

MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: RICHARD REYNA INTERVIEW WITH LOUIS BEAM

DATE: APRIL 5-7, 1996

Mr. Beam stated that he knew Andreas Strassmeier and had spoken to him on several occasions. Mr. Beam stated that he also knew Kirk Lyons and Holloway. Mr. Beam stated that he personally knew Neil Payne, co-director of the C.A.U.S.E. Foundation and would be speaking with him very soon. Mr. Beam stated that he and Mr. Payne were very close friends. Mr. Beam and Richard Reyna discussed the fact that Johnny Bangerter's telephone records indicating that several calls were placed to Louis Beam's home in Hayden Lake, Idaho.

Mr. Beam stated that the calls were in all probability made from a person by the name of Mary Lynn who is the sister of Johnny Bangerter. Mr. Beam stated that Mary Lynn called him several times to ask him to speak at some type of ceremony and believe that it could have been at the wedding of one of Johnny Bangerter's skinheads. Mr. Beam stated that his telephone records would probably indicate that he called Mary Lynn several times.

Richard Reyna told Louis Beam that he wanted to interview Michael Brescia who was reportedly hiding out at one of the Aryan Nation's camps in Tennessee. Mr. Beam stated that he knew the person who ran the Aryan Nation Camp in Murfreesboro, Tennessee and would try and make arrangements for Richard Reyna to meet with Brescia.

Mr. Beam stated that he had met Strassmeier on several occasions and thought that he was a pretty nice person.

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Mr. Beam told Richard Reyna several times that he was not a racist contrary to what people thought of him and mentioned that he several friends who were of Mexican descent and one who was

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Date of memo : April 11, 1996
To : Stephen Jones / Rob Nigh
From : Richard Reyna
Reference : Interview with Louis Beam, former Grand
Titan of the Texas Ku Klux Klan and a
leader of the Klan's violent protest

against Vietnamese immigrants who fled their homeland to become shrimpers on the Texas Gulf coast. By 1987 Beam had created at least a dozen racist computerized bulletin boards-some ultrasecret, some relatively public-which members of the Survival Right use to communicate via telephone and modem through software supplied by Beam. In 1987 Beam was indicted for sedition and made the FBI's Ten Most Wanted List. In 1988 a federal jury in Ft. Smith, Arkansas acquitted him. Louis Beam is now a ranking member of the Aryan Nations. Code name "Lone Star"

Dates of interviews : April 5-7, 1996
Location : Hyatt Regency Hotel - Lake Tahoe, Nevada
"Jubilation 1996"

Louis Beam. Mr Beam had just finished giving a speech on "When Evil Men Rule, Good Men Suffer" and was standing by the exit door greeting people.

I approached Mr Beam and told him that a mutual friend asked me to make it a point to say hello to him whenever I had an opportunity to speak with him. I told Mr Beam that unfortunately the friend had since passed away. I mentioned the name Jack Oliphant. I told Mr Beam that Mr Oliphant had been assisting me in some areas of my investigation and had been of tremendous help.

I told Mr Beam that I had a letter of introduction from Jack and Margo Oliphant and some photographs of Mr Oliphant that I would like to show to him at his first opportunity.

I told Mr Beam of the difficulties that Mrs Oliphant endured immediately after the death of Mr Oliphant. Mr Beam appeared disturbed with the news concerning Mrs Oliphant and asked for some of the details. I told Mr Beam that a recent fire had destroyed a good portion of the Oliphant's belongings to include documents pertaining to his military service. I explained that I

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accompanied Mrs Oliphant to the funeral home where representative of the funeral home refused to attend to the body of Mr Oliphant unless Mrs Oliphant had the military service records available or the approximate \$1,000.00 in cash to pay for the cremation of the body. I told Mr Beam that I also accompanied Mrs Oliphant to the VFW office in Kingman, Arizona where she spoke with several VFW representatives. I explained that VFW representatives told Mrs Oliphant that there would be a waiting period of several days before they would be able to obtain the necessary documents needed by the funeral home.

I told Mr Beam that representatives at the funeral home wouldn't even give Mrs Oliphant, Mr Oliphant's wedding band.

I told Mr Beam that after leaving the VFW, I returned to the funeral home with Mrs Oliphant and personally paid for Mr Oliphant's services and demanded that Mrs Oliphant immediately be given Mr Oliphant's wedding band. I told Mr Beam that Mrs Oliphant later gave me as a gift, Mr Oliphant's trademark black cowboy hat. Mr Beam looked at me as if in disbelief and asked, "You have Jack's hat?" I replied that I did. Mr Beam extended his hand and shook mine as he thanked me for helping Mrs Oliphant. Several people began to approach Mr Beam to speak with him and I told him that I would show him Mr Oliphant's photographs at a later time.

On Saturday, April 6, 1996, J.D. Cash spoke about the "Oklahoma City Bombing Cover-up." Later during a break I spotted Mr Beam sitting at one of several tables in the lobby area with Mr Cash, Pastor Pete Peters, and another unidentified older male. I signaled Mr Cash to invite me over to the table, which he did. I again shook hands with Mr Beam and was introduced to Pastor Pete Peters, but was unable to catch the name of the other older male sitting with the group.

*Note that Pastor Peters is the Identity pastor who ran the Colorado Church (Laporte Church of Christ) and is a formidable force in the movement. Pastor Peters is considered to be on the moderate end of the Identity Spectrum. Pastor Peters has spread his influence through speeches around the country, radio sermons, and Bible camps. His wife Cheri, made a video on The Silent Brotherhood (formed by Robert Jay Matthews in September 1983 and was considered the most dangerous right-wing underground group since the Ku Klux Klan first rode more than a century earlier) and the Fort Smith Sedition trial. Pastor Peters and his wife Cheri have fought obscenity, pornography and homosexual rights in their county. Pastor Peters is reported to be very influential with Louis Beam.

I told Mr Beam that I had some photographs that I wanted to show him, so he immediately got up and we walked over to a nearby area where

photograph was of Mr Oliphant by himself. Mr Beam looked at the photograph and gave a heavy sigh. Mr Beam's

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expression turned to sadness and he did not say anything for a short while. He just looked at the photograph. I told Ma Beam that Mr Oliphant told me that he (Beam) always referred to him as the "Colonel." Mr Beam smiled and told me that it was true and then commented that Mr Oliphant had been a good man.

I told Mr Beam that Mr Oliphant had suggested that I show him a photograph of Mr Oliphant and myself together in the event that he did not believe that we knew each other. Mr Beam looked at the photographs for a short while but said nothing. I then produced another photograph of Mr Oliphant and myself together and in this photo, Mr Oliphant had placed his hat on top of my head. I told Mr Beam that Mrs Oliphant again suggested that I show him this photograph in the event that he had even the slightest doubt. Mr Beam looked at the photograph for a short while and smiled and then handed all three photographs back to me. I selected the photograph of Mr Oliphant by himself and presented it to Mr Beam as a gift. Mr Beam again looked at it and then thanked me. We returned to the table where Mr Cash, Pastor Pete Peters, and the other unidentified older male were engaged in conversation.

It was obvious that several of the people standing around the table were wanting to speak with Mr Beam because he quickly left the table with some of the people to another location a short distance from the table.

Mr Cash was discussing Andreas Strassmeier and I immediately joined in the conversation. Pastor Peters was apparently aware of my involvement on Mr McVeigh's behalf and asked me for an opinion on the outcome of the case.

I told Pastor Peters that I was a bit confused at the time because of the FBI's refusal to acknowledge the obvious criminal activities of Strassmeir, even though a federal warrant of arrest existed on Mr Strassmeir.

I told Pastor Peters that I had visited attorney Kirk Lyons in Black Mountain, North Carolina. I said that prior to my visit, I conversed with Mr Lyons on the telephone and told him that I needed to see him about a matter that I could not discuss over the telephone. I said that as soon as I arrived at Mr Lyons' office, Mr Lyons commented that he knew that I was there because of "the telephone call." I told Pastor Peters that I had no idea what Mr Lyons was talking about, but that I replied that I did want to talk about the call and that I also

purpose of my visit had been to interview Strassmeir and that I honestly knew nothing about the telephone call.

I told Pastor Peters that after my "secret" interview with Strassmeir, I asked about the telephone call. I said that Mr Lyons told me that just prior to the bombing a person describing himself as a patriot called and spoke with David Holloway, a co worker of the Cause Foundation, and that the caller told Holloway

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that the lawsuits were not going to work and that the government needed to be taught a lesson.

I said that later the same day, I spoke with Holloway who repeated what Mr Lyons had already told me. I said that both later told me that the caller talked for approximately 4 to 5 minutes then hung up.

I said that Mr Lyons told me that shortly after the bombing, he personally contacted the FBI and told them about the call and that he also contacted an FBI agent by the last name of Villareal, out of the San Antonio, Texas office and that he told Agent Villareal that he had seen John Doe No. 2 at the Waco Memorial on April 19, 1995.

I told Pastor Peters that I later learned through a source that the telephone call had been made to the Cause Foundation on April 18, 1995, and that the caller had spoken with Holloway for approximately 40 minutes. I told Pastor Peters that I interviewed with David Holloway a second time at a law office in Houston, Texas and that Holloway acknowledged that the conversation could have lasted approximately 40 minutes and that FBI agents told him and Mr Lyons that the call had been made on Timothy McVeigh's's calling card. I said that Holloway told me that through contacts with friendly federal agents, he learned that the call had indeed been made through Mr McVeigh's calling card. I told Pastor Peters that Mr Holloway told me that the entire conversation with the caller was repeated to FBI agents.

I told Pastor Peters that Mr Lyons has since told news reporters that Timothy McVeigh called his office on April 18, 1995 and spoke with David Holloway for approximately 40 minutes and that he called the FBI to inform them of the telephone call.

At this point, Pastor Peters is leaning in towards me and appears to be very interested in what I am saying.

I told Pastor Peters that I have since reviewed two lists containing several thousands of witnesses interviewed by the FBI and that neither the names, Kirk Lyons or David Holloway are present. I told

McVeigh's's calling card dating back from December 1993 to April 17, 1995, and that the calls made by Mr McVeigh from April 18 to April 21, 1995 were deliberately excluded. I said that the 40 minute call to the Cause Foundation was definitely excluded.

I told Pastor Peters that this was one of the things that was bothering me. I made it a point not to accuse or suggest that Mr Lyons or Mr Holloway were being protected by federal investigators. Instead, I asked Pastor Peters for an opinion or if he could think of a logical explanation that I might have overlooked.

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I told Pastor Peters that I could understand Mr Lyons' call to the FBI, that it made all the sense in the world to me, in the event that all calls to the Cause Foundation were being monitored by the FBI. I told Pastor Peters that I couldn't understand why the FBI would deliberately leave out the interviews with Mr Lyons and Mr Holloway and deliberately leave out phone records indicating the April 18, 1995-40 minute call from Mr McVeigh's to the Cause Foundation. I commented that if Mr McVeigh's did in fact say that the government needed to be taught a lesson, that this would certainly be one of the most significant statements ever linked to Mr McVeigh's and that in my opinion, this would be additional evidence that could be used to convict Mr McVeigh's.

Pastor Peters agreed that the government would be foolish to pass up the opportunity to capitalize on this particular statement made by Mr McVeigh's.

I asked Pastor Peters again if he could think of a logical explanation for what was going on with respect to Mr Lyons and Holloway, and he replied that he could not and then commented that this was definitely very strange and that this did not look good for Mr Lyons.

Pastor Peters stated that this information was important and that Mr Beam needs to be aware of this as soon as possible. Pastor Peters asked me if I had any objections to discussing this with Mr Beam and I replied that I welcomed the opportunity.

Pastor Peters quickly got up from his chair and walked towards Mr Beam, who was standing nearby talking with other people. A few minutes later Pastor Peters and Mr Beam returned to the table. I took the chance and allowed Mr Beam to read the FBI report dated May 10, 1995, where FBI Agent Travis K. Sorrows interviewed Oklahoma Highway Patrol Officer Vernon Phillips. As you know, the report mentions that Andreas Strassmeir trained platoon size groups consisting of approximately 30 to

facility. These individuals are comprised of members of various militia groups throughout the United States.

Mr Beam took the report and walked to a location near the table where the lighting was more appropriate for reading. Mr Beam finished reading the report and returned to the table. In the presence of all that were present, Mr Beam told me that he never agreed to interviews because he distrusted many people, but that he would agree to privately speak with me because he had been looking into my eyes and felt certain that I was not lying to him. I told Mr Beam that we could speak privately in my room where I had certain documents that he could examine if there was still doubt in his mind.

We left the table towards the elevator then entered my room (#403). Mr Beam stood inside the room and I sat down. Mr Beam stated that he would talk with me because he believed that I was

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trying to do the right thing, but that he wasn't sure whether our conversation was going to be secretly recorded. I told Mr Beam that I would not record our conversation and then commented that I also understood that these days the word of a person meant very little. I told Mr Beam that I could understand his reluctance in trusting people and that the only thing that I could do to prove my point, was to leave the room for 1 ½ hours leaving my entire file behind because I had nothing to hide from him. I told Mr Beam that he could search every inch of the room for electronic devices. Other than that, I could do no more to prove my sincerity. I told Mr Beam that I wanted us to have a straight forward conversation, but that I also wanted him to feel comfortable with me.

I stood up and told Mr Beam that I would be leaving the room and would return at the designated time (1 ½ hours). Mr Beam stood in front of me and stared at me for a few seconds then told me that it would not be necessary and then told me that he appreciated my gesture of good will.

We both sat down and I again repeated the story that I previously told Pastor Peters concerning Kirk Lyons and David Holloway. I also mentioned my confusion with the fact that federal authorities deliberately allowed Andreas Strassmeir to continue to operate a military training camp at Elohim City even though a federal warrant of arrest had been issued for him. I made it a point not to accuse or to express my personal feelings against the three mentioned individuals. I told Mr Beam that I was confused and asked if perhaps he could think of a logical explanation on why the interviews with Kirk Lyons and David Holloway were never mentioned by the FBI and, why the telephone records

to the defense. I told Mr Beam that federal investigators were well aware of Mr Strassmeir's illegal activities but yet made no effort to arrest him nor did they bother to interview him.

Mr Beam stated that all of this did not make sense. He stated that he knew Andreas Strassmeir and had spoken with him on several occasions. Mr Beam stated that he also knew Lyons and Holloway and that both had been very helpful to the movement but that this recently discovered information warranted careful examination. I again repeated that it was not my objective to attack the three mentioned individuals but that the scenario itself was very confusing especially after I had already interviewed all three of the mentioned individuals and had been lied to by them. Mr Beam stated that he personally knew Neil Payne, co-director of the Cause Foundation and would be speaking with him very soon. Mr Beam stated that he and Mr Payne were very close friends.

I told Mr Beam that telephone records made from Mr McVeigh's calling card, John Bangerter Sr.'s home telephone, Mr McVeigh's father's home telephone, Jennifer McVeigh's home telephone and

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other individuals telephone records indicated interesting connections. I drew a diagram and in this diagram, included the names Timothy McVeigh's, Terry Nichols, James Nichols, Jennifer McVeigh, Dick Coffman (National Alliance), Elohim City, Dennis Mahon, James Rosencrans, Michael Fortier, Andreas Strassmeir, Kevin Nicholas and John Bangerter. I told Mr Beam that all of the mentioned names were connected to each other through telephone records. Mr Beam clearly looked puzzled so as an example, I displayed the telephone records of John Bangerter. I did not open Mr Bangerter's records, I merely placed them to one side. I told Mr Beam that the many telephone records indicated that Jennifer McVeigh (from New York) called Johnny Bangerter, Timothy McVeigh's records indicate that he called Johnny Bangerter, Andreas Strassmeir at Elohim City and Dick Coffman, Elohim City records indicate that calls were made to Dennis Mahon and other high profile individuals, Dick Coffman's records indicate that he called Johnny Bangerter and several high profile individuals, additional records indicate that Kevin Nicholas (Michigan), Timothy McVeigh, Terry and James Nichols, Michael Fortier and James Rosencrans all communicated with each other as well as with other high profile individuals.

Mr Beam picked up John Bangerter's telephone records and asked if he could take a look at them. I told Mr Beam to feel free to review whatever document he wanted to. Mr Beam reviewed the records for a short while and then commented that the records indicated that some calls were placed to his home in Hayden Lake, Idaho (208) 772-2408. I told Mr Beam that I knew it, that this was one of the reasons that I wanted to

to his home in Hayden Lake, Idaho from the home of John Bangerter in St. George, Utah. The calls were placed during the month of April, 1995...(1)-April 19, 1995..(1)-April 21, 1995..(6)-April 22, 1995. Mr Beam just looked at me and said very little. I told Mr Beam that the calls needed to be explained at some point in the future and that it was my opinion that the sooner explained, the better. I told Mr Beam that it would certainly be easy for the government to suggest an association with Mr McVeigh's and Mr Nichols. Mr Beam commented that he wouldn't put anything past "those federal dogs."

Mr Beam stated that the calls were in all probabilities made from a person by the name of Mary Lynn who is the sister of Johnny Bangerter. Mr Beam stated that Mary Lynn called him several times to ask him to speak at some type of a ceremony and believed that it could have been at the wedding of one of Johnny Bangerter's skinheads. Mr Beam stated that his telephone records would probably indicate that he called Mary Lynn several times. Mr Beam spoke fondly of Mary Lynn. *Note that for the record, Mary Lynn Seamans has appeared on several nationally televised talk shows promoting racism. Mrs Seamans was dressed in a Nazi type of outfit during these shows.

I told Mr Beam that I believed that one or more informant(s) within the movement have been helping federal investigators and

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that I was very interested in uncovering their identities. I told Mr Beam that I believed, without a doubt, that the government had prior knowledge of the bombing and still permitted the people to enter the building. I told Mr Beam that my intention was to prove that there was prior knowledge by federal agents and that they knowingly allowed the people to enter the building and die. I told Mr Beam that I intended to let the American people know the truth about what happened.

Mr Beam stated that he liked the idea and was prepared to help in whatever way that he could. I told Mr Beam that there was a person by the name of Michael Brescia who used to live with Andreas Strassmeir at Elohim City. I told Mr Beam that there were only two people at Elohim City suspected of being informants and that aside from Strassmeir, the other person was James, "King James of the Ozarks" Ellison. I told Mr Beam that Ellison would be limited in what he could do for federal agents because of obvious reasons, being that Ellison testified against the movement and in particular, against him. I told Mr Beam that in my opinion, Ellison would never be allowed near any movement organization with the exception of Elohim City. I told Mr Beam that in my opinion, Ellison was finished in the movement, no matter how hard Reverend Millar has tried to clean his image. Mr Beam agreed with my opinion then asked about Brescia. I told Mr Beam that Brescia was

told Mr Beam that I wanted to interview Brescia and that through the interview, I could hopefully eliminate or confirm Strassmeir's status as an informant.

Mr Beam stated that he had met Strassmeir on several occasions and thought that he was a pretty nice person. I reminded Mr Beam that federal agents knew that Strassmeir ran a military training camp at Elohim City while a warrant existed for his arrest but made no effort to arrest him. I also made it a point not to accuse Strassmeir of being a government informant but did point out that the circumstances seemed rather odd. Mr Beam agreed with me and then told me that he knew the person who ran the Aryan Nation camp in Murfreesboro, Tennessee and would try to make arrangements for me to meet with Brescia. I told Mr Beam that I would prefer not to talk on the telephone with the person who would make the arrangements because I believed that federal agents were monitoring most of the movement organizations and I did not want the government to be aware of my intentions. Mr Beam agreed and asked for an address where I could be reached by mail. I gave Mr Beam my P.O. Box number in Conroe, Texas.

As we finished our conversation, Mr Beam began to look at the small bottles of liquor inside the mini bar in my room. I quickly asked Mr Beam if he like German Rhine wine and he replied that he loved it. I produced a bottle of wine that I had purchased the day before and gave it to Mr Beam as a gift. I asked Mr Beam if he had a cork screw for the bottle and he replied that he did not. I told Mr Beam that I would loan him my Swiss knife which had a cork screw attached. Mr Beam asked for a paper sack so that he

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could carry the bottle. Mr Beam stated that he was a Christian Minister and that it would not look good if he left carrying the bottle in his hand. I immediately located a paper sack and as Mr Beam prepared to leave, I asked him to take the plastic cup that he had carried into the room. I told Mr Beam that in all probabilities, the FBI would go through the items in the trash cans and that finding a cup with his finger prints in one of my trash cans could only cause unnecessary problems. Mr Beam thanked me and put the cup in the paper bag and we both left the room. When we got to the lobby, Mr Beam went one direction and I went another.

On Sunday April 7, 1996 I had another opportunity to speak with Mr Beam. During a break between speakers, I went to use a public telephone located directly outside of the conference room. Mr Beam approached me and returned my Swiss knife and thanked me. Later that evening at approximately 11:00 p.m. I was walking through the lobby area towards the elevator when I spotted Mr Bream and another one of the conference

who wrote the book COMPROMISED: Clinton, Bush and the CIA. I had met Mr Reed the day before through J.D. Cash. Mr Reed and Mr Cash shared a hotel room.

I stopped by the table to say hello and both Mr Beam and Mr Reed invited me to sit and join them. The conversations were general with an occasional exchange of philosophies and jokes. Mr Beam told me several times that he was not a racist contrary to what people thought of him and mentioned that he had several friends who were of Mexican descent and one who was Vietnamese. As we discussed philosophies, Mr Beam looked at me and told me that I should consider joining the movement. Mr Beam also invited me to attend the Aryan Nation conference scheduled for June, 1996 in Hayden Lake, Idaho. I told Mr Beam that I would consider his offer. Our conversations did not pertain to the Oklahoma City bombing. Mr Beam just discussed his distrust in the federal government. At approximately 1:45 a.m. (April 8, 1996) we ended our conversation.

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The following investigation was conducted by Special Agent (SA) TRAVIS K. SORROWS at Sallisaw, Oklahoma, on May 10, 1995:

VERNON PHILLIPS, Patrol Officer for the past 17 years, Oklahoma Highway/patrol (OHP), Sallisaw Oklahoma, furnished the hereafter information as relates to Elohim city, Oklahoma. PHILLIPS advised the information is a compaction of intelligence he has gathered over the past 17 years from observation and confidential sources.

In addition to the below detailed information PHILLIPS

meeting which are being maintained as evidence and generally described as follows:

A. Three pages, copies, FBI LHM dated April 15, 1985 regarding Elohim City with attached one-page Oklahoma Department of Public Safety (DPS) intelligence from Lieutenant JIM KING dated April 21, 1985.

B. Three pages, copies, news article from "Sequoyah County Times," Volume Number 93-9, pertaining to JOHN MILLAR (with photograph).

C. One page list of names of members of Posse Comitatus.

D. One page, copy, map of Elohim City's location in Oklahoma and Arkansas.

E. One page, copy, news article from "Tulsa World," dated July 3, 1985, section B5, regarding the Covenant, Sword and The Arm of the Lord (CSA), and Elohim City

F. Three pages, copies, Oklahoma DPS moving violation/ticket and Oklahoma driver's license, copy, issued to PETER NELSON LESLEY WARD JR., date of birth February 18, 1968, Oklahoma driver's license number 562-51-145, height 5'11", weight 160 pounds, white male, residential address Route 3, Box 239, Muldrow, Oklahoma, telephone number 427-7739, vehicle information: Texas license plate CJC 40H, 1983 Chevrolet station wagon, maroon in color.

G. Seventeen (17) pages, copies, of documents in German pertaining to ADREAS STRASSMEIR also known as (aka) STRASSMEIER, possible date of birth May 17, 1959 at Berlin, Germany (photo included).

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H. One page, copy, certificate of leadership training from SCHLIERSCHIED MILITARY ACADEMY dated February 12, 1989, signed FREDERICK R. ADOLPHUS, Chief Instructor, Sergeant Major.

I. One page copy, envelope addressed to STRASSMEIR, care of KIRK D. LYONS, 2323 McCue #2, Houston, Texas, 77056, from V.

dated February 12, 1990.

J. One page, copy, Oklahoma BOLO pertaining to STRASSMEIR.

K. Three pages, copies, cover page and table of contents of "The Terrorist's Handbook" (215 pages bound-complete internet copy maintained by Trooper PHILLIPS).

STRASSMEIR is alleged to be a German citizen whose father was a former member of the German parliament. STRASSMEIR was a member of the German military (reference H), and according to sources the principal militia trainer at Elohim City.

PHILLIPS advised in February, 1992, (reference F) he performed a vehicle stop on STRASSMEIR's vehicle bearing the Texas tag aforementioned and subsequently was allowed to copy documents discovered in STRASSMEIR's vehicle (reference G). Sources have advised PHILLIPS that STRASSMEIR has an outstanding Federal warrant issued by the Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS) since failing to leave the country in 1991 (reference J). STRASSMEIR is alleged to train platoon-sized groups consisting of approximately 30 to 40 individuals approximately every three months at the Elohim City facility. These individuals are comprised of members of various militia groups throughout the United States. PHILLIPS' sources have advised that STRASSMEIR was observed at Elohim City as recently as two weeks ago. PHILLIPS confirmed the individual pictured in the Oklahoma driver's license (reference F) is the same individual pictured amongst documents copied from STRASSMEIR's vehicle (reference G). PHILLIPS advised that the traffic violation issued for the aforementioned vehicle stop was dismissed by an attorney from Houston, Texas, and that STRASSMEIR is believed to have had other legal matters pending in the Houston, Texas, area.

PHILLIPS' sources have advised that BRUCE MILLAR, son of Elohim City founder ROBERT GRANT MILLAR (reference A), generates income for that organization by leasing approximately 22 motor freight rigs to NATIONAL CARRIERS motor freight company out of Fort Smith or Van Buren, Arkansas.

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PHILLIPS daughter-in-law speaks fluent German and

STRASSMEIR is the son of a former member of the German parliament. Additional documents revealed that at one time STRASSMEIR was attempting to purchase a 747 aircraft from Lufthansa: however, the reason for the purchase was not reflected in documents.

PHILLIPS' sources advised that in 1992 Elohim City had approximately 96 yards of concrete transported via 122 truckloads from a local concrete company. PHILLIPS stated that he could at a later date determine the name of this company; however, while he is not certain the purpose for this concrete, sources have indicated the existence of "bunkers" and weapon storage facilities at Elohim City. PHILLIPS suggested contact with PAUL ROBINSON of the Oklahoma Bureau of Narcotics who is believed to have obtained aerial photographs of Elohim City in approximately 1993. Additionally, sources have alleged Elohim City may be generating income through the sale of illegal drugs produced and grown on the 400-acre compound. Additionally, PHILLIPS identified JOHN HANEY, Commander of Oklahoma Tactical Team, Ardmore Oklahoma, as an individual who possesses extensive knowledge of the activities of Elohim City and its members.

PHILLIPS identified VELMA ROSE GAY as a daughter of JOAN DEN HARTOG and ROKUS DEN HARTOG. The HARTOGs are known to be long-time members of Elohim City and GAY is currently an office holder at Elohim City, possibly Secretary of State.

PHILLIPS advised that the "Muskogee Phoenix Newspaper" recently published an article favorable to Elohim City and containing other information that may be of some value. PHILLIPS advised he would obtain a copy of this article and provide to SA SORROWS at a later date. Additionally, PHILLIPS advised he would contact sources to determine if TIMOTHY MCVEIGH aka TIMOTHY TUTTLE, is listed as a subscriber to "THE Patriot Report." PHILLIPS stated he has heard of this publication; however, he has not observed any of its issues. Additionally, PHILLIPS stated he has heard of the Present Trust Ministry; however, he is not aware of its participants nor does he know it to be affiliated with Elohim City.

PHILLIPS, advised he knows that at the recent execution of RICHARD WAYNE SHELL, Elohim City leader ROBERT MILLAR was present and transported SNELL's body back to Elohim city where it is currently buried.

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PHILLIPS' sources have approximated 80 full-time adults residing on Elohim City. PHILLIPS advised that after the Oklahoma City bombing he was contacted by a confidential source who advised that SONNY WARD, a resident of Elohim City bears a striking resemblance to JOHN DOE #2. WARD is known to have a tattoo of a coyote howling at the moon on his right upper arm.

WARD's parents, former residents of Elohim City, are believed to have moved to Baylin, New Mexico (a suburb of Albuquerque) a few days prior to the April 19 1995, Oklahoma City bombing out of "concern for the right wing element." PHILLIPS' source advised they had moved from that location to Valdosta, Georgia, where they were employed at a chicken plant. PHILLIPS stated the recently generated information from his confidential sources have been passed to investigators working the OKBOMB Task Force in Oklahoma City.

WARD's brother, TONY WARD , is also a resident of Elohim City and has been characterized by sources as "capable of doing anything and violent."

PHILLIPS additionally identified PRICILLIA WARD (age 8 to 10) and SUSIE WARD (older sister age unknown) as sisters of SONNY WARD. These two sisters are believed to be currently residing at Elohim City.

PHILLIPS advised he would remain cognizant to any information pertaining to Elohim City that would be of benefit and recontact SA SORROWS upon receipt. Additionally, PHILLIPS stated he would contact confidential sources to determine whether they would be in a position to obtain information at the direction of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) in furtherance of the OKBOMB matter.

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