

## Judge Orders Hijack Tapes Made Public

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NASHVILLE, Tenn., Nov. 2 (AP)—A federal judge ruled today that tape-recorded conversations between the slain pilot of a hijacked plane and the control tower at Jacksonville, Fla., are public property.

Judge Frank Gray said the U.S. District Court here will make the tapes a public record.

The ruling comes 12 hours after another federal judge, at Jacksonville, ordered all evidence in the hijacking locked up and no FBI agents or Federal Aviation Administration officials to talk about the case.

The charter plane was hijacked at gunpoint at the Nashville airport early Oct. 4 and ended its flight at the Jacksonville airport about three hours later—with the deaths of the pilot, the hijacker and the hijacker's estranged wife. The FBI said the hijacker shot the other two and then himself.

The order at Jacksonville against revealing evidence was issued Monday night by U.S. District Judge Gerald B. Tjoflat. The ruling came at the request of U.S. Attorney John Briggs of Jacksonville, who said the government wants to protect the rights of Bobby Wayne Wallace, who accompanied the hijacker and is charged with kidnaping.