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SAC, PHILADELPHIA (66-6961)

HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON ASSASSINATIONS (HSCA)
INFORMATION CONCERNING

DIRECTOR, FBI (62-117290)
(ATTN: CONGRESSIONAL INQUIRY SECTION)

Re Bureau teletype to Philadelphia, 7/7/78.

Enclosed is the original and three copies of an LHM regarding the interview of SA D. ALAN REIGHLEY, III, Philadelphia Division, by Attorney TOM SACCO, HSCA, on 7/11/78.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

July 27, 1978

HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON ASSASSINATIONS

Captioned committee, by letter dated June 16, 1978, requested an interview with Special Agent D. Alan Reighley, III, Allentown,,Pennsylvania, Resident Agency, Philadelphia Division, at a date to be later decided. The interview was subsequently scheduled at 11:00 a.m., on July 11, 1978, at the House Office Building, Annex 2, Second and D Streets, S.W., Washington, D. C.

On July 11, 1978, SA Reighley was interviewed by Staff Attorney Tom Sacco, House Select Committee on Assassinations (HSCA), at the above address. Mr. Sacco advised he is in the process of "tying up loose ends" in that portion of the Martin Luther King assassination dealing with "extremist groups". All of his questioning concerned activities of the Klan and Minutemen groups in the Reading, Pennsylvania, area during the period of August, 1967, through April, 1968, when Dr. King was assassinated. SA Reighley was able to give Mr. Sacco a fairly detailed account of the general activities of these groups during the pertinent period.

During the above interview, Mr. Sacco advised that he is in receipt of certain "allegations" from certain sources regarding the relationship between the FBI and Klan and Minutemen groups in the Philadelphia FBI territory, and, more specifically, the Reading area. The "allegations" being that the FBI "on a regular basis" furnished right wing extremist groups with intelligence information for their use against Dr. King. He stated he has specific reference to an allegation that the FBI in the Reading area furnished extremist groups with photographs of Dr. King in attendance at a meeting with "communists" which the extremist groups used to try to discredit Dr. King.

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House Select Committee on Assassinations

In answer to the above "allegation", SA Reighley emphatically denied that the FBI in the Reading area had ever engaged in such activity during his assignment there, nor had he ever received any information that this had been done in the FBI elsewhere.

Mr. Sacco stated that the above "allegations" came from Roy Frankhouser (former Grand Dragon of the United Klans of America for Pennsylvania and activitist with numerous white hate groups including the Minutemen); and that he had also received the same information from "other sources". He later admitted that his investigation indicates that the information received from "other sources" emanated from Frankhouser. Mr. Sacco then asked numerous questions about Frankhouser and his background and SA Reighley answered these questions in detail. He also asked questions regarding the relationship between Frankhouser and FBI Agents in the Philadelphia Division. He made specific reference to retired SAs William E. Davis and Frank Kauffman, formerly of the Reading Resident Agency; and retired Assistant Director Joe Jameson, former Special Agent in Charge of the Philadelphia Division. SA Reighley stated that his relationship with Frankhouser had always been an "investigator-subject" relationship and that to the best of his knowledge, this was the same relationship that Davis and Kauffman had with Frankhouser. SA Reighley also advised Mr. Sacco that he has no information at all as to whether or not Frankhouser had any relationship whatsoever with Special Agent in Charge Jameson but that it is highly unlikely that Frankhouser had ever even met Mr. Jameson.

Mr. Sacco stated that SA Reighley had sufficiently covered the area in which he is interested and he sees no necessity to call anyone else from the FBI concerning this particular matter. He indicated that he had certainly questioned the reliability of the source of the allegations, namely, Frankhouser; however, his main concern was leaving the "allegations" unanswered. SA Reighley thanked Mr. Sacco for the opportunity to answer the "allegations" and offered to be of any future assistance in this regard.

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HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON ASSASSINATIONS (HSCA)

RE: BUCAL TO ALLENTOWN RESIDENT AGENT, JULY 7, 1978.

REFERENCED CALL CONCERNED HSCA REQUEST THAT SA DAVID A. REIGHLEY BE MADE AVAILABLE FOR STAFF INTERVIEW ON TUESDAY, JULY 11, 1978, AT 11:00 A.M. AT THEIR OFFICE LOCATED AT 2331 HOUSE OFFICE BUILDING, ANNEX TWO ("2ND" AND "D" STREETS S.W.), WASHINGTON, D. C.

AGENT REIGHLEY SHOULD TRAVEL TO WASHINGTON, D. C., AND REPORT TO CONGRESSIONAL INQUIRY UNIT, ROOM 8988, FBI HEAD QUARTERS PRIOR TO ABOVE APPOINTMENT.

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Noted Call 7/7/78 Reighley advised 7/10/78

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TO: DIRECTOR FBI (62-117290)
ATTENTION: SUPERVISOR RICHARD C. BUSCHING,
CONGRESSIONAL INQUIRY UNIT,
RECORDS MANAGEMENT DIVISION

FROM: SAC, PHILADELPHIA (66-6961)(SQ13)(RUC)

SUBJECT: HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON ASSASSINATIONS (HSCA)
BUDED 6/12/78

Re Bureau teletype to Albany, dated 6/5/78.

Enclosed for FBIHQ are two xeroxed copies of Philadelphia letter to Director FBI dated 11/25/68, captioned "COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM, BLACK NATIONALIST-HATE GROUPS, RACIAL INTELLIGENCE (UNITED VETERANS FOR FREEDOM AND SOUTHERN CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE), Bureau file 100-448006, Philadelphia file 157-2371".

A search of Philadelphia indices disclosed the two communications referenced in Bureau teletype to Albany, 6/5/78, were serialized as part of Philadelphia closed file 157-2371. A review of that file determined that the enclosed communication was the only document submitted to FBIHQ up to and including 12/31/68, pursuant to the communications referenced in the Bureau's teletype of 6/5/78.

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HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON ASSASSINATIONS (HSCA)

BUDED JUNE 12, 1978.

RE: BULET TO ALBANY, ET AL, AUGUST 25, 1967, CAPTIONED "COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM, BLACK NATIONALIST-HATE GROUPS, INTERNAL SECURITY" AND "BUAIRTEL TO ALBANY, ET AL, MARCH 4, 1968, CAPTIONED "COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM, BLACK NATIONALIST-HATE GROUPS, RACIAL INTELLIGENCE". 157-2371 #

THE HSCA WHICH IS INVESTIGATING THE ASSASSINATION OF JOHN F. KENNEDY AND MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR., NOTING THAT REFERENCED COMMUNICATIONS ASKED RECIPIENT OFFICES TO MAKE PERIODIC REPORTS TO THE BUREAU, HAS REQUESTED THAT RECIPIENT FIELD OFFICE FILES BE SEARCHED AND AWL REPORTS, LETTERHEAD MEMORANDA, AIRTELS, LETTERS AND TELETYPES CONCERNING

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DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR., OR THE SOUTHERN CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE (SCLC) SUBMITTED PURSUANT TO REFERENCED COMMUNICATIONS UP TO AND INCLUDING DECEMBER 31, 1968, BE PREPARED FOR DELIVERY.

THE HSCA REQUESTED THAT OUR RESPONSE IN THIS MATTER BE GIVEN TOP PRIORTY OVER ALL OTHER ASPECTS OF KING INVESTIGATION.

FBI HEADQUARTERS (FBIHQ) FILES HAVE BEEN PARTIALLY PROCESSED IN RESPONSE TO A SIMILAR REQUEST, BUT TO INSURE COMPLETENESS AND THOROUGHNESS, EACH RECIPIENT OFFICE FURNISH FBIHQ TWO XEROX COPIES OF ANY COMMUNICATION MEETING ABOVE CRITERIA. COPY SHOULD REACH FBIHQ BY JUNE 12, 1978.

ALL COPIES SHOULD BE CLEARLY LEGIBLE AND SHOULD BE SENT REGISTERED MAIL, MAILED TO THE ATTENTION OF THE CONGRESSIONAL INQUIRY UNIT, RECORDS MANAGEMENT DIVISION, ANY QUESTIONS CAN BE RESOLVED BY CONTACTING SUPERVISOR RICHARD C. BUSCHING, EXTENTION 3685.

RECIPIENT OFFICES HAVING NO COMMUNICATION MEETING CRITERIA ARE TO SO NOTIFY FBIHQ.

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House Select Committee on Assassinations see attached
The Assassination of President John F. Kennedy - 157-916*
Lee Harvey Oswald - 105-9958 see attached
Marina N. Oswald - NK
Jack Ruby - 44-767* 100-51199-2732 p. 256
President's Commission on the Assassination of President Kennedy (Warren Commission) see attached - NO MAIN FILE 157-916*

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Martin Luther King, Jr. - 44-1363*
Martin Luther King, Sr.
Coretta Scott King
MURKIN
Ralph David Abernathy see attached
Stanley David Levison
James Earl Ray
Jerry William Ray
John Larry Ray
Communist Infiltration of the SCLC (Southern Christian Leadership Conference)
Communist Influence in Racial Matters
Invaders 157-3895*
Sanitation Workers Strike, Memphis, Tenn. 157-2582* 157-2582-4
157-2476* Washington Spring Project, aka, Poor People's Campaign 157-3856*
Communist Party, U.S.A., Negro Question

Any files reflecting threats against King and/or members of his family.

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44-1368*	S	100-46230*	S
157-2574*	S	100-30941-2202 p2	S
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100-40668-248	S	100-43409-905 p3	S
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157-0-165	✓ S		
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100-48700-146	✓ S		
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Subject: Mrs. Martin Luther King, Jr.

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100-46020 - 191 ✓	S		
100-43911 - 221 ✓	S		
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Subject: Coretta Scott King

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Subject: MURKIN

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44-1368*	S		
157-0574*	S		

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FD-160 (Rev. 3-23-71)

TO: CHIEF CLERK

Date

Subject: James Earl Ray

Social Security Account #

Aliases

Address	Birth Date	Birthplace	Race	Sex
				☐ Male ☐ Female

☐ Exact Spelling
☐ All References
☐ Main Subversive Case Files Only
☐ Subversive References Only
☐ Main Criminal Case Files Only
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☐ Main Criminal (If no Main, list all Criminal References)
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File & Serial Number	Remarks	File & Serial Number	Remarks
88-10449*	✓ S		
44-1368-205	S		
44-1368*	S		
Carlos E. Ray			
James Ray			
87-[illegible]915*	✓ S		
94-36810-393p3	destroyed		
26-[illegible]50*	✓ S		
88-4635*	destroyed		
91-2372-162	destroyed		

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Date

Subject: Jerry William Ray

Social Security Account #

Aliases

Address	Birth Date	Birthplace	Race	Sex ☐ Male ☐ Female

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File & Serial Number	Remarks	File & Serial Number	Remarks
Jerry W. Ray			
Jerry Ray			
76-3129 X ✓ 5			

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Subject John Larry O'Ray	Social Security Account #
Aliases	

Address	Birth Date	Birthplace	Race	Sex ☐ Male ☐ Female

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☐ Restrict to Locality of

File & Serial Number	Remarks	File & Serial Number	Remarks
John L. O'Ray			
John Ray			
12-0-1878 ✓ S			
12-0-1780 ✓ S			
182-1946 * — S'			
87-17057 destroyed			

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TO: CHIEF CLERK

Date

Subject: Communist Infiltration of SCLC

Social Security Account #

Aliases

Address	Birth Date	Birthplace	Race	Sex
				☐ Male ☐ Female

☐ Exact Spelling
☐ All References
☐ Main Subversive Case Files Only
☐ Subversive References Only
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☐ Restrict to Locality of

File & Serial Number	Remarks	File & Serial Number	Remarks
100-47194 *	✓ S	100-2427-7073	✓ S
Southern Christian		100-43409-963 p2	✓ S
Leadership	Conference	157-1214 Sub A-90	S
62-5927 *	✓ S	100-9882-3557	✓ S
157-9488 *	✓ S	157-1214 Sub A [illegible]	✓ S
157-9488 *	✓ S	100-43409-942	✓ S
87-23670 *	✓ S	100-40668-875, 876	✓ S
87-21906-1	✓ S	100-0427-6139	✓ S
9-3140 Sub A	187 ✓ S	100-28688-1400	✓ S
100-47194 *	✓ S	100-2427-6086	✓ S
157-2742 *	✓ S		
157-2574	71 S		
157-2476-25	✓ S		
157-1670 *	N.A.		
100-47194	-27 S		
157-1477 *	✓ S		
100-43409	-942 S		

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TO: CHIEF CLERK

Date

Subject: Communist Influence in Racial Matters

Social Security Account #

Aliases

Address	Birth Date	Birthplace	Race	Sex
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☐ Main Criminal (If no Main, list all Criminal References)
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File & Serial Number	Remarks	File & Serial Number	Remarks
100-47672	* ✓ S		
100-47106	* ✓ S		
Racial Matters			
105-476-	418 ✓ 200-109		
	426 ✓		

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, Albany

DATE: 8/15/77

FROM : Director (66-3286)

Title House Select Committee on Assassinations — (Destruction of files)

SUBJECT: DESTRUCTION OF FIELD FILES AND RECORDS

PERSONAL ATTENTION

The Attorney General, by letter dated 6/6/77, informed FBIHQ that the moratorium on file destruction has been lifted and indicated his approval for the FBI to resume the file destruction program. However, he specifically instructed that all records in litigation and those records which the Select Committee on Assassinations has asked to be retained must be preserved. By Bureau teletypes 11/24/76 and 1/5/77, captioned "House Select Committee on Assassinations," you were furnished instructions concerning the preservation of records in which the Committee has specific interest. These subjects have again been identified and are set forth in attached one-page enclosure. Additionally, enclosed are 407 individual documents which identify cases involved in Civil Litigation (CL) and/or Information and Privacy Acts Litigation (IPAL) that must be preserved in accordance with the Attorney General's directive. It is to be noted pages 129 and 221 carry continuation page A, and page 332 carries continuation pages A through K for a total of 420 pages. In this regard, it is essential that any data relating to the plaintiffs, defendants, subject matter and/or requester be retained, providing it can be established that information is identical with the particular person or organization that is involved with the specific litigation. This list will assist you in identifying corresponding and related cases in your office that must be preserved.

In order to be sure that no case file(s) is destroyed involving these matters, you should conduct a thorough search of your general indices on each name, organization, publication, etc. relative to each civil action. It is to be noted that in certain cases the topic matter must be searched, such as "Illegal Opening of Mail", etc. An exception to the mandatory search will be those instances where the "Attorney General, Edward H. Levi, Griffin B. Bell, Clarence M. Kelley, Department of Justice, Federal Bureau of Investigation, and/or variations/abbreviations thereof,

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Enclosure

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i.e., AG, E. Levi, Levi, G. Bell, Bell, C. Kelley, Kelley, C.M.K., DOJ, FBI, etc.," is indicated as defendants it will not be necessary to search. Upon completion of search, those case files containing information that can be positively identified as being identical to the person or organization involved must be appropriately marked for preservation and excluded from destruction until the litigation has been resolved. This applies to auxiliary offices, office of origin, and Legats. FBIHQ case files relating to this material are likewise excluded from destruction.

Once all searches have been completed and, where necessary, files appropriately marked for retention, you should establish a control file in the newly created 197 classification (Civil Actions or Claims Against the Government) wherein the enclosed documents with any related search slips attached thereto are to be filed alphabetically by case title and maintained until disposition is received from FBIHQ.

To facilitate this effort and establish uniform procedures throughout the field, you should immediately arrange to procure rubber stamps with one quarter (¼) inch high letters that read as follows:

1) DO NOT DESTROY - PENDING LITIGATION

2) DO NOT DESTROY - PRESERVE FOR SELECT COMMITTEE ON ASSASSINATIONS

Where applicable, the appropriate stamp, using red ink, is to be affixed to the outside of the file cover. Should a file(s) be contained in a consolidated volume, the stamp should be placed on the top serial of the particular file(s) within the consolidated volume. In the event a case file(s) is involved in more than one litigation the appropriate stamps and date of applicable Bureau communication are to be likewise affixed to the file(s) for each separate litigation.

In addition to above, destruction rules concerning auxiliary office files have been modified to require that Top Ten cases and those cases containing identification orders, Wanted Flyers, and/or Check Circulars relative to the subject(s) must be retained, in addition to the six-months RUC rule, six months beyond the date cancellation notices for these items are received.

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Further, destruction rules have been amended to permit destruction of Security and Administrative Index (this refers to Security Index cards and ADEX cards). Also, index cards which relate to Law Enforcement Bulletins are to be destroyed providing the Bulletins are five years old and have been destroyed.

Receipt of this communication grants authority to resume file destruction program pursuant to above and in accordance with instructions contained in Manual of Rules and Regulations, Part II, Section 3, Pages 13 through 15c. Legal Attaches should pursue file destruction program in accordance with instructions set forth in Foreign Operations Policy Manual, Section 6, Item L 2. You will be advised separately as matters currently pending litigation are dismissed and/or as new litigation matters are received.

You should afford file destruction program your immediate attention in order to insure that all obsolete material is destroyed so as to recapture as soon as possible much needed and very costly file storage space.

Where appropriate, manual changes will be forthcoming.

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