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SITUATION INFORMATION REPORT

CALENDAR OF TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED ACTIVITIES

Asterisked items are either reported for the first time or contain additions or changes to previously reported activities.

December, Boston Area

Reportedly, the militant Weatherman faction of SDS in the Boston area is making plans to take action during the first two weeks of December against certain buildings in the Cambridge, Massachusetts, area. This action will reportedly be violent, but the nature of the violence has not been reported. The buildings mentioned were the Instrumentation Laboratory at M. I. T. and the East Cambridge District Court Building. FBI IN 93146

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Reportedly, an invitation has been received from Hanoi for three members of the Women Strike for Peace organization to visit North Vietnam. Cora Weiss, Ethel Taylor and Madeline Duckles are scheduled to make the trip. FBI IN 93156

*December 5, 6, 7, Washington, D. C.

The Socialist Educational Conference - theme "Revolutionary Analysis and Strategy Today" is being held at George Washington University under auspices of the Young Socialist Alliance. Speakers include: Peter Camejo (YSA); Peter Buch (SWP); Anis Kassim (Organization of Arab Students at George Washington University); George Novack (Marxist scholar and author); Tony Thomas (black member YSA); and Linda Jenness (SWP). 7/yes - YSA

*December 6, San Francisco, California

The Committee to Defend the Conspiracy, Berkeley, California, which was formed to support the eight individuals presently on trial at

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Chicago, Illinois, for violation of the anti-riot law, plans to demonstrate at the Federal Building, San Francisco, California, on December 6. Speakers will include some of the defendants in the Chicago trial and a member of the Black Panther Party.

*December 6, Fayetteville, Arkansas

The Black & White Group, a recently formed group at the University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, Arkansas, is planning demonstrations during the University of Texas and University of Arkansas football game at Fayetteville on 6 December which will be attended by President Nixon. Activities will have a joint theme of racial equality and peace in Vietnam. The group is considering handing out peace leaflets and blockading roads to prevent members of the Arkansas Legislature from attending the game and to cause a major traffic jam. It is also considering demonstrating on the field during the half time. The purposes of the demonstrations are also to demand free dormitories, free scholarships, an end to poverty by next Thanksgiving, and an end to the playing of "Dixie" at football games. The NMC stated it would send people from across the U. S. to participate in the demonstrations. Reportedly, black students will take over the stadium during halftime. Obviously halftime activities are planned by school authorities and any interference will be seriously disruptive.

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*December 9, New York, New York

Vietnam Peace Parade Committee plans demonstrations between 1700-2000 hours at Waldorf-Astoria Hotel when President Nixon is scheduled to appear at dinner of National Football Foundation and National Football Hall of Fame. The purpose of the demonstration is to protest the war, Government repression, and racism.

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December 9, Washington, D. C.

Militant black Robert F. Williams has stated that he has received a subpoena to appear before the Senate subcommittee on Internal Security. Williams has resigned as president of the black extremist separatist Republic of New Africa.

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*December 9-10, Knoxville, Tennessee

The VMC and the NMC at the University of Tennessee plan to offer a free meal and friendship to each serviceman returning from

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Vietnam at the Knoxville Airport beginning at 1600 hours, 9 December. These groups sent a telegram to President Nixon on 2 December requesting that all American troops be returned by 9 December. This program is a test prototype method of "relating to GI's" for use by VMC in other areas. On 10 December these groups will meet with business leaders to discuss the impact of the Vietnam war on local businesses.

*December 10, Baltimore, Maryland

Apparently, the Baltimore Mobilization Committee will hold an "anti-war/anti-Agnew" demonstration during a proposed visit of the Vice-President to Baltimore. The group will attempt to recruit demonstrators from Negro neighborhoods. *FBI IN 97479*

*December 10, Boston, Massachusetts

SDS at Boston University, Boston, Massachusetts, plans to demonstrate on 10 December if General Electric Company recruiters appear on the campus. *FBI IN 96604 3Dec.69*

*December 12, Hot Springs, Arkansas

Reportedly, a demonstration will be held during the appearance of the Vice-President at the National Republican Governors' Conference. Allegedly, a group of students from the University of Arkansas intend to "run through the streets" shouting obscenities about the Vice-President. *FBI IN 97479*

*December 12, San Francisco, California

Downtown Coalition to End the War in Vietnam to hold peaceful demonstration in front of Pacific Coast Stock Exchange. *AICR 9337 3Dec.69*

*December 12-13, Austin, Texas

The Student Mobilization Committee (SMC) which is controlled by the Young Socialist Alliance, is sponsoring a rally at the University of Texas, Austin, Texas, on 12 December. During the rally, discussions will be held concerning the Laos situation and the current Chicago anti-riot law trial. Following the rally, a march will be held through downtown Austin. On 13 December the SMC will conduct statewide anti-war conferences, particularly in small towns where there have been no previous anti-war activities. *FBI IN 95858 2Dec.69*

*December 12-13, Long Beach, California

Demonstration targets of Southern California anti-war groups during period to be Long Beach Naval Station; American Electric Company, North Long Beach, and Presidential San Clemente Estate, where candlelight vigil planned. Spokesman for Peace Action Council of Los Angeles says demonstrations will "relate to servicemen or military bases."

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*December 13, Fort Dix, New Jersey

Student Mobilization Committee of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, to hold anti-war demonstration 1300 hours. Participants to assemble at town movie theatre, Wrightstown. Group to protest war and alleged exploitation of GI's at Fort Dix.

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*December 13, Phoenix, Arizona

Silen Majority, local organization in favor of administration policies, will sponsor march from Federal Building to State Capitol grounds where rally will be held to show 100 percent support for GI's in Vietnam. Group expects over 1,000 participants.

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*December 13-14, Cleveland, Ohio

While the New Mobilization Committee to End the War in Vietnam has not yet officially announced its plans for the future, its Executive Committee has indicated that contrary to original "stated" intention to be just an Ad Hoc Coalition for purposes of organizing the Fall Offensive on a United Front basis, it feels it "has a future" and will consider detailed plans for new anti-war demonstrations. A Cleveland meeting on December 13-14 will include the 100 odd-members of the steering committee and will probably ratify the Executive Committee opinion.

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*December 13 and 24, Nationally

After the mass demonstration approach of the November 13-15 actions in Washington, D. C., San Francisco, and other major cities the Vietnam Moratorium Committee plans for December call for three days of action split between the 12 and 13th of December and the 24th but on a peaceful, small-sized, low-key, decentralized, individual community level. Reputedly, VMC thinking now is that future VMC-sponsored activities will not be scheduled to escalate a day a month

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as previously planned nor are they to include mass demonstrations. Plans are to work peacefully through the electoral system and to create dialogue on the Vietnam war. As noted earlier, the plans of the New Mobe have not been firmed up yet, but it is anticipated that they will entail much more aggressive actions.

VMC activities planned and suggested to local anti-war groups include:

Peaceful "town meetings" in 25 major American cities to discuss the war, to remind local 1970 political candidates that Vietnam will be a major issue, and to encourage adults to take a more active anti-war role:

A deluge of postcards and telegrams to President Nixon urging a faster withdrawal of all American forces;

Peaceful anti-war "USO-type" concerts by anti-war entertainers;

Peaceful silent vigils at shopping centers;

Interdenominational "services for peace" Christmas Eve;

Public "silent night" vigils and Christmas carolling with theme of "Peace on Earth" on Christmas Eve;

Peaceful goodwill visits to Vets Hospitals and military bases;

Visits to home offices of Congressmen pledging support only if they are anti-war; and, broadened contact with the GI anti-war movement.

*December 14, Oceanside, California

Anti-war demonstration to be sponsored by Green Machine Coffee House, Oceanside, and First Unitarian Church and New Mobilization Committee, Los Angeles. Speakers to include former servicemen, one priest, and David Hilliard, Chief of Staff, BPP. Hilliard was arrested on 5 December for making threats against the President of the U. S., A. and may not be available.

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*December 20, Los Angeles, California

Brown Berets of Los Angeles to hold Chicano Moratorium. March from Memorial Monument, Brooklyn and Indiana Streets, to Obregon Park, where rally will be held. Berets claim 3,000 to participate. No further information available. *AICA 9336 2 Dec. 69*

December 20, International

In Helsinki in August 1969, at the World Meeting of Solidarity of Youth and Students with Vietnam, attended by young people from 78 countries, among three documents adopted was one containing recommendations for national youth organizations and movements to conduct a world-wide campaign of action of the youth and students in support of the Vietnamese people and its struggle for independence, freedom and peace. Mass activities on December 20 - the day of establishment of the South Vietnam National Liberation Front, "must become a culmination of all the mass action conducted in the most diverse forms," it declared. *Daily World 2 Sept. 69*

*December 24, San Clemente, California

Student Mobilization Committee at California State College, Los Angeles, decided to hold candlelight demonstration at President Nixon's home. *AICA 9337 3 Dec. 69*

December 27-30, Minneapolis, Minnesota

National Convention of Young Socialists being held by YSA at the University of Minnesota. *Guardian 15 Nov. 69*

January 9-11, 1970, Chicago, Illinois

The CPUSA has disseminated a document entitled "A Call to Found a Revolutionary Working Class Youth Organization." The founding convention of this new Marxist-Leninist Youth organization was originally scheduled for December 26-28, 1969. Later materials indicate it is now planned for January 1970. *FBI CI Analysis 3 Oct 69*

January 19, 1970, Bel Air, Maryland

H. Rap Brown, head of the Student National Coordinating Committee, who has been free on \$10,000 bond in connection with *Daily World 22 Nov 69*

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charges stemming from racial disorders in July 1967 on Maryland's Eastern Shore, is tentatively scheduled to be tried on 19 January 1970. William B. Kunstler, Brown's attorney to defend him on the charges of arson and inciting to riot, is also chief counsel for the Chicago Eight.

*January 24, Detroit, Michigan

Reportedly, a Republic of New Africa (RNA) conference was held on November 29, 1969, in Brooklyn, New York, and was attended by approximately forty individuals. The conference voted to hold a constitutional convention in Detroit, Michigan, on 24 January. At the conference, the resignation of Robert F. Williams as RNA President was announced. The RNA is a violence-prone black extremist, separatist organization headquartered in Detroit, Michigan. Robert Williams currently resides in Detroit where he is awaiting extradition to North Carolina, on a kidnapping charge. It has been reported that the RNA is currently split into three factions. *FBI IN 95722 1 Dec 69*

*February 1970, Washington, D. C.

A 2nd Freedom Rally supporting the U. S. position in the Vietnam War will be held in Constitution Hall. Dr. Charles Moser, rally committee chairman, said he hopes to have a number of "big name entertainers" as well as senators and congressmen at the events. *WASH. NEWS 27 NOV 69*

*December 31, 1969, Nationally

A group with a NYC mailing address and calling itself the National Citizens' New Year's Eve Peace Observance (identity of individuals and/or organizations involved not yet obtained) is distributing flyers advocating a variety of activities on the local level on New Year's Eve as "a December event of the Moratorium on Vietnam." Suggested are panel discussions; open town meeting forums; music, dancing and singing; candlelight observances; refreshments. *Flyer filed in VPD (467849)*

SOURCE: Government and news media.

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