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SUBJECT: UNSUB(S); ALFRED P. MURRAH FEDERAL BUILDING, 5TH AND
ROBINSON, OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLAHOMA, 4/19/95, OO: OKLAHOMA CITY.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

FOR INFORMATION OF RECEIVING OFFICES, AT APPROXIMATELY
9:00 A.M., APRIL 19, 1995, THE ALFRED P. MURRAH FEDERAL
BUILDING, 5TH AND ROBINSON, OKLAHOMA CITY, WAS THE SITE OF A
MAJOR EXPLOSION. THE EARLY INDICATIONS ARE THAT A CAR BOMB
WAS UTILIZED TO EFFECT THE EXPLOSION. THE BUILDING RECEIVED
EXTENSIVE DAMAGE WITH ALL NINE FLOORS OF THE NORTH SIDE OF THE

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BUILDING DESTROYED.

THE BUILDING WHICH IS LOCATED IN DOWNTOWN OKLAHOMA CITY, HOUSED ATF, DEA, SECRET SERVICE, SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION, EEOC, FEDERAL EMPLOYEES CREDIT UNION, SOME MILITARY RECRUITING AND THE FEDERAL NURSERY FOR FEDERAL EMPLOYEES IN THE DOWNTOWN AREA, AS WELL AS OTHER AGENCIES WHICH HAVE NOT YET BEEN IDENTIFIED.

AS OF THIS DATE THERE HAS BEEN NO GROUP OR INDIVIDUALS CLAIMING CREDIT FOR THE ACT, HOWEVER, IT SHOULD BE NOTED APRIL 19 IS THE ANNIVERSARY DATE OF THE ENDING OF THE INCIDENT INVOLVING THE BRANCH DAVIDIANS SECT AT WACO, TEXAS.

IT HAS BEEN DETERMINED THAT NO OKLAHOMA CITY FBI EMPLOYEES WERE HARMED.

NO INFORMATION RECEIVED AS YET AS TO THE EXTENT OF INJURIES TO EMPLOYEES OF OTHER FEDERAL AGENCIES BASED IN THE BUILDING; ALTHOUGH, DEATHS ARE ALMOST CERTAIN.

ALL OFFICES SHOULD EXERCISE HEIGHTENED SECURITY UNTIL FURTHER ADVISED.

THE BUREAU AND ALL FIELD OFFICES WILL BE KEPT ADVISED OF FURTHER PERTINENT DEVELOPMENTS AS THEY OCCUR.

MEDIA INQUIRIES SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO BUREAU PRESS OFFICE.

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THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT OR ANY OF THE ENTITIES.

2) ALL OFFICES SHOULD ADVISE OTHER FEDERAL AGENCIES IN
THEIR AREA OF THE CONTENTS OF THIS COMMUNICATION.

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