

1 - Mr. D.D. Kinley
1 - Mr. E.S. Miller

Mr. E. S. Miller

9/22/72

A. J. Decker

J U N E

1 - Mr. A.J. Decker
① - Mr. J.M. Sizoo
1 - Mr. T.H. George

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Memorandum requests Attorney General's authorization
be sought for telephone surveillance (tesur) on the temporary
residence of captioned subject. 50X1, 6

not to exceed 90 days. Appropriate communications for the
Attorney General (AG) are attached.

On 9/22/72. 50X1, 6

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telephonically
requested that urgent action be taken to institute telephone
surveillance 50X1, 6

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The request was made for
reasons affecting important foreign policy objectives in
connection 50X1, 6

50X1, 6 plays a most important
role 50X1, 6 and
this technical installation should obtain valuable informa-
tion not available from any other source.

The above surveillance is to obtain foreign
intelligence information and will not come within the purview
of the Keith Decision, 6/19/72, which decided that the
President does not have the authority to authorize electronic
surveillances on domestic subversives.

There are currently 40 tesurs installed and
operating, not including three at the request of 50X1, 6
50X1, 6 Twenty-one tesurs are awaiting installation, and
nine tesurs are awaiting Acting Director or AG's authori-
zation. 50X1, 6

Enclosures (3)

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

RECOMMENDATION - OVER

50X1, 6

Memorandum A. T. Decker to Mr. E.S. Miller
Re: 50X1, 6
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RECOMMENDATION:

That the attached Memorandum for the Attorney General, requesting authorization for tesur on captioned subject, be forwarded together with characterization of circumstances prompting the request and a suggested response for the Attorney General's signature.

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September 22, 1972

MEMORANDUM FOR THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

RE: REQUEST FOR NATIONAL SECURITY
ELECTRONIC SURVEILLANCE

On behalf of the President of the United States,
you are requested to authorize a telephone surveillance
50X1, 6

A summary of the circumstances which prompt
this request is attached to this memorandum.

It is therefore requested that the President of
the United States through the Attorney General, and in the
interest of national security, consider this request in
conjunction with all other intelligence information
available to the Executive concerning this subject and
that you authorize the surveillance requested until
December 22, 1972.

Respectfully,

L. Patrick Gray, III
Acting Director

Enclosure

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*Referred to AD on 9/22/72
by SA Thomas & George
at Myrtle Beach, South Carolina*

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Memorandum for the Attorney General

NOTE:

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dated 9/22/72, captioned 50X1,6
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September 22, 1972

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On September 22, 1972. 50X1,6
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requested
installation of a telephone surveillance 50X1,6
50X1,6 for reasons affecting important
foreign policy objectives 50X1,6
50X1,6

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

SUBJECT: 50X1,6

1 - Mr. George

This is in response to your request to the President of the United States for authority to intercept wire communications to and from the telephone installation
50X1,6

Based upon the intelligence data available to the President, classified Secret and Top Secret, which cannot here be disclosed, I have, on behalf of the President of the United States, determined that the requested electronic surveillance is necessary to obtain foreign intelligence information deemed essential to the security of the United States.

I, therefore, pursuant to the authority invested in me by the President of the United States, do hereby authorize the surveillance requested until December 22, 1972.

RICHARD G. KLEINDISNET
Attorney General of the United States

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Date

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Memorandum for the Acting Director, FBI

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