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SA V. HARLAN BROWN

CP, USA
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On 2/11/60, a typewritten report was received by SA V. HARLAN BROWN in person from DL-7-3, dated 2/8/60, which has been serialized as 134-4A-310.

Informant advised that a regular CP meeting was held at the home of JOE LANDIN on 2/8/60, and that JOE and MARGARET LANDIN, BILL LOWERY and AUGUSTIN ESTRADA were present.

At this meeting BILL LOWERY reported that he had attended a meeting on Friday, 2/5/60, which was held at a church on Oakland and Forest, and that most of the participants represented some organization. Informant stated he learned that these individuals met there to form an organization that will enter a Negro candidate to file at the last minute. They think that by doing this they may catch the racists off guard and thus ward off a big white vote against their candidate. Their next meeting will be 2/19/60.

ELWOOD ROSS, who had invited BILL LOWERY to the meeting, was ill and did not attend the meeting. BILL LOWERY informed the group that the American GI Forum was having a district meeting at the Baker Hotel, Sunday, 2/14/60.

Informant stated he learned that JOE LANDIN reported that ALBERT GONZALEZ was going to run against MASON, a Negro

- 1 - 100-671-8
- 1 - 134-4A-310A (Expts. DL-7-3)
- 1 - 100-8001 (J. Landin)
- 1 - 100-10177 (H. Landin)
- 1 - 100-7929 (B. Lowery)
- 1 - 100-7995 (A. Estrada)
- 1 - 100-671-11 (Negro Question)
- ② - 100-9734 (G.I. Forum)
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