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RE MOBILE TELETYPE TO BUREAU AND SAN FRANCISCO, NOVEMBER

28, 1978. (u)

ON NOVEMBER 29, 1978, [REDACTED] JACKSON, ALABAMA, WAS RECONTACTED. HE ADVISED THAT HE DOUBLE CHECKED HIS TAPES AND THE TRANSMISSIONS FROM GUYANA HAVE BEEN ERASED.

IN JULY OR AUGUST OF 1978, AT ABOUT 6:00 PM CENTRAL TIME

[REDACTED] HEARD A DISTRESS CALL ON HIS RADIO ON THE 20

METERS FREQUENCY THAT A BOAT FROM GUYANA EN ROUTE TO GUYANA WAS HAVING ENGINE TROUBLE. THEY REPORTED THAT THERE

WERE FOUR MEN ON BOARD. THEY DID NOT SAY WHAT TYPE VESSEL

THEY WERE ON OR WHAT THEIR CARGO WAS. THERE WAS SOME

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QUESTION BY THE RECEIVING HAM OPERATOR AS TO WHETHER THIS WAS A FALSE CALL OR NOT. [REDACTED] DOES NOT KNOW WHO THE OPERATOR WAS. IT APPEARED THAT THE MEN MAY HAVE BEEN DRUNK. SOMEONE APPARENTLY CALLED WHO [REDACTED] BELIEVED TO BE THE COAST GUARD BUT WAS NOT CERTAIN. THEY INQUIRED WHY THE BOAT WAS TRANSMITTING ON THE AMATEUR FREQUENCY INSTEAD OF THE COMMERCIAL FREQUENCY AND WAS TOLD THAT IT WAS NOT WORKING. THE BOAT ADVISED THAT THEY WERE APPROXIMATELY 40 MILES FROM SOUTH AMERICA BUT DID NOT GIVE THEIR LONGITUDE OR LATITUDE AS FAR AS [REDACTED] KNEW. THERE WAS SOME QUESTION ASKED THE BOAT ABOUT BATTERY POWER. HE OVERHEARD SOMEONE SAY SOMETHING ABOUT THEIR NAVY ONLY HAD TWO BOATS AND ONE WAS BROKEN DOWN BUT ONE WOULD BE EN ROUTE TO THEIR BOAT. SOMEONE UNIDENTIFIED ADVISED THE BOAT NOT TO LET ANYONE ABOARD AND TO SINK IT IF NECESSARY TO KEEP ANYONE OFF OF IT. THE BOAT WAS ALSO INSTRUCTED TO TURN OFF THEIR RADIO AND TURN IT BACK ON EVERY 15 MINUTES. THE BOAT WAS ALSO TOLD THAT THERE WAS AN AMERICAN SHIP IN THE VICINITY WHICH COULD REACH THEM WITHIN TWO OR THREE HOURS. THE BOAT

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WAS ALSO ADVISED THAT A PLANE COULD BE SENT FROM THE CANAL ZONE AND DROP SOMETHING TO THEM WHICH [REDACTED] THOUGHT WERE SAFETY FLOATS. THESE ARE THE ONLY TRANSMISSIONS THAT

[REDACTED] COULD RECALL REGARDING THE BOAT. (u)

THE LAST TRANSMISSION [REDACTED] HEARD FROM GUYANA WAS ON WEDNESDAY NIGHT, NOVEMBER 15, 1978. [REDACTED] STATED THERE APPEARED TO BE DISSENSION BETWEEN THE PEOPLES TEMPLE IN GUYANA AND THE PEOPLES TEMPLE IN SAN FRANCISCO. HE STATED IT WAS MORE LIKE DISCONTENT. SOME THINGS [REDACTED] RECALLED THAT WERE SAID WERE I DON'T CARE, YOU CAN DO WHAT YOU WANT, YOU KNOW WHAT I MEAN AND IN THEIR TALKS THEY REFERRED TO FATHER X AND SISTER SO AND SO. THE DISSATISFACTION APPEARED TO HAVE BEEN GOING ON FOR A MONTH OR A LITTLE LONGER PRIOR TO NOVEMBER 15, 1978. THERE WAS A LOT OF TALK ABOUT THE PEOPLE IN CHARGE AND WHAT THEY WERE DOING AND WHAT THEY WERE BEING TOLD. [REDACTED] DID NOT KNOW WHAT THIS REFERRED TO. [REDACTED] DID NOT KNOW OF REVEREND JIM JONES AND DID NOT KNOW HE WAS IN GUYANA UNTIL AFTER NOVEMBER 18, 1978. [REDACTED] KNEW THEY WERE TRANSMITTING FROM JONESTOWN. HE SAID ONE PERSON WHO WAS EITHER THERE OR SUPPOSED TO GO TO GUYANA (u)

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WAS A FEMALE BY THE NAME OF MARY ANNE (LNU) AND THOUGHT HER TO BE A NURSE. ANOTHER PERSON HE RECALLED AT GUYANA WAS TOM (LNU). SOME OF THE DISSATISFACTION STEMMED FROM THE FACT THAT THE PEOPLES TEMPLE IN GUYANA WASN'T RECEIVING THE SUPPLIES THEY ORDERED AND NEEDED. IN PARTICULAR [REDACTED] REMEMBERS SHOVELS AND HOSES. SOMETIME IN OCTOBER OF 1978

[REDACTED] REMEMBERED AN ORDER FOR FIVE GRAMS OR KILOGRAMS OF STRYCHNINE, 10,000 SYRINGES. HE ALSO RECALLS PAST ORDERS FOR PENICILLIN, DARVON, TIRES, FARM EQUIPMENT, HOSE CLAMPS, SHOVELS AND OTHER SUCH EQUIPMENT. [REDACTED]

ADVISED OVER THE PAST FIVE MONTHS THERE WERE TREMENDOUS AMOUNTS OF ORDERS PLACED FOR DRUGS FOR GUYANA. [REDACTED]

NEVER HEARD ANY ORDERS PLACED FOR GUNS BUT STATED IT COULD HAVE BEEN DONE BY SOME TYPE OF CODE. MANY ORDERS WERE MADE USING PART NUMBERS [REDACTED]

ADVISED THAT THERE APPEARED TO BE A LOT OF BICKERING BETWEEN GUYANA AND SAN FRANCISCO AND HE OVERHEARD ONE TRANSMISSION DURING THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 15, 1978, STATING THAT THEY, PEOPLE AT GUYANA WEREN'T GOING TO FOLLOW A DIRECTIVE. [REDACTED]

STATED HE DID NOT KNOW WHAT THE DIRECTIVE WAS. HE ALSO

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STATED THAT HE OVERHEARD THEM SAY THAT HE MUST THINK HE IS
GOD ALMIGHTY BUT [REDACTED] STATED HE DID NOT KNOW WHO HE
WAS. THE PEOPLES TEMPLE IN GUYANA AND SAN FRANCISCO DICTATED
LETTERS BACK AND FORTH ON A NIGHTLY BASIS BUT THE WORST
DISSENTING TRANSMISSION APPEARED TO BE ON WEDNESDAY NIGHT,
NOVEMBER 15, 1978. [REDACTED] STATED THAT HE WILL TURN OVER
THE POST CARDS THAT HE RECEIVED FROM GUYANA BUT REQUESTED
THEM TO BE RETURNED TO HIM. THESE POST CARDS WILL BE
FORWARDED TO SAN FRANCISCO BY SEPARATE COMMUNICATION (u)

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