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**AMERICAN POWs/MIAs IN
SOUTHEAST ASIA
(SUMMARY)**

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TO ACTING DIRECTOR (100-457899)
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FROM NEW YORK (100-168469)

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TRAVEL BY DAVID DELLINGER, CORA WEISS OF COLIFAM AND POW
FAMILY REPRESENTATIVES TO HANOI TO ESCORT THREE POW'S HOME
SEPTEMBER, ONE NINE SEVEN TWO. IS DASH RA, OO: NY.
REVOLUTIONARY ACTIVITIES

ADVISED ABOVE COLIFAM GROUP TRAVELING
TO HANOI, SCHEDULED TO RETURN EITHER SEPTEMBER TWO FIVE OR TWO
SIX, NEXT.

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AND FIELD OFFICES
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NYC, PLANS ANOTHER PRESS CONFERENCE POSSIBLY AT JFK UPON
ARRIVAL WHERE A STATEMENT WILL BE MADE AND POW PHOTOGRAPHS
RELEASED. *SU*

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COLIFAM PLANS AND THE BUREAU WILL BE KEPT ADVISED. *SU*

LHM REGARDING CAPTIONED MATTER BEING PREPARED. *U*

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CC: MILLER
D. E. MOORE
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INFORMATIVE NOTE

Date September 15, 1972

Attached concerns the trip to Hanoi by David Dellinger and Cora Weiss to escort three prisoners of war (POWs) back to the United States.

[REDACTED] Another press conference will possibly be held at John F. Kennedy Airport. (U)

Information in attached was disseminated by teletype to the President, State Department, Central Intelligence Agency and Defense Intelligence Agency. A copy was sent to the Attorney General by messenger. Legat, Copenhagen, which covers Sweden, was also advised but instructed not to disseminate to local authorities due to sensitive nature of the source. (S)(U)

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Subject: COMMITTEE OF LIAISON WITH FAMILIES OF SERVICEMEN DETAINED IN NORTH VIETNAM (CLW)

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FROM NEW YORK 100-168469 4P

TRAVEL BY DAVID DELLINGER AND CORA WEISS OF COLIFAM
AND POW FAMILY REPRESENTATIVES TO HANOI TO ESCORT
THREE POWS HOME, SEPTEMBER, SEVENTY TWO - IS-RA;
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REF. SEPTEMBER TWENTY SEVENTY-TWO,
ON INSTANT DATE, A SECOND SOURCE, IN A POSITION
TO FURNISH RELIABLE INFORMATION, LEARNED THAT ANNIVERSARY
TOURS ^{HAS} TENTATIVELY BOOKED SPACE ON SCANDINAVIAN AIR SERVICE
(SAS) FLIGHT NINE ONE TWO ON OCTOBER SEVEN ^{SEVENTY-TWO,} ~~NEXT,~~ ^{WITH} ~~ULTIMATE~~
DESTINATION OF ANNIVERSARY TOUR GROUP BEING HANOI. ^{THE} SOURCE
ALSO LEARNED ~~INSTANT DATE~~ THAT ANNIVERSARY TOURS ^{IS}
CONTEMPLATING MORE BOOKINGS ON SAS AIRLINES IN THE NEAR
FUTURE WITH ^{THE} ULTIMATE DESTINATION OF HANOI.

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ANY DISSEMINATION OF INFORMATION REGARDING CAPTIONED
MATTER OR COLIFAM POW PLANS SHOULD BE CLASSIFIED "~~SECRET~~"
AS UNAUTHORIZED DISCLOSURE OF THIS INFORMATION WOULD
BE PREJUDICIAL TO THE NATIONAL DEFENSE INTEREST OF THIS
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CONCERNING ABOVE MATTERS. BUREAU WILL BE KEPT ADVISED.

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COMMITTEE OF LIAISON WITH FAMILIES OF SERVICEMEN DETAINED IN
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ON SEPTEMBER TWENTY, SEVENTY-TWO, A SECOND SOURCE, IN A POSITION TO FURNISH RELIABLE INFORMATION, LEARNED THAT ANNIVERSARY TOURS HAS TENTATIVELY BOOKED SPACE ON SCANDINAVIAN AIR SERVICE (SAS) FLIGHT NINE ONE TWO ON OCTOBER SEVEN SEVENTY-TWO, WITH THE ULTIMATE DESTINATION OF ANNIVERSARY TOUR GROUP BEING HANOI. THE SOURCE ALSO LEARNED THAT ANNIVERSARY TOURS IS CONTEMPLATING MORE BOOKINGS ON SAS AIRLINES IN THE NEAR FUTURE WITH THE ULTIMATE DESTINATION OF HANOI.

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COMMITTEE OF LIAISON WITH FAMILIES OF SERVICEMEN DETAINED
IN NORTH VIETNAM (COLIFAM), INTERNAL SECURITY-REVOLUTIONARY
ACTIVITIES OO NEW YORK

MEMBER OF SUBJECT ORGANIZATION

ON SEPTEMBER SEVEN, INSTANT, DAVID TYRE BELLINGER, AND
CORA WEISS, BOTH CO-CHAIRMEN OF COLIFAM, HELD PRESS
CONFERENCE AT CHURCH CENTER FOR THE UN, SEVEN SEVEN SEVEN
UN PLAZA, NEW YORK CITY.

A CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE
INFORMATION IN PAST, ADVISED THAT BELLINGER AND WEISS
ANNOUNCED THEY WOULD DEPART US ON SEPTEMBER THIRTEEN, NEXT,
ALONG WITH THE REVEREND WILLIAM SLOANE COFFIN, JR., PASTOR
OF CHURCH OF CHRIST, YALE UNIVERSITY, NEW HAVEN, CONNECTICUT,

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FOR HANOI, NORTH VIETNAM. IN ADDITION, TWO OTHER UNIDENTIFIED INDIVIDUALS WOULD TRAVEL WITH THEM. THEIR TRAVEL TIME WOULD BE FOUR DAYS TO ARRIVE IN HANOI AND THEY WOULD REMAIN IN THAT CITY FOR ONE WEEK BEFORE RETURNING TO THE UNITED STATES.

UPON THEIR RETURN, THEY WOULD BRING THE FOLLOWING PRISONER OF WAR BACK WITH THEM: NAVY LIEUTENANT MARKHAM GARTLEY, NAVY LIEUTENANT NORRIS CHARLES, AND AIR FORCE MAJOR EDWARD ELIAS.

DELLINGER AND WEISS BOTH READ A PREPARED STATEMENT DENOUNCING PRESIDENT NIXON AND THE UNITED STATES INVOLVEMENT IN THE WAR IN SOUTH EAST ASIA. THEY CALLED FOR A SECESSATION OF THE AIR WAR BY THE UNITED STATES.

DELLINGER STATED THAT HE AND WEISS WOULD CALL ANOTHER PRESS CONFERENCE JUST PRIOR TO THEIR DEPARTURE.

AT THE END OF THE PRESS CONFERENCE, WHICH LASTED FOR FORTY FIVE MINUTES, DELLINGER INVITED REPRESENTATIVES OF THE PRESS WHICH INCLUDED CBS AND NBC TELEVISION TO ASK QUESTIONS. BOTH DELLINGER AND WEISS THEREAFTER ATTEMPTED TO EVADE DIRECT

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ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ASKED BY PRESS.

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RE NEW YORK TEL, SEPTEMBER TWO, LAST.

SOURCE IS [REDACTED]

SOURCE FURTHER ADVISED WILLIAM KUNTZLER, ATTORNEY
FOR DELLINGER, IS MAKING APPLICATION WITH US ATTORNEY NDI
FOR DELLINGER'S TRAVEL PERMISSION.

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CC: MILLER
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Domestic Intelligence Division

INFORMATIVE NOTE

Date: September 7, 1972

Attached states a press conference was held in New York City on 9/7/72 by David Dellinger and Cora Weiss, co-chairmen of Committee of Liaison with Families of Servicemen Detained in North Vietnam (COLIFAM). Dellinger and Weiss announced they would depart the United States for Hanoi, North Vietnam, on 9/13/72 and will be accompanied by Reverend William Sloane Coffin, Jr., of Yale University and two other individuals whom they did not identify. They stated they will remain in North Vietnam for about a week before returning to the United States with three prisoners of war. They read a prepared statement denouncing President Nixon and the United States' involvement in the war in Southeast Asia. Dellinger and Weiss attempted to evade direct answers to questions asked by the press even though they had invited questions.

Information attached was disseminated by teletype to the President, Vice President, State Department, Central Intelligence Agency, Secret Service and the military. A copy was sent to the Attorney General by messenger.

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TO ACTING DIRECTOR 100-457899

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FROM NEW YORK 100-168469 3P

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IN NORTH VIETNAM

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FAMILY REPRESENTATIVES TO HANOI TO ESCORT THREE
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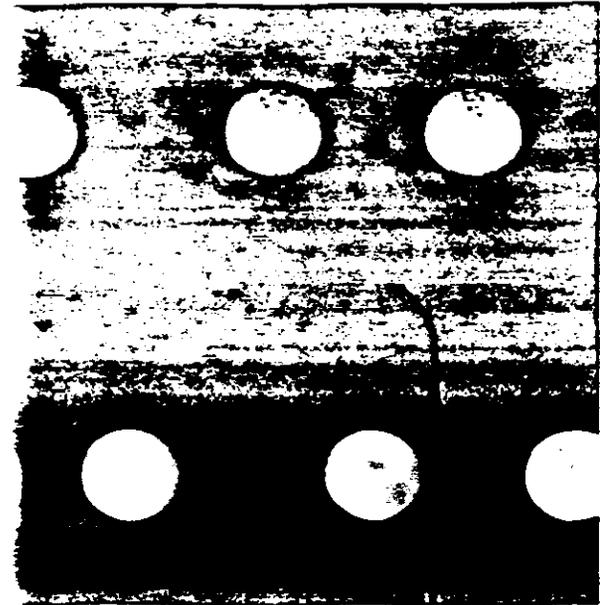
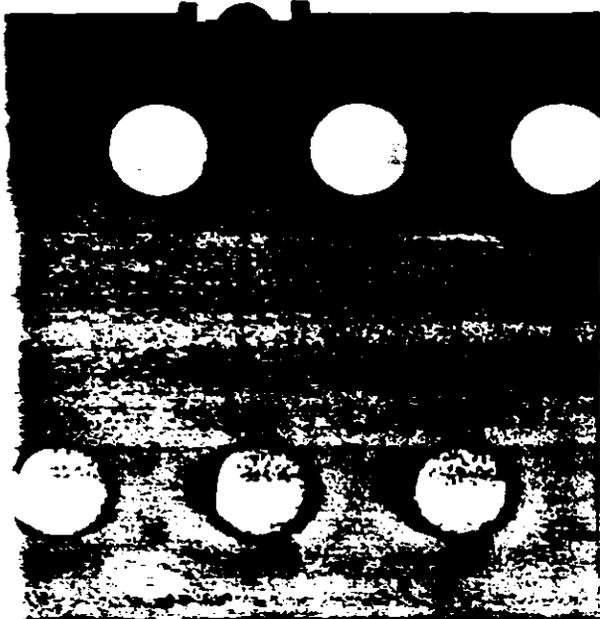
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Domestic Intelligence Division

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Date of [redacted] 10-7-78 [redacted] Date 9/21/77

You were previously advised that antiwar activists David Dellinger and Cora Weiss, connected with Committee of Liaison with Families of Servicemen Detained in North Vietnam (COLIFAM), are currently in Hanoi to accept release of three American prisoners of war (POWs).

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DETAINED IN NORTH VIETNAM (CALIFAN)

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TO: THE PRESIDENT

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TO: ATTORNEY GENERAL (BY MESSENGER)

FROM ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

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COMMITTEE OF LIAISON WITH FAMILIES OF SERVICEMEN DETAINED IN
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FROM BOSTON (100-3740Y)

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POW FAMILY REPRESENTITIVES TO HANOI TO ESCORT THREE POWS
HOME SEPTEMBER, NINETEEN SEVENTYTWO, IS- RA 00: NY

RE NEW YORK TELETYPE DATED SEPTEMBER TWENTYTWO INSTANT.

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~~TO ACTING DIRECTOR (100-457895)~~

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~~TRAVEL BY DAVID DELLINGER, CORA WEISS OF COLIFAM
AND POW FAMILY REPRESENTATIVES TO HANOI TO ESCORT THREE POWS
HOME, SEPTEMBER, SEVENTY TWO, IS BACH RA. OO: NY.~~

ON 9-27-72

~~ON INSTANT DATE,~~ A SOURCE IN POSITION TO FURNISH RELIABLE
INFORMATION, LEARNED THAT COMMITTEE OF LIAISON WITH
FAMILIES OF SERVICEMEN DETAINED IN NORTH VIETNAM (COLIFAM)
REPRESENTATIVES AND RELEASED POWS CONFIRMED RESERVATIONS ON
SCANDINAVIAN AIRLINE SERVICE (SAS) FLIGHT NINE ELEVEN, LEAVING
COPENHAGEN AFTERNOON OF SEPTEMBER TWENTY EIGHT, ~~NEXT~~¹⁹⁷² SCHEDULED
TO ARRIVE JFK, NYC, AT SEVEN PM, SEPTEMBER TWENTY EIGHT
~~NEXT~~¹⁹⁷². CORA WEISS, OF COLIFAM, WHO CONFIRMED ABOVE RESERVATIONS
FROM MOSCOW, REQUESTED SAS, AFTER THEIR ARRIVAL IN NYC TO MAKE
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PRESS CONFERENCE TO BE HELD WITH COLIFAM REPRESENTATIVES AND
RELEASED POWS UPON ARRIVAL IN COPENHAGEN, DENMARK, SEPTEMBER
TWENTY EIGHT, ¹⁹⁷² ~~NEXT~~. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] TIME AND LOCATION OF INDICATED
PRESS CONFERENCE AT COPENHAGEN NOT KNOWN TO SOURCE.

ABOVE SOURCE FURTHER ADVISED, ~~INSTANT DATE~~, THAT "HEAVY"
NEWS COVERAGE EXPECTED FOR ARRIVAL OF POWS AT JFK, NYC AND
PLANS CURRENTLY UNDERWAY BY TV NETWORKS FOR LIVE COVERAGE
OF RETURNING POWS AT SEVEN PM NEWS SHOULD SAS FLIGHT NINE ELEVEN

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FOR INFORMATION OF BUREAU ONLY: [REDACTED] NAVAL INTELLIGENCE, NEW YORK, ADVISED SA [REDACTED] INSTANT DATE, THAT UPON ARRIVAL OF SAS FLIGHT NINE ELEVEN AT JFK, SEPTEMBER TWENTY EIGHT, NEXT, THE MILITARY PLANS TO IMMEDIATELY BOARD SAS FLIGHT NINE ELEVEN AND PLACE THE POWS UNDER MILITARY JURISDICTION. THE MILITARY WILL NEXT ESCORT THE POWS AND COLIFAM GROUP FROM THE REAR OF THE PLANE. PURPOSE OF ABOVE IS TO PREVENT POWS FROM MAKING ANY STATEMENTS TO PRESS. POWS WILL BE ALLOWED TO POSE FOR PHOTOGRAPHS ONLY.

[REDACTED] ON INSTANT DATE, ALSO ADVISED THAT THE FOLLOWING "RUMOR" IS BEING CIRCULATED AMONG THE PRESS CORPS AS FOLLOWS [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] THAT THE CBS NETWORK HAS FINANCED THE COLIFAM TRAVEL TO HANOI AS WELL AS RETURN TO THE US IN CONSIDERATION OF SPECIAL COVERAGE AND INTERVIEWS.

IT IS POINTED OUT ABOVE IS ONLY RUMOR CONCERNING CBS BUT IS BEING SET OUT ADMINISTRATIVELY FOR ANY INTEREST IT MAY

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HAVE FOR THE BUREAU.

NEW YORK WILL COVER RETURN OF POWS AND ANY PRESS
CONFERENCE BY COLIFAM GROUP. BUREAU WILL BE KEPT ADVISED.

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TRAVEL BY ~~DAVID DELLINGER~~, ~~CORA WEISS~~ OF COMMITTEE OF LIAISON WITH FAMILIES OF SERVICEMEN DETAINED IN NORTH VIETNAM (COLIFAM) AND PRISONER OF WAR (POW) FAMILY REPRESENTATIVES TO HANOI TO ESCORT THREE POWS HOME, SEPTEMBER, SEVENTY TWO, INTERNAL SECURITY - REVOLUTIONARY ACTIVITIES.

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TWENTY EIGHT, SEVENTYTWO. [REDACTED]

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TRAVEL BY DAVID DELLINGER, CORA WEISS OF COMMITTEE OF
LIAISON WITH FAMILIES OF SERVICEMEN DETAINED IN NORTH VIETNAM
(COLIFAM) AND POW FAMILY REPRESENTATIVES TO HANOI TO ESCORT
THREE POW'S HOME SEPTEMBER, SEVENTYTWO.

RE BUREAU CABLE SEPTEMBER ONE SIX LAST.

INFORMATION PRESENTLY AVAILABLE TO EMBASSY OFFICIALS,
COPENHAGEN, INDICATES THAT CAPTIONED GROUP MAY ARRIVE IN COPENHAGEN
ON THE MORNING OF SEPTEMBER TWO EIGHT NEXT AND POSSIBLY DEPART
COPENHAGEN ABOARD SAS FLIGHT SK NINE ONE ONE AT THREE TWO ZERO PM
EN ROUTE TO NEW YORK THAT DATE. EMBASSY PLANS ARE FLUID AND WILL DE-
PEND UPON EVENTS AS THEY OCCUR. PRESENT INTENTION IS TO OFFER
POW'S A RETURN BY MILITARY TRANSPORTATION AND TO LIMIT EXPOSURE TO
PRESS HERE AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE. WE WILL KEEP THE BUREAU ADVISED.

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TRAVEL BY DAVID DELLINGER, CORA WEISS OF COLIFAM AND POW FAMILY REPRESENTATIVES TO HANOI TO ESCORT THREE POWS HOME, SEPTEMBER, NINETEEN SEVENTY

INTERNAL SECURITY - REVOLUTIONARY ACTIVITY

AT SIX THIRTY PM, SEPTEMBER TWENTY EIGHT LAST SAS OF THE FBI

OBSERVED ARRIVAL AREA FOR SCANDANAVIAN AIRLINES SERVICE (SAS) FLIGHT NINE ONE ONE CARRYING COMMITTEE OF LIASION WITH FAMILIES OF SERVICEMEN DETAINED IN NORTH VIETNAM (COLIFAM) REPRESENTATIVES AND RELEASED POWS UNDER TIGHT SECURITY. TWO

AREAS HAD BEEN CORDONED OFF ONE FOR PRESS THE OTHER FAMILY. MICROPHONES APPEARED BEFORE PRESS SECTION INDICATING POSSIBLE PRESS CONFERENCE OF ABOVE INDIVIDUALS UPON ARRIVAL.

AT SIX FORTY FIVE PM MEMBERS OF POW FAMILIES AND OTHER INDIVIDUALS WERE ESCORTED TO THEIR CORDONED-OFF AREA. SHORTLY AFTER ARRIVAL SOME INDIVIDUALS WHO ACCOMPAINED POW FAMILIES DISPLAYED SIGNS WHICH READ "FREE POWS ON BOTH SIDES BY ENDING WAR AND END OF THEIR SUPPORT, BRING BIS HOME NOW!"

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AT SIX FIFTY EIGHT PM SEPTEMBER TWENTY EIGHT LAST SAS
WINE ONE ONE LANDED AT INTERNATIONAL ARRIVALS BUILDING (IAB)
JOHN F. KENNEDY AIRPORT (JFK). SECURITY TIGHTENED AROUND
REAR ENTRANCE OF PLANE AND FAMILIES PROCEEDED TO DISEMBARKATION
RAMP AT REAR OF PLANE. APPROXIMATELY FIFTEEN MINUTES AFTER ARRIVAL,
MEMBERS OF PRESS WHO ACCOMPANIED COLIFAM GROUP AND RELEASED
POWS DISEMBARKED. SEVEN THIRTY PM, POWS DISEMBARKED FROM REAR OF
PLANE IN THEIR RESPECTIVE MILITARY UNIFORMS. POWS IMMEDIATELY
SURROUNDED BY THEIR FAMILIES. A CARAVAN OF CARS THEN APPROACHED POWS.
BEFORE ARRIVAL OF CARAVAN POWS MORRIS CHARLES AND MARKHAM
GARTLEY APPROACHED PRESS SECTION WITH THEIR FAMILIES. THEY
WAVED AND SPOKE BRIEFLY BUT NOT HEARD AS MICROPHONES IN FRONT OF
PRESS SECTION NOT OPERATING. POWS AND FAMILIES THEN ESCORTED TO
WAITING CARS AND LEFT AREA. MRS CHARLES, MOTHER OF MORRIS CHARLES,
EXHIBITED SIGN WHICH WAS ANTI-WAR IN NATURE WHEN SON APPROACHED THE
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PRESS.

AFTER DEPARTURE OF POWS DAVID DELLINGER, CORA WEISS AND REVEREND WILLIAM SLOANE COFFIN THAN SPOKE TO THE PRESS AT ARRIVAL AREA. ABOVE INDIVIDUALS ALL CRITICIZED THE POLITICAL AND MILITARY TACTICS UTILIZED BY UNITED STATES TO TAKE POWS INTO CUSTODY. DELLINGER ANNOUNCED A PRESS CONFERENCE WOULD BE HELD IMMEDIATELY AT PRESS ROOM. IAB, JFK, COLIFAM GROUP LEFT THE ARRIVAL AREA OF SAS NINE ONE ONE AT SEVEN FORTY FIVE PM.

AT EIGHT TEN PM RICHARD FALK PROFESSOR OF INTERNATIONAL LAW, PRINCETION UNIVERSITY, WHO TRAVELED TO HANOI WITH COLIFAM GROUP, OPENED PRESS CONFERENCE AND EMPHASIZED THE CONSTANT HARASSMENT OF THE U.S. GOVERNMENT EVERY STEP OF THEIR JOURNEY FORM HANOI. FALK STATED THE HIGHLIGHT OF THIS HARASSMENT EVIDENT TONIGHT BY NOT ALLOWING POWS TO SPEAK AND IMMEDIATELY TAKING THEM AWAY. REVEREND WILLIAM SLOANE COFFIN NEXT SPOKE AND TOLD OF PRESENCE OF A MILITARY REPRESENTATIVE AND TWO STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICALS WHO ACCOMPAINED THEM HOME. SLOANE STATED APPROXIMATELY ONE AND ONE HALF HOURS FROM JFK, NYC ABOVE MILITARY REPRESENTATIVE PRODUCED UNIFORMS FOR POWS TO WEAR WHEN DISENBARKING AT JFK. CORA WEISS THAN SPOKE STATING U.S. GOVERNMENT PROMISED UPON ARRIVAL AT JFK TO ALLOW POWS TO BE PRESENT AT PRESS CONFERENCE

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AND AGREED TO HAVE SPACE AVAILABLE FOR POWS REUNION WITH FAMILY. WEISS STATED UPON PRODUCING OF THE UNIFORMS ONE AND ONE HALF HOURS BEFORE ARRIVAL IT WAS CLEAR THESE PROMISES WOULD NOT BE KEPT. WEISS STATED POW EDWARD ELIAS COOPERATED FULLY WITH MILITARY AND HAD "DECEIVED" THEM. PRESS IMMEDIATELY ASKED WEISS HER MEANING OF "DECEIVE". WEISS STATED THAT ELIAS MADE CERTAIN STATEMENTS AND SIGNED OTHER THINGS IN HANOI BUT DID A COMPLETE CHANGE OF FACE UPON RETURNING TO U.S. AT THIS POINT OTHERS IN COLIFAM GROUP INTERRUPTED AND STATED THIS INDICATES POWS NOT BRAIN WASHED OR PICKED FOR THEIR COOPERATION WITH THE NORTH VIETNAMESE. DELLINGER FOLLOWED WEISS AND CRITIZED UNITED STATES METHODS IN TAKING CUSTODY OF POWS. DELLINGER EMPHASIZED ON NUMEROUS OCCASIONS THAT NORTH VIETNAMESE REPRESENTATIVES INFORMED HIM THAT BY THE RELEASE OF THESE POWS THEY HAVE TAKEN THE FIRST STEP IN THEIR PEACE OFFENSIVE AND SHOULD THE U.S. ACT FAVORABLY TO THIS STEP THESE REPRESENTATIVES IMPLIED THE POSSIBILITY OF FUTURE POW RELEASES. DELLINGER STATED THAT U.S. TACTICS REGARDING THESE POWS POSSIBLY ENDANGERED ANY CHANCE OF FUTURE POW RELEASES OR A SETTLEMENT IN THE WAR. AT CONCLUSION OF CONFERENCE AT EIGHT FORTY FIVE PM DELLINGER CONCLUDED BY SAYING FUTURE RELEASE OF POW IS A HOPE.

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SAS [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED] COVERED ARRIVAL
OF ABOVE GROUP AND PRESS CONFERENCE.

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NEW YORK IS CURRENTLY PREPARING AN ^{MEMO} LHM ON CAPTIONED MATTER.

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INFORMATIVE NOTE

Date 9-29-72

You were previously advised of activities of antiwar activists David Dellinger and Cora Weiss, connected with Committee of Liaison with Servicemen detained in North Vietnam (COLIFAM), who traveled to North Vietnam to accept release of three American prisoners of war (POWs).

Attached reports arrival of subjects, POWs and relatives at New York City (NYC) one evening of 9-28-72. Mother of POW Charles exhibited a sign which was antiwar in nature when the POW approached the press. Dellinger Weiss and others who traveled to North Vietnam addressed press conference and criticized U.S. Government and military tactics in this matter. Weiss said POW Edward Elias cooperated fully with the military and had "deceived" them.

Information in attached sent by teletype to the President, Vice President, State Department, Central Intelligence Agency, Defense Intelligence Agency, Secret Service, [redacted] and the military. Copy to the Attorney General by messenger.

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REPRESENTATIVES AND RELEASED POWS LEFT HANOI EVENING OF SEPTEMBER
TWENTY FOURTH, LAST, FOR NANNING, CHINA. GROUP, AS OF INSTANT
DATE, STILL IN NANNING, CHINA, AND EXPECTED TO ARRIVE IN
MOSCOW MORNING OF SEPTEMBER TWENTY SEVEN, NEXT. ON MORNING
OF SEPTEMBER TWENTY EIGHTH, NEXT GROUP WILL PROCEED FROM
MOSCOW AND FLY TO COPENHAGEN, DENMARK, AND TENTATIVELY
SCHEDULED TO BOARD IN COPENHAGEN SCANDINAVIAN AIRLINES SERVICE
(SAS) FLIGHT NINE ELEVEN ON THURSDAY AFTERNOON, SEPTEMBER
TWENTY EIGHT, NEXT AND GROUP SCHEDULED TO ARRIVE JFK, NYS, OCT 4 1972
SEVEN PM, SEPTEMBER TWENTY EIGHT NEXT.

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RE NEW YORK TELETYPE TO BUREAU AND BOSTON, SEPTEMBER
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BUREAU SUPERVISOR [REDACTED] TELEPHONICALLY ADVISED
OF ABOVE AT FOUR THIRTY PM INSTANT DATE.

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FOR INFORMATION BUREAU, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ABC CURRENTLY HAS A NEWS CREW WITH COLIFAM
GROUP COVERING THE POW STORY. [REDACTED]

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NEW YORK WILL COVER RETURN OF POWS. BUREAU WILL BE
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Mr. Wannall



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INFORMATIVE NOTE

Date 9/25/72

You were previously advised that anti-war activists David Dellinger and Cora Weiss, connected with Committee of Liaison with Families of Servicemen detained in North Vietnam (COLIFAM) are in Hanoi to accept release of three American prisoners of war (POWs).

Attached received from a source and states that members of COLIFAM and the POWs left Hanoi on evening of 9/24/72 for Nanning, China, There are expected to leave for Moscow on 9/27/72 and arrive in Copenhagen on 9/28/72. They are expected to arrive at John F. Kennedy Airport in New York City on the evening of 9/28/72.

Information in attached being disseminated by teletype to the President Vice President, State Department, Central Intelligence Agency, Defense Intelligence Agency, Secret Service, [redacted] the Military. A copy is also being sent to the Attorney General by [redacted] messenger.

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TO ACTING DIRECTOR 100-457899

ATTN. DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION
FROM NEW YORK 100-162469 4-P

COMMITTEE OF LIAISON WITH FAMILIES OF SERVICEMEN DETAINED IN
NORTH VIETNAM (COLIFAM), IS ~~ORIGINALLY~~ NY.

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ON OCTOBER FIVE, ⁷² ~~PRESENT~~, A SOURCE, WHO IS IN A POSITION
TO FURNISH RELIABLE INFORMATION, ADVISED THAT [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] RESERVATIONS FOR SCANDINAVIAN
AIRLINES SERVICE (SAS) FLIGHT NINE TWELVE, SCHEDULED TO DEPART
AT NINE TWENTY PM, ON OCTOBER ELEVEN, NEXT, FROM JOHN F.
KENNEDY INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT (JFK AIRPORT), FOR COPENHAGEN,
DENMARK. THE ULTIMATE DESTINATION OF THIS GROUP WILL BE HANOI.

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THE ABOVE SOURCE FURTHER ADVISED THAT TRAVEL ITINERARY OF THIS
GROUP IS AS FOLLOWS:

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LEAVE JFK AIRPORT ABOARD SAS FLIGHT NINE TWELVE AND ARRIVE AT
COPENHAGEN AT TEN AM ON OCTOBER TWELVE, NEXT. THIS GROUP

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WILL LEAVE COPENHAGEN, DENMARK, AT TWELVE NOON ON
OCTOBER TWELVE, ⁷² NEXT ON SAS FLIGHT NINE SEVEN ONE AND WILL ARRIVE
AT BANGKOK, THAILAND, AT FIVE TWENTY AM, OCTOBER THIRTEEN, ⁷² NEXT.
THEY WILL LEAVE BANGKOK, THAILAND AT ONE FORTY FIVE PM ON OCTOBER
THIRTEEN, ⁷² NEXT ON ROYAL THAI AIRLINES FLIGHT FIVE TWO FIVE
AND WILL ARRIVE AT VIEN ⁷² TIANE, LAOS AT THREE FIFTEEN PM, ⁷² NEXT.
OCTOBER THIRTEEN, ⁷² NEXT. ⁷² A GROUP WILL LEAVE VIEN ⁷² TIANE AT NINE
THIRTY FIVE AM, OCTOBER FOURTEEN, ⁷² NEXT ON AEROFLOT FLIGHT FIVE
FOUR FIVE AND WILL ARRIVE AT HANOI, NORTH VIETNAM, AT ELEVEN AM,
OCTOBER FOURTEEN, ⁷² NEXT. THE RETURN ITINERARY OF THIS GROUP IS
NOT KNOWN TO ⁷² SOURCE AT THIS TIME. ⁷² (u)

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LAW ASPECTS OF THIS INTERVENTION

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RE TELEPHONE CALL TO BUREAU SUPERVISOR [REDACTED]

CONCERNING ABOVE, SEPTEMBER FIVE SEVENTY TWO. SOURCE IS

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NEW YORK IS FOLLOWING CLOSELY AND BUREAU WILL BE KEPT ADVISED.

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COMMITTEE OF LIAISON WITH FAMILIES OF SERVICEMEN DETAINED IN
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ON OCTOBER FIVE, SEVENTYTWO, A SOURCE, WHO IS IN A POSITION TO FURNISH RELIABLE INFORMATION, ADVISED THAT [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] RESERVATIONS FOR SCANDIANAVIAN AIRLINES SERVICE (SAS) FLIGHT NINE TWELVE, SCHEDULED TO DEPART AT NINE TWENTY PM, ON OCTOBER ELEVEN, NEXT, FROM JOHN F. KENNEDY INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT (JFK AIRPORT), FOR COPENHAGEN, DENMARK. THE ULTIMATE DESTINATION OF THIS GROUP WILL BE HANOI.

THE ABOVE SOURCE FURTHER ADVISED THAT THE TRAVEL ITINERARY OF THIS GROUP IS AS FOLLOWS:

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THIRTEEN, SEVENTYTWO. THE GROUP WILL LEAVE VIENTIANE AT NINE THIRTY FIVE AM, OCTOBER FOURTEEN, SEVENTYTWO ON AIRCRAFT FLIGHT FIVE FOUR FIVE AND WILL ARRIVE AT HANOI, NORTH VIETNAM, AT ELEVEN AM, OCTOBER FOURTEEN, SEVENTYTWO. THE RETURN-EXPERIMENT OF THIS GROUP IS NOT KNOWN TO THE SOURCE AT THIS TIME. (S)u

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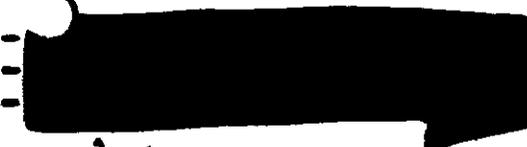
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FROM ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI (100-457899)

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RENYTEL OCTOBER FOUR, LAST, CAPTIONED "TRAVEL BY FOUR DOCTORS AND FOUR LAWYERS TO HANOI OCTOBER FOUR, SEVENTY-TWO AND OCTOBER ELEVEN, SEVENTY-TWO; IS - RA." U



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NOTE:

New York developed information from confidential source
that four doctors and four lawyers to depart separately during
October to travel to Hanoi to attempt to secure release of additional
prisoners of war. New York has identified doctors but has been
unable to identify lawyers.

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in view of imminent departure of
delegation, information was furnished telephonically to Supervisor
by Supervisor [redacted] Domestic Intelligence
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1 - Mr. J. S. Miller b7c
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**COMMITTEE OF LIAISON WITH FAMILIES OF
SERVICEMEN DETAINED IN NORTH VIETNAM (COLIFAM)
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Authority granted to discreetly contact [redacted]

for any information he has concerning activities of this group.
Promptly submit results of this interview in form suitable for
dissemination. Q U

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See memorandum [redacted] to Mr. E. S. Miller
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FROM NEW YORK (100-168469)

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TRAVES BY DAVID DELLINGER, CORA WEISS OF COLIFAM AND POW
FAMILY REPRESENTATIVES TO HANOI TO ESCORT THREE POWS HOME,
SEPTEMBER, NINETEEN SEVENTYTWO. IS-RA. OO: NEW YORK.

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ON SEPTEMBER TWENTYTWO LAST,

LEARNED THAT

EXPRESSED WILLINGNESS

TO SPEAK TO GOVERNMENT REPRESENTATIVE CONCERNING HIS KNOWLEDGE
OF COLIFAM ACTIVITIES

ONLY

CONDITION BEING THAT HIS IDENTITY BE ABSOLUTELY CONCEALED AND
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FOR INFORMATION OF BUREAU FOLLOWING SET OUT FOR BUREAU'S
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THAT PRESS RUMORS DURING COLIFAM GROUP'S TRAVEL INDICATE COLIFAM ORGANIZATION IN NEW YORK CITY RECEIVING INFORMATION FROM

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NEW YORK INDICES REFLECT THE FOLLOWING

INFORMATION:

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NEW YORK INDICES REFLECT "UNIVERSITY REVIEW" IS AN ANTI-ESTABLISHMENT PUBLICATION CIRCULATED ON COLLEGE CAMPUSES.

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TRAVEL BY UNITED STATES DOCTORS TO VIETNAM, IS - RA, EO 12812

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COMMITTEE OF LIAISON WITH
FAMILIES OF SERVICEMEN DETAINED IN NORTH

RE NEW YORK TELETYPE TO BUREAU OCTOBER THREE, LAST. 100-457899-33

ON INSTANT DATE, [REDACTED] SAN

FRANCISCO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, ADVISED AIRLINE RECORDS REVEAL
A DR. G. ROSS, ON SEPTEMBER TWENTY FIVE, LAST, BOOKED PASSAGE
AT NEW YORK FOR AMERICAN AIRLINES FLIGHT SIXTEEN LEAVING SAN
FRANCISCO AT TWELVE NOON, OCTOBER FOUR, INSTANT, ARRIVING
NEW YORK EIGHT: FIFTEEN PM, SAME DATE. NO FURTHER IDENTIFYING
DATA OR INDICATION OF ROUND TRIP AVAILABLE.

ON OCTOBER FOUR, INSTANT, SAN FRANCISCO INDICES WERE
NEGATIVE REGARDING [REDACTED] YOUR DOCTORS IS REFERENCED TELETYPE.

PHONE DIRECTORIES FOR SAN FRANCISCO AND SURROUNDING
COUNTIES, THE NINETEEN SEVENTY TWO "AMERICAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION
POSITION REFERENCE LISTING" FOR PHYSICIANS IN SAN FRANCISCO,

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AND DEPARTMENT OF STATE, PASSPORT DIVISION RECORDS AT SAN FRANCISCO, WERE SEARCHED FOR THE NAME G. ROSS WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

INVESTIGATION AT SAN FRANCISCO WILL CONTINUE PENDING RECEIPT OF ADDITIONAL IDENTIFYING DATA REGARDING G. ROSS.

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- Mr. Jenkins _____
- Mr. Marshall _____
- Mr. Miller, E.A. _____
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COMMITTEE OF LIAISON WITH FAMILIES OF SERVICEMEN DETAINED IN
NORTH VIETNAM (COLIFAM), IS - NEW LEFT.

MORNING OCTOBER THREE, SEVENTYTWO, [REDACTED] SUPERVISOR,
NAVAL INTELLIGENCE, PHILADELPHIA, CONTACTED THIS OFFICE.

ADVISED THAT FATHER OF PRISONER OF WAR [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] USN, HAD CONTACTED THEM. FATHER SAID [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] HIS WIFE, MOTHER OF POW, HAD RECEIVED CALL THAT DATE.
FROM CORA WEISS, WHO SAID SHE WAS IN PHILADELPHIA. SHE WANTED
TO KNOW IF [REDACTED] WAS GOING TO ATTEND THE LUNCHEON TODAY.

[REDACTED] DID NOT KNOW OF LUNCHEON BUT ON DIRECT INVITATION
FROM WEISS SAID SHE WOULD ATTEND. WEISS SAID LUNCHEON TO BE

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[REDACTED] SAID NAVAL INTELLIGENCE WOULD TAKE NO ACTION IN THIS MATTER AND WAS CONVEYING IT FOR AN POSSIBLE FBI ACTION. HE ASKED TO BE ADVISED OF IDENTITY OF RESIDENTS AT ABOVE DESCRIBED APARTMENT IF WE COULD LEARN IT.

CRISS CROSS DIRECTORY, PHILADELPHIA, REFLECTS [REDACTED]

all THIS APARTMENT BUILDING VERY EXPENSIVE, HIGH RISE APARTMENT AND NO ACCESS POSSIBLE WITHOUT IDENTIFICATION TO SECURITY DOORMAN. NO CONTACTS MADE AT THIS BUILDING.

[REDACTED] ADVISED HE WOULD RECEIVE INFORMATION FROM [REDACTED] AS TO ACTIVITIES AT LUNCHEON AND FURNISH THEM TO FBI.

[REDACTED] WAS ADVISED GENERALLY OF BACKGROUND OF [REDACTED]

LHM WILL FOLLOW IF INFORMATION OF SUBSTANCE RECEIVED.

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You were previously advised several doctors and lawyers from the U.S. scheduled to depart New York City (NYC) 10/4/72 enroute Vietnam. Four doctors' identities previously furnished to you together with opinions of source of our New York Office that they are bound for Hanoi, North Vietnam to meet prisoners of war to be released.

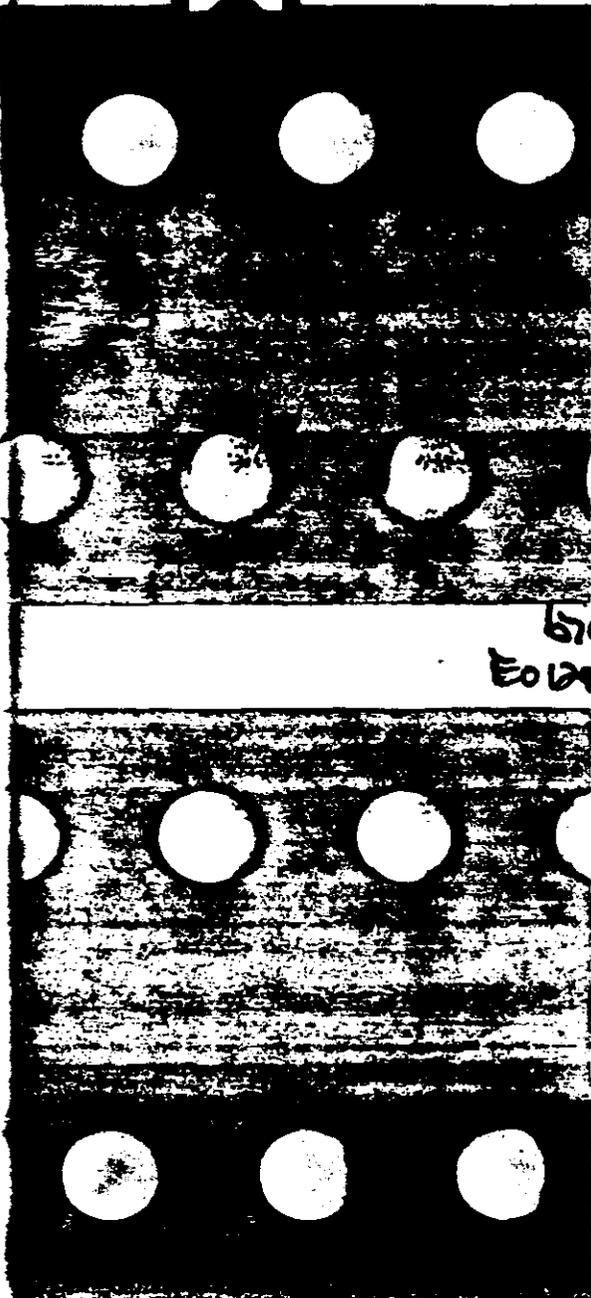
Attached identifies [redacted] reservations from New York to Copenhagen via Scandinavian Airlines Service on 10/4/72 ultimate destination Hanoi [redacted]

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[redacted] unknown to our New York Office. New York Office following this matter and you will be kept advised of pertinent developments. *cut*

Data in attached sent by teletype to the President, Vice-President, Secretary of State, Central Intelligence Agency, Defense Intelligence Agency and the military. Also sent the Attorney General and Deputy Attorney General by messenger. *u*

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

1 - Mr. E. S. Miller
1 - Mr. T. E. Bishop

TO : Mr. E. S. Miller

DATE: 10/3/77

FROM :

SUBJECT: COMMITTEE OF LIAISON WITH FAMILIES
OF SERVICEMEN DETAINED IN NORTH
VIETNAM (COLIFAM)

INTERNAL SECURITY - REVOLUTIONARY ACTIVITIES

PURPOSE:

To recommend New York be authorized to interview

BACKGROUND:

COLIFAM was organized by David Dellinger and Cora Weiss, leaders of the militant antiwar group Peoples Coalition for Peace and Justice (PCPJ), and is engaged in transporting correspondence between POWS in North Vietnam and their families in the United States. You have been previously advised of details regarding the recently completed travel to North Vietnam by representatives of this group to secure the release of three POWS.

New York Office has determined from a confidential source that

has expressed a willingness to speak to a Government representative concerning his knowledge of the COLIFAM activities

His only condition, according to the confidential source, is that his identity be absolutely concealed and protected.

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Memorandum to Mr. E. S. Miller
Re: Committee of Liaison with Families
of Servicemen Detained in North
Vietnam (COLIFAM)

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OBSERVATIONS:

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] In view of his willingness to speak to a Government representative and the absence of derogatory information concerning him, it would appear to be to our benefit to avail ourselves of the information he possesses. Attached is an airtel to the New York Office authorizing contact [REDACTED] for the purpose of obtaining such information. Q U

ACTION: With your approval, the attached airtel will be sent.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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TO ACTING DIRECTOR (100-457899)

(ATTENTION DID)

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COMMITTEE OF LIAISON WITH FAMILIES OF SERVICEMEN

DETAINED IN NORTH VIETNAM (COLIFAM) IS DASH RL, OO: NY.

ON OCTOBER FIVE, INSTANT, A SOURCE WHO IS IN A POSITION TO FURNISH RELIABLE INFORMATION, LEARNED THAT

[REDACTED]

ABOVE SOURCE, ON OCTOBER FIVE INSTANT, FURTHER LEARNED THAT

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[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] IS THE WIFE OF A POW FLIGHT,
SURGEON CAPTURED [REDACTED] YEARS AGO BY THE VIETNAMESE.

[REDACTED] ORGANIZATION KNOWN AS POW &
[REDACTED] MISSING IN ACTION (MIA) FAMILIES FOR IMMEDIATE
[REDACTED] RELEASE.

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COLIFAM IS PUBLICALLY KNOWN AS AN ORGANIZATION BASED
IN NYC THAT HAS, IN THE PAST, BEEN ENGAGED IN TRANSPORTING
CORRESPONDENCE BETWEEN THE US POWS IN NORTH VIETNAM AND
THEIR FAMILIES IN THE US.

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

ADMINISTRATIVE-----

SOURCE IS [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

INFORMATION GIVEN TO SPECIAL AGENT [REDACTED]

ABOVE SOURCE ADVISED THAT HE LEARNED OF ABOVE FROM [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WHOM SOURCE CONSIDERS RELIABLE. SOURCE
LEARNED, THIS DATE, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

BUREAU SUPERVISOR [REDACTED] TELEPHONICALLY ADVISED
OF ABOVE AT FOUR FORTY FIVE PM, INSTANT DATE.

NEW YORK FOLLOWING CLOSELY AND THE BUREAU WILL BE KEPT
ADVISED.

CAUTION--- [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

ABOVE

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