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(Attn: Mr. Coulson)

January 26, 1978

HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON ASSASSINATIONS
U. S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES (HSCA)

Reference is made to letter to the Attorney General from G. Robert Blakey, Chief Counsel and Director, HSCA, dated December 15, 1977, which requested information in connection with the HSCA's investigation into the assassination of Martin Luther King, Jr. This letter requested

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The Committee indicated it only desired
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In response to the above request, appropriate records at FBI Headquarters were reviewed with the following results:

Microphone Surveillances of King

<u>Dates of Surveillance</u>	<u>Location</u>
January 5-7, 1964	Willard Hotel, Washington, D. C.
January 27, 1964	Shroeder Hotel, Milwaukee, Wisconsin
February 18-20, 1964	Hilton Hawaiian Village, Honolulu, Hawaii
February 20-21, 1964	Ambassador Hotel, Los Angeles, California
February 22-24, 1964	Ryatt House Motel, Los Angeles, California
March 19-20, 1964	Statler Hotel, Detroit, Michigan

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Asst. Dir.: ORIGINAL AND ONE SENT TO ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL, CRIMINAL
Adm. Serv. DIVISION, ATTENTION: MR. ROBERT L. KEUCH, & ONE SENT TO OFFICE
Crim. Inv. OF LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.
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- Laboratory _____
- Legal Coun. _____
- Plan. & Insp. _____
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- Tech. Servs. _____
- Training _____
- Public Affs. Off. _____
- Telephone Rm. _____
- Director's Sec'y _____

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Classified by 437
Exempt from GDS, Category 2
Date of Declassification Indefinite

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ENCLOSURE

MAIL ROOM TELETYPE UNIT

62-117290-406

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Dates of Surveillance

Location

April 23-24, 1964	Senator Hotel, Sacramento, California
July 7-9, 1964	Hyatt House Motel, Los Angeles, California
September 28, 1964 - October 2, 1964	Manager Hotel, Savannah, Georgia
January 8-11, 1965	Park Sheraton Hotel, New York City
January 28-31, 1965	Americana Hotel, New York City
March 29-31, 1965	Park Sheraton Hotel, New York City
May 12-13, 1965	Sheraton Atlantic Hotel, New York City
October 14-15, 1965	Astor Hotel, New York City
October 28-30, 1965	New York Hilton Hotel, New York City
November 29-30, 1965	Americana Hotel, New York City
January 22, 1966	Americana Hotel, New York City

Telephone Surveillances of King

Dates of Surveillance

Location

August 22-27, 1964	Claridge Hotel, Atlantic City, New Jersey
November 8, 1963 - April 30, 1965	Martin Luther King's residence
April 24-26, 1964	Hyatt House Motel, Los Angeles, California
July 7-9, 1964	Hyatt House Motel, Los Angeles, California
August 14, 1964 - September 6, 1964	Apartment 2B, 125 N. 72nd Street, New York City

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Telephone Surveillances of SCLC

Dates of Surveillance

Location

October 23, 1963 -
January 24, 1964
July 13-31, 1964

SCLC Office,
New York City
Room 1202,
14 E. 40th Street,
New York City
SCLC Office,
Atlanta, Georgia

November 8, 1963 -
June 21, 1966

In an effort to respond to that portion of the HSCA's request concerning existence or nonexistence of electronic surveillance of individuals directly or indirectly associated with the SCLC, personnel of the Congressional Inquiry Unit, FBI Headquarters, familiar with certain aspects of the King, SCLC and related files, compiled a list of individuals with the SCLC for the approximate period January, 1962, through 1968. Although this list is not all inclusive due to the large number of persons affiliated with the SCLC, an effort was made to include those individuals in key positions and who were most active in the organization. Most of the individuals listed were identified with the SCLC Headquarters in Atlanta, Georgia. Based on review of appropriate records at FBI Headquarters, none of the below-listed individuals has been subject of electronic surveillance by the FBI:

Ralph Abernathy
Jessie Jackson
Bernard S. Lee
Hosea Williams
James Orange
James Bevel
Andrew Young
Walter Fauntroy
Coretta Scott King
John Rutherford
William Rutherford
Bernard Lafayette
Dorothy Cotton
J. T. Johnson
Joseph E. Lowery
Fred L. Shuttlesworth
Cordy T. Vivian
Adele Kanter

Thomas C. Kilgore
Dora McDonald
James Harrison
Wyatt Walker
Logan Kearse
Stoney Cooks
Fred C. Bennett
Booker T. Bonner
Henry Brownlee
Golden Frinks
Joseph Lester Hankerson
Samuel B. Wells
Benjamin Johnson
Herbert V. Coulton
Thomas Offenburger
New Soong-Li
James Lawson
Lillian Hunter

Gloria Fraction
David Wallace
Jess Gill
Carole Hoover
Albert Turner
Frank Ditto
C. K. Steel
Samuel Williams
Curtis Harris
Cirillo A. McSween
Major Jones
Lawrence D. Reddick
I. M. Augustine
Septima Clark
T. Y. Rogers, Jr.

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Records at FBI Headquarters disclosed that the following individuals, formerly associated with the SCLC, were subjects of electronic surveillance by the FBI (~~Secret~~).

Stanley David Levison
Clarence B. Jones
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NOTE: See Director, FBI, letter to Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Attention: Mr. Robert L. Keuch, dated 1/26/78, captioned, "House Select Committee on Assassinations, U. S. House of Representatives (HSCA)."

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