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21 MAY 1968

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MEMORANDUM FOR : Special Agent in Charge

SUBJECT : Project RESISTANCE
#533 989 1SD/1

1. Headquarters is Office of Origin.
2. The above captioned Subject is currently of sensitive interest to the Director of Security.
3. Reference is made to the original correspondence on this case forwarded to all field offices on 11 December 1967 via TWX requesting information pertaining to campus protests and demonstrations. As a result of the referenced request, considerable information has been received at Headquarters. This necessitated the establishment of a Special Unit within the Special Activities Division which receives, screens and reports on the critical materials, on a national basis, to the Director of Security.
4. Due to the current activities in the Washington, D. C. area, the Director of Security must be provided the latest information which might indicate a threat to the buildings housing the personnel of this Agency or any threats to Agency personnel. Therefore, you are requested to telephonically advise the Special Activities Division at Headquarters of any information received by your agent personnel or information received through your informants regarding the plans, activities, demonstrations, or personalities involved in the Poor People's Campaign. We are particularly interested in Black Power Militant personalities and groups.

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5. For your information, established liaison channels with the local police officials has been effected.

6. With reference to the conversations held between Messrs. _____ and _____ regarding liaison established with _____ of the U. S. Postal Department, you are instructed to telephonically advise the Special Activities Division of any information received through this liaison channel.

7. Attached you will find copies of reports submitted to the Director _____ since the establishment of the Special Unit in SAD. You will receive these on a regular basis. You should be aware of the Third Agency Rule with reference to information in these summary reports. These reports are mainly for the consumption of you and your senior staff. Once these have served their purpose, please destroy.

8. Information regarding the above should be directed to Headquarters supervisor _____ on extension 7887 or Chief, SAD on extension 6881.

Attachment

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