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TO : Director, FBI

DATE: 4/20/64

FROM : Legat, London

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ReBulet 2/18/64 enclosing NY letters 1/27/64, 1/29/64 and NY LHM 2/18/64 [instructing London to contact sources, request coverage be assured JACK PERRY and TANG Ming-chou; ascertain contacts these individuals may have with Chinese Communists, the FRANKS, other U.S. residents, and to be sure the British understand the importance of the Bureau's efforts to penetrate Chinese Communist Intelligence.] (S)

[London, by letter dated 2/27/64 to British Security Service, MI-5, furnished a copy of New York LHM 2/18/64 and made known the desires of the Bureau. Subsequently, this matter was thoroughly discussed with RALPH WHITBY, MI-5 officer on the Chinese Desk. As a result of the discussions, WHITBY by letter dated 4/13/64, classified TOP SECRET, furnished his analysis and conclusions concerning all subjects. Three copies of WHITBY's letter are enclosed herein to the Bureau.] (TS)

London indices denote that the Bureau in the past has had direct correspondence with MI-5 through MI-5's Washington representative regarding TANG Ming-chao and ISRAEL EPSTEIN; however, London files have been destroyed. (S)

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In view of this and MI-5's request (page 3, paragraph 9, of enclosed letter) to treat its information with the utmost discretion, the information in the enclosures has not been incorporated in LHM form. (S)

It is suggested that copies of the enclosure be disseminated to the New York Office with a request that the information be analyzed in conjunction with complete information available to the Bureau and New York. Any information developed as a result of such analysis that would be of interest and assistance to this office and MI-5 should be furnished in a form suitable for dissemination.

[It is noted that MI-5 states its coverage of PERRY is quite good but it is seeking ways of improving it.] (S)
[For the Bureau's information only, WHITBY orally and confidentially advised he would attempt to have a mail cover placed on PERRY and if successful, furnish this office results of U.S. interest.] (S)

Since TANG-Ming-chao and the EPSTEINS are resident in China and the FRANKS are in the U.S., London files concerning them are being RUC, [to be reopened if MI-5 furnishes pertinent information regarding them.] (S)

PERRY's file remains pending [to be closely followed with MI-5] and the Bureau will be kept advised. (S)

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