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1. WE HAVE BEEN INFORMED THAT LARRY LAYTON HAS BEEN CHARGED WITH MURDER AND REMANDED TO THE CUSTODY OF CAMP STREET PRISON. TRIAL DATE IS JANUARY 15, 1979.

2. FORMATED APREST CABLE WILL BE FORWARDED SEPARATELY.

3. WE HAVE NO INFORMATION AS YET ON LEGAL FATE OF THE CARTERS AND PROKES, BUT POLICE OFFICIALS HAVE INDICATED THAT THEY ARE SEEKING ADVICE FROM THEIR LEGAL COUNSEL REGARDING WHAT CHARGE SHOULD BE BROUGHT AGAINST THEM. WE WILL ADVISE WHEN ANYTHING DEFINITE IS LEARNED.

4. POLICE ALSO UNOFFICIALLY RPT UNOFFICIALLY INFORMED CONSULAR OFFICER THAT LEGAL FATE OF PT MEMBERS AT LAMAHA GARDENS (NOW LISTED AT 46 AND SUBJECT OF SEPARATE NOK CABLE) WILL BE CLEARER FOLLOWING AUTOPSY OF SHARON AMOS AND HER THREE CHILDREN. SOME OF THOSE AT LAMAHA MAY BE HELD IN CONNECTION WITH THIS SEPARATE INVESTIGATION.

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