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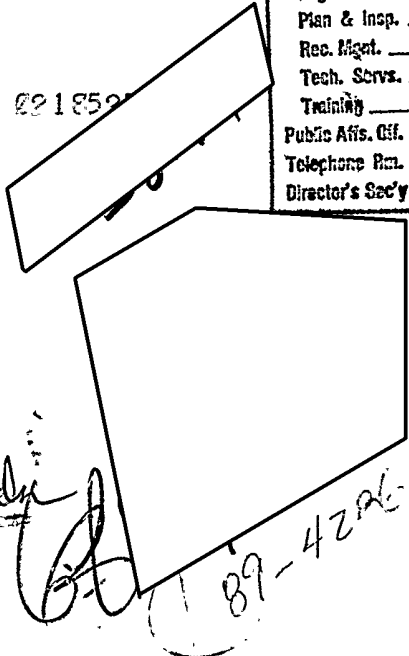
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DATE 4/22/98 BY 9803 RDD/jdy

CA/OCS ATTN: REED CLARKE

E.O. 12958: NA

TAGS: CARR, GY, (PEOPLE'S TEMPLE) (LAYTON, LAURENCE J.)

(REIKMAN, CHARLES E.)

SURJC JUDICIAL ACTIVITY APRIL 1, 1980

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REF: GEORGETOWN 1436

1. AS REPORTED PEFTTEL, LAYTON TRIAL HAS BEEN ADJOURNED UNTIL  
MAY 5, 1980. BASED ON CONVERSATIONS WITH VARIOUS SOURCES, IT APPEARS  
THAT LARRY LAYTON IS DETERMINED TO PLEAD NOT GUILTY WHILE HIS  
LAWYER APPEARS TO BELIEVE THAT A GUILTY PLEA TO ONE OR MORE LESSE  
COUNTS WOULD BE THE BEST COURSE.

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2. CHARLES BEIKMAN WAS PUT ON TRIAL MORNING APRIL 1 WITH NO NOTICE TO EMBASSY. HE PLEADED GUILTY TO CHARGE OF ATTEMPTED MURDER. CONSUL ATTENDED AFTERNOON SESSION AT HIGH COURT. THE TIME WAS TOTALLY OCCUPIED BY THE DEFENCE PLEAS OF MITIGATING CIRCUMSTANCES. AS THE SESSION CONCLUDED, THE PROSECUTION PASSED ON AN OPPORTUNITY TO MAKE A FINAL STATEMENT. THE JUDGE RESERVED DECISION ON SENTENCING UNTIL TUESDAY MORNING, APRIL 2. IT IS CLEAR THAT A DEAL HAS BEEN STRUCK, BUT WE ARE UNABLE TO GET A FIRM FIX ON THE YET-TO-BE ANNOUNCED SENTENCE. . CONSUL'S

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BEST GUESS IS THAT IT WILL FALL SOMEWHERE BETWEEN TIME SERVED AND THREE YEARS.

3. THE OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC PROSECUTIONS HAS APOLOGIZED FOR THE SLIP UP THAT RESULTED IN OUR ABSENCE FROM COURT THE MORNING OF APRIL 1.

ROBERTS