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BY TELETYPE DATED FEBRUARY 22, 1979, MIAMI FURNISHED
THE BUREAU THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION: (u)

LEE INGRAM, DOB [REDACTED] PEOPLE'S TEMPLE SECURITY
AND BASKETBALL COACH, ARRIVED AT MIAMI INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT
AT 8:45 P.M., FEBRUARY 21, 1979, ON AIR JAMAICA FLIGHT NUMBER
29, WHICH DEPARTED KINGSTON, JAMAICA. (u)

INGRAM WAS MET AT MIAMI INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT CUSTOMS
SERVICE BY MIAMI FBI AND SECRET SERVICE AGENTS. AT DIRECTION
OF SAN FRANCISCO AUSA, INGRAM'S U. S. PASSPORT WAS OBTAINED
FOR FORWARDING TO SAN FRANCISCO. AT THIS TIME, [REDACTED]

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DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA, ON [REDACTED] 1979, AT [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

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WAS PROVIDED A FACSIMILE COPY OF [REDACTED] WHICH HE RETAINED (u)

INGRAM EMPHATICALLY REFUSED INTERVIEWING, PHOTOGRAPHING, AND FINGERPRINTING AND STATED THAT HE WOULD ANSWER NO QUESTIONS WITHOUT ADVICE OF COUNSEL, ATTORNEY CHARLES GARRY OF GARRY, DREFUS AND MC TURNLAND, MARKET STREET, SAN FRANCISCO. (u)

HOWEVER, INGRAM DID STATE THAT HE HAD BEEN RESTRICTED TO THE CONFINES OF HIS HOME IN GUYANA AT GUNPOINT FOR 17 DAYS BUT FAILED TO PINPOINT THE TIME PERIOD AND TO IDENTIFY HIS CAPTORS. HE STATED THAT HE DEPARTED GUYANA THE AFTERNOON OF FEBRUARY 21, 1979, EN ROUTE TO MIAMI AND THEN SAN FRANCISCO.

INGRAM STATED THAT HE COULD BE REACHED ONLY THROUGH HIS ATTORNEY; BUT HIS LUGGAGE TAGS LISTED HIS ADDRESS AS [REDACTED] [REDACTED] CALIFORNIA (u)

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INGRAM WAS TO TRAVEL VIA EASTERN AIRLINES FLIGHT NUMBER 73 TO SAN FRANCISCO DEPARTING MIAMI AT 9:45 P.M., FEBRUARY 21, 1979, BUT FAILED TO BOARD. INVESTIGATION REVEALED THAT HE RESERVED A SEAT ON AMERICAN AIRLINES FLIGHT NUMBER 693 DEPARTING MIAMI AT 9:45 A.M., ON FEBRUARY 22, 1979, ARRIVING SAN FRANCISCO

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AT 12:24 P.M., PST, ON FEBRUARY 22, 1979. (u)

AT APPROXIMATELY 10:45 P.M., FEBRUARY 21, 1979, BUREAU AGENTS LOCATED INGRAM IN THE LOBBY AREA OF MIAMI INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT. HE STATED THAT HE HAD MISSED HIS FLIGHT AS A RESULT OF BEING INTERVIEWED AND THAT HE EXPECTED THE BUREAU TO PROVIDE HIM OVERNIGHT ACCOMMODATIONS. HE WAS TOLD THAT THE INTERVIEW WAS CONCLUDED PRIOR TO HIS PREARRANGED FLIGHT AND THAT HIS REQUEST COULD NOT BE HONORED. (u)

FOR INFORMATION OF SAN FRANCISCO, MARION LEE INGRAM IS DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BLACK MALE, DOB [REDACTED] IN NEW YORK, NEW YORK, 6'1", 175 POUNDS, BLACK HAIR, BLACK FULL BEARD, WEARING TINTED EYEGLASSES, AND CLOTHED IN A BLACK SHIRT AND BLACK BELL-BOTTOM TROUSERS. HE IS PERSONALLY CARRYING A BROWN LEATHER, SQUARE SHAPED BRIEF BAG AND IS IN POSSESSION OF LUGGAGE WHICH INCLUDES A FLOWER PATTERN FABRIC SUITCASE AND A SMALL PINK COLORED STUFF BAG. (u)

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