

SECRET

16 JAN 1963

TO : Director
 Federal Bureau of Investigation
 Attention: Mr. S. J. Papich

FROM : Deputy Director (Plans)

SUBJECT : Richard Thomas GIBSON

REFERENCE: CSCI-3/773991 dated 2 January 1963

1. In late December 1962 our representative in Algiers reported the following additional information on Subject of Reference which had been received from a reliable Agency source. Subject is to become a member of the editorial staff of a new weekly magazine, La Revolution Africaine, to be published in Algiers. The magazine is to be established under the sponsorship and financing of the Algerian Bureau Politique and the first issue is scheduled for publication at the end of January 1963.

2. Subject told Agency source that La Revolution Africaine will have the same format as Jeune Afrique (a weekly Tunisian newspaper) but will be "more left". Subject also told Agency source that the chief organizer of the new magazine is Jacques VERGES (identified by another Agency source as a Communist Party comrade) and that SINE, famous French cartoonist and friend of Subject, would be another staff member of the new magazine. Subject's first assignment for La Revolution Africaine is to find fifteen apartments for magazine staffers who are coming to Algiers from France.

CSCI-3/774268

DISTRIBUTION:

- Orig & 1 - Addressee
- 1 - RID (201-306052)
- 1 - CI/LS
- 1 - CI/RA
- 1 - AF/1/CI
- 1 - AF/1/A
- 1 - TFW/CI

AF/1/ [redacted] /ja/6584/8 January 1963

201-306052

SECRET

GROUP 1
 Excluded from automatic
 downgrading and
 declassification