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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20535

On 9/18/75 a letter was received from the  
Washington, D.C. office of the FBI dated 9/18/75. The  
letter advised we should add material in Washington, D.C. re-  
specting to Bank Stone Lawyers,  
which material was added for use in the file. Enclosed  
is a list of names for use in the file concerning the case.  
This completes our response to part IV of 9/20/75  
FBI req. Also added for use in the file is a copy of memo  
received from California.

SSC LETTER 8-20-75

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PART IV

Airtel 1 - Mr. R. M. Egan  
1 - Mr. T. FitzPatrick

11/21/73

To: SAC, Chicago

From: Director, FBI

REPUBLIC OF NEW AFRICA

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CGfile: 157-2754

DEfile: 157-3413

Dufile: 157-9079

BLACK P-STONE NATION

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CGfile: 157-1145

ReAirtel and LHM to Bureau 11/7/73, under first caption above.

Referenced LHM reported informant information that among important developments at the recent Republic of New Africa (RNA) sponsored Peoples' Center Council (PCC) held at Chicago, Illinois, 10/26-28/73, was the pronouncement that the Blackstone Rangers and RNA are working on an alliance which would enable the Blackstone Rangers to send any of their members who become fugitives from justice to the RNA's "land" to avoid apprehension. Bureau notes that the Blackstone Rangers are part of a violence-prone criminally-oriented black Chicago youth gang, which is part of a gang conglomerate called the Black P-Stone Nation (BPSN).

Among attendees at the PCC was Sylvester Reese, aka "Moon," Spiritual Minister and member of the "Main 21" which is the governing body of the BPSN.

1 - Detroit

1 - 157-28610 (Sylvester Reese)

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Airtel to Chicago  
Re: Republic of New Africa  
157-9079

**Black P-Stone Nation**

Chicago should promptly contact logical sources in an effort to ascertain any RNA influence on the Blackstone Rangers and/or the BPSN. Resolve if any mutual support agreements or alliances have been established between the RNA and these two groups. Also determine if any medium actually exists for the RNA to assist fugitives who are Blackstone Ranger members in avoiding apprehension. Any pertinent information developed should be promptly forwarded to the Bureau in a form suitable for dissemination, along with recommendation for any additional investigation to be conducted.

Chicago has previously advised that Reese joined the RNA to lend physical support to Clarence Harvey, who, until recently, has been the Consul of the Chicago chapter of the RNA. Since Harvey has quit the RNA, Chicago should also fully resolve Reese's status with the RNA and possible motives of his continued RNA association.

Extra copy being forwarded to Chicago for Chicago file 157-8984, regarding Sylvester Reese.

Information copy forwarded to Detroit as office of origin regarding the RNA.

**NOTE:**

Reese and Harvey are Chicago ADEX subjects due to their past activity with the RNA. No positive information has been developed that the RNA actually possesses any land yet. The "Main 21" is a group of 21 black youths who govern the BPSN. Membership in the "Main 21" periodically changes.

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1 - Mr. T. Fitzpatrick, Rm 618  
9th & D  
1 - Mr. Brown URGENT

CODE CABLEGRAM

TO LEGAT, BONN (157-189)

8/8/73

FROM DIRECTOR, FBI

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157-9522-46

BLACK P-STONE NATION, RM.

REURCAB AUGUST SIX, LAST. CAPTIONED ORGANIZATION IS KNOWN TO THE FILES OF THIS BUREAU AS AN EXTREMIST GROUP OF YOUNG NEGROES PREDOMINATELY LOCATED ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF CHICAGO, ILLINOIS. PREVIOUSLY KNOWN AS BLACKSTONE RANGERS WHICH CAME TO OUR ATTENTION IN NINETEEN SIXTY-EIGHT. YOUTHS ARE PREDOMINATELY HOODLUM-TYPE WHO ARE INVOLVED IN CRIMINAL ACTS OF VIOLENCE WITH LITTLE INTEREST IN POLITICAL GOALS. CURRENTLY ARE NOT UNDER INVESTIGATION BY THIS BUREAU. INDICATIONS OF SIMILAR GROUPS BEING FORMULATED IN MAJOR CITIES IN THE CHICAGO AREA; HOWEVER, NO INDICATION THEY ARE CONTROLLED FROM CHICAGO. REPORTEDLY OBTAIN FUNDS FROM GOVERNMENT PROGRAMS POVERTY ORIENTED AND USE FUNDS TO PURCHASE GUNS, DOPE, AND OTHER NEEDS. REGION ONE, ONE HUNDRED THIRTEENTH MILITARY INTELLIGENCE GROUP, EVANSTON, ILLINOIS, HAS BEEN PREVIOUSLY FURNISHED COPIES FBI MEMORANDA. ADDITIONAL DETAILS FOLLOW SEPARATELY. (157-9522)

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NOTE: Matter coordinated with Supervisor T. Fitzpatrick in view of the intelligence aspect.

att: T. Fitzpatrick 618 9th & D

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5:45 PM URGENT 8/6/73 MM

TO DIRECTOR NR357-Ø6

(ATTN: NAME CHECK SECTION)

FROM LEGAT BONN(157-189) IP

*glc Moore*

BLACK P-STONE NATION, RM.

THE 66TH MILITARY INTELLIGENCE GROUP, U.S. ARMY EUROPE, ADVISED THEY HAVE DEVELOPED INFORMATION INDICATING THE POSSIBLE EXISTENCE OF THE BLACK P-STONE NATION WHICH INDICATES IT IS A BLACK POWER ORIENTED ORGANIZATION WHICH MAY BE PARA-MILITARY IN STRUCTURE. 66TH REQUESTS ANY AVAILABLE INFORMATION IN BUFILES.

BUREAU REQUESTED TO CONDUCT SEARCH OF BUFILES CONCERNING SUBJECT.

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*5 - KITZpatrick*

*cc-Name Searching of Mr. Boynton  
 3cc- Mr Boynton*

*6 - MR. [Signature] (Room 6113 IB)*



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306PM URGENT 8-16-72 EOM

TO ACTING DIRECTOR

INDIANAPOLIS

SPRINGFIELD

FROM CHICAGO 1P

Mr. Felt	_____
Mr. Bates	_____
Mr. Bishop	_____
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Mr. Cleveland	_____
Mr. Dalbey	_____
Mr. Jenkins	_____
Mr. Miller	<i>EM</i>
Mr. Soyars	<i>SK</i>
Mr. Tavel	_____
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Mr. W.C. Sullivan	_____
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Miss Holmes	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

BLACK P-STONE NATION; POSSIBLE CONSPIRACY TO BOMB FEDERAL

BUILDING, NDI, HAMMOND, INDIANA. EID - INFORMATION CONCERNING

RE IP TEL AUGUST FIFTEEN LAST.

BUREAU OF NARCOTICS AND DANGEROUS DRUGS AGENT KENNETH LABIK CONTACTED. HE ADVISED SOURCE WHO PROVIDED INFO RE CAPTIONED BOMBING IS SOURCE WITH WHOM INSUFFICIENT CONTACT HAS BEEN HAD TO DETERMINE RELIABILITY. LABIK ADVISED GROUP FROM EAST ST. LOUIS ALLEGEDLY PLANNING BOMBING IS GROUP KNOWN AS

BLACK EGYPTIAN COBRAS.

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CONTACT WITH SOURCES ACQUAINTED WITH EXTREMIST ACTIVITY IN CHICAGO AREA PRODUCED NO INFO RE CAPTIONED BOMBING. CHICAGO PD GANG INTELLIGENCE UNIT WHO ACTIVELY INVESTIGATES BLACK P-STONE NATION ADVISED THEY HAVE NO INFO RE CAPTIONED PLOT.

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Mr. Bishop	_____
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Ms. Harris	_____
Mrs. Keenan	_____

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10:48 AM URGENT 8-16-72 GWM

TO: ACTING DIRECTOR (ATTENTION: DID)  
CHICAGO  
INDIANAPOLIS

FROM: SPRINGFIELD (157- ) (2 P)

BLACK P-STONE NATION; POSSIBLE CONSPIRACY TO BOMB  
FEDERAL BUILDING, NDE, HAMMOND, INDIANA, EID -  
INFORMATION CONCERNING.

CONTACT WITH BLACK EXTREMIST SOURCES IN THE EAST  
ST. LOUIS, ILLINOIS AREA CONCERNING A PLAN BY CAPTIONED  
ORGANIZATION TO BOMB THE FEDERAL BUILDING AT HAMMOND,  
INDIANA, AND AT THE SAME TIME ASSASSINATE TWO FEDERAL  
AGENTS BY BOMBING THEIR VEHICLES MET WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

INTERESTED AGENCIES COGNIZANT.

ADMINISTRATIVE:

RE INDIANAPOLIS TELETYPE TO BUREAU, AUGUST FIFTEEN,

LAST.

AUG 23 1972

FOR INFORMATION OF BUREAU, CHICAGO AND INDIANAPOLIS

THERE ARE NO BLACK P-STONE NATION FACTIONS KNOWN TO BE IN  
THE EAST ST. LOUIS, ILLINOIS AREA. THE BLACK P-STONE RANGERS

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ARE NOT KNOWN TO BE IN EXISTENCE IN EAST ST. LOUIS.

THE ONLY ACTIVE BLACK EXTREMIST ORGANIZATIONS IN EXISTENCE AT EAST ST. LOUIS ARE THE BLACK EGYPTIANS, A BLACK EXTREMIST YOUTH GANG; THE UNITED FRONT, AN ORGANIZATION OF CLERGY AND LAYMEN WHO HAVE PARTICIPATED IN BLACK EXTREMIST ACTIVITIES IN THE PAST; AND THE EAST ST. LOUIS CHAPTER OF THE BLACK PANTHER PARTY.

SOURCE MENTIONED IN THIS TELETYPE ARE ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~

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~~\_\_\_\_\_~~ THESE SOURCES REMAIN ASSIGNED FOR NY INFORMATION CONCERNING CAPTIONED MATTER. BUREAU AND INTERESTED OFFICES WILL BE ADVISED OF ANY PERTINENT INFORMATION DEVELOPED. P.

INFORMANTS

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

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Mr. Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Bishop \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. DeLoach \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Evans \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Gale \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Rosen \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Tavel \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Trotter \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Tele. Rm. \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Holmes \_\_\_\_\_  
Miss Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

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938PM NITEL 4/19/71 B & K

TO DIRECTOR

---ATTENTION: DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION---

FROM CHICAGO (157-1148)

BLACK P STONE NATION DEMONSTRATION, FEDERAL BUILDING  
APRIL NINETEEN, INSTANT, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS. RM.

THE BLACK P STONE NATION IS AN AMALGAMATION OF THE BLACK STONE RANGERS AND OTHER CG SOUTH SIDE NEGRO STREET GANGS. AT TWO PM CST APRIL NINETEEN, INSTANT, JEFF FORT, LEADER OF THE BLACK P STONE NATION AND EIGHT OTHER MEMBERS WERE AFFORDED HEARINGS BEFORE FEDERAL DISTRICT JUDGE WILLS, CHICAGO, ILL. IN CONNECTION WITH FEDERAL FRAUD INDICTMENTS RETURNED BY THE FGJ, CHICAGO, ILL. ON APRIL SIX LAST. AT ABOUT ONE PM CST, MEMBERS OR SYMPATHIZERS OF THE BLACK P STONE NATION BEGAN ARRIVING IN THE VICINITY OF THE DIRKSEN FEDERAL BUILDING, CHICAGO, ILL. BY TWO PM CST APPROXIMATELY ONE HUNDRED SIXTY FIVE HAD ASSEMBLED IN LOOSE GROUPS OUTSIDE OF THE FEDERAL BUILDING. APPROXIMATELY SEVENTY OF THEM WERE ADMITTED AS SPECTATORS INTO THE COURT ROOM OF FDJ WILLS AND THE OTHERS REMAINED OUTSIDE OF THE FEDERAL BUILDING. OF THE APPROXIMATE ONE HUNDRED SIXTY FIVE PEOPLE THERE WERE ABOUT THREE WHITE FEMALES IN THEIR EARLY TWENTIES.

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THE REMAINING ONE HUNDRED SIXTY TWO WERE ALL NEGROES RANGING IN AGES FROM ABOUT TEN TO THE MIDDLE THIRTIES. APPROXIMATELY FIFTEEN WERE NEGRO FEMALES, LATE TEENS, EARLY TWENTIES. THE MAJORITY WAS COMPRISED OF NEGRO MALES RANGING IN AGE FROM MIDDLE TEENS TO EARLY TWENTIES. AN UNDETERMINED NUMBER OF THESE PERSONS WERE WEARING "FREE JEFF FORT" BUTTONS. NO SIGNS WERE CARRIED NOR WAS THERE ANY ORGANIZED MARCHING OR ACTIVITY. THOSE PERSONS NOT ADMITTED TO THE COURT ROOM GATHERED IN SMALL GROUPS OUTSIDE FEDERAL BUILDING AND ENGAGED IN PRIVATE CONVERSATIONS. AT ABOUT THREE FORTY FIVE PM CST JUDGE WILLS COURT RECESSED AND THOSE WHO HAD BEEN ADMITTED TO THE COURT ROOM LEFT THE BUILDING AND BY FOUR PM CST ONLY A FEW STRAGGLERS REMAINED OUTSIDE THE FEDERAL BUILDING. THERE WERE NO DISTURBANCES, ARRESTS OR INCIDENTS.

ADMINISTRATIVE:

NO LHM BEING SUBMITTED. ON APRIL SIX, LAST, TWENTY THREE MEMBERS OF THE BLACK P STONE NATION WERE INDICTED BY THE FGJ, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, IN CONNECTION WITH THE WOODLAWN ORGANIZATION,  
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CHICAGO, ILLINOIS.

THE NINE THAT WERE BROUGHT BEFORE JUDGE WILLS ON APRIL  
NINETEEN INSTANT, ARE INCARCERATED ON A VARIETY OF LOCAL  
CHARGES IN COOK COUNTY. ALL INTERESTED AGENCIES NOTIFIED BY  
FBI CHICAGO.

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*cc Mr. [unclear]*

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
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520AM 12-3-70 MOB

TO DIRECTOR NITEL (KATIN DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIV)

FROM CHICAGO (157-1148)

*Handwritten notes:*  
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BLACKSTONE RANGERS; RM

CG PD ADVISED INSTANT THAT TWO MEMBERS OF CG SOUTH SIDE NEGRO YOUTH GANG CALLED BLACKSTONE RANGERS ARRESTED TWELVE THIRTY AM INSTANT AND CHARGED WITH INTIMIDATION. ARREST OCCURRED AS RESULT OF COMPLAINT MADE BY RESTAURANT OWNER ALVIN JANUARY, MALE NEGRO, WHO OPERATES COFFEECUP RESTAURANT, SEVEN ONE ZERO ZERO SOUTH JEFFREY, CHICAGO. JANUARY CLAIMED THREE NEGRO MALES CAME INTO HIS RESTAURANT AT TWELVE TEN AM INSTANT AND DEMANDED UNSPECIFIED AMOUNT OF MONEY TO BE USED AS DEFENSE FUND FOR JAILED BLACKSTONE RANGER MEMBERS. WHEN JANUARY REFUSED, THEIR SPOKESMAN REPORTEDLY THREATENED HIM BY STATING "WILL BE BACK TO SEE YOU". JANUARY REPORTED INCIDENT TO POLICE WHO WERE IN AREA WHEN THEY RETURNED TO RESTAURANT TWENTY MINUTES LATER. TWO OF THOSE ARRESTED WERE REUBEN ROBERTSON, MALE NEGRO AGE TWENTY SEVEN, ONE THREE FOUR FIVE EAST MARGUETTE, CG AND ARTHUR F. JONES, MALE NEGRO, AGE TWENTY TWO, SIX THREE ZERO EIGHT SOUTH HARPS CG. THE THIRD MEMBER, WHO ACTED AS SPOKESMAN, WAS NOT APPREHENDED.

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ARRESTEES CHARGED WITH INTIMIDATION. COURT APPEARANCE SCHEDULED INSTANT. NO INCIDENTS OCCURRED DURING ARREST.

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ADMINISTRATIVE

AREA PREDOMINANTLY BLACK. CG INDICES NEGATIVE BASED ON AVAILABLE  
INFO. CGPD OFFICER IS WILLIAM MURPHY, THIRD DISTRICT.

NO LHM FOLLOWS.

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FBI WA RDR



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8:23PM NITEL 11-19-70 DJS

TO DIRECTOR

FROM CHICAGO (157-6170) 1P

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DEMONSTRATION BY BLACK-P-STONE NATION, FEDERAL BUILDING,  
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, NOVEMBER ONE EIGHT, SEVENTY, RM.

*G.C. Moore  
Tolson*

HEARING FOR JEF FORT, LEADER OF THE BLACK-P-STONE NATION HELD  
BEFORE FEDERAL DISTRICT JUDGE ROBSON, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, TWO PM.,  
CENTRAL STANDARD TIME, NOVEMBER ONE NINE, INSTANT. ROBSON ORDER  
FORT TO BE RETURNED TO THE JURISDICTION OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK.  
ABOUT SIXTY MEMBERS OF THE BLACK-P-STONE NATION, OR FORT SYMPATHIZERS,  
WERE IN THE FEDERAL BUILDING, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, DURING AND SHORTLY  
AFTER THE HEARING. ABOUT THIRTY FIVE WERE PRESENT IN THE COURT ROOM  
AND ANOTHER TWENTYFIVE IN THE CORRIDORS. THERE WERE SEVEN NEGRO  
FEMALES IN THEIR LATE TEENS AND THE REMAINDER WERE NEGRO MALES IN  
THEIR LATE TEENS OR EARLY TWENTIES. NO DISTURBANCES OCCURRED AND  
THESE PERSONS WERE ALL OUT OF THE FEDERAL BUILDING BY TWO FORTY FIVE PM.,

CENTRAL STANDARD TIME.

ADMINISTRATIVE

AGENCY: CRD, ~~FSB~~, ~~MB~~, ~~RAG~~, ~~CP~~  
ACSI, OSI, ~~SS~~

HOW FORW: R/S  
DATE FORW: 11/20/70 100724  
BY: (Handwritten initials)

RE CHICAGO TELETYPE AND NITEL DATED NOVEMBER ONE EIGHT, LAST.

NO LHM BEING SUBMITTED. NO FURTHER ACTION CHICAGO.

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