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TO DIRECTOR ROUTINE

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[redacted] AKA [redacted]; POSSIBLE UNSUBS (2); BOMBING

AT HOTEL RAJNEESH, PORTLAND, OREGON, JULY 29, 1983; EXPLOSIVES AND INCENDIARY DEVICES (EID); OO:PORTLAND.

AT APPROXIMATELY 1:20 A.M., JULY 29, 1983, AN EXPLOSIVE DEVICE WAS ACTIVATED IN ROOM 405 OF THE HOTEL RAJNEESH, PORTLAND, OREGON. THE OCCUPANT OF THE ROOM, WHO HAS TENTATIVELY BEEN IDENTIFIED AS [redacted], APPARENTLY WAS IN THE ACT OF SETTING A PIPE BOMB IN THE BATHROOM WHEN THE BOMB EXPLODED CAUSING SERIOUS INJURY TO [redacted]. [redacted] WAS REMOVED TO A PORTLAND HOSPITAL, AND THE PORTLAND POLICE BUREAU ARRIVED AT SCENE TO INVESTIGATE. SHORTLY THEREAFTER, TWO ADDITIONAL EXPLOSIVES OCCURRED IN THE ROOM WHICH RESULTED IN SUBSEQUENT FIRE DAMAGE TO THE HOTEL. INVESTIGATION REVEALED THAT TWO ADDITIONAL PIPE

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BOMBS WITH DETONATORS HAD BEEN SECRETED IN THE HOTEL ROOM. (u)

ALTHOUGH THE ROOM'S OCCUPANT HAD REGISTERED ON THE EVENING OF JULY 28, 1983, AS [REDACTED], IDENTIFICATION WAS FOUND ON HIS PERSON IN THE NAME [REDACTED] [REDACTED], LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA. LOCAL INVESTIGATION REVEALED THAT EARLIER IN THE DAY, JULY 28, 1983, [REDACTED] AND TWO OTHER INDIVIDUALS HAD BEEN OBSERVED AT THE CITY OF RAJNEESHPURAM, OREGON. RAJNEESHPURAM IS LOCATED APPROXIMATELY 150 MILES EAST OF PORTLAND AND IS THE HEADQUARTERS OF A CONTROVERSIAL QUASI-RELIGIOUS GROUP HEADED BY AN INDIAN GURU, BAGHWAN SHREE RAJNEESH WHO, WITH SEVERAL OF HIS FOLLOWERS, RELOCATED FROM INDIA AND WESTERN EUROPE TO EASTERN OREGON APPROXIMATELY TWO YEARS AGO. THE GROUP HAS BEEN THE SUBJECT OF CONSIDERABLE CONTROVERSY BECAUSE OF THEIR COUNTERCULTURE LIFESTYLE, APPEAR TO HAVE A GREAT DEAL OF WEALTH WHICH INCLUDES THE OWNERSHIP OF SEVERAL BUSINESSES AND PROPERTIES THROUGHOUT OREGON, INCLUDING THE HOTEL RAJNEESH. (u)

WHILE IN RAJNEESHPURAM, [REDACTED] AND TWO OTHER UNKNOWN MALES, WERE OBSERVED DRIVING A YELLOW VW VAN OR STATION WAGON BEARING (u)

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CALIFORNIA LICENSE [REDACTED]. THEY WERE STOPPED BY RAJNEESH PURAM LAW ENFORCEMENT PERSONNEL TO WHOM [REDACTED], A [REDACTED] MALE, IDENTIFIED HIMSELF AS [REDACTED], AND THE OTHER TWO INDIVIDUALS, A [REDACTED] MALE AND A [REDACTED] MALE, IDENTIFIED THEMSELVES RESPECTIVELY AS [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED] [REDACTED], GIVING LOS ANGELES AREA ADDRESSES WHICH HAVE SUBSEQUENTLY PROVEN TO BE NON-EXISTENT (u)

BUREAU OF ALCOHOL, TOBACCO AND FIREARMS (ATF) CONCURRENTLY INVESTIGATING WITH LOCAL PORTLAND POLICE. AT 8:20 A.M., JULY 29, 1983, ATF, LOS ANGELES, WENT TO [REDACTED] ADDRESS AT [REDACTED], LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, WHERE THEY BRIEFLY INTERVIEWED A [REDACTED] FEMALE WHO STATED SHE WAS MARRIED TO [REDACTED] WHOM SHE INDICATED WAS THE INDIVIDUAL INVOLVED IN THE EXPLOSION AT THE HOTEL RAJNEESH. NO OTHER INFORMATION WAS FURNISHED TO ATF INVESTIGATORS WHO ALSO OBSERVED OTHER [REDACTED] INDIVIDUALS AT THE RESIDENCE DRESSED IN WHITE ROBES AND TURBANS, APPARENTLY BELONGING TO SOME UNKNOWN RELIGIOUS GROUP. LOCAL LOS ANGELES AUTHORITIES ARE CURRENTLY ATTEMPTING TO OBTAIN A SEARCH WARRANT.

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UNSUBS (2) RAJNEESH FOUNDATION INTERNATIONAL - VICTIM;
CIVIL RIGHTS; EXPLOSIVES AND INCENDIARY DEVICES; 00: PORTLAND.

TITLE CHANGED TO FURNISH FULL NAME AND CORRECT SPELLING
SUBJECT; PREVIOUSLY CARRIED AS [redacted]. RE PORTLAND

TELETYPE TO FBIHQ AND LOS ANGELES, JULY 29 LAST AND BUREAU
PHONE CALL FROM [redacted], CIVIL RIGHTS

UNIT TO PORTLAND JULY 30 LAST (u) DE-71 44 - 95634-4
THIS MATTER INITIALLY OPENED AS 174 MATTER. PER
REFERENCED PHONE CALL INVESTIGATION BEING CONDUCTED AS

44 MATTER SINCE 44 VIOLATION APPARENTLY EXISTS (u)

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HOSPITAL, PORTLAND, HAS BEEN CHARGED BY PORTLAND POLICE BUREAU WITH THREE COUNTS OF ARSON IN CONNECTION WITH BOMBING OF HOTEL RAJNEESH, PORTLAND. INTERVIEWED BY BUREAU AGENTS THIS DATE AND REFUSED TO FURNISH TRUE IDENTITY OF UNSUBS WHO, WITH SUBJECT, SPENT NIGHT OF JULY 27 LAST AT RAJNEESHPURAM, OREGON, USING ALIASES OF [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] (u) [REDACTED] SUBJECT DID INDICATE YELLOW VOLKSWAGEN STATION WAGON THE THREE WERE IN AT RAJNEESHPURAM BELONGED TO [REDACTED]'S SISTER [REDACTED]. WOULD FURNISH NO FURTHER INFORMATION RE [REDACTED]. SUBJECT ADMITTED [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED] DROPPED HIM OFF AT THE "HOTEL" ABOUT (u) 11:30 P.M. JULY 28 LAST. WOULD FURNISH NO OTHER INFORMATION.

INVESTIGATION BY PORTLAND POLICE BUREAU DETERMINED ADDRESSES FURNISHED BY [REDACTED] AS [REDACTED] LOS ANGELES, BY [REDACTED] AS [REDACTED], COMPTON, CALIFORNIA, AND [REDACTED] AS [REDACTED], LONG BEACH, CALIFORNIA, WERE NON-EXISTENT ACCORDING TO DETECTIVES OF LOS ANGELES, POLICE DEPARTMENT (u)

SUBJECT DESCRIBED AS [REDACTED] MALE, DATE OF BIRTH

[REDACTED] AT [REDACTED], SSN [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] POUNDS, [REDACTED] HAIR, [REDACTED] EYES, RESIDENCE

[REDACTED], LOS ANGELES, EMPLOYED [REDACTED]

745 SOUTH FLOWER, LOS ANGELES, WIFE, [REDACTED] AND TWO

CHILDREN AT HOME. NO MILITARY. CLAIMS NO CRIMINAL RECORD. (u)

UNSUB [REDACTED] DESCRIBED AS [REDACTED] MALE, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] POUNDS, [REDACTED] HAIR WITH SLIGHT [REDACTED], [REDACTED]

BUILT WEARING TAN SARAPE OR PANCHO; CLEAN SHAVEN. (u)

UNSUB [REDACTED], [REDACTED] MALE [REDACTED] POUNDS,

[REDACTED] BUILD, [REDACTED] HAIR, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] GLASSES. BLUE JEANS (u)

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ATF, PORTLAND HANDLING EVIDENCE FROM CRIME SCENE. ATF, LOS ANGELES, OBTAINED EVIDENCE AT SEARCH OF RESIDENCE OF RESIDENCE OF SUBJECT IN LOS ANGELES.

LOS ANGELES CONTACT LOS ANGELES PD AND ATF TO OBTAIN RESULTS OF THEIR INVESTIGATION. INTERVIEW SUBJECT'S WIFE AND ASSOCIATES TO OBTAIN BACKGROUND AND POSSIBLE MOTIVE FOR BOMBING AND TO IDENTIFY [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED].

CONTACT WESTERN UNION TO OBTAIN BACKGROUND AND PRIOR EMPLOYMENT OF SUBJECT AND SET OUT LEADS (u)

PORTLAND MAINTAINING CONTACT WITH PORTLAND PB, ATF, AND RAJNEESHPURAM PEACE FORCE. (u)

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[REDACTED] IS IN SERIOUS CONDITION SUFFERING FROM SEVERE BURNS, LOSS OF ONE EYE, AND ONE HAND. ATF AND PORTLAND POLICE INVESTIGATING LOCALLY; ATF AND LOS ANGELES PD INVESTIGATING IN LOS ANGELES. FBI, PORTLAND, IS CONDUCTING NO ACTIVE INVESTIGATION AT THIS TIME BUT WILL MONITOR PROGRESS AND SECURE FBI INTERESTS.

[REDACTED] HAS BEEN IDENTIFIED AS A [REDACTED] MALE, DOB [REDACTED] SSAN [REDACTED] (OR [REDACTED]), WHO WAS EMPLOYED BY [REDACTED] LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, UNTIL JULY 21, 1983.

[REDACTED] UTILIZED SSAN [REDACTED] (OR-8) IN HIS [REDACTED] EMPLOYMENT. (u)

PER DMV INFORMATION, CALIFORNIA LICENSE [REDACTED] IS ASSIGNED TO A 1982 LINCOLN TOWN CAR REGISTERED TO THE WIFE OF A [REDACTED], [REDACTED], LAKEWOOD, CALIFORNIA. INVESTIGATION AT THAT ADDRESS ON JULY 29, 1983, REVEALED THAT VEHICLE TO BE LOCATED AT THAT ADDRESS BEARING BOTH CALIFORNIA PLATES. (u)

PORTLAND WILL KEEP BUREAU ADVISED. LOS ANGELES IS REQUESTED TO FOLLOW THIS MATTER WITH LOCAL AUTHORITIES. (u)

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EXPLOSIVES AND INCENDIARY DEVICES; (OO:PD)

REPDTTEL TO BUREAU, DATED JULY 30, 1983, AND PD AIRTEL TO LA, DATED AUGUST 5, 1983.

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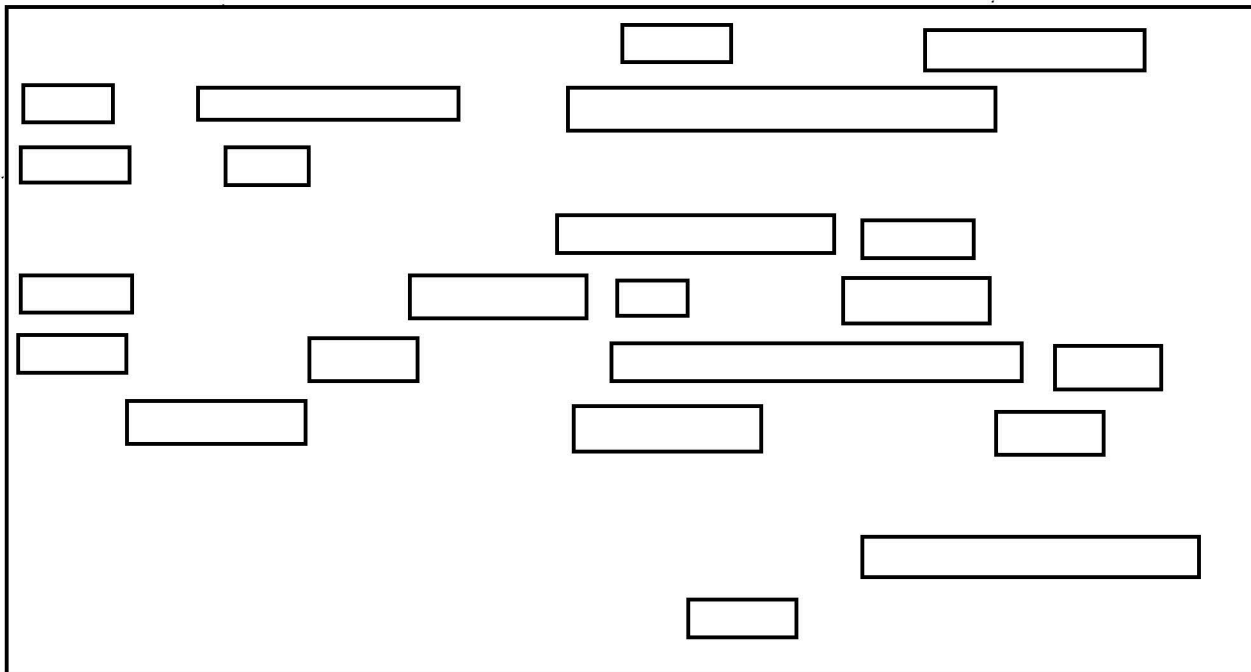
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DENVER AT DENVER: INVESTIGATION CONTINUING.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 8/4/83

FROM: SAC, PORTLAND (44A-984) (P) ATTENTION: CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION
CIVIL RIGHTS UNIT

- 1. initial submission supplemental submission revision
- 2. File No: 44A-984 (include alpha)
- 3. Status: P (P - pending, P* - pending inactive, C - closed, RUC - referred upon completion)

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4. Title: aka b6 b7C

POSSIBLE UNSUBS (2);
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Re: Salt Lake City teletypes to FBIHQ, 7/29/83 and 8/2/83

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5. If Title changed, show previous Title:

6. TYPE OF CASE: (check one)

- A. CR
- B. CRA64-E
- C. CRA64-PA
- D. CRA64-PE
- E. CRA64-PF
- F. CREL
- G. CRIPA
- H. DIH
- I. ECOA
- J. FRS
- K. ISS
- L. PRIV. ACT - CRIM.

7. AGENCY TYPE: (check one)

- A. City-County Jail
- B. Federal Agency
- C. Police Department
- D. Prison/Penitentiary
- E. Private Security
- F. Sheriff's Office
- G. State Police - Hwy Patrol
- H. Other
- I. Not pertinent

8. AGENCY NAME: _____ (20) STATE: _____ (use 2-char. abbrev.)
(omit if "Not pertinent" checked above):

9. ACTION: UACB;

- (check if applicable) A. LHM enclosed
- B. LHM being submitted
- C. Report enclosed
- D. Report being submitted
- E. No further action being taken
- F. FD-376 (enclosure to LHM)

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10. Further action: A. investigation instituted
B. investigation continuing
C. investigation completed

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11. Copy of above submitted to: (check as many as applicable)

- A. USA, Portland
- B. Secret Service
- C. BATF Portland
- D. _____ (15) (other - specify)

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(ATTACHMENT A)

cc 8/31/83

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I. PURPOSE

The FD-610 was designed to provide a complete set of pertinent facts for each Civil Rights case which can then be directly entered into a computer which will assist in a more effective, efficient and economical management of the Civil Rights Program. Each office **MUST** correctly complete **ALL** items requested on the form either on the initial submission or later by supplemental submission prior to the close of the case.

II. WHEN TO SUBMIT

The FD-610 is to be submitted in all cases supervised by the Civil Rights Unit, which include the following classifications: 44-CR; 50-ISS; 173-CRA 1964; 177-DIH; 187-Privacy Act of 1974-Criminal; 189-EOA; 204-FRS; 214-CRIPA.

One function of the FD-610 is to replace the FD-365 in Civil Rights cases. It should be, in most cases, the initial communication advising FBIHQ of the initiation of an investigation, however, if the urgency of the situation requires a teletype the FD-610 should be submitted as soon as possible.

III. DESCRIPTION AND REQUIREMENTS REGARDING ITEM #1 ON THE FD-610

- Initial -** should be checked if it is the first FD-610 submitted in the case - every attempt should be made to provide all the information required on the form on the initial submission; however, the initial submission of the form should not be held in abeyance while awaiting data which will be obtained at a later date.
- Supplemental -** should be checked when providing data which was not available, and therefore was omitted from the FD-610 form(s) previously submitted.
- Revision -** should be checked in all instances wherein information previously provided by form FD-610 was incorrectly reported. When submitting revisions, provide data only in those items requiring a change.

IV. *Denotes items on the FD-610 which must be completed on the initial submission by the Field Office.

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12. SUBJECTS (number):

A	<input type="checkbox"/>	Amer. Indian	_____ Male	_____ Female
B	<input type="checkbox"/>	Asian	_____ Male	_____ Female
C	<input type="checkbox"/>	Black	_____ Male	_____ Female
D	<input type="checkbox"/>	Hispanic	_____ Male	_____ Female
E	<input type="checkbox"/>	White	<u>1</u> Male	_____ Female
F	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other	_____ Male	_____ Female

If "Other" please specify: _____ (15)

13. VICTIMS (number):

A.	_____	Amer. Indian	_____ Male	_____ Female
B.	_____	Asian	_____ Male	_____ Female
C.	_____	Black	_____ Male	_____ Female
D.	_____	Hispanic	_____ Male	_____ Female
E.	_____	White	_____ Male	_____ Female
F.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Other	_____ Male	_____ Female

If "Other" please specify: _____ (15)

14. Other descriptive data re victims: _____ not applicable

If applicable (number):

A.	_____	under 18	C.	_____	handicapped
B.	_____	over 62	D.	_____	institutionalized

15. Matter type (use best description, check more than one if applicable):

A. brutality type _____ (15) (i.e., shooting; beating)

B. non brutality

C. death of victim

D. suicide method _____ (15) (i.e., hanging, slashed wrist)

E. known extremist group type _____ (15) (i.e., Klan, Nazi, JDL)

F. suspected ext. group type _____ (15) (i.e., Klan, Nazi, JDL)

G. cross burning

H. migrant victim

I. violence to property type Arson _____ (15) (i.e., arson, shooting)

J. ISS matter type _____ (i.e., peonage, enticement, servitude, other slavery)

K. other explain _____ (25)

*16. Synopsis of Complaint - Date of initial complaint 7/29/83

Subject in custody, Portland, Oregon, Police Bureau, after being charged with three counts of arson after three pipe bombs exploded in a room he rented, 7/29/83, at the Hotel Rajneesh, Portland, causing serious injury to and extensive fire damage to hotel. On 7/27/83 and 7/28/83, subject and two other males visited the city of Rajneeshpuram, Oregon, the headquarters of a quasi-religious group who own Hotel Rajneesh. Subject and two other males used aliases and non-existent addresses during the visit at Rajneeshpuram, and the subject used an alias when he registered in Hotel Rajneesh.

*17. Indices: (check one) negative positive (if positive explain in body of report/LHM)

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RE NEW YORK TELETYPE TO ALBANY DATED AUGUST 23, 1983.

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SUBJECT IS DESCRIBED AS A [] MALE, DOB, [] AT [], SSAN [], [] FEET [] INCHES, [] POUNDS, [] HAIR [] EYES, HIS ASSOCIATES WHO HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED ARE DESCRIBED AS [], [] MALE, [] YEARS OF AGE, [] FEET [] INCHES TO [] INCHES, [] POUNDS, [] BUILD, [] HAIR AND [] EYES, AND [], [] MALE, [] YEARS OF AGE, [] FEET [] INCHES, [] POUNDS WITH [] BUILD.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to: 1 - U. S. Attorney, Portland, Oregon (via courier)

Report of: [REDACTED] Office: Portland
Date: September 16, 1983

Field Office File #: 44A-984 Bureau File #:

Title: [REDACTED]
POSSIBLE UNSUBS (2);
RAJNEESH FOUNDATION
INTERNATIONAL - VICTIM

Character: CIVIL RIGHTS;
EXPLOSIVES AND INCENDIARY DEVICES

Synopsis: On 7/29/83, subject was arrested by Portland, Oregon, Police Bureau, and charged with three counts of arson after three pipe bombs exploded in a room he rented under alias of [REDACTED] at the Hotel Rajneesh in Portland, Oregon. Hotel is owned by Rajneesh Foundation International, corporate entity of Quasi-religious group headed by Indian Guru BAGHWAN SHREE RAJNEESH, who for past two years have headquarter in City of Rajneeshpuram in Central Oregon. One of bombs went off in subject's hands inflicting serious injury. Subject had checked into hotel shortly before bombs exploded. Subject, on 7/27/83 and 7/28/83, appeared at Rajneeshpuram with [REDACTED] male and [REDACTED] male in a yellow Volkswagen. The three spent the night of 7/28/83; subject registered under name [REDACTED], the [REDACTED] under name [REDACTED] and third using name [REDACTED]. Efforts to identify [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] negative to date. Address furnished by [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] non-existent. Agents of Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms and Portland Police Bureau, conducted crime scene investigation at hotel. Search conducted at subject's residence in Los Angeles located items on Muslim religion and receipts for [REDACTED], subject's wife. [REDACTED] whereabouts currently unknown. Motive for bombing of hotel unknown. [REDACTED] appeared in local court in Portland, 8/17/83, and pled not guilty to arson charge. Tentative trial date set for 9/29/83. Investigation to determine motive and to identify unknown subjects [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] continuing.

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DETAILS:

AT PORTLAND, OREGON

Investigation in this case was predicated upon information furnished by Officer [redacted] of the Portland Police Bureau, on July 29, 1983, that a fire had broken out at 1:19 am that date, at the Rajneesh Hotel, 1115 SW 11th, Portland, and that Portland Police Bureau investigators and Agents of the Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms (ATF) Division of the U. S. Treasury Department, had determined that a bomb was the cause of the fire. Information was provided that three explosions had occurred in Room 405 of the hotel, the first explosion occurring less than 30 minutes after a person by the name of [redacted] had registered at the hotel and been assigned Room 405. [redacted] was later determined to be an alias for [redacted] who was severely injured in Room 405 after a pipe bomb exploded in his hands. [redacted] was transported to Emanuel Hospital in Portland and approximately one hour and 30 minutes later two more explosions occurred in Room 405.

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Detective [redacted], Portland Police Bureau, Arson Squad, furnished the following reports pertinent to this case:

Ref. P. 83-61350, 83-61351

CONFIDENTIAL FIRE INVESTIGATION
REPORT - PORTLAND FIRE BUREAU

PFB Nos: 83-13170, 83-13174, 83-13174A

A. Case Number
83-61349

B. Classification
Bombing

C. Type Offense

D. Accompanying Reports
SPECIAL VEHICLE CUSTODY PROP/REC.

E. Evidence

F. Type Cir.

CRIME REPORT INVESTIGATION

COMPUTER ENTRY

PERSONS

VEHICLE

CRIME

PROPERTY

BOOKING

PFB-83-13170

DISTRIBUTION

Central Dets OA

East JUVS Ident

North WPD Prop Room

Traffic Vice O.S.B.

1. Reported Date: 07/29/83

2. Time: 0122

3. Occurred Date: 07/29/83

4. Time: 0118

5. Location of Occurrence: 1115 SW 11

6. Computer Entry: N

7. Last Name: [Redacted]

8. Res. Address: [Redacted]

9. Res. Phone: [Redacted]

10. Sex: m

11. Race: [Redacted]

12. D.O.B.: [Redacted]

13. Occupation: [Redacted]

14. Work Hours: [Redacted]

15. Business Address: [Redacted]

16. Bus. Phone: [Redacted]

17. Firm Name (If Involved): Hotel Rajneesh

18. Address: SA #5

19. Phone: 222-5800

20. Reported By: [Redacted]

21. Res. Address: Antelope, Or. 97001

22. Res. Phone: None

23. Bus. Phone: [Redacted]

24. Last Name: [Redacted]

25. Res. Address: [Redacted]

26. Res. Phone: [Redacted]

27. Bus. Phone: [Redacted]

28. Type Premises Where Crime Committed: Hotel

29. Method & Point of Entry: Registered as guest

30. Instrument & Force Used: Pipe Bomb

31. Location of Victim at Time of Crime: N/A

32. Victim's Activity at Time of Crime: N/A

33. Location of Property When Stolen: N/A

34. Unusual Actions, Methods, Speech of Suspect:
Suspect asked if restaurant was open, said he would be going out after putting bags away.

35. Detailed Description of Property

Quantity	Item	Brand	Model/Style	Serial #	Predom. Color	Engraving/Inscription	Size	Peculiarities	Value
(A)	N/A								
(B)									
(C)									
(D)									
(E)									
(F)									

Reporting Officer(s): [Redacted]

Off. I.D. Number: [Redacted]

Prec/Div: PFB/PPB Det.

Relief/Shift: M

Assn/Dist: ARSON

Radio Call Times: [Redacted]

Approved By: [Redacted]

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SUSPECT INFORMATION

CREATED

Name, Address, Sex, Race, Age or D.O.B., Ht., Wt., Hair, Eyes, Complex., Clothing

Yes No [] M [] [] lb, []

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37. Susp. Auto Lic. #	38. Lic. State	39. Year	40. Make	41. Model	42. Style	43. Color(s)
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-4. Details: List Add'l. Witnesses

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- 45. Officer In Charge C-1 []
- 46. Room Of Origin 405
- 47. Est Val Of Bldg \$1,000,000 Loss \$1,500
- 48. Est Val Of Cont \$250,000 Loss \$95.00
- 49. Weather Conditions Clear
- 50. Estimated Burn Time 1 Sec.
- 51. Point Of Origin Bathroom
- 52. Prob Source Of Ignition Elect.
- 53. Prob Material Ignited Powder/ Explosive
- 54. Insurance Information Unk
- 55. Possible Motive/If Known Unk
- 56. Evidence Information See special rpts.
- 57. Photographs Taken By PPB Criminalistics

Sir:

For details on this report and on PPB reports numbered 83-61350 and 83-61351, see special reports Key case number 83-61349.

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A. Case Number
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B. Classification
Bombing

C. Booking Number

CUSTODY REPORT

City of Portland, Bureau of Police

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COMPUTER ENTRY

PERSONS
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PROPERTY
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DISTRIBUTION

Central Oets OA
 East Youth Ident
 North SID Prop Room
 Traffic SFO/SST Crime Prev.

D. Juvenile Adult
 E. Accompanying Reports
 Veh. Prop. Special
 Crime W. Doc.

Date _____ Opr. _____

1. Reported Date 07/29/83		2. Time 0122		3. Arrested/Referred Date 07/29/83		4. Time 1030		5. Location of Occurrence 2801 N Gantenbein (Emanuel Hosp)		6. Computer Entry #	
7. Last Name [Redacted]				First [Redacted]		Middle [Redacted]		8. Res. Address Los Angeles Ca.		9. Res. Phone	
True Name (If Different) [Redacted]				First [Redacted]		Middle [Redacted]		11. Moniker/Nickname		12. Sex M	13. Race
15. Ht.		16. Wt.		17. Hair		18. Eyes		19. Physical Identifiers		20. Occupation	
22. FBI #		23. Social Security #		24. Local I.D. #		25. Operators License #		21. School or Business Address LA CA.		State CA	
26. State I.D. #		27. State		28. Signs of Illness/Injury Both hands and Face and Chest		29. Examined By Emanuel Hosp					
30. Charge #1 (Include Warrant or Citation #) ARSON 1, By Explosives ORS 164.325				Code <input type="checkbox"/> Local <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> State ()		31. Charge #2 (Include Warrant or Citation #) ARSON 1, By Explosives ORS 164.325				Code <input type="checkbox"/> Local <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> State ()	
32. Bail \$20,000		33. Court Appearance: To be assigned		Date		Time		34. Bail \$20,000		35. Court Appearance: To be assigned	
36. Arrest/Referral Reviewed By				37. In Custody of/Referred To PPB/ Emanuel Hosp				38. Lieu of Custody Citation # N/A			
39. Father's Name		40. Residence Address				41. Res. Phone		42. Notified Date and Time			
43. Mother's Name		44. Residence Address				45. Res. Phone		46. Notified By			
47. Signature of Private Complainant		48. Residence Address				49. Res. Phone		50. Sex		51. Race	
52. D.O.B.											

53. Details:
 Charge #3: ARSON 1, By Explosives ORS 164.325 83-61351, State Chg. Bail:\$20,000 Court: To be assigned

SIR:
 For details on this Arrest see special report Key case number 83-61349.

RESP

Reporting Officer(s)	[Redacted]	Prec/Div Det.	Relief/Shift M	Assn/Dist Arson
Radio Call Times		Approved By		

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1. Case Number
83-61349

2. Classification
Bombing

Type Report

Supplemental Information Clearance

D. Case Status

1. Clr. By Arrest

2. Referred

3. Suspended

4. Unfounded

5. Pending

6. Exceptional

SPECIAL REPORT

City of Portland, Bureau of Police

COMPUTER ENTRY

PERSONS

VEHICLE

CRIME

PROPERTY

BOOKING

Date _____ Opr. _____

REFER CASE #

DISTRIBUTION

Central Delts DA

East Youth Ident

North SID Prop Room

Traffic SFO/SST Crime Prev.

3. Original Report Date: **07/29/83** 4. Time: **0122** 5. This Report Date: **07/30/83** 6. Time: **0230** 7. Location of Occurrence: **1115 SW 11th** 8. Computer Entry #

9. Victim or Complainant: **HOTEL RAJNEESH** 10. Residence Address: **S/A #5** 11. ZIP CODE: 12. Res. Phone: **222-5800** 13. Sex: 14. Race: 15. O.O.B.:

16. Subject of This Report: **Continued Investigation/Clearance by Arrest.** 17. Total Value of Recovered Prop. (Itemize Below)

CONNECT INFORMATION

Connect this case with cases numbered 83-61350 and 83-61351.

Arrested Suspect:

1. [Redacted]
aka [Redacted]
Address: [Redacted]
Los Angeles, California

Charge 1: Arson I by Explosives
ORS 164.325, case 83-61349
Bail: \$20,000
Court: To be Assigned

Charge 2: Arson I by Explosives
ORS 164.325, case 83-61350
Bail: \$20,000
Court: To be Assigned

Charge 3: Arson I by Explosives
ORS 164.325, case 83-61351
Bail: \$20,000
Court: To be Assigned

Possible Suspects (Probably phony names)

1. [Redacted]
M [Redacted] years
Possible occupation: [Redacted]
Address: [Redacted]
Los Angeles, CA - 90022

2. [Redacted]
M [Redacted] approximately [Redacted] years
Probably self-employed
Address Given: [Redacted]
Compton, CA 90221

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Reporting Officer: [Redacted] S/S [Redacted] S.T. No. [Redacted] Precinct: **Detectives** Referred to: **Training** Reason: **ARSON**

Radio Call Times: _____ Approved By: _____

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NONCONNECT INFORMATION

Persons Mentioned:

- 1. [redacted]
Address: [redacted]
Oakland, CA
Phone: [redacted]
- 2. [redacted]
Address: [redacted]
Long Beach, CA
Phone: [redacted]
- 3. [redacted]
Address: [redacted]
California, 90061
Phone: [redacted]

Persons Interviewed:

- 1. [redacted] --
- 2. [redacted]
aka [redacted]
M [redacted]
Address: [redacted]
Antelope, OR
Phone: [redacted]
Note: Recorded on Tape #1 side 1 and 2.

[redacted]

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- 3. [redacted]
M [redacted]
Address: [redacted]
Madrona, FL
Note: Recorded on Tape #1, side 2.

- 4. [redacted]
aka: [redacted]
F [redacted]
Rajneeshpuram, OR
Phone: [redacted]
Note: Recorded on Tape #1, side 2.

- 5. [redacted]
aka: [redacted]
F [redacted]
Address: [redacted]
Vienna, Austria
Phone: [redacted]
Note: Recorded on Tape #2, side 1

- 6. [redacted]
aka: [redacted]
M [redacted]
Address: Rajneeshpuram, OR
Note: Recorded on Tape #2, side 1

- 7. [redacted]
aka: [redacted]
F [redacted]
Address: Rajneeshpuram, OR
Note: Recorded on Tape #2 side 1 and 2.

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- 8. [redacted]
aka: [redacted]
F [redacted]
Address: Rajneeshpuram, OR
Note: Recorded on Tape #2, side 2
- 9. [redacted]
aka: [redacted]
M [redacted]
Address: Rajneeshpuram, OR
Note: Recorded on Tape #2, side 2 and Tape #3, side 1.
- 10. [redacted]
aka: [redacted]
M [redacted]
Address: Rajneeshpuram, OR
Note: Recorded on Tape #3, side 1
- 11. [redacted]
aka: [redacted]
F [redacted]
Address: Rajneeshpuram, OR
Note: Recorded on Tape #3, side 1 and 2.
- 12. [redacted]
aka: [redacted]
FW, [redacted]
Address: Rajneeshpuram, OR
Note: Recorded on Tape #3 side 2.

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- 13. [redacted]
aka: [redacted]
F [redacted]
Address: Rajneeshpuram, OR
Note: Recorded on Tape #3, side 2
- 14. [redacted]
aka: [redacted]
M [redacted]
Note: Recorded on Tape #3, side 2 and Tape #4 side 1.
- 15. [redacted]
M [redacted]
Address: [redacted]
Phone: [redacted]
Note: Recorded on Tape #4, side 1

EXHIBITS

Property/Evidence Receipt 176901, In the Police Property Room:

- 1. Blue man's wallet
- 2. California Driver's License [redacted]
To a [redacted]
- 3. [redacted] identification card
- 4. Value envelope [redacted] (Emanuel Hospital Property)
- 5. Valuables envelope receipt [redacted] (Emanuel Hospital Property)

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On Property/Evidence Receipt 176902 in the Police Property Room:

1. Hotel registration for [redacted] to Room #405 in the Hotel Rajneesh.

On Property/Evidence Receipt 176903, in Criminalistics:

1. Consent to Search form signed by [redacted].
2. Consent to Search form signed by [redacted].
3. Consent to Search form signed by [redacted].
4. Vehicle parking report signed by [redacted] for a 1973 Rabbit, license CA [redacted].
5. Overnight guest vehicle registration showing license CA [redacted].

On Property/Evidence Receipt 176904 in the Fire Bureau Property Room:

1. Three small fragments removed from the defendant's face [redacted]

On Property/Evidence Receipt 197833 in the Fire Bureau Property Room:

1. Rajneesh Hotel registration records.

On Property/Evidence Receipt 176905 in the Fire Bureau Property Room:

1. Registration card to [redacted].
2. Registration card to [redacted].
3. Registration card to [redacted].
4. Computer printout telephone log from the Hotel Rajneesh

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On 29 July 1983 a person registered at the Hotel Rajneesh as [redacted]. He was assigned to room 405, less than 30 minutes later an explosion occurred in the bathroom of room 405. The person registered as [redacted] was removed from the 4th floor room 405 and taken by elevator to the first floor lobby to await ambulance transportation to the hospital. This individual was found to be in very serious condition, having both hands extremely damaged by the explosion along with face and chest injuries. He was

[redacted] S/S [redacted]

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then transported to Emanuel Hospital. This person was later positively identified as [redacted]. Approximately one hour and 30 minutes later two more explosions occurred in room 405. Investigation shows that these explosions were caused by three pipe bombs set in three separate locations within the room. The subject [redacted] was subsequently charged with three counts of Arson I by explosives.

NARRATIVE

Sir: I was contacted at home by the Portland Fire Bureau dispatch. They said that a bombing had occurred at 1115 SW 11th. That this location is the Hotel Rajneesh, and that Investigator [redacted] had requested that I respond. I checked with the dispatch coordinator for the Police Bureau and was advised that a bomb had gone off and that there were severe injuries to a guest at the hotel. The bomb squad felt that there probably was a secondary device in the room, and that I should respond. I responded to the scene and started my investigation.

I contacted Officer [redacted] of the bomb squad. He stated there was no fire at that time, and that he felt there was probably a secondary device in the room. That he had told police personnel and

residents of the hotel to stay away from the room and out of the room. Officer [redacted] stated that he was on his way back to Central Precinct to get the bomb squad truck and trailer and await the arrival of Officer [redacted] to assist him in the search for further bombs. Officer [redacted] stated that he had no idea who was taking the initial report, but he felt that he would probably make the crime report. I asked [redacted] if anybody had been interviewed in the hotel as of this time, and he said to the best of his knowledge, no one had been interviewed.

Upon entering the hotel I found the lobby full of people sitting in chairs and on the floor. I was advised by one of the members of the Rajneesh Hotel that these were the guests from the hotel awaiting information from the police as to whether or not to return to their rooms. I was directed to the fourth floor where the explosion had occurred. Upon arriving at the fourth floor I met Lieutenant [redacted] and Sergeant [redacted] of Central Precinct. Lieutenant [redacted] was also present with the acting Public Information Officer. I was talking to Lieutenant [redacted] when Officers [redacted] and Officer [redacted] came out of room 405. They stated they had been looking for parts

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of the victim (suspect) hand. Due to the fact that the crime scene had not been searched and that there was a possibility of a secondary device I advised Lieutenant [redacted] that no one was to enter the room without permission of myself or the bomb squad. Lieutenant [redacted] agreed and even went so far as to completely contain the hallway leading to room 405 from any personnel. I told Lieutenant [redacted] that I would be on the first floor talking with the manager of the hotel should he need me.

I contacted [redacted] the manager. [redacted] stated that she had been in bed, but that the night desk clerk had checked in the individual to room 405. [redacted] returned with [redacted] and I did interview him, however, the interview with [redacted] will be listed later in this report.

Upon completing the interview with [redacted] had one of the men that carried the suspect to the first floor come to the library to be interviewed. This persons name is [redacted] We had just started the interview when I heard a loud explosion which shook the entire building. I ran out in the foyer where I observed many people screaming and

running around. I was advised that the explosion appeared to come from outside, upon going to the patio area I could see a light colored smoke coming from the fourth floor. I reentered the hotel and told [redacted] to start evacuating the hotel and at this time another large explosion occurred. This seemed larger with more force than the first explosion that I heard.

I ran up the stairs to check on the police officers stationed there. The stairway door exited in front of and to the left of room 405, I decided not to enter that hallway but to return to the first floor and take the elevator upstairs. Upon returned to the fourth floor by elevator I observed that the smoke on the fourth floor was extremely black and thick, and was approximately 3' up from the floor on the fourth floor. As I looked south in the hallway I observed a figure on its hands and knees with a flashlight. I called to this person and asked if they are alright. At the same time I started toward this individual shining my flashlight at them. The individual yelled back stating that I should leave the building, that he was the police. This individual was later identified as Officer [redacted]. I identified myself to Officer [redacted] and continued to

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him. At this point Sergeant [] opened a door to a stairway and we all left the fourth floor to the first floor.

I then showed the Fire Bureau the way to the stairwell leading up to room 405. It should be noted that upon our arrival on the fourth floor that the fire door had closed. It should further be noted that when I first arrived up the stairways and at the door, I did observe flame and smoke coming from behind the fire door. I returned to the first floor and ensured that all personnel from the hotel had been evacuated.

I used the telephone in the lobby of the hotel to contact the dispatch coordinator. I requested that the dispatch coordinator call the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms and requested that an agent be sent to our location. The bomb squad also arrived at this time. I exited the building and advised Officer [] and Officer [] of what had occurred while I was in the hotel.

Investigator [] of the fire bureau arrived, and I briefed him on the situation. I advised [] that he should contact the chief in charge (Chief []) and tell his crew to simply knock the fire down, and do no overhaul.

Further advised [] to tell the crews that there may be explosive devices in the room yet and they should use extreme caution in working around room 405. The fire crew did knock the fire down, but made no attempts to overhaul the room as requested. The Fire Bureau did leave the fourth floor after the fire was knocked down and secure, and did leave behind an 1½" charged line.

As to the actual crime scene search and the sifting for evidence through the debris, I'll refer the readers to the reports written by the bomb squad in particular Officer [] and Officer [].

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On July 29, 1983 at 1345 hours, I interviewed [] at the Hotel Rajneesh in the library. [] states that he was the night desk clerk and at approximately 0052 hours a subject checked into the hotel and registered with the name of []. [] then gave me the registration filled out by this individual, this is listed on Property/Evidence Receipt 1769002. [] states that the individual was a [] male approximately [], [] short hair and possibly a [], that he was wearing a red T-shirt and blue jeans. [] states that this individual

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was carrying a small blue gym-type bag. He registered and told [] that he would have to go to his car and obtain another bag. The individual left and returned with a brown-colored bag.

[] states that he came back in and then asked him [] whether or not the restaurant was open.

[] advised him that the restaurant is open from 0700 hours to 2100 hours, and is closed at this time. This individual told him [] that he would be going out later to get something to eat. [] states that when the individual left the restaurant to get the other bag, he [] saw a light blue car (possible Chevette type) parked in the hotel zone with parking lights on. [] stated, however, he did not see this individual either get out of the car, get into the car, or remove anything from the car, that [] just noticed the light blue car parked out there. When the individual returned to the hotel he picked up both of the bags and went to the elevator and took it to the fourth floor. [] states that he checked this individual into room 405 and gave this individual a key to that room. I asked [] if the rooms on the fourth floor were locked, and [] states that they are locked and the only one with pass keys is the manager, and

that the key to 405 was given to the subject registered as []. [] states that no one has made any remarks as to this individual walking around on any of the floors, except going to room 405 where he belonged. I asked [] if there was a phone in the room, and he stated there was. I asked him if this phone had to go through a switchboard or could direct dial into the city. [] states that the phone must go through the switchboard, and cannot direct dial out. I asked [] if any phone calls have been made from that room on the night of July 29, 1983. [] stated no phone calls were made from that room. [] further stated that no phone calls were made from either the third or fourth floor from approximately ½ hour prior to [] arriving until after the explosion. I asked [] how long a time lapse from the individual entering the elevator until the explosion. He stated that approximately 20 to 30 minutes after the individual checked in the explosion occurred. I asked if there was an error in the registration form of if [] had listed the right date. I showed him the form showing that he registered the individual in at 1252 hours on 07/28/83. [] states it should read 07/29/83 at 12:52 a.m. that he had made a mistake in writing the

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date. [redacted] states that after hearing the explosion, he asked [redacted] to stay with the desk and he ran outside to see what happened. Once outside he ran north on SW 11th until he reached SW Main. At that point there were two young men that yelled "It's over here". He stated he looked west on SW Main and observed broken glass in the street and on the sidewalk, looked up and observed a light colored smoke coming from a window on the fourth floor. [redacted] then ran back into the hotel and called the police. (For information regarding the two boys, see a special report written by Officer [redacted], Central Precinct.) [redacted] states that two men [redacted] and [redacted] carried the injured person to the lobby of the hotel. [redacted] states that this is the same individual that he had checked in as [redacted]. [redacted] states he heard this individual yelling, "Help me". [redacted] then went upstairs with the police and fire to check the area of room 405. The police and fire personnel entered room 405 looking around and moving things. The police officers were asking questions regarding the guests' safety and if they had been removed from the floor, etc. I asked [redacted] if they rented room 305 to anybody, and he stated no, that they only rent one floor

at a time and they were renting out the fourth floor at that time. I asked [redacted] if it was safe to assume then that room 305 was empty. He stated that it was. [redacted] states that a few police officers stayed on the fourth floor along with one member of the Rajneesh, this being [redacted]. [redacted] did see the brown bag in the room when he was up there. He states this is the same brown bag that the individual known as [redacted] had gone back outside and retrieved then came back into the hotel with. [redacted] states that the main door to the room was blown out and there was blood on the floor. He states that when the bomb squad person arrived he seemed to "take charge". I asked if there was anything in particular about [redacted] that drew his attention to him or that would make him suspicious of this individual. He states the only thing he can remember clearly is that [redacted] appeared to be in a hurry. It should be noted that [redacted] was later identified as [redacted].

I next interviewed [redacted] at 1424 hours. [redacted] states that he was in room 411 with [redacted] when he heard the explosion, and then a voice yelling, "Help, please help me". He opened the door and could smell what he felt was burning flesh. He states that the smoke was

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S/S [redacted]

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light in color and that he then ran to the area of room 405, where he was joined by [redacted]. [redacted] kicked in the door to that room, and they entered the room. He states that [redacted] was in the bathroom on the floor, and they could see blood. They pulled [redacted] from the room, with [redacted] at the head of the body and [redacted] at the feet. They took the individual to the elevator and then down to the first floor. [redacted] states that the injuries appeared to be the hands the face and the chest, and more severe to the hands. Also with him in the elevator when they took this individual to the first floor was [redacted]. He did not know this man, and had never seen him around the hotel before. [redacted] kept saying how bad he felt and that he needed medical help. After laying [redacted] down they covered [redacted] with a sheet. [redacted] then went outside, and saw the two boys mentioned in Officer [redacted] special report. When asked if he could tell what the smoke smelled like if it was anything familiar that he had smelled before, he stated it was something similar to that of fireworks.

At 1444 hours on the same date I interviewed [redacted]. She states that she was with [redacted] at the desk when they heard the explosion. She states she

stayed at the desk while [redacted] ran outside. When [redacted] returned he called 911 and requested police, fire and ambulance. She then saw [redacted] and [redacted] bring the injured man to the first floor. She ran to the basement and obtained sheets to cover the injured man's body. She put sheets over the body and over both of the individual's hands and arms. She states that she is a licensed practical nurse and knew that this individual was severely injured and would go into shock if not cared for. She stated that [redacted] color was ashen gray in color, that his left hand was "demolished" and that his right hand was also damaged. She loosened his belt, uncrossed his legs and loosened the shoelaces on his shoes to keep from having any constricted parts on his body. She also tried to make him as comfortable as possible. She states that [redacted] kept saying that he couldn't see and that he wanted something for pain and needed help. He also kept saying something about a medicine cabinet, however, she's not sure what he was saying about the medicine cabinet. Medical personnel, police and fire all arrived. The medical personnel took charge of [redacted] and then transported him immediately to the hospital. Police and fire personnel went to the fourth floor to check room 405. She states she did go to the fourth floor,

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however, did not enter the room and was in the hallway only. She stated she could smell smoke and is familiar with the smell of gunpowder. She states that this smell of the smoke did smell like gunpowder. She states she then went downstairs to comfort other guests in the hotel that were in the lobby. She states at approximately one hour or so later there were two more explosions that rocked the building. She states she feels the second explosion was stronger than the first, and that the first was equal to the third. She states that she has never seen [redacted] before the night of the explosions, and that she did not feel he was a member of the Rajneesh.

I next interviewed [redacted] at 1516 hours. [redacted] states that she is a medical doctor by profession in Austria. She stated she had entered room 411 at approximately 0015 hours. She states that she had been in the room with a friend [redacted]. She states that at approximately 0115 hours or so she was ready to go take a shower when she heard a very loud explosion. She states that when she opened the door she saw a light colored smoke in the hallway. She also heard somebody yelling "Help me, help me." They then started down towards room 405 and were joined by another man

[redacted]. She stated that she did not know this individual [redacted] personally. She states that [redacted] and [redacted] entered the room and carried the man out. She had obtained the fire extinguisher in case there was a fire but when told there was no fire, she put it down and accompanied the men to the elevator. She stated that she observed that the man's face was very black and that there was very little bleeding. They took the man to the elevator and then down to the first floor. She states once in the lobby she noticed that the man's face was not burned, it was just black. She states that there was blood coming from the man's, what she believed to be the right eye, and the the left hand was hanging by skin to the arm. She stated that once downstairs they treated him for shock, and they placed the man on the floor and tried to comfort him. She states that man was yelling, "help me", "Get me a doctor", "My hand, is it still there?" He kept saying, "pain, pain, help me. Get me some help." She stated when she asked him what happened he said something about opening a bathroom door or a door in the bathroom, she's not sure which. She also heard the second and third bombs go off in the building. She states that she feels the second was bigger than the first. I asked if she knew this individual that was on the floor and injured,

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and she stated she did know this individual nor had she seen him before, and she did not feel he was part of the Rajneesh.

At 1630 hours I interviewed [redacted]. He stated that he went to his room at approximately 0050 hours, and that he is approximately three doors down from room 405, he's in room 408. He heard the explosion and the loud screaming, he tried to call the operator, but no body answered the phone. He awakened his roommate, the hotel doctor and they went out into the hall. He states once in the hall he saw a light colored smoke and that it smelled like gunpowder. He states that the man had already been removed from his room to the elevator prior to his [redacted] arrival at room 405 and that the hotel doctor went downstairs to check on the individual. He looked in room 405 and saw that an explosion had occurred. He states that he did not enter the room, but then went down the stairs to the lobby. In the lobby he contacted fire bureau personnel and showed them the stairways up to room 405. He states approximately six to eight firemen went with him to the area of the explosion, and the six to eight firemen did enter room 405. He states they did not bring any hoses up to the floor at this time, but did go back and

retrieve fans and put them in the window in an attempt to draw the smoke from the building to the outside. He states that the police arrived and he was told it would be a good idea to evacuate everybody from the floor. He stated she obtained the pass key and in the company of Sergeant [redacted] helped evacuate the floor of all personnel. He states that the bomb tech, [redacted] arrived and that what he felt was a lab tech, (would be [redacted] with the Criminalistics section) and about 15 to 20 other police officers went in and out of the room and that a man in a red jacket [redacted] who seemed to be in charge of the bomb technicians was also there. He states that [redacted] poked around the room also a number of times, and then finally left the room and stayed outside. He states that the Sergeant went to one end of the hall and a patrolman, who used to be her partner, was at the other end of the hall. The room was sealed off by Detective [redacted] and all personnel were told to stay from the hallway and from the room. There were three people left on the floor after Detective [redacted] left the area, that being [redacted], Officer [redacted] and Sergeant [redacted]. He states they were all sitting around drinking coffee and smoking and then Lieutenant [redacted] joined them there. He states that

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