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TAGS: CARR, GT (JONES, STEPHAN) BEIKMAN, CHARLES) (PEOPLES  
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SUBJ: W/W ARRESTS: STEPHAN JONES: CHARLES BEIKMAN

REF: A. 78 GEORGETOWN 4349 B. 78 GEORGETOWN 4354

1. POLICE REPORT WAS READ TODAY (JAN 9) IN THE CASE OF THE  
MURDERS OF LINDA SHARON FARRIS (AKA SHARON AMOS) ET AL. MAGIST-  
TRATE PREM PERSAUD ANNOUNCED THAT HE WOULD START THE INQUIRY  
BEGINNING JAN 17. PERSAUD SAID THAT MAGISTRATE CHRISTIAN,  
WHO CONDUCTED THE INITIAL INQUIRY, WAS RELUCTANT TO PRESIDE  
OVER THE NEW INQUIRY IN LIGHT OF THE STATEMENT THAT JONES  
MADE IN COURT ON DEC 18 (REF A).

2. PERSAUD IS ONE OF THE MOST EXPERIENCED MAGISTRATES IN  
GUYANA AND IS HIGHLY RESPECTED WITHIN THE LEGAL PROFESSION.  
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