

AGENT REPORT
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(WITNESS) On 4 March 1965, Beatrice Bowman, Captain, WAC, Signal Corps, United States Army, 1602965, Security Officer, United States Army, Strategic Communications Command, (STRATCOM), CONUS, 4200 Silver Hill Road, Suitland, Maryland, who resides at 2494 Rochelle Avenue, Apartment A-5, District Heights, Maryland, was interviewed in her office, and furnished the following information:

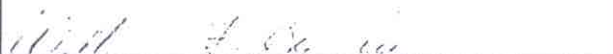
Bowman stated that on 3 March 1965, at approximately 1400 hours, Cecil Ray Morrison, Sp5, E-5, United States Army, RA 14 693 769, Mail Clerk, STRATCOM, who resides in the Barracks, STRATCOM, came to her office with a brown manila envelope, addressed to Pvt. James H. LESAR. Morrison was accompanied by Manuel LaFont, E-9, United States Army, RA 12 256 419, First Sergeant, STRATCOM, who resides at 1303 Cottage Street, Vienna, Virginia, and Thomas E. Scarce, SSgt, E-7, United States Army, RA 52 465 773, OIC, Publications Branch, STRATCOM, who resides at 1600 Huntington Avenue, Alexandria, Virginia. Morrison stated to Bowman that the envelope addressed to LESAR had arrived at STRATCOM in the United States Post Office Mail Sack, and that the envelope had been received in a damaged condition, torn open at one end. Morrison stated that he brought the envelope to Bowman because the envelope had a return address in Peking, China. Morrison reported the incident to LaFont, and LaFont requested Scarce to accompany them to see Bowman, the security officer, because LESAR had once worked for Scarce. Morrison stated that LESAR had previously received mail with return address in China. LaFont was dismissed by Bowman, and instructed not to mention the incident to anyone.

In the presence of Scarce, Morrison, and Joseph J. Burnos, SMAJ, United States Army, RA 35 318 985, Assistant to the Security Officer, STRATCOM, who resides in the Barracks, STRATCOM, Bowman examined the envelope. The envelope (~~See EXHIBIT~~), was manila color, measuring 16 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches by 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches. The address label on the envelope was a beige color, saw tooth top and bottom, measuring 5 inches by 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches. The label was attached to the envelope with paste. The end of the envelope that was open had been sealed by staples, that had either come out or been removed. A diagram of the envelope is attached as EXHIBIT ____.

Bowman did not remove the contents of the envelope, but by holding the envelope at various positions, was able to observe that there was corrugated packing inside the envelope, and a calander, marked "Complimentary Calander". On this calander were several pictures of birds and flowers. Also in the envelope were two other items, one appearing to be some type of commercial printed matter, and the other, a typed letter. There were no post office cancellations on the outside of the envelope, and nothing to indicated that the envelope had passed through normal post office channels. After examining

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the envelope, Bowman returned it to Morrison, who wrote "Received in damaged condition, 3 Mar 65" on the outside of the envelope, and placed it with LESARS other mail.

Bowman informed John W. Hepburn, Major AG, United States Army, 0973231, Adjutant, STRATCOM, who resides at 13508 Sloan Street, Rockville, Maryland, and Earl H. Ziegler, 1st Lt, AG, United States Army, 02313748, Assistant Adjutant, STRATCOM, who resides at 205 Guthrie Avenue, Alexandria, Virginia, of the incident. LESARS supervisor is Donald E. Wold, CWO, United States Army, W904264, STRATCOM, who resides at 167 Archer Court, Herndon, Virginia, and LESARS Commanding Officer is Michael J. Cronin, 1st Lt, Signal Corps, United States Army, 05314421, STRATCOM, who resides at 3214 Halwis Street, Alexandria, Virginia. Neither Wold nor Cronin were informed of the incident.

No previous investigation has been conducted on LESAR, and HE has no CRF File.

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