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DAILY SUMMARY

Disposition of Federal Warrants Previously Issued

The complaint and warrant charging eight PT members with conspiracy to murder Congressman Ryan were unsealed on 12/8/78, and the warrant was dismissed in view of the fact that all eight persons charged have been confirmed as dead. 1.

The following is an itemization of information developed to date which would have substantiated facts contained in the criminal complaint filed above: two

present at Port Kaituma Airstrip during the shooting, identified the following individuals as persons observed by him actively involved in the shooting: Bob Kice, Tom Kice, Joe Wilson, Albert Youchette, James, Eddy Crenshaw, Wesley Breidenbach, and Ron Fally. (4)

Edith Parks, all temple defectors present at Port Kaituma Airstrip shooting identified Tom Kice, Albert Touchette, and Joe Wilson as active participants in the shooting. This information obtained second hand from

present at Port Kaituma. The above individuals are being priewed by Bureau Agents.(M)

Vernon cosney, concerned relative present at Port Kaituma shooting, identified Joe Wilson, Bob Kice, and Tom Kice as active participants in the shooting. In addition, Gosney advised that he observed three or four others personally involved but was not able to provide their identity. A photographic lineup will be shown Gosney. (4)

present at D Kaituma shooting, identified Ronni James as being present the tractor transporting attackers to the airstrip;

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Memorandum to Mr. Moore RE: RYMUR present at Port Kaituma Airstrip shooting, observed ten unknown individuals on a flatbed trailer who subsequently were actively involved in the shooting here under investigation. A photographic lineup M will be shown and member of Congressman Leo Ryan's party present at Port Kaituma shooting, advised that the driver (identity unknown to him) of the truck transporting the Congressman's party to Port Kaituma Airstrip was also present on the tractor subsequently transporting attackers. A photographic lineup will be shown In addition to these details which have been furnished San Francisco, additional eye witnesses are in the process of being interviewed and it is anticipated their statements will corroborate information furnished to date. These individuals Richard Dwyer, U. S. arel State Department: Additional interviews will be conducted by San Francisco of these individuals when the original FD-302s have been received so as not to duplicate investigation conducted. W In addition to these interviews, NBC News is in possession of 12 hours of television taping of the PT visit by Ryan which includes footage of the attack on Ryan's party at the Port Kaituma Airstrip. The FBI is in the process of obtaining a copy of that film footage. (k) Federal Grand Jury at San Francisco, California (M)

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The Federal Grand Jury for the Northern District of

California began hearing testimony in this matter on 12/8/78.

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Tape Recording of the Final Hour at Jonestown

The Saturday, 12/9/78, "Washington Post" carried a front page headline story revealing the contents of a tape recording made by the Jonestown community during the administering of cyanide. A review of the article as compared with the actual tape shows that the "Washington Post" article is essentially accurate. FBIHQ received a copy of the original tape from the American Embassy in Georgetown, Guyana, and a transcript is being prepared. The original tape is in the personal custody of FBI representatives at the American Embassy in Georgetown, Guyana, however, U. S. Ambassador Burke has not allowed the tape to be removed from the Embassy.

The State Department requested that they be provided a copy of the transcript of the tape on 12/9/78. This request was declined at this time due to the fact that the transcript is in an incomplete, unverified form. Per instructions of the Department, a transcript when verified as accurate will be made available to the State Department.

Investigation Conducted in Guyana (U)

on 12/10/78, Legat Robert Oglesby telephonically contacted FBIHQ Command Post Coordinator SA at which time SA Oglesby advised that the FBI technicians in Guyana had created an extremely favorable impression upon the Government of Guyana and had developed a highly amicable and trusting relationship with the Guyana police. Oglesby stated that it appears that the results of the favorable relationship developed will be that all documents, both in the possession of the American Embassy and the Government of Guyana, will be released to the FBI for duplication and analysis at FBIHQ.

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It is presumed, however, that the Government of Guyana will request copies of most, if not all, documents be furnished to them.

SA Oglesby also stated that it is likely that perhaps 35 Americans will be detained in Guyana for an extended period of time as material witnesses to ongoing criminal proceedings in that country. Accordingly, the Government of Guyana may allow the FBI to interview these individuals in Guyana. In this eventuality consideration will be given to sending SA personnel from San Francisco, New York, and FBIHQ to Guyana to conduct these interviews inasmuch as the Agents in Guyana have not had the benefit of an overall view of the investigation conducted to date. Legat Oglesby is in full concurrence with this plan of action.

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