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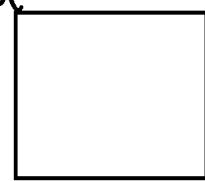
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RE TAMPA TELEPHONE CALL TO INDIANAPOLIS AND SAN FRANCISCO, NOVEMBER 27, 1978; SAN FRANCISCO TELETYPE TO BUREAU, NOVEMBER 22, 1978 (u)

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ON NOVEMBER 27, 1978, [REDACTED] WAS REINTERVIEWED AND FURNISHED THE FOLLOWING ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: (u)

DURING THE LATE 1950'S AND/OR EARLY 1960'S, WHEN HE SERVED AS A MEMBER OF THE PEOPLES' TEMPLE (PT), "COUNCIL OF ELDERS" IN INDIANAPOLIS, IND., IT WAS NOT CALLED THE "PLANNING COMMISSION"; HOWEVER, CONSISTED OF 14 MEMBERS WHOSE PURPOSE, ASIDE FROM BEING A RUBBER STAMP FOR JIM JONES, WAS AS A POLICY (u)

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OR PLANNING GROUP. OF THE 14 MEMBERS, THERE WERE 4 WHO WERE PARTICULARLY CLOSE TO JIM JONES, AND WHO, WITH JONES, WOULD HOLD SEPARATE MEETINGS REGARDING POLICY MATTERS AND OTHER MATTERS CONCERNING THE PT. THESE MEETINGS WERE HELD BEFORE ANY COUNCIL OF ELDERS MEETING AND WOULD THEN BE BROUGHT BEFORE THE COUNCIL OF ELDERS AND ALWAYS PASSED. WHILE THESE OTHER MEN FORMED AN "INNER CIRCLE," THEY WERE NOT REFERRED TO BY THAT OR ANY OTHER SPECIFIC TITLE. (u)

THE 4 MEN WERE ARCHIE IAMES, LAST BELIEVED TO BE RUNNING THE PT IN SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.; RUSSELL WINBERG (PHONETIC), WHO DROPPED OUT OF THE PT WHEN JIM JONES TOOK HIS GROUP FROM INDIANAPOLIS; (FNU) STAHL, WHO IS BELIEVED AMONG THE DEAD IN GUYANA, ALONG WITH JACK BEAMS (PHONETIC), ALSO BELIEVED DEAD. BEAMS OFTEN TALKED ABOUT, AND EXHIBITED, NUMEROUS GUNS OF BOTH HAND HELD AND SHOULDER TYPE. (u)

[REDACTED] ADVISED HE RECALLED WHEN JONES WAS RELIEVED OF HIS CIVIL RIGHTS DIRECTOR POSITION IN INDIANAPOLIS, JONES STOOD BEFORE THE COUNCIL OF ELDERS AND MADE A STATEMENT TO THE EFFECT THAT MAYOR BOSWELL SHOULD BE ELIMINATED INASMUCH AS HE WAS OBVIOUSLY AN ENEMY OF THE PEOPLE (u)

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[REDACTED] FURTHER ADVISED THAT ONE ROSS CASE HAD BEEN CLOSELY ASSOCIATED WITH JONES AND THE PT IN INDIANAPOLIS, BUT ALLEGEDLY BECAME DISENCHANTED AND MOVED TO THE UKIAH, CALIF., AREA BEFORE JONES HAD LEFT INDIANAPOLIS. [REDACTED] STATED HE AND HIS WIFE, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] TAMPA, FLA., TELEPHONE [REDACTED] ARE SEPARATED, BUT NOT EVERYONE IS AWARE OF THIS. HIS WIFE CONTACTED HIM LAST WEEK AND ADVISED CASE HAD BEEN TRYING TO CONTACT HIM. CASE ALLEGEDLY TOLD [REDACTED] THAT HE BELIEVED HIMSELF TO BE ON SOME KIND OF "HIT LIST" ALONG WITH SOME POLITICIANS. (U)

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[REDACTED] ADVISED THAT [REDACTED] IS CURRENTLY ON A TRIP OF UNKNOWN DURATION TO AN UNKNOWN LOCATION.

[REDACTED] SAID WHEN JONES WAS IN INDIANAPOLIS, HE HAD BRAGGED ABOUT HAVING MANY WEAPONS AT HIS HOME, AND MOST OF HIS CLOSE ASSOCIATES, SUCH AS JACK BEAMS (PHONETIC), HAD WEAPONS AT THEIR HOMES. (U)

[REDACTED] IS DESCRIBED AS WHITE MALE, BORN

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] SANDY BLOND HAIR, BLUE EYES, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (U)

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[REDACTED] PREVIOUSLY FINGERPRINTED FOR MILITARY AND CURRENT
POSITION AS [REDACTED] (u)

INDIANAPOLIS AT INDIANAPOLIS, IND. ADVISE FORMER
MAYOR BOSWELL, IF NOT PREVIOUSLY DECEASED, OF JONES' COMMENTS
AFTER HIS HAVING BEEN RELIEVED AS INDIANAPOLIS CIVIL RIGHTS
DIRECTOR. ATTEMPT TO IDENTIFY AND INTERVIEW RUSSELL WINBERG
(PHONETIC), NOT FURTHER IDENTIFIED. (u)

TAMPA AT TAMPA, FLA. ATTEMPT TO LOCATE [REDACTED]
AND ASCERTAIN MORE SPECIFIC DETAILS REGARDING HER CONVERSATION
WITH ROSS CASE (u)

LEADS AT SAN FRANCISCO ARE BEING LEFT TO THEIR
JUDGMENT. (u)

ARMED AND DANGEROUS. (u)

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