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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

- Mr. Tolson
- Mr. Boardman
- Mr. Nichols
- Mr. Belmont
- Mr. DeLoach
- Mr. Casper
- Mr. Callahan
- Mr. Conrad
- Mr. Felt
- Mr. Gale
- Mr. Rosen
- Mr. Sullivan
- Mr. Tavel
- Mr. Trotter
- Tele. Room
- Mr. Holmes
- Miss Gandy

TO : Mr. A. H. Belmont

DATE: 1-13-64

FROM : Mr. W. C. Sullivan

JUNE

SUBJECT: COMMUNIST PARTY, USA
NEGRO QUESTION
COMMUNIST INFLUENCE
IN RACIAL MATTERS
INTERNAL SECURITY - COMMUNIST

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 DATE 3/30/96 BY 60320/UC/BAW

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In connection with captioned case, we had a microphone surveillance cover the activities of Martin Luther King, Jr., and one of his associates while they were at the Willard Hotel in Washington, D. C., 1-3/7-64. The results of this coverage are contained in a letterhead memorandum, a copy of which is attached.

In accordance with the Director's instruction that the Attorney General be given the results of this coverage, it is suggested that Assistant Director Evans personally deliver to the Attorney General the copy of the letterhead memorandum which is attached.

The attached document is classified "Top Secret" to minimize the likelihood that this material will be read by someone who will leak it to King. However, it is possible despite its classification, the Attorney General himself may reprimand King on the basis of this material. If he does, it is not likely we will develop any more such information through the means employed. It is highly important that we do develop further information of this type in order that we may completely discredit King as the leader of the Negro people.

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RECOMMENDATION:

This memorandum be routed to Mr. Evans so that he may furnish the Attorney General, personally, a copy of the letterhead memorandum. It is suggested Mr. Evans deliver this memorandum personally so it won't be passing through the hands of office personnel who might talk about it.

- Mr. Belmont
- Mr. Evans
- Mr. Sullivan
- Mr. Bland
- Mr. Baumgardner
- Mr. Phillips

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Memorandum to Mr. Belmont
RE: COMMUNIST PARTY, USA
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Inasmuch as King is seeking an appointment with President Johnson and as we have previously alerted the President concerning King's communist connections in particular, it may be the Director will want Mr. DeLoach to show a copy of the letterhead memorandum to Mr. Jenkins.

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*OK.
W.E.S.*

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*Handled with Jenkins
11/1/64 - the President*

F.L.K.