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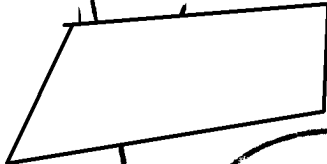
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ON DECEMBER 27, 1978, [REDACTED] NEW YORK RADIO

CLUB, 415 EAST 80TH STREET, NEW YORK CITY, TELEPHONE NUMBER

(212) 249-6244, TELEPHONICALLY CONTACTED THE NYO AND ADVISED

AS FOLLOWS: (u)

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THE AMERICAN RADIO RELAY LEAGUE'S DAILY BULLETINS HAVE ADVISED ALL HAM RADIO OPERATORS THAT THE FBI IS INTERESTED IN

ANY TAPES OR TRANSCRIPTS OF CONVERSATIONS BETWEEN AMERICAN HAM RADIO OPERATORS AND PEOPLE'S TEMPLE HAM RADIO OPERATORS IN

GEORGETOWN AND JONESTOWN, GUYANA. THE BULLETINS WERE SPECIFICALLY

INQUIRING ABOUT CONVERSATIONS WITH THE TWO INDIVIDUALS WITH 22 JAN 2 1979

HAM RADIO OPERATOR LICENSES "WB6MID" AND "WB6MNH."



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KNOWLEDGE OF SUCH TAPES AND INDICATED THAT UNAUTHORIZED COPYING OF HAM RADIO CONVERSATIONS WOULD BE A VIOLATION OF THE COMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1934. (u)

FCC'S CONDITIONAL CALL BOOK FOR THE YEAR 1976 WHICH INDICATES THAT LICENSE WB6MID IS LISTED TO ALBERT TOUCHETTE, 37-47 ROAD D, REDWOOD VALLEY, CALIFORNIA, AND WB6MNH IS LICENSED TO PAULA J. ADAMS, 1664 PAGE STREET, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA. NYO BELIEVES THAT ONLY ADAMS IS STILL ALIVE. BOTH OF THESE LICENSES WERE ORIGINALLY GRANTED AS "CLASS C" LICENSES. [REDACTED] BELIEVES THAT IT IS EXTREMELY COINCIDENTAL THAT THE TWO FCC HAM RADIO LICENSES ISSUED TO PEOPLE'S TEMPLE MEMBERS IN THE SAME YEAR WOULD BE "CLASS C" LICENSES. IN ORDER TO OBTAIN A "CLASS C" LICENSE, THE APPLICANT MUST HAVE A PHYSICAL DISABILITY THAT WOULD PRECLUDE HIM FROM TRAVELING TO THE NEAREST FCC TESTING OFFICE. IN SUCH A CASE, THE APPLICANT MUST HAVE A DOCTOR'S CERTIFICATION OF THE PARTICULAR DISABILITY AND MUST LOCATE A LICENSED HAM OPERATOR WHO IS WILLING TO VOLUNTEER HIS TIME TO GIVE THE TEST AT THE APPLICANT'S RESIDENCE. (u)

[REDACTED] FURTHER ADVISED THAT THE RECORDS FOR THE 1976 "CLASS C" LICENSES ARE MAINTAINED AT THE OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR, AMATEU

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LICENSING DIVISION, FEDERAL COMMUNICATION COMMISSION, GETTYSBURGM,
PA. FCC FORM 610 WOULD CONTAIN ALL THE INFORMATION NECESSARY
FOR AN APPLICANT TO OBTAIN A "CLASS C" LICENSE. [] BELIEVES
THAT IF THE FCC FORM 610'S ARE REVIEWED FOR THE YEAR 1976 AND
FOR THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, THE FBI MAY DETERMINE THAT OTHER
PEOPLE'S TEMPLE OPERATORS ALSO RECEIVED "CLASS C" HAM RADIO
OPERATORS LICENSES WITH THE SAME DOCTOR'S CERTIFICATION AND THE
SAME VOLUNTEER EXAMINER. IF THE APPLICANTS WERE NOT IN FACT
DISABLED TO THE EXTENT OF NOT BEING ABLE TO TRAVEL TO THE NEAREST
FCC LISTING OFFICE, THEN THESE LICENSES MAY HAVE BEEN GRANTED
FRAUDULENTLY. ALL 1976 "CLASS C" LICENSES ARE NOW CONSIDERED
GENERAL LICENSES DUE TO CHANGES IN THE FCC REGULATIONS MAKING
IT EXTREMELY DIFFICULT TO OBTAIN "CLASS C" LICENSES BECAUSE OF
PREVIOUS OPPORTUNITIES FOR FRAUD. [] BELIEVES THAT THE PEOPLE'S
TEMPLE MAY HAVE KNOWN THAT 1976 WAS A GOOD YEAR TO OBTAIN "CLASS
C" LICENSES FOR HAM RADIO OPERATORS. (u)

[] FURTHER ADVISED THAT HE BELIEVED THERE WERE APPROXIMATELY
NINE RADIO OPERATORS OPERATING AT DIFFERENT TIMES IN GEORGETOWN
AND JONESTOWN. HE REFERRED THE NYO TO, []
[] NEW YORK, NEW YORK, TELEPHONE CALL [] A HAM

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RADIO OPERATOR WHO SPECIALIZES IN SOUTH AMERICAN CONTACTS. ON DECEMBER 27, 1978, [] ADVISED THE NYO THAT HIS UNDERSTANDING OF THE FCC'S "CLASS C" LICENSING PROCEDURE IS THE SAME AS ABOVE AND THAT THERE IS A GOOD OPPORTUNITY FOR FRAUD IN THE YEAR 1976. THE FCC IS EXTREMELY UNDERSTAFFED AND UNABLE TO ADEQUATELY INVESTIGATE ALLEGATIONS OF FRAUD IN THE GRANTING OF HAM RADIO OPERATORS LICENSES. [] HAD BEEN IN CONTACT WITH TWO HAM RADIO OPERATORS ASSOCIATED WITH THE PEOPLE'S TEMPLE IN GUYANA. ONE WAS ALBERT TOUCHETTE AND THE OTHER WAS SARA (FNU). SARA WAS AN ACCOMPLISHED OPERATOR WHO APPEARED VERY DEDICATED AND ONLY USED THE HAM RADIO WAVES FOR LEGITIMATE CONVERSATIONS. SHE WOULD FREQUENTLY CALL [] OR OTHER AMERICAN OPERATORS ON MEDICAL EMERGENCIES. FOR INSTANCE, IF THE DOCTOR AT JONESTOWN HAS A DIFFICULT PROBLEM WITH A PREGNANT WOMAN, SARA WOULD ATTEMPT TO LOCATE A OBSGYN SPECIALIST TO GIVE IMMEDIATE CONSULTATION TO ASSIST THE JONESTOWN DOCTOR. [] ONCE ASKED HER WHAT THE PEOPLE'S TEMPLE WAS AND SHE MERELY REPLIED, "A CHURCH GROUP." (u)

NEITHER [] OR [] HAVE ANY INFORMATION THAT WOULD INDICATE THAT THE PEOPLE'S TEMPLE HAM RADIO OPERATORS IN GUYANA WERE USING THEIR HAM RADIOS IN THE FURTHERANCE OF ANY CRIME. TO

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THEIR KNOWLEDGE, NO HAM RADIO OPERATOR IN THE NEW YORK AREA TALKED TO THE PEOPLE'S TEMPLE IN GUYANA IMMEDIATELY PRIOR TO THE ASSASSINATION OF CONGRESSMAN RYAN. (u)

PHILADELPHIA AT GETTYSBERG CONTACT LOCAL FCC OFFICE AND REVIEW 1976 "CLASS C" CALIFORNIA HAM RADIO OPERATORS LICENSE (WB6 LICENSE) APPLICATIONS (FCC FORM 610) TO DETERMINE IF TOUCHETTE AND ADAMS WERE CERTIFIED BY THE SAME DOCTOR AND LICENSED BY THE SAME VOLUNTEER. IF POSITIVE, DETERMINE WHETHER ANY OF THE OTHER FORM 610 APPLICANTS LIST THE SAME INDIVIDUALS OR OTHERWISE INDICATED EVIDENCE OF FRAUD. (u)

SEND LEADS AS APPROPRIATE AND ADVISE SAN FRANCISCO. (u)

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