
OKLAHOMA PLATE 8E1616 ON THE FRONT. (u)

THE NEGRO MALE WAS STOPPED BY THE AGENT AND AN

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INTERVIEW WAS ATTEMPTED. THE MALE ADVISED THAT THIS WAS THE PEOPLE'S TEMPLE, AND THAT HE WAS A MEMBER. HE ADVISED HIS ATTORNEY HAD ADVISED HIM NOT TO SUBMIT TO AN INTERVIEW. HE WAS ASKED HIS NAME, WHICH HE STATED WAS HUGH JOHNSON. THE MALE NEGRO WOULD NOT PROVIDE FURTHER INFORMATION. (u)

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ON DECEMBER 5, 1978, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WAS CONTACTED AND INTERVIEWED SUBSEQUENT TO HER HAVING TELEPHONED THE LOS ANGELES DIVISION STATING THAT SHE WAS ACQUAINTED WITH A SURVIVOR OF THE GUYANA SUICIDE PACT WHO WAS SUBSEQUENTLY SHOT DURING THE ASSASSINATION OF CONGRESSMAN RYAN. [REDACTED] THE NAME OF THIS SURVIVOR WAS

MONICA SHERRY BAGBY, WHO, TO THE BEST OF HER KNOWLEDGE, WAS NOT

A MEMBER OF THE PEOPLES TEMPLE, BUT WAS MERELY RESIDING IN [REDACTED] DEC 6 1978 JONESTOWN. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WAS SUBSEQUENTLY SENT TO JONESTOWN, GUYANA, DATE UNKNOWN, BY MONICA'S

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MOTHER, ESSIE BAGBY, ALSO KNOWN AS CLARK. [REDACTED] b7c

ESSIE BAGBY, WHO RESIDES AT [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] TELEPHONE [REDACTED] IS A CURRENT MEMBER OF THE PEOPLES TEMPLE AS IS MONICA'S TWO SISTERS, MARIE TRACY BAGBY, AGE 13, AND TERRI BAGBY, AGE 16, WHO BOTH RESIDE WITH THEIR MOTHER AT ABOVE ADDRESS. [REDACTED]

ESSIE BAGBY HAS BEEN A MEMBER OF THE PEOPLES TEMPLE FOR AT LEAST SIX YEARS AND IS, IN HER OPINION, TOTALLY DEDICATED TO REVEREND JONES AND THE PEOPLES TEMPLE. [REDACTED] NOT HAVE ANY KNOW-

LEDGE OF THE INNER WORKINGS OF THE PEOPLES TEMPLE, NOR DID SHE KNOW WHETHER ESSIE BAGBY WAS AN OFFICER OF THE PEOPLES TEMPLE OR MERELY A MEMBER. [REDACTED]

ESSIE BAGBY COULD BE VIOLENT PRONE AND IS KNOWN TO HAVE A GUN IN HER RESIDENCE.

[REDACTED] ESSIE BAGBY WAS A PRIOR OAKLAND OR SAN FRANCISCO POLICE WOMAN AND IS DESCRIBED AS A NEGRO FEMALE, 6'2", 270 PLUS POUNDS. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], WHO IS TOTALLY AGAINST THE PEOPLES TEMPLE AND HAS STATED THAT, IN HIS PERSONAL OPINION, [REDACTED] (u)

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[REDACTED] ESSIE BAGBY, WERE INTERVIEWED BY THE FBI AND FELT
"CLOSED IN", SHE WOULD NOT HESITATE TO KILL HER TWO DAUGHTERS
(MARIE AND TERRY) AS WELL AS HERSELF (u) 67c

SAN FRANCISCO WILL CONTACT AND INTERVIEW [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] FOR ANY INFORMATION WHICH WOULD BE PERTINENT
TO CAPTIONED INVESTIGATION (u)

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SAN FRANCISCO DAILY SUMMARY (u)

ATTORNEY MARK LANE AND CLIENT TERRI BUFORD WILL ARRIVE A.M., DECEMBER 6, 1978, AT SAN JOSE, CALIFORNIA, TO BE INTERVIEWED BY ROBERT BREAKSTONE, CHIEF, CRIMINAL DIVISION, USA'S OFFICE; ROBERT DONDERO, AUSA HANDLING RYMUR; CASE AGENT DONALD R. HALE; ASAC LAWRENCE G. LAWLER; AND REPRESENTATIVE OF SECRET SERVICE. INTERVIEW WILL BE CONDUCTED IN SAN-JOSE MOTEL FOR SECURITY PURPOSES AND WILL DEAL WITH THE TYPE OF INFORMATION BUFORD HAS TO OFFER IN EXCHANGE FOR IMMUNITY (u)

SUBPOENAS BEING OBTAINED FOR PERSONS ARRIVING AT JFK DECEMBER 6, 1978, AND WILL BE TELECOPIED TO BQMRA IN THE EVENT

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WILL DISAPPEAR AFTER INTERVIEW (u)

CONFERENCE HELD THIS DATE WITH COP, SAN FRANCISCO, AND
REPRESENTATIVE OF THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE. (u)

[REDACTED] CIVIL DIVISION, DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE,
WASHINGTON, D.C., VISITED SAN FRANCISCO OFFICE THIS DATE AND
LEFT A TWO PAGE LIST OF QUESTIONS WHICH HE DESIRES ASKED OF
TEMPLE MEMBERS. SAME QUESTIONS WERE ATTACHED TO AN UNDATED
LETTER WHICH [REDACTED] HAD IN HIS POSSESSION TO DIRECTOR WEBSTER
FROM BARBARA ALLEN BABCOCK, AAG, CIVIL DIVISION. SAN FRANCISCO
IS UNAWARE IF THESE QUESTIONS HAVE BEEN TRANSMITTED TO OTHER
INTERESTED OFFICES AND IF DEEMED APPROPRIATE, REQUEST FBIHQ
TO DO SO (u) b7c

SAN FRANCISCO HAS PHOTOGRAPH OF EDDIE JAMES HALLMON WHICH
WILL BE DISPLAYED TO [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] TO DETERMINE IF HE IS IDENTICAL WITH PERSON
KNOWN AS EDDIE CRENSHAW. (u) b7c

MICHAEL ABELL, DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, WASHINGTON, D.C., IS
IN SAN FRANCISCO CONFERRING WITH USA NDC. (u)

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BQMRQ HAS AWAITED RESULTS OF MEMPHIS INTERVIEW OF TERRY
BUFFORD AS REQUESTED IN RE TELETYPE. (u)

RE TELCALL MEMPHIS ADVISED DECISION MADE NOT TO CONDUCT
INTERVIEW. (u)

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MEMPHIS: ADVISE BASIS FOR DECISION; IN THAT RESULTS COULD
BE OF EXTREME VALUE DURING INTERVIEWS CONTEMPLATED AT BQMRA ON
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RE SAN FRANCISCO TELETYPE TO DIRECTOR, LOS ANGELES, AND
SACRAMENTO, DEC 5, 1978. (u)

REFERENCED TELETYPE REQUESTED INFORMATION CONCERNING
ARRESTS OF JAMES WARREN JONES, DOB MAY 13, 1931. (u)

BY AIRTEL DATED NOV 21, 1978, TO THE DIRECTOR, LOS ANGELES,
AND SAN FRANCISCO, SACRAMENTO FURNISHED SUBSTANTIALLY THE
SAME INFORMATION AS THAT SET FORTH CONCERNING JONES' ARREST IN
LOS ANGELES IN 1973. SACRAMENTO ALSO ADVISED THAT PERSONNEL AT
CII COULD NOT FURNISH AN IDENTIFICATION RECORD FOR JONES AS FILE
INDICATED ACTION WAS STARTED IN 1940 OR 1974 TO SEAL JONES' ARREST

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RECORDED, REASON UNKNOWN. (u)

ON DEC 5, 1978, SOURCES AT CII ADVISED THAT CHARGE AGAINST JONES OF LUDIC CONDUCT IN HIS DEC 13, 1973 ARREST AT LOS ANGELES WAS DISMISSED ON FEB. 1, 1974. SOURCES ALSO ADVISED THAT ON JAN. 31, 1974, THE LAW FIRM OF BALABAN, BERMAN, SELAN, AND STEWART, 6928 WILSHIRE BOULEVARD, BEVERLY HILLS, FILED A MOTION IN LOS ANGELES MUNICIPAL COURT REQUESTING AN ORDER FOR THE SEALING OR DESTRUCTION OF ALL RECORDS PERTAINING TO JONES AND HIS 1973 ARREST. SOURCES AT CII INDICATE THAT THE RECORD HAS NOT BEEN SEALED AT THIS TIME. THIS IS POSSIBLY DUE TO THE LACK OF THE ISSUANCE OF A FINAL COURT ORDER. (u)

CII INDICATES NO OTHER ARRESTS FOR JONES REFLECTED IN THEIR FILE. (u)
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SEVENTEEN SURVIVORS DUE TO ARRIVE JFK AIRPORT NEW YORK,
6:30 PM WEDNESDAY, 12/6/78. IT IS REQUESTED SUPERVISOR
[REDACTED], CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION, BE AVAILABLE
TO ASSIST IN ON-THE-SCENE ANALYSIS AT JFK OF DATA RECEIVING
DURING THESE INTERVIEWS. (u)

IF APPROVED, SUPERVISOR [REDACTED] SHOULD REPORT BQMRA AT
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MIAMI TELEPHONE CALL TO BROOKLYN QUEENS, DECEMBER 5, 1978. (u)

FOLLOWING PERSONS INTERVIEWED AT MIAMI UPON ARRIVAL

FROM GUYANA AND FURNISHED INFORMATION AS INDICATED: FL

1. (X) [REDACTED] NEGRO MALE, BORN [REDACTED] DE-2

[REDACTED], FIVE FEET NINE INCHES, 145 POUNDS, REC-102 89-4286-774

BROWN EYES, BLACK HAIR (X) [REDACTED] JOINED PEOPLES TEMPLE (PT) [REDACTED]

IN 1972, AT LOS ANGELES, [REDACTED] LATER MOVING TO SAN FRANCISCO. 22 DEC 6 1978

HE WENT TO GUYANA, APRIL, 1978, BEING "ORDERED" TO DO SO [REDACTED]

BY JIM JONES. [REDACTED] NEVER TRAINED IN ARMS BUT OBSERVED (u)

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WEAPONS AT PT, GUYA A, IN A DUFFEL BAG, APPARENTLY HAVING JUST ARRIVED FROM U.S. WEAPONS OBSERVED APPROXIMATELY TWO TO THREE MONTHS AGO. [REDACTED] HEARD JIM JONES' WIFE BROUGHT A BAZOOKA TO GUYANA, BUT NEVER OBSERVED SAME. JONES KNEW CONGRESSMAN RYAN WAS TO ARRIVE AT LEAST TWO WEEKS BEFORE ACTUAL ARRIVAL. [REDACTED] ESCAPED JONES TOWN MORNING OF RYAN'S ASSASSINATION. [REDACTED] A D WAS NOT PRESENT AT TIME OF ASSASSINATION OR SUICIDES. (u)

[REDACTED] BELIEVED JONES KEPT "HIT LIST" BUT NEVER SAW SAME AND THINKS GUYANESE TROOPS MAY HAVE FOUND ITS HE BELIEVES ALL JONES' SONS TO BE POTENTIALLY DANGEROUS AS WELL AS OTHERS INCLUDING ODELL ROSE (PROBABLY ROADS), JOHNNY COBB, CALVIN DOUGLAS, LEE INGRAM, TIM CARTER, MIKE CARTER, A D "ANYONE ELSE REALLY CLOSE TO JONES". (u)

[REDACTED] OBSERVED ARRIVAL OF TWO BAGS OF CYANIDE BROUGHT TO JONES TOWN FROM SHIP "CUDULE", BUT DOES NOT KNOW WHERE IT WAS STORED, ETC. HE NOTED JIM JONES WAS HEAVY DRUG USER BUT COULD FURNISH NO INFORMATION CONCERNING MANUFACTURING OF DRUGS, ETC, AT JONES TOWN. HE VERIFIED EXISTENCE OF SILENT WEAPONS SQUAD AND BELIEVED FOLLOWING TO HAVE BEEN (u)

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MEMBERS: TOM KICE, JOHNNY JONES, TIM JONES, GUY (LNU),
LARRY LAYTON, POSSIBLY DOUG SANDERS (EXPLOSIVE EXPERT),
AND MIKE TOUCHETE. (u)

[REDACTED] PT RADIO OPERATOR IN SAN FRANCISCO
FEMALE NAMED LEONA (LNU) AND POSSIBLY LARRY LAYTON'S WIFE,
CAROL LAYTON. MIKE CARTER ONLY JONES TOWN OPERATOR HE
COULD NAME. (u)

[REDACTED] HE HEARD ONE ANNIE MC GILE (PH) SHOT
JONES AND TOM KICE SHOT RYAN, BUT WAS UNABLE TO PINPOINT
SOURCE OF INFORMATION. (u)

HE NOTED MAJORITY OF PT MEMBERS RETURNING FROM GUYANA
TOMORROW EXTREMELY DANGEROUS IN HIS OPINION. (u)

[REDACTED], BORN [REDACTED] RESIDED
JONES TOWN, GUYANA, FROM APRIL, 1978, UNTIL NOVEMBER 18,
1978, EARLY MORNING, WHEN HE "ESCAPED" JONES TOWN PRIOR
TO WHAT HE DESCRIBED AS "MASS MURDERS". [REDACTED] HIS
WIFE AND THREE CHILDREN PERISHED IN JONES TOWN. (u)

[REDACTED] CONDITIONS BRUTAL AND PRISON-LIKE AND
FURTHER DESCRIBED REVEREND JIMMY JONES AS DICTATOR-LIKE. (u)

[REDACTED] FEELS LEONA COLLINS, A TOP SECRETARY TO REVEREND (u)

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JONES AT SA FRANCISCO PT MIGHT BE KNOWLEDGEABLE OF HUGE QUANTITIES OF GOODS AND MERCHANDISE SHIPPED INTO JONES TOWN, POSSIBLY TO INCLUDE WEAPONS. (u)

[REDACTED] HE SAW CONGRESSMAN RYAN ON FRIDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 17, 1978, WHEN HE ADDRESSED JONES TOWN COMMUNITY STATING EVERYTHING LOOKED WELL. [REDACTED] IN HIS OPINION HE FEELS RYAN SENSED PROBLEMS AT COMMUNITY AND DID NOT REALLY MEAN WHAT HE WAS SAYING WHEN HE ADDRESSED COMMUNITY THAT EVENING. [REDACTED] TOP AIDES IN CONFIDENCE OF REVEREND JONES WERE JOHNNY JONES, WHOSE NAME WAS ORIGINALLY JOHNNY BROWN AN ADOPTED SON OF THE REVEREND JONES; AVA BROWN, WIFE OF JOHNNY JONES; MIKE PROKS (PH); TIM CARTER, PRESENTLY AT GEORGETOWN, GUYANA; LEE INGRAM, ALSO GEORGETOWN, GUYANA; STEPHEN JONES, REAL SON OF REVEREND JONES; TIM JONES, ADOPTED SON OF REVEREND JONES, WHITE MALE; JIMMY JONES, JR., BLACK MALE, ADOPTED SON. (u)

[REDACTED] HE HAD HEARD OF CONGRESSMAN RYAN'S PLANNED VISIT TO COMMUNITY APPROXIMATELY ONE WEEK AHEAD OF HIS ARRIVAL. [REDACTED] DESCRIBED REVEREND JONES AS COMPLETELY AGAINST CONGRESSMAN RYAN'S VISIT TO COMMUNITY AT FIRST, BUT AFTERWARDS (u)

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REVEREND JONES ANNOUNCED RYAN WAS TO VISIT THE GROUNDS. (u)

[REDACTED] HE HAS NO KNOWLEDGE OF "ASSASSINATION SQUAD". [REDACTED] TIM CARTER IS RADIO OPERATOR. LATER IN INTERVIEW, [REDACTED] MIKE CARTER ALSO RADIO OPERATOR AS WELL AS LEE INGRAM AND OTHERS UNKNOWN. [REDACTED]

WEAPONS STORED IN HOUSE OF JOHNNY COBB JONES AND STEPHEN JONES. (u)

[REDACTED] HEARD THAT TRACTOR-TRAILER FROM WHICH CONGRESSMAN RYAN SHOT WAS DRIVEN BY ONE ED CRENSHAW AND TOM KICE WAS MAN THAT SHOT CONGRESSMAN RYAN. TOM KICE DESCRIBED AS A CARPENTER WHO HAD DIFFERED WITH VIEWS OF REVEREND JONES. BOB KICE, NEPHEW OF TOM KICE, BELIEVED DECEASED, WAS A SECURITY GUARD FOR REVEREND JONES. [REDACTED] HE HEARD OF "EXPLOSIVES UNIT" AND ONE DOUG SANDERS WAS A MEMBER OF THIS GROUP. [REDACTED] HE HEARD JOE WILSON, TOM KICE, ED CRENSHAW, RONNY JAMES AND JOHNNY LAYTON WERE PEOPLE ON TRUCK WHO HAD SHOT CONGRESSMAN RYAN'S PLANE. [REDACTED] HE HAS NO DIRECT KNOWLEDGE OF THESE EVENTS. [REDACTED]

"WHITE NIGHTS" WAS A TERM TO DESCRIBE AN ALERT OF THE JONES TOWN FOLLOWED BY A MEETING AT THE PAVILION. [REDACTED] (u)

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STATED HE KNEW OF NO PLAN TO KILL CONGRESSMAN RYAN AND
MOST OF THE INFORMATION HE HAS IS ONLY FROM WHAT HE HAD
HEARD. [REDACTED] DEPARTING MIAMI FOR [REDACTED]

TO RESIDE AT [REDACTED] RESIDENCE OF [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] TELEPHONE NUMBER [REDACTED] MOST
COOPERATIVE DURING ENTIRE INTERVIEW. (u)

[REDACTED], RESIDENCE [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ADVISED THAT HE
JOINED THE PT, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, APPROXIMATELY
TWO YEARS AGO. HIS GIRLFRIEND BECAME INVOLVED AND TRAVELLED
TO GUYANA AND HE FOLLOWED HER ON SEPTEMBER 24, 1978, TO GET
HER TO RETURN TO THE U.S. HE OBTAINED A TEMPORARY LEAVE
OF ABSENCE FROM HIS EMPLOYER, [REDACTED]

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA (A LEAVE OF ABSENCE PAPER IN
[REDACTED] POSSESSION VERIFIED THIS). HE IS TO RETURN TO
JANUARY 2, 1979. IN HIS OPINION, JONES DID A LOT OF GOOD
IN THE SAN FRANCISCO AREA, BUT WHEN HE ARRIVED IN GUYANA,

[REDACTED] QUICKLY BECAME DISENCHANTED WITH JONES AND REALIZED
THE CAMP AT JONES TOWN WAS RUN LIKE A SLAVE LABOR CONCENTRATION
CAMP. HE FULLY INTENDED TO RETURN TO THE U.S., BUT WAS (u)

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FRUSTRATED IN HIS EFFORTS. HE KNEW LITTLE OF THE INNER WORKINGS OF THE CAMP HIERARCHY AND WAS FORCED TO SIGN ON SEVERAL OCCASIONS BLANK PIECES OF PAPER IN RETURN FOR RICE AND GRAVY WHICH WAS GENERALLY THE DAILY RATION OF FOOD. (u)

HE ADMITTED NO KNOWLEDGE OF ASSASSINATION PLANS, MURDER OF RYAN, NARCOTICS, SHIPMENTS OF GUNS, FIREARMS TRAINING, THREATS AGAINST PUBLIC OFFICIALS, CACHING OF WEAPONS, CONTINGENCY PLANS FOR CRIMINAL OFFENSES. THE MOST DANGEROUS MEMBERS OF THE PT IN HIS OPINION WOULD BE THE "BASKETBALL TEAM" SECURITY SQUAD, WHICH RAN THE CAMP FOR JONES. THE MEMBERS THAT ARE ALIVE NOW ARE LEE INGRAM, BLACK MALE, 33, 17 POUNDS, SIX FEET; JOHNNY JONES, NO DESCRIPTION AVAILABLE; TIM JONES, WHITE MALE, 17-18, FIVE FEET ELEVEN INCHES, 165 POUNDS, BLONDE HAIR; CALVIN DOUGLAS, BLACK MALE, 18-19, SIX FEET, 185 POUNDS; JOHNNY COBB (JONES); STEPHEN JONES, AGE 19, NO FURTHER DESCRIPTION; AND JIMMY JONES, JR., BLACK MALE, 19-20, SIX FEET, 160 POUNDS. (u)

[REDACTED] HE ESCAPED INTO THE JUNGLE AT 9 AM THE SATURDAY MORNING BEFORE MURDER OF RYAN AND THE MASS SUICIDE (u)

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THE SAME DAY. HE IS IN ROUTE TO VISIT [REDACTED] b7c

[REDACTED]
TELEPHONE NUMBER [REDACTED] AND PLANS TO RETURN TO HIS
RESIDENCE AND [REDACTED] 1W

FD-302S FOLLOW. (W)

ABOVE INFORMATION FURNISHED BROOKLYN QUEENS TELEPHONICALLY.

INVESTIGATION CONTINUING AT MIAMI. (W)

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Dear Mr. Webster November 22, 1978
I sensed some great bad ending for
that Jim Jones Cult in San Francisco
I even wrote a Rep. Senator in Washington
and sent him clippings. I then got
to care for a Winchell Houghton place
near the Market for a cup of coffee, one
can hear so much information, also
Gale, and this Jones made millions
& has much property all tax free.
San Francisco full of Cults, Station
Maffia, Moscow, Gold, I, also was
Alito, who drove 90,000 car from France
arrange. His son took over for East
times, 2 former Nation ships from the
mainland to Honolulu & this spring
declared Bankruptcy. Bank of America
may left any Rep. here will tell you
that.

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The United Nations has failed to bring
World Peace. The Nations could have
Peace but they do not want it. They
want gain at the expense of others.
Russia will always aid is nearly
Power.

Rep. Ryan should have stayed
home. Am. and Am. business wants
in every Foreign Country.

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I spent a week in North Hollywood going by Greyhound Bus morning after-noon and then by computer. I called Station twice in N. Hollywood and was told Bus leaving at two different times. Arrived in Los Angeles at 10 A.M. 5 buses left for San Diego, filled with either 21 or 23 Mexicans they carry every thing in sacks or shopping bags. May get close to one & chatter, keep sit by you & smile none talk Eng-lish. I even called Chief of Police Ralph Gates, of Los Angeles I could not talk to him, no protection, I was to leave was told 10:20 I left 1:15, stood in 3 doors, 7, 8, 14, asked 5 drivers no one knew when Bus left. Most of the time at least 100 Mex. in Bus depot on 2nd floor, no security or B. depot Mgrs. I was told arrive in Anaheim at eleven. I arrived 3:45. In writing say H. in Phoenix. Phoenix full of illegal Mexicans. In one item Gov. Horn, Brown went to a memorial for old M. L. King Jr. they & Jones 3 of a kind. All Mex. carry knives & many guns. You have been doing good work here. I believe too much media in everything (Mid) [REDACTED] 2

3 Jane Fonda and ^{Heydon} husband have
a commune near Santa Barbara
where children of all countries
come to, both are considered
very left. Her father Henry Fonda
acted used the first profanity
in a movie, he looked just as
left. This Heydon ran for some
office last year. Jane owns
much land near S. B. I saw
her father many times, at the
Market when I lived in Beverly
Hills. 9 yrs, late 58 to 67.

These Samba Restaurants address
is now Santa Barbara, Calif.
hiring illegal aliens as are most
all places here to Hamburgers Place
paying whatever the Owner wishes.
They are dirty and all have T.B.
As to Henry Fonda I saw the
movie and got up and left, the
profanity so bad.

In the 30's Los Angeles had the
best electric system, new cars, plush
seats, good connections, I could leave
Los Angeles and in 20 min. be in
Santa Monica at my uncle's now the
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Hi.
Back Lot of Lawrence Welles Bldg.
General Motors and Mr. Firestone
decided they wanted to sell Buses
and tires, thought it, tore out all the
good tracks & left cars to deteriorate
All both cared about was themselves
and the greed of the dollar. Too Too
had the gangsters didn't get Mr.
Firestone when I lived in Beverly Hills
Labor rules our U. S. I believe.
Old George, Many and Al Bridges the
West Coast from Australia.

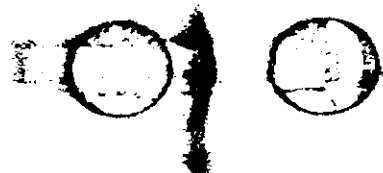
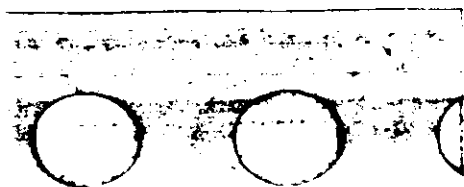
If I repeat myself I am sorry,
but as a responsible citizen I feel
concerned about our United States.
As to these Synanon, Places here.
My Church Community Center in Beverly
Hills, one Will Rogers started, was
asked to a Sun. night meeting bringing
sandwiches to serve after the meeting.
My girl friend had a car, we went and
such a place near the Beach. A man
presiding had a large clear glass pitcher
of water. (may have been vodka) & a
small glass, jelly sage. In the 15 Min.
there I decided to leave he drank 5
glasses of water, I said, I will take the
bus home to my friend. She left with
Methu was 1960, a bunch of dirty
hippies.

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Cyanide Fed To Babies; Cultists Sip 'Death Toast'

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Georgetown, Guyana (AP) — Soldiers searched through a steaming jungle Monday for hundreds of American religious zealots who fled their remote compound after the suicide-murder deaths of at least 409 fellow cultists.

Some were shot, but most apparently lined up and took doses of cyanide poison mixed in a tub with flavored water. A witness said poison was spoon fed to babies.

Several hundred bodies were sprawled around a communal meeting hall, packed so closely together that many had fallen across others who had died minutes earlier. Some had embraced as they died.

By dark, police and soldiers had found only 12 survivors from among the estimated 500-900 who had fled into the bush.

All of the settlers were believed to be Americans, most from California.

Those who were killed or took their own lives perished at about the same time Saturday that enraged members of the sect attacked an investigative group led by Rep. Leo J. Ryan, D-Calif., at a dirt airstrip. They killed Ryan, three U.S. newsmen and a woman from the settlement.

By midafternoon, soldiers reported counting the bodies of 163 women, 138 men and 82 children. A police spokesman said later the toll was 409 as the terrible task continued at the settlement in this small South American country tucked beside Venezuela. He said bodies still were being found.

Also found in the fields, huts and dormitories were 17 shotguns, 14 rifles, seven pistols, a flare gun and large amounts of ammunition, government officials said.

Among the dead were the Rev. Jim Jones, founder of the People's Temple settlement called Jonestown; his wife and one of their sons.

was reference letters submitted by Jones. He said the People's Temple supplied some 80 letters, including ones purportedly signed by Rosalynn Carter, Vice President Walter F. Mondale and several congressmen that complimented Jones and his followers for their activities in California.

Odell Rhodes, a 36-year-old teacher and one of the camp survivors, told the pool reporters elaborate preparations were made for the mass suicides and killings triggered by Ryan's visit.

Rhodes said he remained through the first part of the suicide ceremony, but when a Dr. Lawrence Schacht said he wanted a stethoscope, Rhodes volunteered to get it and hid in the jungle.

He told the reporters Schacht prepared the cyanide potion and the doctor and two nurses ladled it out, starting with the infants by spooning or squirting it into their mouths.

Adults lined up and received the poison drink in paper cups, sipping it there or taking it back to their places

to join friends and relatives in a death toast, Rhodes said.

Armed guards were stationed around the group, he said, and one woman who first refused to take the poison drank it after others shouted, "No, no, if father says to do it you should do it!"

Jones was called father by his followers.

Rhodes said the original plan was for all the people in Ryan's main aircraft to be killed by a gunman who would pose as a defector and get on the plane, then kill the pilot, causing the plane to crash.

He said the man got on the secondary aircraft by mistake at the tiny airstrip in the village of Port Kaituma, eight miles south of Jonestown, then started shooting and other armed men on a truck-trailer also opened fire.

When the killers returned to Jonestown, it was known some members of Ryan's group had escaped. The suicide ritual was ordered, Rhodes said.

He said People's Temple members

in Guyana and the United States had been planning a simultaneous suicide ceremony for months, to be carried out if the code "white knight" was broadcast.

Rhodes said the code apparently was not broadcast, and Jones summoned his followers to the death meeting by telling them over the loudspeaker, "The time has come for us to meet in another place."

According to Rhodes, Jones used the loudspeaker after Ryan's party had left, to announce he had ordered the deaths of the congressmen and all other members of his party.

Another survivor, Grover Davis, 79, told the pool reporters he realized what was going to happen as the settlers were being directed to the meeting hall and he ran into the bush and hid.

A woman who gave her name as Hyacinth Prash and said she was in her 70s was ill and remained in her cabin where she apparently was overlooked.

American attorney Mark Lane said the Jonestown meeting began at about 5 p.m.

Lane, being guarded with fellow attorney Charles Garry in a building some distance from the meeting, said he had heard medical personnel were preparing poison in a large vat somewhere in the camp.

He said that from their vantage point they also saw a dozen men take "many" automatic rifles from a shed.

One of their two guards told them, "We are all going to die now," Lane said.

"They were smiling. They looked genuinely happy," he said.

He and Garry persuaded the guards to release them, Lane said, by telling them he would "write the story" of Jonestown for the outside world. Before letting them go, the two guards hugged both lawyers.

Countians Await Word Of Relatives In Sect

By ROSA KWONG
And PATRICK MOTT
Register Staff Writers

In a letter to her father last Tuesday, Erin Eichler said everything was fine. She and her sister, Evelyn, seemed to be having a good time visiting members of the People's Temple religious sect in Guyana.

Today, Chuck Eichler of Westminster is pondering the fate of his two daughters who, he fears, may be among an estimated 400 victims of a mass suicide at the church camp, run by the Rev. Jim Jones.

At least two additional OC residents anxiously are awaiting word about possible survivors. They are Mrs. Carolyn Estlinger of Garden Grove and a Buena Park woman who say they have relatives at the camp.

Officials in Washington D.C. say they may be able to release the names of the victims today. An additional 500 to 700 sect members reportedly escaped from the camp when the suicides occurred.

Eichler said his daughters Evelyn, 23, and Erin, 19, lived in Burbank until their move to Guyana in April 1978.

The women expressed interest in joining the church, but Eichler isn't sure if they have become members.

He said he has received letters regularly from Erin in the past 18 months. The latest correspondence — a letter and picture showing Erin in front of some palm trees — arrived last Tuesday.

The letter, dated Oct. 17, had P.O. Box 893, Georgetown, Guyana, as the return address. Eichler said he does not know if that is the camp's address.

...the 10-year-old ... Corp. well began leaking while workmen were greasing a valve Wednesday. It blew wild despite efforts to pack the 17,000-foot-deep hole with heavy drilling mud. The well sits in a remote area of St. Mary Parish, near the edge of Bayou Sale.

3 More Venus Atmosphere Probes Sent

MOUNTAIN VIEW (AP) — Three more atmospheric probes were on the way to Venus on Monday after a successful in-space launch from a Pioneer spacecraft.

The three launchings from the Transporter Bus represent the second phase of the first project devoted primarily to the atmosphere and weather of another planet. The three probes, which had to go off simultaneously, were released Monday morning, after an 11-hour delay. Adjustments were made over that period to offset an increase in velocity, the National Aeronautics and Space Administration said.

Heart Failure Cited In Envoy's Death

NEW YORK (AP) — The Medical Examiner's office said Monday that it appeared that heart failure from high blood pressure caused the death here of a 38-year-old Soviet diplomat.

Dr. Michael Baden, chief medical examiner, said an autopsy showed the diplomat, Valery Vidyakin, had an enlarged heart, which he called a typical consequence of hypertension or high blood pressure.

Vidyakin, second secretary to the Soviet Mission to the United Nations, was found dead Sunday in his apartment in the Soviet residential complex in the Riverdale section of the Bronx. He had been in the United States just over a year.

Hotel Blaze Kills 2, Injures Several

EAU CLAIRE, Wis. (AP) — Fire swept through a three-story, wood frame hotel Monday, killing two men and injuring several persons, authorities said. Witnesses said one resident escaped by jumping out a window and another climbed out a window and down a tree.

Firefighters were called at 2:45 a.m. to the 97-year-old hotel, once the scene of elegant Saturday night balls but occupied in recent years by retired, elderly and low-income persons. The blaze continued until after dawn.

The dead were identified as James Janowski, 77, and Neil E. Rather, 55, who both were registered at the hotel. Both died of asphyxiation caused by smoke inhalation, Dr. Herbert Aitken, Eau Claire County Medical Examiner, said.

Hundreds Arrested After Ferry Hijacked

ISTANBUL, Turkey (AP) — Armed leftist youths hijacked a Europe-to-Asia ferry Monday and ordered the captain to cruise in the Bosphorus Straits until authorities listened to their demands. But they later ordered the ship into port here where police reported more than 400 arrests.

Police said the hijackers gave up after police boats chased the ship as it crisscrossed the straits. It was not known if they presented their demands before giving up.

Sources said the ship was occupied by "Maoist militants" after authorities refused to let them attend a funeral for a slain youth

through the gate where Death Row convict Robert F. Lewis walked away two days earlier.

One of the two new fugitives was captured soon after and bloodhounds were on the track of the other, said Al Lee, spokesman for the Florida Department of Corrections.

that new information to the same effect was received Sunday morning.

"At the present time we can say we are conducting a limited investigation, looking at two particular statutes, the Congressional Assassinations Statute, and Protection of Foreign Officials Statute."

Teachers Hint At Strike If HB Talks Stalemate

HUNTINGTON BEACH — Negotiators for the teachers union and the Huntington Beach Union High School District returned to the bargaining table Monday under the threat of a possible teachers strike if talks stalemate.

The negotiators were scheduled to continue contract talks today, said district and union spokesmen.

There was no announcement on the results of Monday's negotiations with state mediator Drava Mrvichin.

Teachers voted by a 3-1 margin last

Wednesday to go out on strike, but union officials held up calling the walkout pending the outcome of additional negotiations requested by the school board.

Teachers seek a 7 percent cost-of-living pay hike, a charge deducted from non-members' pay for union representation and binding, instead of advisory, arbitration of contract disputes.

The fee and binding arbitration have been recommended by a state fact-finding committee and the union has asked the board to incorporate the features in a new, two-year contract.

Trustees had rejected the recommendations of the state committee prior to the teachers union call for a strike vote last week.

New Stabbings

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day and called an ambulance.

The two men were taken to County-USC Medical Center, where Ramirez was in fair condition. Seja was treated and released.

Like the dead victims of the stabbing, Ramirez and Seja were knifed in the chest and were found shortly after midnight.

But unlike the other victims, Cooke said, these two were young and Spanish-speaking.

"These two don't seem to fit the wine image of previous victims, but the investigators haven't ruled anything out yet," said a police spokesman.

Investigators say they still don't know if there is only one stabber or if there are "copycat killers." But they have released a composite picture and description of a man they think may be the killer — a pigeonlofted, muscular, 6-foot-2 man in his late 20s or early 30s.

Diggs Sentenced

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told U.S. District Court Judge Oliver Gasch: "This has been a very devastating experience. I know the conviction has been a very painful experience for me personally and professionally."

"The court has no desire to heap an unwarranted penalty on the head of Mr. Diggs," replied Gasch. "But, by the same token, the court realizes that the court must seek to be even-handed."

Then, Diggs stood impassively beside his attorney as the judge told him he was to serve three years on each of 12 counts on which he was convicted. However, the terms are to run

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1 Senate Minority Leader (CHC Howard Baker, Robert Dole) of 1 hoping his recent re-election w chances of winning the Republican for president in 1980.

2 James Thompson, another Republican presidential cand won re-election as governor of a-Minnesota b-Illinois c-Oio

3 Edward Brooke, the U.S. Senate member, (CHOOSE ONE) won

GM Chief Asks Fair Trial for Carter's Controls Plan

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NEW YORK (AP)—Warning against "counter-productive gestures" such as mandatory wage and price controls, General Motors Chairman Thomas A. Murphy said Tuesday that President Carter's voluntary anti-inflation program should be given a fair trial.

Murphy said he has "trust and confidence" in Carter's proposed voluntary 7% lid on wage and fringe benefit increases, and he urged unions to go along with it.

He said the voluntary concept "coupled with the kind of anti-inflationary monetary and fiscal policies promised by the President, is a viable one."

"It not only has a very good and distinct possibility of succeeding, it can succeed, it must succeed and it certainly is worthy of the best effort we as a people can put into it," he emphasized.

Murphy also predicted record sales by the auto industry next year and said analysts misinterpreted the decision by the giant auto maker to reduce its year-end dividend.

He told a luncheon audience of the New York Chamber of Commerce & Industry that GM trimmed its dividend because of "burgeoning needs" for capital spending "and the uncertainties we face in meeting the myriad of regulations."

The GM chairman voiced confidence that labor will not try to sabotage the anti-inflation program, despite the negative reaction of some labor leaders, including AFL-CIO President George Meany.

"Mandatory wage controls are as abhorrent to organized labor as mandatory price controls are to industry."

I think it is safe to say that we all have learned—or at least a great majority of us have—from our mutual and bitter experience with such controls," he told about 1,000 businessmen at the Waldorf-Astoria.

Murphy cautioned against paying too much attention to what he called "those always-present doomsayers who say the program cannot work, that it is doomed to failure even before all of its aspects have been defined fully, much less given a fair trial."

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Fawcett, Miss Nancy, and Mrs. Alice Munro.

Memorial service 11 a.m. Wednesday at All Saints Episcopal Church, Beverly Hills.

Forest Lawn-Hollywood Hills Mortuary, directors. Contributions may be made to the Cancer Society.

JACOBS, Raymond, Cremation Mortuary, directors

KARNOFSKY, Jennie, Malibu & Silverman Mortuary

KOLB, Wilmer, Forest Lawn-Hollywood Hills

KURAHASHI, Hisaya, beloved mother of Mrs. Marilyn Kazuko Oba; daughter of Mrs. Maki Tsuruta; sister of Hisao Eddie, Yoshio Tsuruta and Mrs. Yoshiko Kato, grandmother of 2.

Visitation Monday, November 27 from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the Chapel of Shimaatsu, Ogata & Kubota Mortuary, 911 Venice Blvd., L.A.

LEDFORD, Howard E., Forest Lawn-Glendale

LEVENTHAL, David, Malibu & Silverman Mortuary

LONG, Pauline K., Forest Lawn-Glendale

MAMET, Mary, beloved wife of Morris; died Monday, November 20.

Services at Pierce-Hamrock

on 'Adult' Store

Tighter zoning rules on adult entertainment activities in unincorporated areas of Los Angeles County were given final approval Tuesday by the Board of Supervisors.

Effective in 30 days, the new rules are in response to complaints about adult arcades, massage parlors, movie studios and adult bookshops, especially in the West Hollywood, Lenox and Whittier areas.

The board unanimously approved zoning ordinance amendments specifically designed to thwart concentration of adult entertainment activities

Deaths, Funeral Announcements

SHAW, Wallis G., Armstrong Family, directors

SMITH, Ethel M., Forest Lawn-Hollywood Hills

STABINER, Florence, Mount Sinai Mortuary

STAFFORD, Reginald W., of Arcadia; passed away November 20, 1978. He is survived by his wife, Eunice Stafford; son, Robert of San Gabriel; brother, George Stafford of Long Beach; sisters, Allie Robertson of Irvine, Madelyn Roberts of Long Beach and 6 grandchildren.

Memorial service 10 a.m., Friday at Turner & Stevens Chapel, Pasadena. Dr. Elmer L. Jones, officiating. Private interment in Inglewood Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers, those who wish may contribute to a charity of their choice.

STROUF, Lester "Lee"

Service Friday, 12 noon at the Wee Kirk O' the Heather, Forest Lawn-Glendale.

Forest Lawn Mortuary.

SUGIHARA, Junichi Frank, beloved father of Takashi and Toru, Mmes. Masako Nakatsuuma, Hideko Higuchi and Kazuko Koike.

Service 1:30 p.m., November 24 at Union Church of Los Angeles, 401 East Third St. Fukui Mortuary, directors.

TYNDALL, Lenale

Steele & Myers, Torrance

WELLS, John Arthur, beloved father of Mrs. Loran (Mary) Des Voigne, William A., James F., John E. and Ronald Wells; also survived by 5 grandchildren and 1 great-grandchild.

Funeral services private. Callesan Mortuary, directors.

YANO, Thomas Yutaka, beloved father of Laurence of San Diego, Ronald, Mrs. Carol Takeshita of Denver, brother of Paul, Sam, James Yano, Mmes. Mary Fujiwara of Dinuba and Frances Sugai of Chicago.

Service 7:30 p.m., November 24 at Callesan Mortuary, Torrance.

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Brutal Discipline Crowd People's Temple Sect

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)

The Rev. Jim Jones carved a careful imagery. His People's Temple cared for its mixed-race flock with self-help programs and a thriving agricultural commune in an idyllic South American setting.

The image cracked when disgruntled former members alleged Jones was an often brutal disciplinarian. The image exploded when sect members shot and killed Rep. Leo Ryan, D-Calif., and four others on a remote Guyanan airstrip. Ten others were wounded.

And earlier reports of suicide rehearsals and undated suicide notes left by People's Temple adherents before they went to Guyana were chillingly recalled Sunday when reports emerged that up to 400 bodies had been found at the sect's Jonestown camp, apparently dead of poison.

The gruesome incident is the latest, and the worst in the 20-year tale of intrigue and controversy surrounding the People's Temple and its founder.

Conceived in Indianapolis in the 1950s with the avowed purpose of breaking down class distinctions, the Temple moved to Redwood Valley, Calif., in the late 1960s, to San Francisco in 1971.

A sophisticated political

manipulator, Jones, 46, became a potent force in San Francisco almost overnight, organizing some 5,000 Temple worshippers into a group for a host of liberal political campaigns.

Jones, who is married and has seven children, was born in Indiana, the son of a poor, interracial couple. At one time, he could list among his friends Gov. Edmund G. Brown Jr., Los Angeles Mayor Tom Bradley and San Francisco Mayor George Moscone who appointed Jones chairman of the city Housing Authority after the People's Temple helped him win the mayoral election in 1975.

But Jones' star faded after a series of allegations by former members. They complained that his methods of control included beatings and exhausting work schedules.

Former members said Jones' following submitted to his authoritarian regime because his rules and rituals left them financially de-

pendent on the church, terrified and often brainwashed.

Jones called the allegations "outrageous lies," but resigned from the Housing Authority in August 1977 and went to Guyana with some 1,200 followers to establish the agricultural colony there.

A news release the Temple issued last year said the Guyana community has rehabilitated many young people "from lives filled with serious problems. We do not brutalize or exploit anyone."

But in an interview broadcast Sunday on the NBC Nightly News, former member Debbie Blakey told how children were disciplined in Jonestown.

"Little children are scared by this thing called 'Bigfoot.' What they do if a child has done anything that most children do, (and it) is considered very bad... they are sent out to see 'Bigfoot.'"

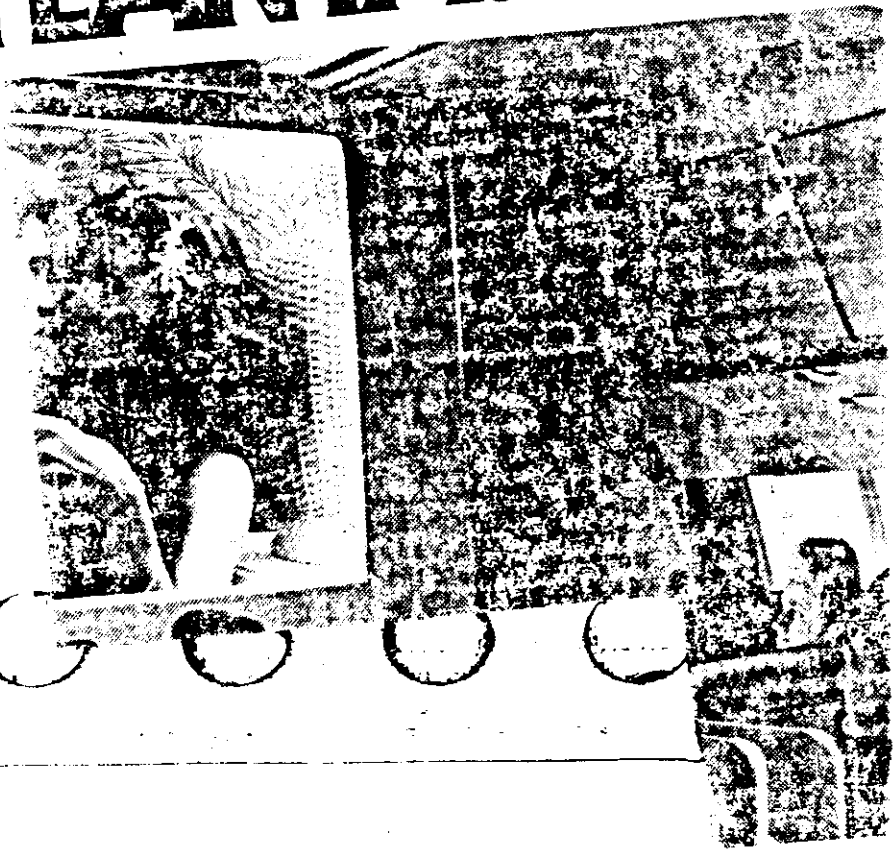
"They are taken into the

forest, down by Jones' cabin (to) a well," she said. "Two people would already be in the well swimming, it's dark and you can't see. The child is thrown in there... and the people that are in there will be grabbing the child's feet or pulling him down, making sure that he comes up for a

"You can hear the child screaming all the way there and... back, 'I'm sorry, father. I'm sorry, father...'"

"If he doesn't scream loud enough how sorry he is, then he'll (Jones) send the child back down," she added.

**HIDE BODY IN PLANE
BETWEEN LOS ANGELES
AND ATLANTA.**



Wray 'May Have Been Present'

Santa Ana, Calif.

The REGISTER

Fri, Nov. 10, 1978

Assembly Convention'

By LARRY PETERSON
Register Staff Writer

Assemblyman Chet Wray said Thursday he may have been present in a Sacramento tavern last year when a reception was held to raise funds for a campaign to legalize prostitution in California.

The Westminster Democrat had denied Monday that he attended the March 30 event, saying he spent the evening at a dinner in another part of the Sacramento area and then went home.

He branded as "dirty tricks politics" a statement in a brochure by Republican Doris Allen, whom he defeated in Tuesday's election, that claimed he attended the event, referred to as a "prostitutes' convention."

But Dan Walters, staff writer for the Sacramento Union, said Thursday that Wray was at the reception for at least an hour, "looked like he was enjoying himself and having a helluva good time."

Confronted with the eyewitness account, Wray said he may have stopped off at the capital-area bar "for a sandwich" but did not attend the reception, which he said was downstairs, not on the second floor where he ate.

But Walters said that the reception, sponsored by California Association for Trollops National Institute for Prostitution, the tavern's dining room and Wray were all upstairs.

In a story published by the Sacramento Union March 31, 1977, Walters

wrote that the event was attended by lobbyists, the capital press corps, "a few nervous legislators" and their aides.

The story said the event included a see-through lingerie "fashion show."

Lawmakers identified in story as present were Assemblyman John Knox, D-Contra Costa; Michael Wornum, D-San Rafael; Walter Ingalls, D-Riverside; Chet Wray, D-Santa Ana; and "Chet Grey."

Walters said Wray's name was "garbled in translation" because he dictated the story to another reporter over the telephone.

Wray said Thursday that he recalled that the invitation to the event "said something about a fashion show" but that he recalls that the invitation was still in his office mail box the next day.

He said he normally eats dinner at his Sacramento residence but sometimes stops for a sandwich at the tavern, the operator of which he says is a friend, when Assembly business keeps him late.

On Monday, Wray said he ate dinner the night of the reception with "the vice president of San Diego Gas & Electric" whose name he could not recall.

Thursday, however, Wray said he attended a dinner sponsored by the Orange County Pharmaceutical Association at Aldo's restaurant in the northeast Sacramento area.

Knox and Ingalls said

they could not remember whether they saw Wray at the event. Wornum and Imbreacht could not be reached for comment.

Robert Nelson, campaign manager for Mrs. Allen, said he had learned of Wray's attendance at the function months ago but first decided not to use it in her campaign literature.

He said he changed his mind after the Wray campaign blanketed the district with what he called "lies and distortions" about Mrs. Allen's record as a Huntington Beach High School District board member.

Wray, first elected to the Assembly by a margin of 36 votes in 1976, won Tuesday by 9,000 votes.

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Radio Ham Tells Of Temple's Transmissions

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) —

A Tennessee ham radio operator listened in on conversations from the People's Temple settlement in Guyana nearly every night for more than a year before the voices fell silent.

Ed Westcott, an Oak Ridge photographer, said the transmissions — some of which he alleged were illegal — ended three weeks before U.S. Rep. Leo Ryan, D-Calif., and four other persons, including three journalists, were slain at an airstrip eight miles from the People's Temple camp at Jonestown, Guyana.

A large antenna is visible from outside the sect's compound in San Francisco, and an NBC-TV news report Sunday said the People's Temple members there kept in contact with the agricultural settlement in Guyana via radio.

On Sunday, Westcott said

that some of the transmissions he heard apparently were in code.

"They were using cryptic and cipheric messages — that's illegal — and they were operating outside the amateur frequencies or bands which is a violation of international treaties," Westcott said. "And they were operating unidentified for long periods of time, which is also a violation."

He added: "A great deal of the communications weren't coded, but when something apparently secretive came up, it was in code and there were never any last names, just code names. Jones went by the name of 'Al' and no one could make any decision until 'Al' OK'd it."

Westcott said he talked to Jones about the settlement — which had a goal of becoming self-sufficient —

but declined an offer to do some photography work in Jonestown.

"In talking to him (Jones) I found out the congregation was made up of former drug addicts, alcoholics, runaways and problem people who just couldn't find a place in society but had found a place in the Temple church," he said.

"He (Jones) is cordial; a nice man to talk to. But he could be excitable in a crisis situation like a derogatory newspaper article and people trying to get out of the organization. Then he would go into a lengthy dissertation defending the organization," Westcott said.

On Oct. 12, Westcott recalled, he told the Federal Communications Commission that "the communications — the violations the

secrecy — would lead to a disastrous situation. About a week later I was told my complaint would be handled by a different department, one that has

sort of thing."

"After Oct. 25, more of Jonestown today."



1977 Statement Deterped Cult Against Allegations

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — When former members of Peoples Temple began talking publicly about beatings and fake healings last year, temple officials drew a virtual veil of silence over the embattled congregation.

The pastor, the Rev. Jim Jones, fled to Guyana without responding to the allegations.

On July 30, 1977, the temple issued a rare seven-page statement entitled, "What's Behind the Attacks on Peoples Temple?"

Here are some excerpts from that statement:

"We are not really surprised at the charges that have been made against us. Movements for fundamental social change have always been subjected to sophisticated and well-

where nobody lives in want...

"We note that some of those persons who are now coming forward with their charges against our movement include persons who constantly pressed us to take extremist actions totally incompatible with our principles. Some were even involved in manufacturing weapons and advocating that the church use them to advance a program of terrorism to achieve its social aims...

"Our program in Guyana is everything that it has been represented to be, both as an agricultural mission, and as a model cooperative community that has successfully rehabilitated many young people from lives filled with serious problems...

Suicide Memorial Held At SF Bridge

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SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — The apparent mass suicide at the People's Temple colony in Guyana came a year and a half after temple founder Jim Jones called for the erection of a suicide barrier on the Golden Gate Bridge.

On Memorial Day 1977, Jones stepped to a microphone beside the bridge and eulogized the more than 600 persons who had leaped to their death from the Golden Gate since the famed bridge opened 40 years earlier.

He said the suicide victims "were not casualties of war, but casualties of society."

Hundreds of those in the audience were members of the Peoples Temple and had arrived for the speech in buses. After the speeches, they joined a parade onto the bridge, each wearing a black armband and bearing the name of one of the suicide victims.

Many of the temple members who were on the bridge could have been among the nearly 400 persons found dead in the temple's Jonestown farming settlement in Guyana on Sunday, victims of apparent mass suicide.

Jones was a potent political force in San Francisco. He often turned out large crowds for political rallies and generated letter-writing campaigns for causes he favored.

Mayor George Moscone, a Democrat, appointed Jones to head the San Francisco Housing Authority in 1976, in appreciation for the minister's help in his successful campaign.

"If Jones was harboring some deep-seated evil intention at that time, I didn't know about it," Moscone said in the wake of the slayings in Guyana.

Jones resigned the housing post last year and departed suddenly for Guyana

in the wake of reports quoting former temple members as saying he fostered beatings of members and used questionable tactics in accumulating money.

In 1977, Democratic Gov. Edmund Brown Jr. attended a memorial service for the late Rev. Martin Luther King at Jones' temple.

Ryan Told Visit Might Prov

WASHINGTON (AP) - Rep. Leo Ryan was told before his trip to Guyana that members of the People's Temple felt harassed by American authorities and that further "persecution" might "create a most embarrassing situation for the U.S. government."

The warning, from the cult's attorney, Mark Lane, prompted Ryan to respond that the threat of embarrassment "does not impress me at all."

"If the comment is intended as a threat, I believe it reveals more than may have been intended," the lawmaker wrote the well-known activist attorney earlier this month.

Copies of the exchange of letters between Lane and Ryan were made available by aides to the slain California Democratic congressman.

They also released copies of telegrams Ryan sent to Jim Jones, leader of the sect, and John R. Burke, the U.S. ambassador to Guyana, as arrangements were made for the trip that ended in the death of Ryan and several members of his party.

Lane also was on the trip but escaped injury.

Ryan wired Burke and Jones on Nov. 1, informing them of his plan to visit the commune Jones and his followers maintain at Jonestown near the Venezuelan border.

Lane replied five days later for Jones, writing the congressman that "the people of Jonestown have expressed a willingness to care for your needs and the needs of your staff and associates."

But, he said, "you should be informed that various agencies of the U.S. government have somewhat consistently opposed the People's Temple."

"Some of the members of the People's Temple have had to flee from the U.S. in order to experience a fuller opportunity to enjoy rights which were not available to them within the U.S.," Lane wrote.

He added that two countries, "neither one of which has entirely friendly relations with the U.S." had offered refuge to cultists.

Lane did not identify the countries, but an aide to Ryan said the lawyer apparently was referring to Cuba and the Soviet Union.

"Thus far, the People's Temple has not accepted

either of those offers, but it is their position that if a religious persecution continues and if it is furthered by a witch hunt conducted by any branch of the U.S. government, that they will be constrained to consider accepting either of the offers," Lane wrote.

He then warned that the consequences of "further persecution" might prove embarrassing to the United States, apparently an indication that the group would consider accepting the offer of refuge.

Joe Holsinger, Ryan's top aide, said the congressman

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Congressman Ryan Warned Guyana 'Hostile' To Visit

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Rep. Leo Ryan, killed in an ambush at a remote airstrip in Guyana, never backed away from danger in 16 years in politics, says a friend, and the People's Temple jungle colony in Guyana was no exception.

Ryan, a 53-year-old California Democrat, was shot and killed in an ambush Saturday while investigating whether Americans were being held against their will at the People's Temple at Jonestown in northwest Guyana. Three newsmen and a young woman also were killed Saturday as they prepared to fly out with residents unhappy with the colony.

Dan Cook, a congressional investigator and a close personal friend of Ryan's, said in a choked voice from Washington, D.C., Sunday that Ryan had received a telegram from Guyana which was "openly hostile" to his visit.

"His trip there was in keeping with his practice of going to see for himself, to check out the problems of the people he represented," Joe Holsinger, his administrative aide and a long-time friend, said Sunday.

"He knew he would not be welcomed with open arms, but he certainly didn't ex-

pect such a senseless thing as this," Cook said.

A White House statement said President Carter was saddened by Ryan's death. "It was this drive to get his information at first-hand that led to his tragic death," the statement said in part.

Ryan and a small group of reporters, Temple attorneys and relatives of people inside the compound flew to Guyana Nov. 13 to investigate reports that American citizens were being held against their will at the Temple settlement that is led by the Rev. Jim Jones.

The 27,000-acre agricultural settlement, Jonestown, was founded by Jones over a year ago as a commune-like home for his flock.

Born in Lincoln, Neb., Ryan spent his college years at Creighton University and worked in several Nebraska schools before moving to California. He taught at Capuchino High School in San Bruno a few miles south of here before his election to the state Assembly from the 27th District.

Ryan was known as a man who liked to get involved in things of importance to his constituents.

In 1966 Ryan dived into the cauldron of Watts in Los Angeles after the deadly

riots there to teach in a Watts high school for two weeks to check on schooling conditions.

In 1970 he spent an eight-day "sentence" in Folsom Prison to find out what it was like to live as a caged man.

Environment and ecology received Ryan's attention. He helped write a law prohibiting the sale of seal skins in California in an effort to halt the annual harvest of baby seals.

This year he traveled to Newfoundland at the invitation of the Greenpeace Foundation to inspect firsthand the hunting of harp seal pups. His opposition to the seal harvest earned him the International Wildlife Foundation's "Man of the Year" award.

But the journey to Guyana was the most dangerous of all.

"He knew it was relatively dangerous," said Pat Ryan, 25, one of the congressman's five children. "But that never stopped him before. This was something he had been working on for a long time."

The Ryan children had maintained an all-night vigil at the family home in Burlingame, south of here. They got the word of their father's death Sunday morning. Ryan was divorced from his wife in 1971.

trouble, Eichler said. "They seemed to be having a good time."

The bodies of at least 383 persons, including Jones, his wife and one of their children, were found Sunday following the shooting death of California Congressman Leo J. Ryan, and several members of the press corps accompanying Ryan. The congressman was in Guyana to investigate allegations that church members were held at the camp against their will.

A Buena Park woman, who asked to
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into the jungle. As they did they heard Jones chanting over the loudspeaker, "Mother! Mother! Mother! Mother!" and suddenly gunfire erupted. Lane said he heard many bursts of automatic fire and screams from the camp.

Guyanese Information Minister Shirley Field-Ridley told reporters that nine suspects had been arrested in connection with the Ryan attack were not true. She said only one man had been taken into custody and identified him as Larry Layton, about 32. She said he was from America but she did not know where.

Chance Of Rain Highs 58-To-63

Cloudy with a 70 percent chance of rain today and tonight. Highs 58-63. Lows tonight 48-53. For late news of area weather and road conditions, call 547-0501.

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ago, she said, and later married Mrs. Eslinger's brother.

remains anonymous, said her niece and nephew — both in their late 20s — joined the church soon after graduating from high school.

"They were unhappy with the war, but they were not violent people. They were gentle people. They loved plants and animals.

"It's really hard to explain. They were brought up in a middle-class family. Everyone in the family keeps asking why (this has happened)," she said.

The couple was introduced to the church by a friend, but she is sure that they were brainwashed into leaving for Guyana with Jones.

Their letters did not show signs of disenchantment with the camp. "There was never any mention of mistreatment. They seemed to be doing just fine.

"He told us he was doing some carpentry at the camp. And she did some farming. She always talked about how beautiful the jungle was."

Mrs. Eslinger said she, too, had relatives who were members of the People's Temple, but added that she was unsure whether they were part of the Guyana colony.

That uncertainty, however, only served to increase their anxiety about the fate of her sister-in-law, niece and nephew.

Mrs. Eslinger's sister-in-law, Agnes Jones, was adopted by the cult leader as his daughter some years

ago, she said, and later married Mrs. Eslinger's brother. Two children by that marriage, also in their midteens, also joined the sect, said Mrs. Eslinger.

She said she had heard no word from the trio for more than a year and had no idea of their whereabouts, although they contacted her regularly while members of the People's Temple in Los Angeles before that time.

"When I went to the temple before, they would always say that she wasn't there at the moment, but later she always returned my calls.

"But when I went there around July of 1977 they took my number and said they'd bring them to see me, but I never heard from them again."

Mrs. Eslinger said that while she was at the temple she was "treated very well, but they never let me inside the church. I was an outsider. I don't know how that place worked."

She had heard Jones preach at a temple in Indianapolis "years ago" but saw nothing sinister in his manner or in the atmosphere of the temple, she added.

"Those people at that church seemed like such a loving bunch of people, but they did things their way. From the pulpit, he (Jones) was a radical, a religious fanatic, but I never heard anything about him being violent."

When a Register reporter tried to contact the People's Temple in Los Angeles Monday, the telephone was not answered.

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Jones 'Didn't Like Losing His Children'

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following eyewitness account of the slayings in Guyana was written by San Francisco Examiner reporter Tim Reiterman, who was wounded Saturday in the gunfire that killed Rep. Leo Ryan and four others at a jungle airstrip. The story was dictated from Andrews Air Force Base in Washington, D.C., where he was flown for treatment, and has been edited by The Associated Press.

By TIM REITERMAN

Copyright San Francisco Examiner

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) - "I feel sorry that we are being destroyed from within," the Rev. Jim Jones said as a tropical storm rained on the People's Temple pavilion.

Jones had suffered a setback. Rep. Leo Ryan, D-Calif., had come to the temple's agricultural project to determine whether the followers of Rev. Jones were free to leave the jungle settlement.

Starting with a note from two members asking, "Please help us get out of onestown," the list of defectors grew to at least 16. According to former members, Jones would not tolerate defections from the mission project and many of the church members considered those who left to be traitors.

At the end of Ryan's two-day visit to mission Saturday, a woman suddenly charged down a slippery boardway, crying, "Don't take my baby!" An emotional tug-of-war ensued between a mother who wanted to stay and the father who wanted to go. Ryan's attorneys for both Ryan and the story issue.

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he does.

Some scowling faces appeared in the windows that rainy afternoon, watching the defectors leave, some with trunks and others with little more than the clothes on their backs.

There was much slipping through the mud around a six-wheel-drive dump truck which would take the congressional delegation, the press, the defectors and a group of concerned relatives of temple members to the Port Kaituma airport.

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**Mrs. Carter's,
Jones' Letters
Made Public**

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WASHINGTON

Rosalynn Carter's office made public today a 1977 exchange of letters between Mrs. Carter and the Rev. Jim Jones, leader of the religious community in Guyana that was the site of mass suicides.

Jones, in a letter dated March 12, 1977, reported he had been in a delegation that had traveled to Cuba and back to their country is badly in need of hospital equipment.

Urging that U.S. equipment be supplied, Jones wrote:

"I am personally of the opinion that such a move is consistent with the humanitarian aid you spoke about not long ago, and is an opportunity to help win Cuba away from the Soviet orbit. Anything that you could do regarding this matter, of course, would be deeply appreciated."

On April 12, Mrs. Carter, in a "Dear Jim" letter, replied:

"Thank you for your letter. I enjoyed being with you during the campaign - and do hope you can meet Ruth soon.

"Your comments about Cuba are helpful. I hope your suggestion can be acted on in the near future.

"Sincerely, (signed)
Rosalynn Carter."

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Memorandum

TO : The Director

FROM : Legal Counsel *JAM*SUBJECT: EXTRATERRITORIAL JURISDICTION
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 Director's Sec'y _____

DATE: 11-22-78

At 6 p.m. on November 21, 1978, Assistant Director Moore called me and said that he was, at that time, in the Director's office and the Director had requested me to furnish an opinion concerning whether the Federal statutes prohibiting slavery and involuntary servitude would be applicable to activities occurring in a foreign country. He was specifically referring to the circumstances involved in the recent events in Guyana. (u)

I conducted the necessary research and at approximately 8 p.m., November 21, I attempted to call you in your office and spoke to Russ Bruemmer in your absence. I furnished Mr. Bruemmer my opinion and then in a conference call with Associate Director Adams and Assistant Director Moore, at 8:11 p.m., I advised them. At approximately 8:20 p.m., I reached Mr. Boynton and advised him 18 USC 1583 (slavery) and 1584 (involuntary servitude) would not apply in a foreign country. (u)

Though there is little in the way of authority, the Supreme Court decision in United States v. Bowman 67 L. ed. 149 discusses the principle of territorial limitation of power and jurisdiction of a government to punish crime. The court stated (at page 151): (u)

"Crimes against private individuals or their property, like assaults, murder, burglary, larceny, robbery, arson, embezzlement, and frauds of all kinds which affect the peace and good order of the community, must, of course, be committed within the territorial jurisdiction of the government where it may properly exercise it. If punishment of them is to be extended

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Memo Legal Counsel to the Director
Re: Extraterritorial Jurisdiction
Under Federal Law

to include those committed outside of the strict territorial jurisdiction, it is natural for Congress to say so in the statute, and failure to do so will negative the purpose of Congress in this regard." (u)

The court contrasted the interest of the government with the individual interest as follows: (u)

"But the same rule of interpretation should not be applied to criminal statutes, which are, as a class, not logically dependent on their locality for the government's jurisdiction, but are enacted because of the right of the government to defend itself against obstruction or fraud, wherever perpetrated, especially if committed by its own citizens, officers, or agents. Some such offenses can only be committed within the territorial jurisdiction of the government because of the local acts required to constitute them. Others are such that, to limit their locus to the strictly territorial jurisdiction, would be greatly to curtail the scope and usefulness of the statute, and leave open a large immunity for frauds as easily committed by citizens on the high seas and in foreign countries as at home. In such cases, Congress has not thought it necessary to make specific provision in the law that the locus shall include the high seas and foreign countries, but allows it to be inferred from the nature of the offense." (u)

Congress has acted to extend Federal jurisdiction by statute to the special maritime and territorial jurisdiction of the United States which is defined in Title 18 USC, Section 7. Under that specific statutory extension of jurisdictional authority, crimes against the person may be prosecuted under Federal law if the conditions of the maritime and territorial jurisdiction are met. For example, in United States v.

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Memo Legal Counsel to the Director
Re: Extraterritorial Jurisdiction
Under Federal Law

Erdos 474 F.2d 157 (4th Cir. 1973) the court held that there was jurisdiction under Federal law to prosecute an American citizen who killed another American citizen in the American Embassy located in the Republic of Equatorial Guinea. - Federal jurisdiction may also extend to cases in which the Federal statute is intended to protect the government itself. In such cases, the offense is complete when the elements of the statute have been met and there is no specific requirement that the offense be committed within the territorial jurisdiction of the government. Specific application of the principle would result in the conclusion that the killing of the President of the United States or a member of Congress could be investigated and prosecuted under Federal law regardless of the physical location of the killing. The rationale for application of those statutes to events occurring outside the territorial authority of the government is that the statutes were designed to protect a function of government. Venue for prosecution in such cases is decided by reference to 18 USC 3238 which provides for venue in the district within the United States where the offender is arrested or first brought. This area of the law is not well developed and though it is my opinion that the general principles can be described, such questions arising in the future should be considered carefully on an ad hoc basis and I recommend that any such questions be referred promptly for a legal opinion. (u)

The general principles are: (u)

(1) There is Federal jurisdiction in any case meeting the requirements of 18 USC, Section 7, which generally extends authority to vessels at sea, government reservations, and U.S. aircraft. (u)

(2) Federal jurisdiction extends, according to the intention of Congress, to those statutes designed to protect the government itself and where the elements of the offense are not necessarily limited to the territorial jurisdiction of the United States (u)

(3) Federal jurisdiction does not extend to instances where offenses are committed against the person and there is no direct harm to a statutorily protected government interest. (u)

RECOMMENDATION: For information. (u)

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Dear Sir:

During one of the news broadcasts from
Jonesville S. America I heard that all the passports
of the members were found by the army locked
up in a large trunk. This poses several questions
in my mind. (1) If these persons in Jonesville
and in the San Francisco Church are not being
forced against their wills, then why were their pas-
ports and personal property taken from them and
locked up. Christ never taught force or aggression
in the salvation of souls. (2) Why haven't these
passports been released to your agents in
Donner Delmore who are attempting to identify
these bodies. If they had those passports it would
certainly be far more easier for your agents
In fact I have a third question (3) Why has the
U.S. State Department been more cooperative with
your agents and given them, your agents their
pictures etc of the bodies? I know you are a
religious man and neither God or Christ give
adults the right to murder small young
children. For this reason alone, that cult in
San Francisco should be investigated. Children
in the cult have a Constitutional right and a God
given right to the salvation of their souls. God
gives them that free will and no human qualifi-

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to take from a Child those rights which God and Country gives them. No I am not a religious bigot and yes I do support Constitutional Rights of freedom of religion and having mothered 3 children I know how easily their pure minds can be influenced. People who use brute force to worship God do not know God. No human has ever matched the Perfect Christ nor will they ever. And Christ warned us of hurting little ones. Christ said It would be better that you bore a socket around your neck and throw into sea than to hurt one of the least of these my little ones. Christ left the 90 and 9 to save one last soul and we as a nation are not going to do a criminal investigation for the murder of 187 of these innocent little ones.

This whole tragedy does not appear to me to be Mass suicide pact. So many were murdered in cold blood like the 30 missionaries in Rhodesia who were murdered. I can't help but wonder if there is not an international threat to American missionaries. I talked one with Sen. Conrad of Wichita Council of Churches about the persecution of the missionaries in Spain. I was hoping he could tell me it was not true but he said every word you say was confirmed by a missionary friend of mine who just returned from Spain. There it was a military Gov't and the Catholic Church who were persecuting non Catholics worse than in Communist Countries. The Army forced them to join the army. Then they were ordered to go to Catholic Mass. At the elevation

of the ~~Heart~~³ of Christ ~~they~~ had to stand and give
a Green salute. The United States must never
have a military-Industrial Mon't which
General Eisenhower condemned in inauguration
speech part of which was quoted in 'Seven Days
In May'. Such misplaced powers he said
will destroy democracy and freedom.

Another case a City persecuting an amish
family because they refused to send their 16 year
old daughter to high school. The girl was
attending a trade school and was taking a
Correspondence Course but this did not satisfy
the Bureaucracy that town. First they arrested the
father fined him and threw him in jail.

Then when I heard they were auctioning their
farm I wrote Governor Hughes and requested
he help the family. Asking what had happened
to freedom of religion in the United States.

All Governors took up their cross and helped
these people. Then a group of them decided to
go to Panama to preserve that freedom. One
year after they went there Panama fell.

I may not agree with a persons religion but
I'd give my life for their right to practice it.
These are the precious freedoms not man but
God gave every man he created. There was politics
involved in the Jim Jones Church. I understood
he was paid by politicians to be large crowds
to political affairs to give a T.V. Camera the
illusion that the Candidates really had a large

following of supporters. ⁴ Rev Jim Jones must have been paid well for this since they found several millions of dollars and gold in that camp in S. America.

There is another racket operating in U.S. Minister's licenses are issued by mail for \$1.00. Many persons have obtained such licenses not to preach the Bible but to set up a thriving business. Example Madeline Murray O'Hara. As you know she once had a suit in court to force Roman Catholics to pay taxes on all property they owned but church and parsonage. Someone told her about this racket. So she ordered her Minister License made her husband a Bishop and then bought large Commercial Bldg from a owner, then rented the office back to them and nobody paid Uncle Sam taxes because she operated under the guise of a church which she called Poor Little Richards Church. I believe this was in Texas near San Antonio.

This is especially dangerous to the security of the United States since foreign buyers can purchase property in U.S. and when they do they don't even have to pay Capital gains taxes on their property or profits. I was working for General Motors during World War II making Carbine M-1 and M-16 and even as far back as then General Motors was publishing booklets on our next war

which they said would be an economic war and
your predecessor in "Masters of Deceit" said
America will be destroyed from within and
with foreign buyers who operate like U.S.
Mexico with hidden ownership most certainly
will buy America right out from under our
children and grandchildren. There is no
way for anyone to find out just what foreign
person or agency is buying this property.
It is not registered in their names but in
corporation. Sometimes three in New York and
possibly three in foreign country with nobody
even finding the new owners. Such foreign
buyers are who are putting our farmers
out of business by giving neighbors several
million for his farm. You can be certain
with that kind of investment you can be
certain the foreign owner is not going to sell
his produce out at a loss, or maybe he
could since Japan sold steel at a loss
in U.S. to undercut U. Steel Companies
who were the target of The Mafia in 1964
when Dr Donald R. Cressy did the report at
H.E.L.U. on request of President Johnson. The
article on Black Bahama Mafia Sat in Post Feb
1967 said Mr Horner would not sell gambling
licenses at Hotel in Cuba because the hidden
owner was a friend of Jimmy Hoffa. Then
when Castro took over Cuba he kicked the

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Mafia out and as fast as he pushed them out
Mr. Horner arrested them. Dr. Creney said
this new operation began with Mafia after the
St. Valentine's Massacre in Chicago in 1929.
I am asking if we already have Mafia
and Chinese Mafia operating in U.S. under
the hidden ownership cover.

I worked for a Chinese man once in Wichita
Kansas and he was living in China with
his family when communists took over. His wife
was burned into unconsciousness because
she refused to give them her wedding band
gold. She died from her torture after she came
to U.S. and her husband told me he was
witnessing the same thing by our government
which took place in China when they lost
their freedom. He is deceased now from Diabetes
but his children live in Columbus Ohio their
name was Gong live in Hawaii. Just last
night and that show was about Chinese Mafia
first coming to Hawaii and from there to
every city in U.S. Why do our trade with
developing countries always include their
mafia. Some of U.S. army is responsible for
like Korea, Vietnam, Manila, Germany, &
lots of wet back Chinese are involved in the bodies
at Dover Delaware since they are coming into U.S.
at the rate of 3,000 to 4,000 per week in New England
states. I ask this because of the large Chinatown
in San Francisco where some Chinese of Rev. Jim Jones
was. Martin Boreman Deputy of Hitler had
cosmetic surgery on face and fingers and
went to S. America with help of Julius and Ethel Rosenberg.

and the Vatican Robert Vesco of Watergate also
took exile in S. America. Robert Vesco gave
Hugh Sloan Jr. Nixon White House with the
\$200,000 that Sloan passed on to St. Gordon
Ledy. Life Magazine said that Mary Allotta St.
Jennings was Mafia connected and Jim
Jones helped to defeat him. Patty Hearst was
kidnapped the same day the merger and
Mrs. Allotta returned from Democratic Committee
in Los Angeles. She was followed the merger
as she stopped by a mission. A Black school teacher
who was a friend of Bishop Canal in Wichita
Kansas who pushed Communism taught school
in Bay Area. Her mother worked with me
and was a very good friend of the Bishop. Bishop
Wick released from Red China had a nephew also
a Bishop in same St. Mary's Cathedral in Wichita.
Tony told me how they hide things under the
Counter during World War II in Wichita. Bishop
Canal first told me they had to wait time fighting
Communism that they were no longer a threat
and he said a man of Reparation at Allergy
Mang because dispatched W.S.U. for taking blood
to send to Vietnam.

Sincerely

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Judge Webster

Nov 25, 1928

Guyana - Capital Georgetown

1972 Cardinal Patrick O'Boyle attack the permission
at Georgetown U. and later wrote me personally
that unless the permission is halted we America
will surely have. Ketteridge America
Dr. Ketteridge now Professor at Georgetown U.
Wallace Brown who controlled stock market
during 1930's depression obtained his training
at Georgetown. Brown was secretly arrested
by J. Edgar Hoover. Wallace Brown worked
with British for development of Bahamas
Islands. Bahama Mafia represented by
New York Publishing firm of Hest and Hesterton
which also represent Saudi Arabia murders
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Dates of the Jonesville murders Nov 18 date of Jones-
ville deaths. Nov 18 is the feast of St Odo of
Cluny. St Odo grateful father offered him
to St Martin of Tours. St Martin of Tours
feast day Nov 11. His father a pagan soldier
grabbed St Martin and forced him to army. He
founded new Paitier, the first monastery in
France. Was made Bishop of Tours. Martin destroyed
the heathen Temples (The Catholic church after II
Ecumenical Council still judges all people not
Catholic as heathen) and graves. Known as
the apostle of Gaul. Sidney Paitier was a very
religious man born in the Bahamas and
even after he made money would go back there
and with the Bible defeated the White Mafia
Candidates in political elections. As I
mentioned before Martin the Pope had assassination
attempt made on his life. His feast Nov 12
which was original trial date of James Earl
Ray sentenced for death of Martin Luther King
and the plane chartered from Will Rogers airport
by W-S-U. Board of Directors the football team
died in was Martin. The signature on the

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Letter I received from D.C. Diocese in answer to
one I wrote Pope Paul VI, the signature on that letter
when requested invalid Will Bach was Martin
I went back to 11th because of St Martin's
who taught St. Odo. now I should like to take
you back to 1972 election On Nov 16th Feast
of St. Edmund of Canterbury - General of Louisiana
Edmund Edwards and former U.S. Congressman
On this date of 16th 1972 the two students were
shot and killed on New Orleans City Campus
Smith and Leonard. On the same date I had
been given an appt at D.C. General. I cancelled
the appointment when I heard of the murder and
the transfer to Court of D.C. Jail inmate. There
was already activity or note at D.C. Jail when
I had appointment at D.C. General. The third
jury investigated and reported D.C. Jail Guards
were being bribed. Also on Nov 16th in
the Diocese of New Orleans only there are
celebrations for anticipation of Our Lady of
Guadalupe. The actual Feast Day of Our
Lady of Guadalupe is on Dec 12. On that
date I had an appt in D.C. General Neuro-
surgery Clinic which I again cancelled when
I heard that a longshoreman in Baltimore, given
broken neck by police in arrest had died.
There were also note that day in Richmond
State prison and they called for Congressman
Jennings. On Nov 17, 1972 The students
marched in protest of the slaying Smith and
Leonard, while here in the District I wrote a plea
of protest to City Councilman stating I was protesting
the police shooting in back of Gregory Coleman
16 year old who was killed by a Black Police
officer who still remains on force today. Gregory
had his bike stolen the night before. Gregory was

shot in back in the police see up. Then in
Germany on Feast of St John Bosco Saint of youth
a police officer by the name of Gregory was shot
St Gregory was a doctor of the Catholic Church
and who the Gregorian Chant is named after.

That date of Jan 31st. was when G. Edgar Snow stopped
space flight, the one which later failed. That date

Richard Nixon was on the Island of St John
reading the Ministry of Agriculture. The
Medical Report from Walter Reed on John

Stennis was also released. He was head of
Defense Committee then. The Court passed inquiry
in his shooting. When Salinger was released
he went to and participated in Gregorian Mass.

Nov. 19th is Feast of St. Elizabeth of Hungary.
where Cardinal Mindoguti is. He under hypnosis
revealed all of the Church secrets. Queen Elizabeth

It events Israel filled with youth on the
anniversary of the sinking of Titanic. Princess
Anne married Capt Mark Philip of St John
Army. In my hometown of Eaton Ohio the

Church of Visitation of Mary to her cousin Elizabeth
Mrs Betty Ford Elizabeth Ann in White House my
sister to whom I sent a Protestant Will from
Kansas, her name is Elizabeth Eloise. My
Grandmother name was Elizabeth and Mrs Anne
my mother in law name was Elizabeth Jones

Confirmed in Catholic Church after divorce taking
"namely Mary's Mother Anne. Now we are taken
by the name Anne back to Georgetown Hospital
Telly Kennedy Jr was admitted on Thursday. On
Saturday he removed his leg for cancer. I believe
decision was made too quickly. The profia
gets new member now by religious ceremonies

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Senator Kennedy ~~deded~~ ^{deded} from intense care to give
only Robert's ~~daughter~~ away in marriage. That
day Georgetown was supposed to play Carroll
Arbor Michigan and I charged Paul ^{play in}
both the game and the hospital. Georgetown then
played Catholic U. and Carroll Arbor played Ohio
State and the game was thrown to Ohio State
a man even said he was going to lawsuit over
the decision. In Honolulu Catholic Church priest
name is Vogel, Dr. Vogel Mont Co (25 mile east)
Health Dept Director and Bishop Vogel followed
me to Kamoa.

I noticed in the Specimen Jonesville that it
was a mixed congregation recently and I still
believe there was for more than 3000 suicide
involved there. Congressman Ryan notified the
U.S. State Department of alleged kidnapping in Jonesville
one year before the deaths and the only question
that were ask were by paper corp Airforce officer
Requested family to send Dental Charts Medical
records and pictures to identify the dead. I
repeat again the State Dept is failing these
victims because they have all the information
on Passport records so why should family have
to answer their requests if State Dept was
cooperating with the Airforce? Since the
Guyana Army went in the compound and
found all the Passports locked up in a trunk
why haven't they released this private American
Citizens Property? Something really wrong when
Officials do not cooperate with your FBI B-1
agents and Airforce.

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I recall Ameni recent trip to S. America before this happened. As well as Mrs. Rhonda's trip to England who once owned Guyana. I recall also the four hundred Ameni was supposed to have ~~executed~~ executed in Cold Blood and the U.S. memories 30 of them killed in Rhodesia by Nationalist. This is when the Salvation Army withdrew their membership in World Council of Churches because W. Council donated \$80,000 to the Black Nationalist who committed those mass murder. In both areas Britain once owned them 60 min lost Sunday on C.B.S. also had too evangelists on who like Jim Jones were making millions of dollars. The timing told me that Jim Jones was not the only man involved in those murders. I believe these deaths are part of the racial war of Mafia depopulation there 50% of East India, from India 31% of African descent 12% mixed descent 4% of American Indian. Prison slaves were brought in to work plantations as well as indentured servants from India. The Indian soon outnumbered the Negro population and still do. Venezuela has claimed possession of the Western half of Guyana in 1970 this claim was suspended for 12 years. The Guianan Banipite is the largest industrial business there based in the manufacture of Banipite which is used in manufacture of aluminum. The population there was integrated like Jones compound just Jim Jones died elect Jimmy Carter. Now Billy Graham got 72,000

of 23 billion kept to the White Hall Church which
split from Jimmy Carter's Church when a black man
tried to join. Just exactly how I am not certain
but those people were murdered because state
officials did not do their jobs properly. Seemed
a little strange to me that Jim Jones could have
been murdered so long and still had only about
1,200 membership in church. So there
and several hundred at San Francisco
church. I personally believe that U.S. State
Department needs to be cleaned out. Congress-
man Ryan and the reporters are dead because
in a year or two the U.S. State Dept did not
honor the request of Congressman Ryan
and just asked are not releasing important
information and now making it very
difficult not only for your men but for
trying to identify the bodies.
A Catholic Sister received Peace award in
England a year or so ago and \$50,000
for her work in India
I personally cannot all how State Dept officials
and President can live with this knowledge
of their Bureaucratic bungling. The
Honorable Ryan sacrificed his life trying to
save the other 500. And the reporters. These were
human beings who died that not 500 machines.
Look at the stench made about St. Calley and
the massacre at My Lai why do Americans
categorize themselves. There is a real sickness in
certain department of U.S. Govt. a terminal cancer
which is killing the soul of America. Why when a
country commits such this executive cabinet. The
most rational thing is working of men and human life

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 now I know why so many names in D. C.
 Haussing and friends of mine showed up.
 Rex Jones was Supervisor of San Francisco
 Haussing and he got the wrong side of
 Real Estate broken because he believed in
 integration and when Billy Graham donated
 that 73,000 to President Carter's Parents White
 Church in Plains Ga. that was the straw
 that broke the Camrybelle back.

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I just heard that President Carter took his
 3 year old Jason Gordon on bike ride. I
 have a great nephew whose name is Jason
 and his Grandmother has a three wheel bike
 for shopping to conserve gasoline.

Jason's mother's parents and Aunt are
 French. The Aunt did work at United Nations
 when Eugene and Jason's mother were married.
 Their marriage was of short duration Eugene could
 not settle down and got involved in drugs for several
 years and she got divorce. The D.B.I. agent went
 to my brother's place of employment and told
 him Eugene (Stump) was in Oregon on drugs
 several years ago. Eugene has straightened out
 am told and is working on still of Dorra I think
 his mother said. I don't know who requested he
 be located. It could just have been a favor on part of
 D.B.I. because I wrote Mr. Hoover about him.
 The weekend the people were killed in Lyons a French
 Priest met with French Priest & sister. The same names as
 Priest in Chicago who advised me to write J. Edgar Hoover
 first letter. Eugene came home for Christmas last year. (over)

Even my friend
 I del. I have a del.
 the name of del.
 and I am del.

One of the Police Officers in Eaton had a friend
in Cincinnati who was F.B.I. Agent who told
the Eaton Officer there was a dock strike in N. York
when he mailed those letters to Russian Radio Moscow
Correspondent and Pope Paul VI in 1969. I do not
believe they ever left Eaton where I mailed them
in March 1969. They were returned stamped
New York Embargo I took them to police
Eaton and ask why since there was no
Dock Strike in New York. The F.B.I. stated
there was. But I took the same letters put them
in new envelopes again with airmail postage
and mailed them in Dayton, Ohio the following
day. They were not returned and it was after
that the Police called me and said F.B.I. friend
said they had been stopped because of dock strike. Dock
Strike would not affect air mail. I wrote Rabbi
Ackerman and sent him out of those envelopes
stamped New York Embargo and wrote to T. V. News
Media. Two weeks after they were returned to me
the Dock Strike was reported on News. I also wrote
Postmaster General Blount then. His son
had manslaughter charges dropped against him in
the death of his wife and Congress responded
by raising postage (regular) to Russia making it
same as airmail to make it appear I did not send
letters airmail. By this time the Pope and Russia
had already received the letters. Before I forgot. Sheriff
Stone (now retired) Probate Co. denies no mafia in Eaton
and laughed at me. and Jack as he was calling Daniel
met with and Sheriff of Dayton & Mount. Co. & Ohio
mafia is strongest Ohio and Richmond Ind. where Ray
Guy Jones and family will be buried. It is in Dayton Ohio
Co. Probate Co. Richmond or Ohio Statehouse, Greenville
Harrington, Gordon all of them are in. Covered by
Bernardin Archdiocese. It is also in Columbus, Ohio
town Toledo (who believe in) of bombings at election office.

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Akron. In 1968 election a Black Candidate
in Cincinnati was found dead in his garage.
Police Called it suicide but he was wearing
Stones was obviously doing a cover job in Eaton
and Noble Co. when it was on both sides South
and North of his Co. This is what he said to
my mother when he railroaded me. "I thought
we were rid of you when she left here in
1969 and Schmitt and Hurton funeral home
after they talked to Atty General of Ohio was
certain they were going to deprive me of dignity
in death and intimidate my family by
holding funeral at 2:00 A.M. and bury me
or, the \$255.00 from Social Security when sis
I had just paid up my \$1,500 Insurance
policy for one year. The Secret Service Agents
and I.B. Agents in Dayton in 1960 both
gave me a bad time when I told them I could
not pay lump sum of taxes on V. A property
I sold in 1959 on 2nd mortgage 12 year. I
agreed to pay it monthly but they said that
would not permit this. They even ordered me
to give them the bank box number and I
refund while they said they would get it
anyway. It was before I.B. and Secret Service
I emptied paper out of bank box and went
to Head office of I.B.S then in Cincinnati
and made arrangements to pay them all of
the mortgage check of \$25.00 per month until

the tapes were paid. This is concrete proof I should have a good credit rating but I don't. The only time my name was ever on mortgage time payments was when I was married because I hate credit and do not have charge acc't. If I want anything I either send the man or buy it or pay away or on 90 days same as cash. I do not have income either then or now to pay those high interest rates. U.S. Wage and Hours did not enforce minimum wage for waitresses. I worked in Wichita for \$5.00 per shift. A nice business store either tried to be nice to me or frame me. I put \$2.00 on dress till payday the dress was \$15.00. When I went to get it they insisted that I had an \$85.00 coat all paid for. "This is your signature". It did look like it but I demanded the manager and he took said the \$85.00 coat belonged to me. I left with my \$15.00 dress. I never knew if it was attempted character frame. Detective in Wichita Police Dept seemed to me attempted to frame me up for bad check. Other people Danis in Wichita wrote and there were 6 people Danis in Wichita. In fact the District Atty of Sedgewick Co even had me denouncing a Danis in Wichita before I ever denied there. Cleo or Leo or some such name. My name is Joseph Wade Danis Sr. Postmaster Blount who he was in P. Office Department Contraded to build new P.O. all over the U.S. and was connected with the Mafia in Iowa the one who killed the journalist. Rumor had it Senator Baldwin's son was mixed up in that op. after Senator Baldwin lost election for President he came to Wichita and had closed door meetings when they emerged they were demanding several

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blocks between Broadway on Douglas
to Railroad and the corner of Eaton Hotel where I
lived in for three years the owner sold half of
it and agreed to renovate it to original state.
The life size Portrait of Carrie Nation was re-
moved. It was later Ben she smashed.
The new owner was Philip Cassebaum who
was married to Alf Kanden's Daughter
Nancy. I understood she is legally separated
from Philip now when she won the U.S Senate
seat recently. I knew her personally. I
worked on Rockefeller Campaign with her.

Someone Your Honor is examining my
private medical records in Dayton Ohio
of the 1950's without a letter of written consent
from me required by both Ohio State Law
and D.C. Law. I knew they are because they
are harping about low back pain. No physician
in D.C. has ever treated me for low back pain
and nobody else has since the lady D.D.
The pain I feel now is above the waste
line but for right leg & arm. The arm broken
in mugging and the leg broken on ice on
St Mary's Cathedral steps in Wichita. The low back
pain has turned to residual pain from surgery.
Such evidence is not least admissible and is the
same as hiding Confidential records and withholding
them properly across state lines. Nobody can legally
use medical and medical records against me. They
are by law Confidential. This letter of information
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began after the President attended the Democratic
Jackson Day dinner in Columbus, Ohio
where Mr. Hoover said Columbus police Detectives
were accepting bribes when Robert Kennedy
was killed. That same week of Jackson
Day dinner the President sent his wife
and mother to Kansas and Wichita
to try to find skeletons in my closet.

There is more most of the time I lived in
Wichita I went to Church daily until it
became mandatory I leave Catholic Church
for reasons of conscience. They had attempted
to arrest me the day Pope Paul VI paraded
in New York. Charges were dropped and
Blush Detective Henderson was killed in auto
accident. Priest William Carr took my purse
Three members St. Mary's were witnesses and
told me. Dr. William Carr, Army psychologist
was appointed toorton Prison Army Hospital
and shortly thereafter an inmate died. The priest
was after a letter I received from President Johnson
which was in that purse. I had submitted the
name of Conrad Jensen N.Y. retired police
Detective working with Army addicts as a replace-
ment for Mr. Hoover when he retired or died when
I reported same to police I was told they could
not get it. I have been on many U.S. Cities but
D.C. is the only city I have ever been mugged and
robbed on the street and it has happened here 5 times

in 6 1/2 years. ⁽³⁾ The first time it was on
the Feast of St. Gaspard, Decem. Blood, the saint
of Decem. Blood Fathers were celebrating the
day they gave the three part sermon
accusing Priest and Son IT officials of
corruption and being Judases for a few pieces
of silver. The Priest said it happened first on
Calvary and again when Rome fell. All of this
is why I know these attacks are not valid.
Blacks are involved as Uncle Toms and
dupes like the Mau Mau were of Black Priests
in World War II when Catholic Monasteries were
bombed by U.S. because they were hiding Hitler
spies. And when U.S. rebuilt it in 1964 Pope
Paul VI said "They rebuilt it as if we could
forget."

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and if my suspicions are correct I am getting
a message that I am going to be served
with another railroad warrant because they
correctly cut me off of Disabled Social Security
for 4 months. 90 day trial period and those
checks are always one month behind. I get Nov
the first of December. My rent receipt says
my rent is paid through Nov. 30th 1978 and I
have deposit and Credit telling it to 15th of
December. They hope to destroy this evidence when
I am arrested but there property insurance
and they are already violating laws by illegal entry
into my apt. where I live. Even detention who

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has investigated [redacted] and [redacted] have
say that the door opened with [redacted] keys
and then locks are pulled off after doors are
opened but it still goes on even after I
replaced cylinders in my locks and
I know either police or Pentagon is
involved because once when they were here
they accidentally dropped a windshield
wiper blade which has Helicopter Division
on it.

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[redacted]
Nov. 25, 1978

Why do I not fear for my life - Because I
know the Catholics want to execute that
invalid will which leaves organs to medical
science. They may wound me to force me
into hospital but they will not kill me
deliberately because they want to execute that
scientific portion of that invalid will. Probably
if they cannot succeed in railroad or arson
set fire & expect kidnapping to Europe
Italy. Just like Bin Laden kidnapped and
killed Daniel Berrone after still kept sent
him to university of the Holy Spirit in
Richmond and Co. of the Holy Spirit in
explosives.



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The United States State Department failed President Nov 26-78
Kennedy at the Bay of Pigs when Dr. Milton Eisenhower
and others & 5 attempts were in Cuba when the air
force was ready did not show. We had a report of the
no air defense where the Pueblo was shot down on
sea. And now the U.S. State Department is failing
you 2. B. I. agents and the Air Force trying to find
the bodies at Dons, Dadeville. In fact the Colonel requested
fingerprints & dental records as well as pictures of the deceased.
Why should this be necessary when they had told them
i.e. why a passport was required by the State Department or
state Dept. even keeping records of passports
American abroad. There should be no excuse. All the
God of passports were removed from the membership of the
Rev. James Jones and were locked up in a large trunk
with several million dollars and gold bars. The Army
searched the place right after they found the bodies
and found the passports complete with photos and
fingerprints. With passports there should be the best
identification possible. Since there were survivors who had
not identify the bodies. You should still on the
part of State Department as for some reason a report of
investigation they did not do a year ago but gave it to
the honorable Congressman Ryan. His death could be
placed at the feet of State Department officials. Who do we have State

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (89-4286)

FROM: SAC, BUTTE (89-166)(RUC)

SUBJECT: RYMUR

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DATE 10/1/92 BY 1048Re Butte teletypes to Bureau and San Francisco,
11/24/78, and 11/27/78. (u)Enclosed for the Bureau and San Francisco is
an FD-302 interview of [REDACTED]

11/24/78, by SA [REDACTED] and SA [REDACTED] on [REDACTED] (u)

ARMED AND DANGEROUS; SUICIDAL TENDENCIES (u)

Original FD-302 will follow by Routing Slip. (u)

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[REDACTED] also known as [REDACTED] was advised of the identities of the interviewing Agents. He was also advised that this interview concerned a possible conspiracy in violation of Congressional Assassination Statute. (u)

[REDACTED] furnished the following information: (u)

[REDACTED] and was honorable discharged after three years service. After he was discharged, [REDACTED] hung around with various "rock" groups in California, smoking pot, drinking and just drifting around. Eventually [REDACTED] became acquainted with members of a self-styled evangelistic group in San Francisco, California, became interested in their program and eventually joined them. (u)

[REDACTED] advised that he never knew this group to be associated with People's Temple and he did not at first consider it a religious or cult group, but rather thought of it as a community group. He later learned from letterheads used by his children it was a religion called Disciples of Christ. (u)

[REDACTED] he sold his home in [REDACTED] and rented an apartment in the same neighborhood so that his daughter, [REDACTED] could finish high school and his son, [REDACTED] could finish the eighth grade. He moved to [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] and she stayed in California. [REDACTED] she became interested in the same evangelistic group. She moved to Ukiah, California, lived at the Happy Acres Ranch outside Ukiah and worked at jobs in the town of Ukiah. One time he asked [REDACTED] how much it cost her to live at the Happy Acres Ranch, and she said they paid whatever they felt like. After high school, [REDACTED] went to (u)

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San Francisco to join and work with the same group there. (u)

[REDACTED] advised that this group headed by JIM JONES had six or eight buses in which they toured the United States. During the summer of 1973, they took a trip to Washington, D. C. and surrounding areas. [REDACTED] asked him if [REDACTED] could join the group for this trip. The cost of the trip for [REDACTED] was \$100.00. He consented to allow [REDACTED] to go on the trip. When they returned from the East Coast, [REDACTED] wanted to return to Ukiah, California, to live at the Happy Acres Ranch and attend high school in Ukiah. This group would frequently travel from Ukiah by way of bus to their churches in San Francisco and Los Angeles, California. (u) 67C

[REDACTED] advised that the group was not too well accepted in Ukiah, because some of their members were minorities. For this reason, the church built their own swimming pool behind the church for use of their members only. Because of the minority membership, the group received a great deal of adverse publicity from the news media. He feels that this is the reason the group, through their attorney MARK LANE, was attempting to fight back by filing civil suits against the press and the U. S. agencies. (u)

[REDACTED] advised he visited [REDACTED] at the Happy Acres Ranch on one occasion only, but he could not recall the date. He toured the compound and had lunch with a group of members. During lunch there was some kind of a remark concerning religion. He could not remember who made the remark or exactly what was said. He told them that he had his own immortal soul to save and as a Roman Catholic that is what he believed in. [REDACTED] also have their own immortal souls to save and they should do it the best way they know how. [REDACTED] were old enough to decide how they wanted to live and what religion they wanted to follow and practice. The compound of Happy Acres Ranch had some houses or cottages, which housed senior citizens and also the community took care of fourteen mentally retarded male patients. (u)

[REDACTED] just before Christmas, 1974, [REDACTED] advised him she had a chance to go to (u)

Jonestown, Guyana. [REDACTED] flew to Jonestown to take Christmas gifts to people already living in the church agricultural community. He knew they flew, but did not know whether it was a charter flight or a commercial flight. They stayed only a few days and then returned to Ukiah, California, where RICHARD and CLAIR JANARO are managers of the Happy Acres Ranch. (u)

[REDACTED], went to Jonestown, Guyana, sometime early in 1977, probably March.

[REDACTED] had flown to Guyana from the United States, but he did not know if the flight was commercial or charter. She flew from California to New York and then to Georgetown, Guyana, and then took some kind of a ship up the east coast of Guyana to Jonestown. He did not know who or how many went with [REDACTED] and he did not know if her husband, [REDACTED] preceded her to Jonestown or followed her later. He knew nothing more about her trip. (u)

[REDACTED] was the next to fly to Jonestown, Guyana. He does not know when she went, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] stayed in the United States.

[REDACTED] was the next one to go to Jonestown. He could not remember the dates that [REDACTED] went to Jonestown, but he recalls that [REDACTED] gave birth to a son, [REDACTED] wife gave birth to a daughter, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] were not in South America at the time of the birth of their children. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] explained that as far as he can understand the reason the group went to Jonestown was merely a matter of course. He understands that it was voluntary on the part of each individual. He never heard of anyone being forced to go to Jonestown and never heard of anyone being forced to stay after they got there. They wanted to participate in a community (u)

type agricultural life at a location away from the pressures of everyday life in the United States and particularly the aggravation the group suffered at Ukiah, California. The Government of Guyana had given the group 27,000 acres north of Georgetown, which they developed into their own community of Jonestown. (u) b7c

[REDACTED] he understood from Reverend MOORE of Reno, Nevada, the only disciplinary action taken against anyone at Jonestown for infractions of regulations would be "peer pressure". By "peer pressure" he understood punishment was in the form of "silent treatment" or "avoidance" of individuals being punished. He never heard of any incident regarding dissenters or discontents. (u)

[REDACTED] he frequently corresponded with [REDACTED] perhaps on a monthly basis, and more often from [REDACTED]. He especially enjoyed receiving letters from [REDACTED] had an exceptional ability to express himself. All the letters he received from [REDACTED] were general in nature and contained news about the family. Never did any of these letters contain anything of a political or philosophical nature. They never discussed any long-range plans of the community of Jonestown and definitely never mentioned anything to indicate a conspiracy of any kind or any physical mistreatment of members or anyone else. (u)

[REDACTED] probably would not have become involved with guns. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] and was knowledgeable of guns, because of his active duty experience. [REDACTED] to the best of his knowledge, had no experience with guns. He never knew any of the children to do any hunting or even show any interest in guns. (u)

[REDACTED] it is just not the nature of or disposition of [REDACTED] to ever become involved in a conspiracy or anything of that nature. On the other hand, [REDACTED] more easily be so involved; however, if he did, it would be strictly an innocent involvement. (u)

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[REDACTED] explained that it would not be beyond [REDACTED] to develop information of any nature, including the number and identities of any visiting groups, such as Representative LEO RYAN's group; however, if [REDACTED] learned this information was going to be used to conspire or to plot murder he would immediately revolt and possibly defect. (u)

[REDACTED] traveled from Jonestown to San Francisco, California. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] merely said he was a group coordinator and the nature of his visit to San Francisco was to [REDACTED] for a pending law suit against the news media and some U. S. Government agencies. [REDACTED] did not elaborate any further, and they did not discuss the Jonestown community or his activities any further. [REDACTED] are not real close in that they discuss their personal lives or activities. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] departed October 29, 1978, en route to San Francisco. He knew nothing further about [REDACTED] itinerary. (u)

[REDACTED] to take these clothes to members of the family in Jonestown. After careful consideration, he considered [REDACTED] activities with this group to be rehabilitative. After [REDACTED] was discharged [REDACTED] he just drifted around San Francisco and Los Angeles and seemed to be going nowhere and had no goals in life. This movement gave [REDACTED] chance to work at his life and develop purpose and meaning for life. (u)

[REDACTED] CLAIR JANARO left New York and arrived Georgetown on the night of November 18, 1978. Before she left San Francisco, she purchased \$700.00 worth of clothes to take to group members in Jonestown, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (u)

[REDACTED] advised that he is very strong in his convictions that the group in Jonestown was an extremely happy group, but he is at a loss to understand what took place that resulted in the mass suicide-murder incident. He was so much pleased with [REDACTED] happiness he obtained a passport and planned to visit them for approximately three weeks during January, 1979. (u) b7C

[REDACTED] who in any way is connected with this group. To the best of his knowledge, this group is active in Ukiah, San Francisco and Los Angeles, California. His only connection with this group is through [REDACTED] Reverend MOORE of Reno, Nevada, and Mr. and Mrs. RICHARD JANARO of Ukiah. He is not familiar with the structure of the People's Temple and, in fact, knows nothing about them and did not realize that [REDACTED] and the Happy Acres Ranch were associated with the People's Temple. (u)

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] (u)

[REDACTED] (u)

[REDACTED] furnished the following description of [REDACTED] (u)

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LOCAL C. [REDACTED]

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F.C.I.I.,
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DEAR SIR: SUBJECTS: FRISCO LATOR MURDER; REV. JIM JONES, AND;
(CARLOS; PORTRAIT OF A TERRORIST BY COLIN SMITH)

I BELIEVE IN DAN WHITE; AND FORMER SUPERVISOR; IS INNOCENT; NOT GUILTY

I BELIEVE; THAT DAN WHITE; HAS BEEN SET UP; FOR A FALL GUY; BY THE DIRTY
S&N; REVOLUTIONISTS; WHO'VE SET UP REV. JIM JONES; FOR A FALL GUY TOO!

THERE IS QUITE A RESEMBLANCE; BETWEEN REV. JIM JONES; AND CARLOS; EXCEPT
FOR ONE DIFFERENCE; THE PICTURE OF CARLOS IS QUITE PLUMP; IN THE PAPER-
BACK ISSUE, 1976, PUBLISHED BY SPHERE BOOKS LTD, IN GREAT BRITAIN! THE
PICTURE OF REV. JIM JONES, IN THE TELEGRAPH JOURNAL, FRONT PAGE; DATED,
NOVEMBER 27/78; IS SLIMMER; AND JONES IS HOLDING HIS FACE DIFFERENTLY; IN
THE PHOTO! WHO? IS WHO? CARLOS; COULD BE MADE; TO LOOK LIKE ME, OR, LI
STEINER VICKI; 100; WATSON SETTLEMENT ROAD, CARLETON COUNTY, NEAR THE TURN
OFF ROAD TO RED BRIDGE, WHERE STEINER AND HIS WIFE, SHIRLEY KEEP A DOG
KENNEL, RAISING GERMAN POLICE DOGS FOR THE R.C.M.P., OR ANY ONE! THEY CAN
SELL THEIR DOGS TOO! CARLOS COULD BE MADE TO LOOK A LOT LIKE BRIAN LUT
FORDNEY OF LONDON, E.C., WHO TEACHES SCHOOL AT THE SOUTHERN CARLETON
SCHOOL FOR WOODSTOCK, N.B., BUT, IS SURPRISE! THE F.B.I AND THE R.C.M.P.;
ARE QUITE WELL ASCERTAINED PERTAINING TO IDENTITIES! 22 DEC 6 1978

I THINK OF THE MISSION IMPOSSIBLE MASKED METHOD; OF HAVING BEEN
THE METHOD USED; BY THE DIRTY S&N REVOLUTIONISTS; TO SET UP DAN WHITE;
FOR A FALL GUY! IT IS A DISTINCT MEMORY; TO ME; OF HAVING ONCE MONITORED
THE CASE; INTERPLANETARILY; AS PART OF SPACE OBSERVATIONAL SECURITY; &
THE TRUTH IS; I'VE SEEN IT ON THE INTERPLANETARY TELEVISION RUN, OF MOVIE
AND TELEVISION SHOWS MEDIA; ONE OF EARTH'S PASTS AFTER ANOTHER! THE BLAC
REVOLUTIONISTS; HAVE USED MISSION IMPOSSIBLE MASKED METHODS; OF PREMEDIT
MARTYRISMS; FOR MANY LONG YEARS; DURING THE PAST; AND; COULD HAVE EASILY;
USED THE IDENTITY; OF DAN WHITE; TELLING HIM EXACTLY WHAT TO DO; AND ALSO
TELLING HIM TO GO HOME; OR; TO THE NORTHERN SATION POLICE DEPARTMENT; &
TAKE THE BLAME FOR IT OR ELSE! I THINK; THE CASE; IS CO*LINKAGE; WITH
THE REV. JIM JONES CASE; AND POSSIBLY; THE PATRICIA HEARST CASE INDIVID
UALS TOO; THE DIRTY S&N REVOLUTIONISTS; [REDACTED]

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DIRECTOR, FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION EDGAR HOOVER

WASHINGTON DC

DEAR MR WEBSTER HIS IN TO CONFIRM THAT MY OFFICE IS PRESENTLY

CONDUCTING AN INVESTIGATION INTO POSSIBLE CALIFORNIA CRIMINAL LAW

VIOLATIONS BY PRESENT AND FORMER MEMBERS OF THE PEOPLES TEMPLE

ARISING OUT OF THE RECENT HOMICIDES AND ALLEGED MASS SUICIDES IN

GUYANA. WE PLAN TO ASSIGN INVESTIGATORS FROM THIS OFFICE TO

PARTICIPATE IN THE DE-BRIEFING OF THE SURVIVORS OF THE GUYANA TRAGEDY

UPON THEIR RETURN TO THE UNITED STATE. IN THIS REGARD WE ARE SEEKING

THE BUREAU'S COOPERATION TO CONDUCT JOINT INTERVIEWS OF DECEASED PERSONS

WITH YOUR ASSIGNED FBI AGENTS. I HAVE REQUESTED THE ASSISTANCE OF

THE STATE DEPARTMENT IN ARRANGING FOR A CONSOLIDATED INTERVIEW

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PROCEEDING ON THE RETURN OF THE SURVIVORS OF THE UNITED STATES.

PLEASE ACKNOWLEDGE YOUR AGREEMENT WITH THIS PROPOSAL. (u)

CC: THE HONORABLE CYRUS VANCE SECRETARY OF STATE US STATE DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON DC (u)

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FROM: SAC, TAMPA (89-79)(P)

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ReTPtel to Bureau, 11/21/78. (u)

Enclosed for the Bureau is one copy of an FD 302
 with , ham radio operator, 
 Enclosed for San Francisco is original of above FD 302.

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[redacted], home telephone number [redacted] was contacted at his residence. [redacted] was advised of the identity of the interviewing Agent and of the purpose of the interview. (u)

[redacted] advised that he is a ham radio operator and, as such, [redacted]. He advised that [redacted] is to handle Net discipline and police the airways so that the proper FCC rules and regulations are observed. Frequency 21.415 is a frequency primarily used to assist missionaries in overseas work. Within the last years, [redacted] has been listening to and making patch phone calls and turning station WB6MID/8R3 over to places in the Continental United States. WB6MID/8R3 is a ham radio station out of Jonestown, Guyana. The call sign WB6MID is registered to an Albert Touchette of 3747 Road B, Redwood Valley, California. (u)

[redacted] stated that the station operates with operators known only to him as Sara, Bea and Jim. Principally, Sara operates the station and has been in violation of FCC regulations by operating illegally, cutting in for emergencies when there are no emergencies and transmitting coded messages. The coded messages were using the names of flowers, small animals and birds in the code. [redacted] said he believed [redacted] of NBC News in Chicago, Illinois, knows of a man who is a ham operator in the Chattanooga, Tennessee, area who has broken the code. [redacted] stated that the Peoples Temple apparently has stations in unknown (u)

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by SA [redacted] wh Date dictated 11/22/78

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locations in Texas, California, and also Chattanooga, Tennessee. He stated that an operator in California, with whom he has been in contact, may have more knowledge of transmissions by the group. He stated this man is a [REDACTED] (u)

[REDACTED] stated he did not know the last names or identities of Sara, Jim or Bea and also stated that he did not make any patch calls for Sara to a Harry in California, telephone number 922-9597, on October 12, 1978, and apparently this must have been some other ham operator in another area. (u)

[REDACTED] said approximately one month ago Sara contacted him [REDACTED] for him to transfer her to California. He stated that at that time he told her that he would no longer handle the Peoples Temple transmissions because of the aforementioned illegalities and the fact that they were transmitting coded messages. Sara then told him that these were false allegations, and he was being slanderous towards her and the organization, and they would sue him, and [REDACTED] would be contacted by their attorney, Mark Lane. Approximately two or three days later, [REDACTED] was telephonically contacted by Mark Lane. Upon initial contact, Lane told [REDACTED] that he wanted to know more about the Peoples Temple. He did not mention or identify himself as being an attorney for the Peoples Temple and only wanted the information to write a book. [REDACTED] said he then confronted him with the fact that he was the attorney for the Peoples Temple, and it was his understanding that Lane was going to file a civil suit against him regarding the Peoples Temple. Lane told [REDACTED] that he was not going to file suit against him, and that he was only interested in information regarding the Peoples Temple for a book that he was writing. [REDACTED] said he told Lane of all of the FCC regulations that the Peoples Temple had broken, and he has not heard from Lane, Sara or the Peoples Temple since that time. (u)

[REDACTED] advised that in the event he received any further contact from the Peoples Temple or any individuals associated with the organization, he would immediately notify the FBI. (u)

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FROM : J. O. Ingram

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Mike Abbell, Departmental Attorney, Department of Justice, advised p.m. 11/29/78, that he had just conferred with Phillip Haymann, Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, and they were reversing an earlier decision made that no autopsies would be conducted by the Federal Government at Dover, Delaware. The Department now believes that an autopsy should be performed on Reverend Jim Jones, Doctor Larry Schacht, Maria Katsaris, and a random sampling of four others if available. Abbell was placed in direct contact with Doctor William R. Cowen, Deputy Director, Armed Forces Institute of Pathology, Dover Air Force Base, who advised that autopsies could be conducted but they would need written requests from the Department of Justice.

Abbell contacted me 5:52 p.m., advising that he had discussed this matter with Mary Lawton on the legal basis and legally they have no problems since this would be Foreign Police Cooperation and the Department knows they must conduct some autopsies because of the notoriety of this case and a full pathological examination of at least selected individuals would be desirable. He indicated Reverend Jones, Doctor Schacht, and Katsaris should be the three subjects of autopsies and then four others selected randomly out of the named list. An autopsy on Katsaris should be performed since she was reportedly an aide to Reverend Jones and could have been his mistress, and the fact that she was involved with the Carters over a suitcase of money and may have been shot and killed. Abbell has no facts, but this is what the news media is putting out. He indicated he is instructing the FBI to ask the Reverend Jones' remaining family, Doctor Schacht's remaining family, and Katsaris' remaining family to furnish a short statement requesting that an autopsy be conducted. Upon the identification of four bodies selected at random, the FBI should contact the family requesting a written consent for an autopsy.

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Memo to Mr. Moore
RE: RYMUR

Abbell advised a.m. 11/30/78, that he has been informed by the Air Force pathologists that they are in receipt of a telegram at Dover Air Force Base from Doctor Schacht's family in Houston requesting an autopsy; however, this is not sufficient and the FBI will have to contact the family at Houston to obtain a short written statement of consent. Abbell knows Jones has an adopted daughter allegedly in the D. C. area, and she should be contacted.

Abbell was requested to promptly submit his request regarding autopsies in writing to the FBI, and he stated he would do so.

ACTION: Forward teletypes to Houston, confirm with Identification Division regarding bodies of Jones and Katsaris for background on relatives to be contacted, obtain names, addresses, etc. of four bodies selected at random for autopsies, and set forth leads by teletype to obtain authority for autopsies. (u)

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RE NEW YORK TELETYPE TO BUREAU NOV. 28, 1978. (u)

A REVIEW OF INDICES AND FILES OF MEMPHIS OFFICE REVEALED

NO INFO REGARDING INDIVIDUALS NAMED [REDACTED] 784

[REDACTED] RELATED TO CAPTIONED CASE. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WAS INTERVIEWED NOV. 24, 1978, AND ADVISED HE WAS
UNFAMILIAR WITH PEOPLE'S TEMPLE (PT) AND REV. JONES UNTIL THE
DEATH OF CONGRESSMAN RYAN AND THE MASS SUICIDE WHICH HAS BROUGHT
THIS INTO NATIONAL PROMINENCE. [REDACTED]

ON NOV. 29, 1978 [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] SPECIFIC ADDRESS
NOT KNOWN, AND IS SUBSCRIBER TO [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ALSO REPORTED THAT AN INDIVIDUAL, NAME NOT
RECALLED, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] AT WHICH TIME
THIS INDIVIDUAL WAS USING THE ALIAS [REDACTED]. THIS PERSON,
WHO WAS NOT KNOWN AS [REDACTED] AT FCI, EL RENO, ASSOCIATED AT
FCI WITH PERSONS REPORTEDLY ACTIVE IN THE WHITE PANTHER PARTY AND
THE RAINBOW PEOPLE'S PARTY. [REDACTED] BELIEVES THIS INDIVIDUAL
WAS CONFINED FOLLOWING CONVICTION FOR MANUFACTURING AND/OR SELLING
AUTOMATIC WEAPONS. [REDACTED]

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ON NOV. 30, 1978, [REDACTED] ADVISED THAT [REDACTED]

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NO ADDITIONAL DETAILS AVAILABLE. (u)

THE NOV. 28, 1978, ISSUE OF THE "PRESS SCIMITAR",
MEMPHIS DAILY NEWSPAPER, CONTAINED AN ARTICLE WHEREIN IT WAS (u)

REPORTED THAT MARK LANE INFORMED OFFICERS OF THE MEMPHIS PD
THAT MICHAEL LAFRANCI, AN INMATE AT THE SHELBY COUNTY PENAL
FARM, HAD RECEIVED A PHONE CALL FROM A WOMAN ASKING LAFRANCI
TO BREAK INTO LANE'S MEMPHIS HOME. LANE SAID LAFRANCI'S
NAME WAS FOUND IN THE JONESTOWN CABIN BELONGING TO REV. JIM
JONES, LEADER OF THE PT (u)

ON NOV. 28, 1978, [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] MEMPHIS TELEPHONE NO. 901-388-0332
IS LISTED TO SHELBY COUNTY JAIL (EAST), MEMPHIS. [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] (u)
FOR INFORMATION OF THE OKLAHOMA CITY OFFICE, REFERENCED
TELETYPE CONTAINS FOLLOWING INFO: (u)

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[REDACTED] (PROTECT), ADVISED
THIS DATE THAT WHILE ON WEEKEND DUTY, NOV. 26, 1978, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] RECEIVED AN ANONYMOUS TELEPHONE CALL (u)
[REDACTED] HE RECEIVED AN ANONYMOUS TELEPHONE CALL

THE SUBSTANCE OF WHICH IS AS FOLLOWS:

THE ANONYMOUS CALLER RECEIVED A TELEPHONE CALL FROM
GUYANA FROM [REDACTED] U.S. SOLDIER WITH THE GRAVES
REGISTRATION DETACHMENT IN JONESTOWN. THE SOLDIER WAS ABLE
TO GO THROUGH PT FILES BEFORE THEY WERE CONFISCATED BY GUYANA
OFFICIALS. HE ALLEGEDLY SAW EVIDENCE OF PT'S INVOLVEMENT IN
DRUG SMUGGLING. THE SOLDIER TOLD [REDACTED] TO WRITE DOWN
THE FOLLOWING: "NOVEMBER 14, 1978.. [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED], AND PASS IT ON TO ESQUIRE MAGAZINE.
[REDACTED] BELIEVES "ESQUIRE MAGAZINE" IS A REFERENCE TO
[REDACTED] CORUM'S SEPTEMBER, 1978 ARTICLE IN THAT MAGAZINE DETAILING
THE SOUTH AMERICAN DRUG TRADE. [REDACTED] BELIEVED CALLED TO BE
LEGITIMATE AND BELIEVED FBI MAY BE INTERESTED IN THIS INFORMATION. w

OKLAHOMA CITY OFFICE AT EL RENO, WILL CONTACT APPROPRIATE
OFFICIALS AT FCI, EL RENO, IN EFFORT TO IDENTIFY THE INDIVIDUAL
DESCRIBED HEREIN WITH ALIAS [REDACTED] IF AN INDIVIDUAL IS w) 67C

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IDENTIFIED SET OUT LEADS TO LOCATE AND INTERVIEW REGARDING
HIS KNOWLEDGE OF THE PT, JIM JONES, AND WHY HIS NAME [REDACTED] b7C

[REDACTED] WAS MAINTAINED BY PT IN JONESTOWN, GUYANA. FBI
FINGERPRINT RECORDS INDICATE [REDACTED]
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FOR THE INFORMATION OF THE BUREAU AND ALEXANDRIA, KAREN JACQUELINE SPEIER, WHITE FEMALE, DOB [REDACTED] AIDE TO SLAIN CONGRESSMAN LEO RYAN, WHO WAS WOUNDED DURING ATTACK ON RYAN'S PARTY IN GUYANA, WAS TRANSFERRED FROM MARYLAND INSTITUTE FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES TO ARLINGTON HOSPITAL, ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA, NOVEMBER 30, 1978. (U)

SPEIER WILL BE UNDER CARE OF DR. [REDACTED] TELEPHONE NUMBER [REDACTED] AND WILL REMAIN AT ARLINGTON HOSPITAL FOR APPROXIMATELY ONE MONTH. SHE IS EXPECTED TO UNDERGO [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] FOR GUN SHOT WOUNDS OF THE RIGHT (U)

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FOREARM AND THIGH. A SINGLE BULLET REMAINS [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] BUT NO DECISION HAD BEEN MADE TO DATE
WHETHER TO RISK REMOVAL. (u)

ALEXANDRIA WILL IMMEDIATELY ESTABLISH LIAISON WITH DR.
[REDACTED] AND LOCAL POLICE TO INSURE ADEQUATE SECURITY FOR
SPEIER IN VIEW OF ALLEGED THREATS BY PEOPLES' TEMPLE AGAINST
UNIDENTIFIED PUBLIC OFFICIALS. (u)

ARMED AND DANGEROUS. SUICIDAL TENDENCIES. (u)

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RE DALLAS TELETYPE TO BUREAU, INTERESTED OFFICES, NOVEMBER 22, 1973. **141**

ON NOVEMBER 30, 1973, LATE PM, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] (PROTECT IDENTITY) WAS INTERVIEWED BY BUAGENTS.

[REDACTED] DISPLAYED EXTREME RELUCTANCE IN SPEAKING OF ACTIVITIES CONCERNING PEOPLE'S TEMPLE (PT). [REDACTED] CONSIDERABLY MORE

RESPONSIVE TO SOME QUESTIONS THAN WAS DISPLAYED AT PREVIOUS

MEETING, BUT SHE EXHIBITS CONTINUING FEAR OF RETALIATION FROM

CURRENT PT MEMBERS AND WILL NOT RESPOND TO SOME QUESTIONS BECAUSE

OF THIS, EVEN THOUGH SHE ACKNOWLEDGES HAVING DIRECT AND INDIRECT

KNOWLEDGE OF INFORMATION SOUGHT. [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] FURNISHED A STRUCTURAL DESCRIPTION OF THE ORGANIZATION OF THE PT WHICH CORRESPONDS TO THAT ALREADY KNOWN TO THE BUREAU. [REDACTED] PT HIGHLY "COMPARTMENTALIZED" AND ILLEGAL AND ILLICIT ACTIVITIES OF PT KNOWN ONLY TO VARIOUS MEMBERS WHO HAD NEED TO KNOW. REVEREND JONES OVERSAW ENTIRE OPERATION OF PT AND WAS ONLY PERSON WHO HAD COMPLETE KNOWLEDGE OF ENTIRE ACTIVITIES OF PT. [REDACTED] INNER CIRCLE OF THIRTEEN TO FIFTEEN ELITE PT MEMBERS WERE KNOWLEDGEABLE OF SPECIFIC ILLEGAL ACTIVITIES OF CHURCH, BUT NO ONE INNER CIRCLE MEMBER FAMILIAR WITH ALL OF THESE ACTIVITIES. (u)

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[REDACTED] REVEREND JONES WAS KNOWN TO ALL INNER CIRCLE ELITE AS AN AVOWED MARXIST WHOSE ULTIMATE GOAL WAS OBTAINING SOCIALISTIC STATE IN UNITED STATES. JONES DIRECTED ALL CHURCH EFFORTS TO THIS GOAL AND PREDOMINANT PHILOSOPHY OF CULT WAS "THE END JUSTIFIES THE MEANS". ACCORDING [REDACTED] [REDACTED] CRIME WAS JUSTIFIED IF IT EFFECTED THE GOAL OF SOCIALISM. *u1*

[REDACTED] SHE HAD PERSONAL KNOWLEDGE OF HIT LISTS WHICH ^{had} ~~was~~ COMPILED AT JONES DIRECTION BY PT MEMBER AND INNER CIRCLE ELITE, JACK BEAN. AT TIME OF [REDACTED], FIFTY TO SEVENTY-FIVE NAMES APPEARED ON HIT LIST AND INCLUDED SELECT U. S. SENATORS, CONGRESSMEN, STATE GOVERNMENT LEADERS, HEADS OF MAJOR CORPORATIONS, REPORTERS, AND OTHER AVOWED ENEMIES OF THE PT. JONES WAS COMPLETELY RESPONSIBLE FOR PICKING INDIVIDUALS WHO WERE INCLUDED ON HIT LIST. PERSONS TARGETED WERE PERSONAL ENEMIES OF CHURCH IE DEFECTED MEMBERS, PUBLIC CRITICS OF JONES OR PROMINENT "CAPITALISTIC" INDUSTRIAL LEADERS. ALSO INCLUDED ON LIST WERE KEY ELECTED OFFICIALS AND INDUSTRIAL CORPORATION EXECUTIVES WHO WERE CONSIDERED TO BE "CAPITALISTIC" LEADERS WHOSE ELIMINATION WOULD FURTHER

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THE CAUSE OF SOCIALISM IN THE UNITED STATES. PURPOSE OF
HIT LIST WAS TO ELIMINATE PT ENEMIES AND TO ACCOMPLISH
CONVERSION OF UNITED STATES TO SOCIALISM. [REDACTED]
CORPORATION HEADS PRIMARY TARGETS AS THEY WERE BELIEVED TO
CONTROL THIS COUNTRY'S ECONOMY AND HENCE
EXISTING POLITICAL SYSTEM. [REDACTED] SHE HAD KNOWLEDGE
OF IDENTITY OF PERSONS ON HIT LIST BUT DECLINED TO NAME
SAME (PROBABLY BECAUSE OF PERSONAL INVOLVEMENT). [REDACTED]
NOT STATE IF PRESIDENT OR VICE PRESIDENT OF UNITED STATES
INCLUDED ON LIST. (u)

[REDACTED] PRESIDENT OF UNITED STATES NOT
CONSIDERED AN IMPORTANT TARGET SINCE PRESIDENT HAS VERY LITTLE
CONTROL OVER ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL DIRECTION OF UNITED STATES
I PT'S OPINION. (u)

[REDACTED] IT WAS "A MATTER OF FACT" THAT
WITHIN THE NEXT SIX TO TWELVE MONTHS AFTER MASS SUICIDES IN
GUYANA, THAT ELIMINATIONS OF PERSONS ON HIT LIST WOULD BE
IMPLEMENTED BY SURVIVING PT MEMBERS. [REDACTED]
BUT STATED RECENT EVENTS WERE PART OF A "LARGER PLAN" INITIATED
LONG AGO BY JONES AND INNER CIRCLE ELITE AND THIS PLAN WOULD
BE CARRIED OUT REGARDLESS OF JONES DEMISE. [REDACTED] SHE
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[REDACTED] ALLEGES
THESE INDIVIDUALS HAVE KNOWLEDGE OF CURRENT PT CRUNCH PLANS
AND THAT HER ABOVE OBSERVATION BASED ON THIS INFORMATION.

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[REDACTED] NO KNOWLEDGE OF EXTENT OF THE ADDITIONS MADE TO
HIT LIST [REDACTED] BUT BELIEVES IT NOW TO BE
"ENLARGED". [REDACTED] (4)

[REDACTED] REGULAR FIREARMS TRAINING CONDUCTED BY PT
[REDACTED] FOR "SELECT" MEMBERS. [REDACTED] PT
SYSTEMATICALLY ACCUMULATED WEAPONS FROM "STREET SOURCES" AND
INTIMATED AUTOMATIC WEAPONS INCLUDED. [REDACTED] WEAPONS
CACHES WERE MAINTAINED AT VARIOUS LOCATIONS AND INDICATED
PAST KNOWLEDGE OF THESE LOCATIONS BUT DECLINED TO STATE FURTHER
DETAILS. [REDACTED] PT MEMBERS IN INNER CIRCLE, PT SECURITY
GUARDS, ANGELS, AND SELECT MEMBERS OF PLANNING COMMISSION WERE
ROUTINELY TRAINED BY OTHER PT MEMBERS WHO WERE U.S. MILITARY
VETERANS IN THE USE OF FIREARMS. (ONE PERSON [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] CONDUCTING THIS TYPE TRAINING WAS ONE HAROLD CORDELL, *US military (former)*
(PHONETIC), NOT FURTHER IDENTIFIED [REDACTED] PT
ATTORNEY CHARLES GEARY SUBSTANTIALLY ASSISTED PT IN ACQUIRING
FIREARMS. [REDACTED] SHE WOULD NOT GO INTO DETAILS OF GEARY'S

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ASSISTANCE TO PT IN THIS REGARD, BUT STATED PT "HAD SOMETHING ON" GLARY WHICH GUARANTEED GLARY'S COOPERATION IN THIS MATTER.

[REDACTED] GLARY IS WELL AWARE OF PT CHURCH ILLEGAL ACTIVITIES AND PLANS NOT FROM HIS RELATIONSHIP AS ATTORNEY FOR CULT, BUT RATHER THROUGH SOME TYPE OF PARTICIPATION. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] PT ATTORNEY MARK LANE ALSO HAS BEEN COMPROMISED BY PT CULT AND HAS DISTINCT KNOWLEDGE THROUGH HIS ASSOCIATION WITH CHURCH MEMBERS OF CULT'S ILLEGAL ACTIVITIES. [REDACTED] SHE

DOES NOT KNOW OF ANY ILLEGAL ACTIVITIES IN WHICH LANE IS INVOLVED. (u)

[REDACTED] SHE DOES HAVE KNOWLEDGE OF SUBSTANTIAL BANKS OF MONEY MAINTAINED BY THE PT. [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (u)
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (u)

[REDACTED] EACH OF THESE INDIVIDUALS WAS AN INNER CIRCLE MEMBER. [REDACTED] IDENTIFY SPECIFIC BANKS INVOLVED AND IT IS NOT KNOWN FROM HER RESPONSES TO QUESTIONS IF SHE POSSESSES SUCH (u)

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INFORMATION. [REDACTED] AMOUNTS OF CASH WERE MAINTAINED
IN VARIOUS US BANKS, PRINCIPALLY IN THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AS
OPERATING CAPITAL FOR PT. (u)

[REDACTED] ANY QUESTIONS DEALING WITH CONTINGENCY
PLANS IN PT CHURCH WHICH WOULD BE UTILIZED AS A MEANS OF RETALIATION
AGAINST PERSONS ATTEMPTING TO ARREST REVEREND JONES. LIKEWISE,

[REDACTED] KNOWLEDGE OF ANY THREATS TO PUBLIC
OFFICIALS, FORMER MEMBERS, OR PRESS REPRESENTATIVES BY THE PT IN
THE PAST, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF ADMITTING THAT SHE HAD THIS
KNOWLEDGE AND THIS HAD, IN FACT, HAPPENED. [REDACTED]

PLANS DID EXIST AND WERE UTILIZED TO COMPROMISE PUBLIC OFFICIALS
FOR PT GOALS AND SHE ADVISED SHE HAS KNOWLEDGE THIS HAS OCCURRED
IN PAST. SHE WOULD NOT FURTHER ELABORATE. DURING AGENT'S FIRST

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MEETING [REDACTED] AS NOTED IN REFERENCED TELETYPE, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] SHE KNEW OF A PLAN TO COMPROMISE THE [REDACTED] IN
UKIAH, CALIFORNIA, IN THE EARLY 1970'S THROUGH THE HOMOSEXUAL
APPROACH BY THE PT. [REDACTED]

NOR WOULD SHE STATE THIS PLAN ACTUALLY WAS IMPLEMENTED. [REDACTED]
HAS STATED THOUGH, THAT PT EXPERIENCED "NO PROBLEMS" IN UKIAH,
CALIFORNIA, INTIMATING PT HAD SOME LEVERAGE ON [REDACTED]
THERE AND PERHAPS OTHER ELECTED OFFICIALS. (u)

[REDACTED] PT UTILIZED VOTING BLOC STRENGTH IN OBTAINING
COOPERATION AND NON-INTERFERENCE BY LOCAL AND STATE OFFICIALS
IN STATE OF CALIFORNIA. [REDACTED] PT MEMBERS VOTED IN UNISON
FOR CANDIDATES WHOM REVEREND JONES DESIGNATED AND THROUGH THIS,
JONES WAS ABLE TO SECURE CERTAIN FAVORS IN RETURN FROM THESE
OFFICIALS. [REDACTED] CITED PUBLIC OFFICIALS, UKIAH, CALIFORNIA,
NO NAMES GIVEN, AS EXAMPLES OF THIS. (u)

[REDACTED] THAT WITHIN PT, THERE EXISTED A GROUP KNOWN
AS "THE ANGELS" OR "THE MESSENGERS". [REDACTED] THESE PERSONS
WERE ASSIGNED TO ACCOMPLISH "HITS" WHICH WOULD INCLUDE EVERY TYPE
OF CRIME, INCLUDING MURDER. [REDACTED] THE FOLLOWING PT MEMBERS
WHO WERE "ANGELS": TERRY BUFORD, BOB KICE [REDACTED] (u)

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LARRY LATON, JACK BEAM. WITH THE EXCEPTION OF BEAM, ANGELS WERE STRONG-ARM TYPES WHO WERE NOT NOTED FOR MENTAL ABILITIES BUT WERE EXTREMELY LOYAL AND DEDICATED FOLLOWERS OF JONES AND FOLLOWED ORDERS METICULOUSLY. THE "ANGELS" LOYALTY WAS TESTED FREQUENTLY BY JONES. LESS TESTED AND TRUSTED PT STRONG-ARM TYPES WERE ASSIGNED "SECURITY GUARD" DUTY AND IT WAS THEIR FUNCTION TO KEEP PT MEMBERS IN LINE WITH WISHES OF REVEREND JONES. [REDACTED] NOT NAME ALL ANGELS SHE KNEW BUT INDICATED ABOVE NAMES ARE NOT, BY ANY MEANS, ALL INCLUSIVE. [REDACTED] SHE WOULD BE MORE WILLING TO TALK REGARDING THIS AFTER SHE KNEW THE IDENTITIES OF PT MEMBERS WHO DIED IN GUYANA. [REDACTED] SHE KNEW FOR A FACT BOB KICE WAS INVOLVED IN JONESTOWN AIRPORT SHOOTING OF CONGRESSMAN RYAN AND NEWSMEN BUT WOULD NOT STATE SOURCE OF THIS INFORMATION. (u)

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[REDACTED] PT HAD "CAPABILITIES" TO MANUFACTURE CERTAIN STREET DRUGS PRIOR TO PT ESTABLISHING AGRICULTURAL COMMUNITY IN GUYANA, BUT HAS NO KNOWLEDGE THIS EVER OCCURRED WHILE CULT WAS LOCATED IN US. [REDACTED] NO KNOWLEDGE OF CULT'S DRUG ACTIVITIES IN GUYANA. [REDACTED] PT DID RECRUIT ONE "CHRIS LEWIS" (PHONETIC), A NEGRO MALE, NOT FURTHER DESCRIBED, AS A PT MEMBER

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1. SAN FRANCISCO. LEWIS WAS A KNOWN POLICE CHARACTER AND ENGAGED IN DRUG TRAFFICKING AND PIMPING ACTIVITIES IN SAN FRANCISCO AREA AT THE TIME OF HIS CONVERSION TO THE PT CHURCH. JONES ALLOWED LEWIS TO CONTINUE WITH HIS ILLEGAL ACTIVITIES SUBSEQUENT TO HIS JOINING PT CHURCH AND MONETARY PROCEEDS OF LEWIS' ACTIVITIES WERE FUNNELED DIRECTLY TO JONES AND THE PT CHURCH. (u)

[REDACTED] LEWIS WENT TO GUYANA WITH JONES BUT SUBSEQUENTLY RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES. [REDACTED] ^{LEWIS} JONES WAS SHOT AND KILLED IN THE SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA AREA IN THE PAST. [REDACTED]

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WOULD NOT OR COULD NOT ELABORATE DETAILS OF LEWIS' DEATH AND DID NOT STATE WHETHER PT INVOLVED IN THIS. [REDACTED] SANDY BRADSHAW, A [REDACTED] IN SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, IS A MEMBER OF THE INNER CIRCLE OF THE PT CHURCH CURRENTLY AND INTIMATED BRADSHAW IS ALSO "AN ANGEL". [REDACTED] BRADSHAW, MORE THAN ANY OTHER PERSON, KNOWS THE CURRENT PLANS OF THE PT CHURCH REGARDING IMPLEMENTATION OF CONTINGENCY PLANS AND/OR CARRYING OUT MURDERS OF THOSE NAMED IN HIT LIST. [REDACTED] TERRY BUFORD IS KNOWN BY HER TO BE IN CHARGE OF PT FILES AND IS THE CURRENT PT MEMBER ASSIGNED TO MAINTAIN THE PT HIT LIST. (u)

WHILE ANSWERING SPECIFIC QUESTIONS DURING THIS INTERVIEW, [REDACTED]

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INDICATED THAT THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS ARE [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] (u)
[REDACTED]
RELUCTANT TO DISCUSS HER KNOWLEDGE OF ANY OF THESE INDIVIDUALS' ACTIVITIES. (u)

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[REDACTED] PT DEFECTORS MIKE CARTMELL AEF DEBBIE BLAMELY WOULD READILY FURNISH INFORMATION REGARDING THEIR KNOWLEDGE OF THE PT. [REDACTED] MIKE CARTMELL WAS KNOWN TO HER TO BE A PLANNING COMMISSION MEMBER BUT SHE DOES NOT KNOW THE EXTENT OF CARTMELL'S KNOWLEDGE OF EXPLICIT ILLEGAL ACTIVITIES ON THE PART OF THE PT. [REDACTED] ANY INFORMATION FURNISHED BY THESE TWO INDIVIDUALS REGARDING CONTINGENCY PLANS OR HIT LISTS WOULD PROBABLY BE SECOND HAND INFORMATION. (u)

REGARDING [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] STATED

SHE DOES NOT WISH THAT THIS INFORMATION BE IMPARTED TO [REDACTED] (u)
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[REDACTED] HAS DIRECT KNOWLEDGE OF CRIMINAL
ACTIVITIES ON THE PART OF THE PT AND [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] HAD PARTICIPATED IN THE
PLANNING AND SUBSEQUENT MURDERS OF SEVERAL PT ENEMIES (POTENTIAL
PT DEFECTORS). THIS INFORMATION IS BELIEVED TO BE RELIABLE
BECAUSE [REDACTED] IMPLICATED [REDACTED] IN THE PLANNING OF THESE
MURDERS. (u)

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] BUT STATED THESE INDIVIDUALS WOULD NOT
COOPERATE WITH ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT AUTHORITIES IN INVESTIGATION

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[REDACTED] BOTH OF THESE INDIVIDUALS ARE
TERRIFIED OF RETALIATION BY THE PT AND INDICATED THAT [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] HAD RECENTLY RECEIVED THREATENING
PHONE CALLS FROM PT MEMBERS (u)

[REDACTED] SHE WAS EXTREMELY NERVOUS AND FEARFUL OF AGAIN
MEETING WITH BUAGENTS BUT DID AGREE TO TELEPHONICALLY CONTACT
THE DALLAS OFFICE DURING THE FOLLOWING WEEK FOR THE PURPOSE
OF ARRANGING ANOTHER INTERVIEW. IT IS BELIEVED THAT WITH EACH
INTERVIEW [REDACTED] MORE COOPERATIVE AND FURNISHES
MORE VALUABLE INFORMATION RE PT ACTIVITIES. IT IS FELT THAT
AN ATTEMPT [REDACTED] TO INTERVIEW [REDACTED] AT
THIS TIME COULD JEOPARDIZE ANY FURTHER COOPERATIVE TYPE INTERVIEWS
[REDACTED] INTERVIEWS WITH [REDACTED] WOULD NOT BE
PRODUCTIVE AT THIS TIME. (u)

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[REDACTED] AND WILL VIGOROUSLY
ATTEMPT TO SECURE ADDITIONAL COOPERATION ON HER PART RE PAST
[REDACTED] PT ACTIVITIES. IT IS THE OPINIONS OF THE INTERVIEWING
AGENTS THAT CONTINUED CONTACTS [REDACTED] OF THE SAME NATURE AS
THE PREVIOUS TWO MEETINGS WILL ENABLE THE BUREAU TO OBTAIN
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REGARDING THE IDENTITIES AND SPECIFIC
ILLEGAL ACTIVITIES OF THE PT. [REDACTED] TOLD THE INTERVIEWING
AGENTS THAT SHE HAS REVEALED A MINUTE PERCENTAGE OF THE INFORMATION
WHICH SHE HAS REGARDING THESE PERSONS AND ILLEGAL ACTIVITIES. IT
IS ALSO FELT THAT ANY ATTEMPTS TO [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] AT THIS TIME WOULD PROBABLY BE COUNTERPRODUCTIVE.
[REDACTED] PREVIOUSLY INDICATED SHE HAS, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
BUT STATED SHE DOUBTS ANY [REDACTED] WOULD CONTAIN ANY
INCULCATING EVIDENCE AGAINST PT MEMBERS. [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] WILL MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO DETERMINE IF THIS IS
THE CASE AND TO SECURE SAME. (u)

INQUIRY WITH TEXAS LAW ENFORCEMENT TELETYPE SYSTEM RE

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[REDACTED] REVEALED SHE CURRENTLY HOLDS [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]. FROM THESE RECORDS [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] (u)
IT IS IMPERATIVE THAT UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES SHOULD [REDACTED]

COOPERATION IN THIS MATTER BE DIVULGED NOR SHOULD THE GIST OF
HER STATEMENTS BE FURNISHED TO ANY OUTSIDE PERSONS [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] (u)
IT SHOULD ALSO BE NOTED THAT DURING THIS INTERVIEW, [REDACTED]
ADVISED THAT SHE KNEW PT DOCTOR LARRY SCHACHT BUT SHE DID NOT
ELABORATE A RELATIONSHIP OR EXTENT OF ASSOCIATION WITH THIS
INDIVIDUAL. (u)

FOR INFORMATION OF THE BUREAU, [REDACTED] CURRENT
MEMBERS OF THE PT CHURCH ARE INVOLVED IN A LAW ENFORCEMENT CAPACITY,
SUCH AS SANDY BRADSHAW, [REDACTED] SAN FRANCISCO,
CALIFORNIA. [REDACTED] ELUDED TO THE FACT THAT THE PT HAS,
IN THE PAST, HAD OTHER LAW ENFORCEMENT TYPES RECRUITED TO SERVE

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PT NEEDS. IN VIEW OF THIS THE BUREAU MIGHT CONSIDER REQUIRING ALL FIELD OFFICES TO MAINTAIN THE FILES RE CAPTIONED MATTER IN A SECURE PLACE WHERE ACCESS IS LIMITED. THIS WOULD PRECLUDE AN UNINTENTIONAL DISCLOSURE OF SOURCE INFORMATION BY CLERICAL OR OTHER BUREAU PERSONNEL TO PT CHURCH SOURCES. (u)

[REDACTED] WILL ADVISE THE BUREAU AND SAN FRANCISCO OF DEVELOPMENTS AS THEY OCCUR. SAN FRANCISCO IS REQUESTED TO ADVISE [REDACTED] THEY DESIRE IMMEDIATE CONTACT TO BE MADE WITH [REDACTED] (u)

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RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO BALTIMORE DECEMBER 1 INSTANT. (u)

FOR THE INFORMATION OF THE BUREAU AND SAN FRANCISCO,
THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITIES OCCURRED AT DOVER, DELAWARE, ON
DECEMBER 1, 1978: (u)

THE FOLLOWING ITEMS OF POSSIBLE EVIDENTIARY NATURE
WERE SECURED FROM VICTIM BODIES AT DOVER AIR FORCE BASE.
THE BODIES WILL BE IDENTIFIED ONLY BY ALPHA AND NUMERIC
DESIGNATION. (u)

FROM BODY 61-H, THREE CANISTERS CONTAINING TRI-X FILM
TWO OF WHICH APPEARED TO BE EXPOSED, ONE OF WHICH APPEARS
DAMAGED. (u)

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FROM BODY 1-G, 46 ROUNDS OF 30-30 AMMO AND ONE ROUND
OF .22 CALIBER AMMO. (u)

FROM BODY 22-A, ONE MAGAZINE OF .30 CALIBER CARBINE
AMMO AND THREE MAGAZINE POUCHES. (u)

FROM BODY 31-A, ONE AMPEX 350 RECORDING CASSETTE. (u)

FROM BODY 21-A, EIGHT ROUNDS OF .25 CALIBER AMMO. (u)

FROM BODY 3-G, ONE ROUND .22 CALIBER AMMO. (u)

FROM BODY 34-A, TWO ROUNDS 7.62 MM AMMO. (u)

FROM BODY 24-F, 13 TWELVE GAUGE SHOTGUN ROUNDS. (u)

FROM BODY 11-A, ONE PAIR PEERLESS HANDCUFFS WITH KEY. (u)

FROM BODY 59-A, ONE HOMEMADE SILVER RING WITH NAME "JIM"! (u)

IT SHOULD BE NOTED SEVERAL SIMILAR RINGS NOTICED ON OTHER
VICTIMS, HOWEVER, NOT SECURED AS EVIDENCE. IN ADDITION TO
THE ABOVE, NUMEROUS HANDWRITTEN NOTES AND SIMILAR MATERIAL
SECURED AS EVIDENCE, CURRENTLY BEING AIR DRIED, WERE LOCATED
ON SEVERAL VICTIMS. (u)

LIASON ESTABLISHED WITH COLONEL WILLIAM COWENS AT
MORTUARY, DOVER AIR FORCE BASE, REGARDING AUTOPSIES REQUESTED
BY DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE. (u)

PATHOLOGISTS REMOVING ARTICLES OF CLOTHING AND OTHER (u)

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ITEMS OF POSSIBLE EVIDENTIARY NATURE. ESTIMATE THAT
APPROXIMATELY ONE HALF OF BODIES HAVE BEEN PROCESSED AND
EXPECT TO COMPLETE EXAMINATIONS BY DECEMBER 3, 1978. AT
CONCLUSION OF EXAMINATIONS, BALTIMORE PLANS TO HANDCARRY
ALL ITEMS TO FBIHQ. (u)

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RE DIRECTOR'S TEL TO ALL FBI FIELD OFFICES, NOVEMBER 29,
1978. (u)

ON NOVEMBER 29, 1978, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WAS CONTACTED AT THE
HAM RADIO FACILITY OF UNITED STATES SENATOR BARRY GOLDWATER.

[REDACTED] ADVISED THAT HE IS [REDACTED] AND ONE OF THE
INDIVIDUALS WHO OPERATES THE HAM FACILITY AT SENATOR GOLDWATER'S.

HE CAN BE REACHED THERE AT TELEPHONE NO. [REDACTED]

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* HE STATED THAT HE HAS NEVER DONE ANY WORK WITH THE PEOPLE'S
TEMPLE (PT) NOR HAS HE HEARD OF ANY HAM OPERATORS THAT HAVE. [REDACTED]

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STATED THAT HE COULD NOT THINK OF ANYBODY IN THE PHOENIX AREA OR ANYWHERE ELSE THAT COULD HAVE POSSIBLY HANDLED TRAFFIC FOR THE PT. HE ADVISED THAT IT IS QUITE LIKELY THAT IT COULD HAVE BEEN DONE BUT HE IS JUST NOT AWARE OF IT. (u)

HE WENT ON THAT SENATOR GOLDWATER HAS NEVER MENTIONED HAVING RECEIVED ANY COMPLAINTS ABOUT THE RADIO PROCEDURES OF THE PT BUT HE ADVISED THIS COULD BE POSSIBLE AS WELL. HE ADVISED THE PERSON TO CONTACT REGARDING THIS WOULD BE [REDACTED] [REDACTED] FOR GOLDWATER AT HIS SENATE OFFICES IN WASHINGTON, D.C. (u) 67C

WFO AT WFO. CONTACT [REDACTED] TO DETERMINE IF SENATOR GOLDWATER HAS RECEIVED ANY COMPLAINTS RE THE PT THAT WOULD BE OF ANY LEAD VALUE IN THIS CASE. (u)

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ON NOVEMBER 30, 1978, DOCTOR DONALD ORE, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] A DENTIST, WHO IS
PRESIDENT OF THE MEDICAL AMATEUR RADIO COUNCIL WHICH COUNCIL
WAS IN CONTACT WITH THE JONESTOWN, GUYANA, SITUATION AND
WHICH COUNCIL HAS TURNED OVER APPROXIMATELY 50 HOURS OF TAPE
PREVIOUSLY TO THE FBI, ADVISED THAT AT 2:14 P.M., ON
NOVEMBER 30, 1978, HE RECEIVED A TELEPHONE CALL FROM A PERSON
BELIEVED BY HIM TO BE MALE CAUCASIAN, VERY BUSINESSLIKE, WHO
ASKED IS THIS DOCTOR DONALD ORE OF FLOSSMOOR, ILLINOIS, AND
WHEN HE REPLIED YES, THE MAN STATED "JUST GOT IN FROM
SAN FRANCISCO, WE'VE GOT OUR SIGHTS ON YOU." AND TERMINATED
THE CONVERSATION. (u)

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DOCTOR ORE STATED THAT PREVIOUS TO THIS, HE HAS APPEARED ON LOCAL TELEVISION TWICE IN REGARDS TO INTERVIEWS OF THEIR FURNISHING MEDICAL ASSISTANCE TO THE GUYANA COMMUNITY AND IN THE SECOND INTERVIEW, HE WAS INTRODUCED AS A DOCTOR DONALD ORE, A DENTIST WHO WAS PRACTICING IN FLOSSMOOR, ILLINOIS. (u)

DOCTOR ORE WAS ADVISED TO IMMEDIATELY CONTACT THE CHICAGO HEIGHTS AND FLOSSMOOR POLICE DEPARTMENTS AND ADVISE THEM OF THE ABOVE AND REQUEST ADDITIONAL PATROLS BY HIS PLACE OF BUSINESS AND RESIDENCE, WHICH HE STATED HE WOULD DO IMMEDIATELY. (u)

NO FURTHER INVESTIGATION IS BEING CONDUCTED AT CHICAGO AT THIS TIME. (u)
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- 1 - Mr. Adams
- 1 - Mr. Moore
- 1 - Mr. Ingram
- 1 - Mr. Gow
- 1 - Mr. [REDACTED]

Honorable Cyrus R. Vance
The Secretary of State
Washington, D. C. 20520

Attention: Mr. Alan A. Gise

Dear Mr. Secretary:

In connection with an official investigation into the facts surrounding the death of Congressman Leo J. Ryan of California, you are requested to make available for review by Special Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation any correspondence your Department may possess relating to the Peoples Temple Disciples of Christ. (u)

Your cooperation in this matter is deeply appreciated. (u)

Sincerely yours,

William H. Webster
Director

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TO : Mr. Herndon

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FROM : R. T. Kelly

1 - Mr. Herndon
1 - Mr. Kelly

SUBJECT: RYMUR

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PURPOSE: (u)

To advise appropriate officials of the receipt of tape recordings of intercepted People's Temple radio transmissions for cryptanalytic examination. (u) L7C

ACTION:

For information. (u)

DETAILS: (u)

The Technical Evaluation Unit of the Laboratory's Document Section has received this date 45 five-inch reel-to-reel recording tapes in captioned investigation. These tapes are copies produced by the Engineering Section of the Technical Services Division from recordings made by amateur radio operator [REDACTED] provided these tapes to the Bureau on 11-20-78. The recordings reflect radio transmissions on amateur radio (ham) frequencies, allegedly between the People's Temple in San Francisco, California and the contingent location at Jonestown, Guyana. We understand that additional recordings of transmissions which were intercepted by [REDACTED] and by the FCC will also be forthcoming. (u) L7C

SA [REDACTED] has been assigned responsibility for supervising the cryptanalytic examination of the tapes. He will be assisted in the task by cryptanalysts [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] and by aural analyst [REDACTED]. The cryptanalytic examination will attempt to identify the presence of any encrypted messages or other form of secret communication which could (u)

1 - Mr. [REDACTED] (atten: Engineering Section)
1 - Mr. [REDACTED] (attention: RYMUR Command Post)

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shed light on possible illegal activities of members of the People's Temple. Attorney Mark Lane has reported that a code system was in use by the group. (u)

In addition to the cryptanalytic examination of the tapes we have also been requested by the RYMUR Command Post (SA [REDACTED] to carefully monitor all transmissions for the presence of any information involving possible violations of Federal laws such as a conspiracy to murder Congressman Ryan, or to violate kidnaping, extortion, mail fraud, firearms, ITSP, etc., statutes. In view of the large volume of material involved it is logical for us to perform this task concurrent with our cryptanalytic efforts. (u) b7C

It should be noted that review of the recordings in this case is going to be a time-consuming and difficult process because of the nature of the recordings. They are taken from very crowded and noisy radio frequencies. There is a great deal of background noise including static, and CW-code signals as well as other amateur operators transmitting on the same frequencies. Due to changing atmospheric "skip" conditions only one side of some transmissions can be heard. Also, the nature of the cryptanalytic examination is tedious. The analysts must be alert not only for obvious transmission of ciphered material consisting of random-appearing numbers or letters, but also for innocuous-sounding words and phrases which could have a "double" meaning or which could be significant selectively (e.g., the third word of every other sentence). (u)

You will be kept advised regarding significant findings or results of our examination. (u)

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To: SAC, San Francisco (89-250)

1 - Mr [REDACTED]

From: Director, FBI (89-4286)

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Enclosed for San Francisco is the original of a letter dated 9/3/78 to the Los Angeles District Attorneys Office from the Peoples Temple at Jonestown, Guyana. Also enclosed is the original and two copies of a FD 302 showing receipt of this letter from the U. S. Department of State.

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On 11/29/78, [REDACTED] Bureau of Consular Affairs, Department of State, provided to Liaison Officer [REDACTED], the original of a letter dated 9/3/78 to the District Attorney of Los Angeles County, Los Angeles, California, from the "Residents at Peoples Temple Agricultural Mission Community, North West Region, Guyana, South America." The letter was signed by approximately 600 persons. [REDACTED] was unable to furnish the date the letter was given by the Los Angeles District Attorney to the State Department. b7c


Attached is the letter and its various signature pages. (u)

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by SA [REDACTED] AKN/rak Date dictated 12/1/78

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PEOPLES TEMPLE AGRICULTURAL MISSION
P.O. Box 893, Georgetown, Guyana, South America

September 3, 1978

A COMMUNITY LETTER

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To: John Van de Kamp
District Attorney
Los Angeles County
210 W. Temple Street
Los Angeles, CA USA 90001

From: Residents at Peoples Temple Agricultural Mission
Community, North West Region, Guyana, South America

Dear Mr. Van de Kamp:

As we learn more about the schemes to 'get Peoples Temple' through criminal indictments out of your office, we are increasingly outraged. But we are not naive.

For twenty-five years, Jim Jones and Peoples Temple have worked tirelessly for equality, justice, and humanitarian service. We have organized around issues of civil and human rights, inhuman conditions, and the crying need for world peace and international co-operation. We have a solid record of achievement in drug rehabilitation, in providing opportunities for jobs and education for thousands of young people, in helping untold numbers of people who were destitute, despondent, in need of medical help, counseling, food, clothing, and even shelter. We are all personal witnesses to this staggering achievement, which has been given official recognition all over the United States and even internationally. You can well understand how a man like Rev. Jones will be the subject of malicious gossip, lies, hate-campaigns, and even conspiracies orchestrated inside government institutions and the intelligence establishment. We have been the object of constant, organized harassment, vandalism, violence, smear campaigns, arsonists, racists, and even hired assassins.

Political frame-ups are not unfamiliar to us, and truthfully, we are not surprised that there is an effort to destroy us through the courts. But the reality of it is no less offensive, just because it was anticipated, even expected. We cannot stand idly by and stoically endure this injustice without protest. In fact, Peoples Temple has earned its unpopularity with certain elements in the United States precisely because it has actively fought against injustice for so many years. We do remember history, and we prefer not to repeat it. These efforts that have been mounted against us are indeed part of a shameful heritage of subterfuge that has claimed many victims over the years: individuals and organizations that were pursuing progressive directions in American life, seeking to bring together oppressed people, overcome racism, and work for economic and social justice.

You have been informed that there is an effort to destroy Peoples Temple. Though we have not 'cracked' this conspiracy completely, we are certain of enough facts to arouse any just-minded individuals, and those who wish the democratic system in the United States to survive would surely be alarmed. Some of these facts have been presented to the press; the mass media, however, has been distinguished by its refusal to print any reports that would point to what is really happening. An exception to this is the black press (and some 'Eastern establishment' press) which has been completely supportive of us throughout, since they recognize that attacks on Peoples Temple are attacks on the black community. We refer you to statements made by Dr. Carlton Goodlett, president of the National Newspaper Publishers Association (black press of America), for further clarification.

Additional facts will be brought to light soon. The story began years ago when certain individuals joined Peoples Temple who had prior experience working with the U.S. intelligence establishment and in ultra-right wing organizations. The hard facts came to light beginning in late 1976 when two military officers connected with Senator Stennis were caught trespassing near our church while a black woman mayor from Mississippi was speaking to our congregation about her trip to the Peoples Republic of China (we have no political alignment with any country, and have

always attempted to keep informed about alternative forms of government and their accomplishments). The very fact that we pursued these agents and published our startling findings about their spying mission no doubt intensified the determination of those out to harm us. Would it have been proper, or moral, to remain silent about it? We think not. Democracy depends upon the people knowing what is happening to them. What happens to Peoples Temple is only an example, in some instances, a harbinger, of what is planned for other minority groups.

We are confident that when you have the full picture of how the current group of people who are specifically organized to harass and persecute Peoples Temple have operated over the past year and a half, first secretly meeting to plot how to push smear and slander articles in the sensationalist press (they even hired a prominent, expensive public relations firm to help), then conspired to pressure and recruit people who would join them in lies and subterfuges, then going further to harm innocent people using government officials, and even threatening to hire mercenaries, you would not allow your office to be used and compromised to further their schemes.

Only a few of the devices that have been used in the attempts to destroy us include the following:

--Government agents who have conspired directly with members of Mr. Stoen's group of 'concerned relatives' that has pushed this campaign, have offered bribes and have attempted to blackmail various people to lie about and denounce Jim Jones and Peoples Temple. American Indian Movement leader Dennis Banks was pressured to do this and was offered help with his own serious legal difficulties as an enticement.

--We have documented efforts to cut off pensions and other payments to elderly members of Peoples Temple residing in Guyana. Checks have been re-routed -- hundreds of them -- with the active complicity of the U.S. Post Office Department.

--Our mail and other communications have been monitored and regularly sabotaged. One large batch of mail, including important legal documents, was doused with a wine-smelling substance. There have been many similar instances.

--Shipments of vital medical and food supplies have been interfered with by U.S. Customs agents. Some have never been delivered.

--The same group of people who are trying to pressure your office into moving against us has also engineered a series of legal maneuvers to force their children to return to the U.S. As you know, the most notorious case involved Jim Jones' own son, whom Mr. Stoen fraudulently claims to be his. Stoen, not surprisingly, is leading the current vendetta.

--News articles, letters, and other communications designed to cast aspersions on our organization and sow confusion have been planted in various publications on the 'left' and circulated everywhere in Guyana in the modus operandi COINTELPRO has used against various progressive and civil rights groups in the United States.

--Other 'dirty tricks' have included making phone calls of an harassing nature, impersonating members of Peoples Temple -- some to your own office -- to create hostility against Peoples Temple. Accusations and innuendoes have been made to the effect that we have been guilty of various 'crimes' when it is in fact our accusers who are the guilty parties. In one notable situation, we were cleared by the Los Angeles Coroner after those participating in the attempts to destroy us tried to insinuate that Peoples Temple was involved in foul play concerning the suicide of a young man who was not even in our church. What you are now being asked to participate in is only the latest in a series of trumped-up, fraudulent devices.

The people in the group of 'concerned relatives' formed by Mr. Stoen are only the front line of a conspiracy. They have spent tens of thousands of dollars to pursue their schemes. We are currently investigating the source of their funding. They have brazenly masqueraded as pious, outraged, morally-offended people who are seeking honest redress of grievances. But what lies behind the mask?

Most of the people who have decided to collaborate in these maneuvers (some, evidently, after much pressure), are operating out of personal resentments against Peoples Temple and Jim Jones. They did not want to follow the path of human service except on a very superficial level. While they fancied themselves humanitarians, they were only posturing. Eventually, they could not go on in the contradiction, yet they could not leave goodness alone. They became eager to destroy Jim Jones, who represented to them the kind of human commitment that they were incapable of -- and didn't want to

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face that in themselves. This is a familiar syndrome, and made many of these people susceptible to being used by others who were interested in destroying Peoples Temple for many years -- people with strong right-wing, reactionary impulses, who could not stand to see people of all races and backgrounds co-operating and pursuing their fair share of rights and opportunities in life. Another group of individuals, not part of Peoples Temple, were furious that their (grown) relatives chose to spend their lives in service to humanitarian goals and ideals rather than to fulfilling others' expectations of them. They, too, have a personal grudge against Jim Jones and Peoples Temple, and have joined the efforts to harm us. (For example, we have proof being held for court in the form of sworn statements, from a prestigious California businessman and church leader -- not in our church -- that Mr. Stoen freely admitted to him that his efforts against Peoples Temple are in fact a personal vendetta.)

The entire scenario is not unfamiliar to veterans of civil rights struggles and the McCarthy Period. Thousands of people all over California and the nation -- progressive leaders, civil rights and community activists, government officials, private citizens, people who have worked with Jim Jones and Peoples Temple are aware of the fact that we are just another target in a long history of what amounts to a form of treason against ordinary people who are trying to secure a decent life for themselves. We are unusual, perhaps, because we are actively demonstrating a successful alternative for people oppressed by racism, and we sense a deep responsibility to keep alive the hope and opportunity we express for others.

Our work, by the way, has been thoroughly investigated by Guyana, and they have found nothing to change their total, enthusiastic support of Peoples Temple -- in fact, it has become even stronger over the past months. As a third world nation, Guyana obviously cannot afford to place itself in an antagonistic relationship with the United States, and we know for a fact they would not back our presence here as resolutely as they have were there anything about Peoples Temple that would be an embarrassment to them

or would cause difficulty for them.

The growing body of individuals who we have just alluded to are, with us, infuriated and outraged and profoundly disturbed by what is happening. We are determined to expose the conspiracy against Peoples Temple. We ask that you not co-operate with it.

Mr. Van de Kamp, you may be interested to know that the majority of us signing this letter come from the Los Angeles area. Many of us were not able to get out of the street- and gang- cultures and dead-end lives that we were involved in, until we were at a remove from that self-destructive environment. Many of us would still be on the swollen welfare rolls in Los Angeles if we did not have this community. Among us there are people who would have been dead, in prison, in street gangs, in organized crime, involved in drugs, prostitution; who would today be swelling the welfare rolls, who would be a drain on an already overburdened economy, who would have been abandoned in their later years in squalid hotel rooms, who would have been victimized by rapists, thieves, and muggers -- had it not been for Peoples Temple and Jim Jones. Many of us were caught in that vicious cycle of poverty, crime, and despair. We want you to know just exactly who it is that your office is being pressured to proceed against: people who have had very little, if anything, of their own; lousy neighborhoods to live in, terrible educational facilities, unsafe working conditions (if jobs were available); people who have had to work hard for just a little bit of hope for a future for their children. And many of us here are children of broken homes, and some of us have even been sold into human slavery, right here in the twentieth century, in the United States. Today, thanks to our people's collective and our community organizations, built on care and concern for people, as exemplified by a most principled and self-sacrificing leader of men, we have been able to achieve a measure of security and well-being that we never before have had, and which we are determined will not be taken away from us. We are of one accord that should this kind of frame-up be pursued through your office, we would be ready to return to Los Angeles to actively join protest actions (and we suppose that the Welfare Department would, in that

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