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MR. JOHN GREENEWALD JR.

FOIPA Request No.: 1364348-000
Subject: CHRISTOPHER, GEORGE

Dear Mr. Greenewald:

Records responsive to your request were previously processed under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act. Enclosed is one CD containing 285 pages of previously processed documents and a copy of the Explanation of Exemptions. This release is being provided to you at no charge.

For your information, Congress excluded three discrete categories of law enforcement and national security records from the requirements of the FOIA. See 5 U.S. C. § 552(c) (2006 & Supp. IV (2010). This response is limited to those records that are subject to the requirements of the FOIA. This is a standard notification that is given to all our requesters and should not be taken as an indication that excluded records do, or do not, exist.

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Sincerely,

David M. Hardy
Section Chief,
Record/Information Dissemination Section
Records Management Division

Enclosure(s)
EXPLANATION OF EXEMPTIONS

SUBSECTIONS OF TITLE 5, UNITED STATES CODE, SECTION 552

(b)(1) (A) specifically authorized under criteria established by an Executive order to be kept secret in the interest of national defense or foreign policy and (B) are in fact properly classified to such Executive order;

(b)(2) related solely to the internal personnel rules and practices of an agency;

(b)(3) specifically exempted from disclosure by statute (other than section 552b of this title), provided that such statute (A) requires that the matters be withheld from the public in such a manner as to leave no discretion on issue, or (B) establishes particular criteria for withholding or refers to particular types of matters to be withheld;

(b)(4) trade secrets and commercial or financial information obtained from a person and privileged or confidential;

(b)(5) inter-agency or intra-agency memorandums or letters which would not be available by law to a party other than an agency in litigation with the agency;

(b)(6) personnel and medical files and similar files the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy;

(b)(7) records or information compiled for law enforcement purposes, but only to the extent that the production of such law enforcement records or information ( A ) could reasonably be expected to interfere with enforcement proceedings, ( B ) would deprive a person of a right to a fair trial or an impartial adjudication, ( C ) could reasonably be expected to constitute an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy, ( D ) could reasonably be expected to disclose the identity of confidential source, including a State, local, or foreign agency or authority or any private institution which furnished information on a confidential basis, and, in the case of record or information compiled by a criminal law enforcement authority in the course of a criminal investigation, or by an agency conducting a lawful national security intelligence investigation, information furnished by a confidential source, ( E ) would disclose techniques and procedures for law enforcement investigations or prosecutions, or would disclose guidelines for law enforcement investigations or prosecutions if such disclosure could reasonably be expected to risk circumvention of the law, or ( F ) could reasonably be expected to endanger the life or physical safety of any individual;

(b)(8) contained in or related to examination, operating, or condition reports prepared by, on behalf of, or for the use of an agency responsible for the regulation or supervision of financial institutions; or

(b)(9) geological and geophysical information and data, including maps, concerning wells.

SUBSECTIONS OF TITLE 5, UNITED STATES CODE, SECTION 552a

(d)(5) information compiled in reasonable anticipation of a civil action proceeding;

(j)(2) material reporting investigative efforts pertaining to the enforcement of criminal law including efforts to prevent, control, or reduce crime or apprehend criminals;

(k)(1) information which is currently and properly classified pursuant to an Executive order in the interest of the national defense or foreign policy, for example, information involving intelligence sources or methods;

(k)(2) investigatory material compiled for law enforcement purposes, other than criminal, which did not result in loss of a right, benefit or privilege under Federal programs, or which would identify a source who furnished information pursuant to a promise that his/her identity would be held in confidence;

(k)(3) material maintained in connection with providing protective services to the President of the United States or any other individual pursuant to the authority of Title 18, United States Code, Section 3056;

(k)(4) required by statute to be maintained and used solely as statistical records;

(k)(5) investigatory material compiled solely for the purpose of determining suitability, eligibility, or qualifications for Federal civilian employment or for access to classified information, the disclosure of which would reveal the identity of the person who furnished information pursuant to a promise that his/her identity would be held in confidence;

(k)(6) testing or examination material used to determine individual qualifications for appointment or promotion in Federal Government service he release of which would compromise the testing or examination process;

(k)(7) material used to determine potential for promotion in the armed services, the disclosure of which would reveal the identity of the person who furnished the material pursuant to a promise that his/her identity would be held in confidence.
Unsub;  
MAYOR GEORGE CHRISTOPHER -  
VICTIM; EXTORTION -  
POLICE COOPERATION -  
SAN FRANCISCO POLICE DEPARTMENT  

FBI, San Francisco  
Letter 9/13/60  

For your investigative assistance, nothing of 

significance was noted that would suggest any connection 

between instant case and the case entitled Unsub aka 

et al.: VIKEZ, File  

Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)
REPORT
of the
FBI LABORATORY
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

WBI, San Francisco

9/15/61

Specimen received

QCI Photocopy of note beginning "Tomorrow Your..." ending...
it or not

Result of examination:

Specimen QCI was searched through the appropriate section of the Anonymous Letter File without effecting an identification. Appropriate photocopies will be added to this file.

There is insufficient comparable material available to determine definitely whether or not specimen QCI instant case and any of the questioned material in the case entitled Unsub, et al.; VIKEX were prepared by one individual.

Specimen QCI is retained.
Re:
Unsub;
MAYOR GEORGE CHRISTOPHER - VICTIM
EXTORTION - POLICE COOPERATION
SAN FRANCISCO POLICE DEPARTMENT

Examination requested by: FBI, San Francisco (N-1350) 9/13/60

Document

Result of Examination:
QC1 Photocopy of note beginning "Tomorrow Your..." ending "...it or not"
Quick KMA Foundation to standing.
If you don't believe SRI.

9-35746
From AUGW BY S R

9
UNSUB; MAYOR GEORGE CHRISTOPHER - VICTIM
EXTORTION - POLICE COOPERATION -
SAN FRANCISCO POLICE DEPARTMENT

ATTENTION: FBI LABORATORY (D-337466 DG)

Reference is made to the report entitled:
"UNSUB, aka ET AL - VICTIMS EXTORTION"

Enclosed for the Laboratory are three photographic copies of threatening letter received 8/25-26/60 by GEORGE CHRISTOPHER, Mayor of San Francisco, California, beginning "Tomorrow your . . ending "believe it or not".

For the information of the Laboratory, during the night of 8/25-26/60, a pop bottle with a note wrapped around it was thrown through the living room window of the home of GEORGE CHRISTOPHER, Mayor of San Francisco, California, at 155 Stonecrest Drive, San Francisco. The note was partially written and printed in ink on plain white paper and threatened that the mayor's home would be blown up with a bomb the next day. General Works Detail, SFPD, conducted the investigation and is of the opinion the note is the work of juveniles and may have been written by more than one person. No suspects developed to date. requested the note be submitted to the Laboratory for comparison with questioned specimens previously submitted in referenced case since area of the crime is in the vicinity where referenced investigation has been centered.

The Laboratory is requested to compare enclosed note through the anonymous letter file. Upon completion of requested examination, the Laboratory is requested to make appropriate disposition of enclosed material.
RECORDED
9/20/60 FL

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

LABORATORY & STUDIO

Re: Unsub;
MAYOR GEORGE CHRISTOPHER - VICTIM
EXTORTION - POLICE COOPERATION -
SAN FRANCISCO POLICE DEPARTMENT

Examination requested by: FEJ, San Francisco (9-1350) 9/13/60
Examination requested: Document
Result of Examination:

Specimens submitted for examination

QCl Photocopy of note beginning "Tomorrow Your..." ending "...it or not"
Tomorrow your house will not be standing on its foundation due to the fact there is a planted time bomb there. Just think it could be anybody — the milkman, the garbage man, or the gardener. If you don’t believe us just stay home tomorrow.

MAFIA

BE THERE
BELIEVE IT OR NOT

9-378341
TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9-
RE: UNSUBGEORGE CHRISTOPHER - VICTIM,
LOCAL EXTORTION MATTER

On 2/8/62, San Francisco
Police Department (PD), made available a letter addressed to
Mayor GEORGE CHRISTOPHER, City of San Francisco. The letter,
dated and postmarked 2/8/62, at San Francisco, threatened to
injure the reputation of Mayor CHRISTOPHER and was not within
the Bureau's jurisdiction.

Enclosed herewith are two photostat copies of the
threatening letter dated 2/6/62, and the original and one
photostat copy of the column appearing in the "San Francisco
Examiner" under the name of columnist DICK NOLAN.

The San Francisco PD has referred the matter to the
Postal authorities.

The San Francisco PD has [subject of Bureau file] as a suspect in writing
the threatening letter. It is presently planning to
publish a tabloid called the [first issue to come out about February 16, 1962.]

San Francisco PD investigation reflects that the
first issue of the tabloid is supporting the "Sporting
Crystals," a soccer team from Lima, Peru. This team will
play in San Francisco February 25, 1962. It will be noted
that the enclosed threatening letter, on page 2 and at the
end of the first paragraph, refers to a "whitewashing
attempt in the 'San Francisco Examiner.'" This refers to
the enclosed article by columnist DICK NOLAN in the "San
Francisco Examiner" of 2/4/62.

ENCLOSURE
It will be further noted that the enclosed threatening letter instructs that any contribution, which is made, be mailed to a Lima, Peru, address.

The above and enclosed articles are for the information of the Bureau.

Bureau will be kept advised.
The Hon. George Christopher
Mayor of the City of San Francisco

San Francisco

STRITCTLY CONFIDENTIAL

February 6, 1962

Sir:

Your decision to seek the candidacy for the office of Lieutenant Governor of the State of California has prompted our well-known organization to take certain steps in the direction of thwarting your (and Mr. Nixon’s) far-fetched ambitions. It is our firm conviction that in view of the vast extent of crime, corruption and social neglect apparent today and the continued investigation of dubious business practices and similar irregularities engaged in by the Federal Government and its agencies to combat these abuses of public confidence—doubly significant in the context of the United States role as leader of the Free World—, you would be well advised to review your position and preferably retire from political life. We are not only referring to your dismal record as Mayor of San Francisco (a casual look at some facts picked at random should prove this: S. F. employment since 1950 has risen from about 448,000 to only about 475,000 in 1961; one out of every eight dwellings lacks either a hot water tap, a toilet or bathing facilities; there are more than 67,000 mentally ill in S. F., only 17,500 getting needed treatment; there are about 500 severely disturbed children in need of in-patient treatment; juvenile vandalism costs the taxpayers almost $200,000 a year; there is discrimination etc., etc.) but also and above all to your lack of personal integrity as manifested by shamelessly opportunistic maneuvering in your development from Progressive to Democrat to retrogressive Republican business hireling, from your Marin County Jail episode to the North-Sullivan affair (and many things in between). Since it is, of course, impossible for you to step down at this point, we have decided on setting up a large-scale campaign to make these and other relevant facts available to the people of California. Supplementary activities are in their planning stage, and their nature cannot be revealed now nor will the identity of our organization be known to you until later. To go into detail and disclose the caliber of our heavy guns certainly would defeat our own purposes. However, you may excuse us for predicting that the most likely result would be the disappearance of both of you “not so honorable” gentlemen from the California political scene, causing you a good deal of embarrassment (and more) besides.
Since we do not engage in cheap smear tactics, which could easily be answered with counter-smeared facts, thereby neutralizing their effect, you and your allies would be hard put to even defend yourselves from our devastating offensive. Yet we do not lack a certain degree of chivalry and know about the occasionally therapeutic value of the old adage: "Give him one more chance." We give you just one opportunity to show your goodwill and your underlying sense of humanitarianism by modestly donating from $2500 to $5000 to a non-political "branch" of ours which is concerned exclusively with providing food and clothing to Latin America's poor. This is not an extortion attempt nor is it a trap which we have maliciously devised. A token contribution of this type would not fail to tone down our justified wrath and make us refrain from attacks involving your personal integrity as well as the integrity of those around you while at the same time serving a good and useful cause. In other words: we would leave out any embarrassing character studies and concentrate instead on the physical side of events and issues. We have to shroud ourselves in mystery for the time being in order to retain the element of surprise which you no doubt understand. Should you thus follow up on our hint, we would be more than willing to have a representative discuss further aspects with one of yours. We will contact you again later if you oblige by making above mentioned donation. Let it be emphasized, however, that you are under no obligation whatever to do so. Our sole interest is in preventing you from getting elected into a public office of such stature. "We believe that a man must stand— or fall on his past record, and this includes his personal background. Responsibility can never grow from a shaky foundation." By the way, we acknowledge with many satisfaction the first whitewashing attempt in the S. F. Examiner.

INSTRUCTIONS

Note: They are to be followed closely. Otherwise (if you prefer) they are to be ignored completely.

To maintain the confidential character, please use one or two ordinary AIR MAIL envelopes containing your contribution in cash (large denominations properly concealed between sheets of paper of normal weight.
The envelope(s) are (is) to be addressed to:

Centroso, S. A.
Apartado 3229
Lima, Peru

They (it) must be postmarked no later than Sunday, February 11, 1962 and should bear the fictional return address: CALUX, Inc., San Francisco, Calif., U. S. A., for identification. Absolutely no inquiries are to be made. We guarantee absolute secrecy now and always.

Confidentially yours,

Operation "LEG"
The Hon. George Christopher

55 Stonecrest Dr.
San Francisco, Calif.
TODAY I want to tell you how the Mayor got arrested. When, why, and all about it, including some material never published before.

THE GAME of politics-watching is much like the day-to-day conduct of military intelligence. You gather a fragment of talk here, a document there, somewhere else a rumor; and you patiently fit the bits and pieces together until they make a pattern.

Lately I have been making a little file on the George Christopher campaign for Lt. Governor. The pattern that has emerged leads me to believe it might head off some dirty politics if we all take a look, right now, at what has come to be known in local political legend as "The Milk Case."

ONE FRAGMENT is word that reached me a while back that a certain character with a long police record was about to start publishing a gossip sheet. Publishing costs money. It's a political year. It seemed likely that somebody's campaign funds might be behind such a venture.

Another hint was Information I got about a quiet meeting in a certain law office in which the seamier side of political strategy was the topic: How best to clobber the Mayor, while at the same time appearing to remain aloof from the mayhem.

Still another bit of the puzzle was a certain fidgetiness among the Mayor's people. To a seasoned politics-watcher, the signs of restiveness can be sensed in casual conversation, in the way questions are answered, and even in a too carefully adjusted mask of composure.

THE MANEUVERING proved to be centered on The Milk Case. One side calculating how best to use it as a weapon against Christopher. The other side working on the problem of how best to counter it.

As a nosy neutral with a Katzenjammer complex, I would like to explode the firecracker right now in everybody's face. With the hope that we politics watchers, with this one out of the way, can then be entertained with other and better and more lively issues.

A DOCUMENT I have at hand, never before published or circulated, is a letter written by Lawyer A. E. Bagshaw. He happens to have been the Marin District Attorney who prosecuted The Milk Case. His recollection and analysis are illuminating and ought to be
GEORGE CHRISTOPHER, in 1938 and 1939, was getting his start in the dairy business. He and his associates entered into certain contracts with Marin dairy farmers to buy their product at "market milk" prices.

The farmers were delighted to sign these contracts, because "market milk" represented top dollar—the price paid for milk to be sold for table use as milk or cream. The Christopher enterprise sold milk only for such use.

Other dairies at the time, in their contracts with farmers, paid so much for "market milk," and a scale of lower prices for milk to be used in the manufacture of dairy products—ice cream, cottage cheese, and so on. This system has since been changed, for obvious regulatory reasons.

IN THEIR NEW enterprise, Christopher and his associates found themselves immediately in a legal tangle, because in 1939 the State enacted a law under which the Agriculture Department was authorized to control the prices at which milk could be bought and sold.

Christopher fought the price control law bitterly. I do not believe he did this out of altruism, but for the common sense reason that the law put him in a weaker position competitively, as compared with companies that could pay the "manufacturing purposes" price for much of the milk they bought.

AT ANY RATE, Prosecutor Bagshaw recalls in his letter the legal questions that were still being fought in 1940, when Christopher was arrested, charged with paying (on his contracts) lower prices for milk than the newly established prices fixed by law.

"In fact," writes Bagshaw, "the legislation with relation to dairy products had already been held unconstitutional by a Superior Court in Los Angeles at the time of Mr. Christopher's involvement. . . ."

In the Justice's Courts of Novato and San Rafael, nevertheless, motions to dismiss the misdemeanor charges against Christopher on constitutional grounds were refused. Pleas of guilty were then entered to some of the counts, and Christopher was fined.

"No jail sentences were in any way involved," says Bagshaw.

"NO JAIL SENTENCES" is an important phrase in the Bagshaw letter, because an invariable accompaniment in the political use of The Milk Case has been the use of an unflattering "jail photo" of Christopher.

Bagshaw explains: "It seems the practice then existed in the Sheriff's Office of Marin County of fingerprinting and photographing any person who was actually arrested for any offense, even for a misdemeanor traffic violation."

Later, after a long court fight, the milk price law was upheld as constitutional. That's the whole chapter in what should be a closed book.
MEMORANDUM

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (G. H. CHRISTOPHER) (P)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 2/9/62

SUBJECT: LOCAL EXTORTION MATTER

Re: San Francisco Letter to the Director dated 2/1/62 (F)

On 2/9/62, a follow-up letter was received from the FBI re: San Francisco letter to the Director dated 2/1/62. The letter was received from the Bureau of San Francisco, FBI, and is listed to be sent to the Director.

The letter contains information on the investigation of local extortion matters. It includes details about the threat letter and the efforts to determine the identity of the person who sent it. The letter also includes a request for additional information and cooperation from the Bureau.

The letter also contains a follow-up letter to the address listed in the previous letter. The letter is addressed to the FBI, and it is to be sent to the Director.

The letter is dated 3/1/62 and is to be sent to the Director.

GENERAL INTELLIGENCE

This matter will be handled by the Intelligence Unit of the San Francisco Police Department. The investigation is being conducted by the San Francisco Police Department's Intelligence Unit.
investigation in an endeavor to identify the typewriter used in writing the threatening letter. Advised that he has been endeavoring with negative results to obtain specimens from a typewriter in the apartment of a girl friend of who operates an answering service and also has an office at.

Further advised his unit has established several confidential sources to follow activities concerning this investigation.

The above is for the information of the Bureau and the Bureau will be advised of any information obtained concerning this investigation.
TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC SAN FRANCISCO (9-1623)

SUBJECT: CHANGED

GEORGE CHRISTOPHER - VICTIM
LOCAL EXTORTION MATTER
(00: San Francisco)

The title in this case is being marked Changed to reflect the identity of the subject. In previous communications this matter was captioned "UNSUB: GEORGE CHRISTOPHER - VICTIM, LOCAL EXTORTION MATTER."


On 4/3/62, advised that was arrested on the above date by San Francisco Police Department Inspectors and U.S. Postal Inspectors on a Federal charge of extortion threat to injure reputation. On the same date, appeared before USC DONALD E. CONSTANCE, San Francisco. The case was set over to 4/12/62 to allow for psychiatric examination and for the matter to be presented before the Federal Grand Jury on 4/11/62. placed in custody of USM in lieu of $2500 bond.

U.S. Postal Inspector advised that admitted writing the extortion letter to Mayor GEORGE CHRISTOPHER and that had maintained a file of all critical news articles about Mayor CHRISTOPHER written by In these articles was a copy of the news articles submitted with
relief dated 2/9/62. He stated investigators had also found a rough draft of the letter written to Mayor CHRISTOPHER in
room at the time of his arrest, along with a copy of a letter
to the Soviet Embassy, Washington, D. C., and numerous inflammator
leaflets written by some of them captioned such as "Do
Not Support National Defense", etc. He stated that was
a prolific letter writer and kept a diary of all his activities
since his arrival in the U. S. He stated had used a
portable Smith Corona "Skywriter" typewriter; Serial No. 2Y196464
to write the extortion letter to CHRISTOPHER and subsequently
pawned this typewriter under his true name. He also stated that
had been corresponding with but stated he did not know at the present
time to what extent she was involved in this matter.

Chief Criminal Deputy U. S. Marshal advised that has San Francisco U. S. Marshal and it describe
as

U. S. Immigration and Naturalization Service has the U. S. on 9/15/54 at Boston, Mass. His father was listed as
is also subject of SF File captioned IS-R 00 SF.

The above for information of the Bureau. The Bureau will be advised of the outcome of the extortion charge against
subject.
Memorandum

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (9-39651)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9-1623)

DATE: 5/8/62

SUBJECT: GEORGE CHRISTOPHER - VICTIM
LOCAL EXTORTION MATTER

OO: SAN FRANCISCO

Re San Francisco letter to Bureau dated 1/5/62.

On May 2, 1962, United States Attorney, Northern District of California, CECIL F. POOLE, advised that he had withheld the presentation of this matter to the Federal Grand Jury on United States Postal violation to obtain a psychiatric examination of 

He stated the psychiatric examination received on May 1, 1962, reflected that [ ] was sane enough to cooperate with his attorney in his defense, but the psychiatrist had stated that [ ] is definitely emotionally disturbed.

Mr. POOLE stated he plans on further medical examination [ ] and will endeavor to have him deported instead of indicting him on the Postal violation.

The Bureau will be advised of the outcome of the Extortion charge against [ ].
DIRECTOR, FBI (105-107894)        July 19, 1952

SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (105-12358)

IS-R

09: San Francisco
Re San Francisco letter, 5/29/52.

Immigration and Naturalization Service, San Francisco has advised on 6/19/52, pleaded guilty to violation of section 375, Title 18, U.S. Code, mailing threatening communications. Charge was made under the fourth paragraph of this Section dealing with using the U.S. mails to threaten to destroy reputation of others. The penalty is $5,000.00 fine or two years imprisonment.

On 7/15/52, __________ was sentenced to two __________ in the U.S. District Court, San Francisco.

INS will place a holding order on __________ a federal institution where he is sent in order that deportation proceedings be instituted at time of his release based on having been convicted of a crime involving moral turpitude committed within five years after entry into the United States, for which he has been sentenced for a year or more.

When location of federal facility is determined the Bureau will be advised.

1 - Bureau (G - 5-9551) (AN) (111)
2 - MFO (info) (AN) (HSS)
3 - San Francisco (1 - 5-1523)
4 - SF/R/DC

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1951.
TO:    DlRlCTOll, FBI (9-39651)  
FROM:  SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (5-1621)(C)  

SUBJECT:  
   GEORGE CHRISTOPHER - VICTIM 
   LOCAL LITIGATION MATTER 
   CO:    San Francisco  

Re San Francisco letter to the Bureau, 5/8/62.  

On 7/11/62, AUSA JAMEI F. HELWIT, San Francisco, 
advised that on 7/10/62, Subject appeared before USAJ 
WILLIAM T. STEIGERT. Subject entered a plea of guilty to 
U. S. postal violation and was sentenced to a Federal 
Penitentiary for a period of two years. On 7/11/62, 
Deputy USAI advised that [REDACTED] would be 
delivered by the USAI to the McNeil Island Federal 
Penitentiary, 7/12/62. 

The above is for the information of the Bureau, 
and this matter is being considered closed. 

2 - Bureau 
2 - San Francisco (5-1621) 
(105-1235C) 

RMA:jl 
(d)

16 JUL 20 1962
On two recent occasions I have had the opportunity to meet and talk with in private Mayor George Christopher of San Francisco. Mayor Christopher has just been re-elected to a second four-year term by an overwhelming majority and is being inaugurated for a second term today.

The Mayor was born in Greece and brought to San Francisco as a baby. He started work as a boy and at the time of his election as Mayor for the first time, four years ago, he had developed into a wealthy and extremely influential businessman in the wholesale milk business, solely as a result of his own efforts and application. He served several terms on the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco prior to becoming Mayor. He was an unsuccessful candidate for the Republican nomination for U.S. Senator in 1958 and was defeated because of a coalition between the Goodwin Knight, William Knowland and Richard Nixon forces. Mayor Christopher is quite proud of his Greek background and it is the first time in the history of the City of San Francisco that a foreign-born Mayor has been elected.

Mayor Christopher's first administration as Mayor has been characterized by his attempt to have a completely honest, honest, and above-board administration. He has selected the most capable men possible as his Commissioners, he has insisted on absolute honesty in the Police Department and reached down into the ranks to appoint a Chief who would carry out his policies. His weakness, perhaps, is that he is impulsive and outspoken and not readily inclined to forgive one who has done him wrong. His decisive re-election indicates that his policies are overwhelmingly supported by the citizens of San Francisco.
You will recall that during the visit of Soviet Premier NIKITA KHURSHCHEV to the United States, KHURSHCHEV became quite incensed at the treatment he allegedly received in Los Angeles, California. KHURSHCHEV threatened publicly to call off his trip and to loose missiles against the United States, if necessary. Mayor CHRISTOPHER informed me that while the KHURSHCHEV party was enroute from Los Angeles to San Francisco by train Ambassador LODGE, who was President EISENHOWER's representative, called him by radio telephone from the train and told him that it was the policy of the U. S. Government that there must be no more "needling" of KHURSHCHEV and that it was the U. S. Government's wish that his reception in San Francisco be a warm one, without any attempts being made to embarrass the Soviet Premier.

Mayor CHRISTOPHER stated that as Mayor of San Francisco, which is a warm-hearted city, and being quite open and friendly himself, he resolved to carry out these suggestions to the best of his ability, but at the same time to make it plain that he and the citizens of San Francisco stood for democracy, Christian ideals, and certainly would not compromise with Communism. As a result, KHURSHCHEV virtually "bubbled over" during his visit to San Francisco. A State banquet was given for him at the Sheraton-Palace Hotel and practically all of the speakers fell all over themselves to be nice to KHURSHCHEV, in spite of his attacks on democracy. Those who were there and those who viewed the speeches on television have remarked that the only decent speeches which were firm, but polite, intelligent and hospitable were those by Mayor CHRISTOPHER himself. In his speech of welcome, he extended the hospitality of the City to the Premier, but at the same time traced the history of San Francisco and California and their Christian and democratic traditions.

At the finale of the evening, Mayor CHRISTOPHER presented the Premier with a gavel made from California redwood, and in explaining what the gavel stood for and how it was used he very plainly, but very firmly, pointed out that the use of the gavel stood for democracy and that the people in the United States decided their form of Government. I have heard many comments concerning the excellent manner in which CHRISTOPHER was friendly and polite, but was the only one to stand up for democratic principles in his speeches while KHURSHCHEV was in San Francisco.
As a result of the hospitality afforded, Premier KHRUSHCHEV has personally invited Mayor CHRISTOPHER and his wife to visit the Soviet Union. The only other person, to the Mayor's knowledge, who has been personally invited by the Premier to make such a visit is President EISENHOWER himself. The Mayor has accepted the invitation and the attached letters from him to the Soviet Embassy and to the Chairman of the State Committee for Cultural Relations in Moscow set forth his plans and his itinerary.

In private conversations with me the Mayor - who has impressed me with his good common sense and practical reasoning - has stated that he knows that the invitation is not without some definite Soviet purpose. He has stated that he realizes that his visit to the Soviet Union obviously is planned by the Soviets for some present or future benefit of their own. He is fully aware that, with his Greek background, he represents a minority group in the United States and, furthermore, having been born in Greece, his natal country is one in a very touchy part of the world.

The Mayor talked to me on a man-to-man basis as the Director's representative and the representative of the FBI in his city. It was quite obvious to me that Mayor CHRISTOPHER has a profound respect for the FBI and mentioned these matters to me because of that great respect.

He stated that he has given this matter considerable thought, that he has made up his mind he is going to the U.S.S.R. as a true guest, but also as a true representative of American democracy. He stated that he will at all times be polite, but that at no time will he let himself be used for anything which appears to him might be propaganda purposes. The Mayor rather jocularly indicated that he will have to curb his impulsive nature and has stated that he plans whenever possible not to be caught in a situation where he will have to answer "When did you stop beating your wife?" type questions. He says that he plans to make brief, positive statements upholding the U.S. and American democracy and at the same time be an extremely polite guest.

I have also met and talked with Mayor CHRISTOPHER's secretary, JOHN JOSEPH ALLEN, more familiarly known throughout San Francisco as "JOE" ALLEN, who is a career civil servant. It is my impression that ALLEN is greatly devoted to the Mayor and that this devotion is reciprocated by the Mayor. ALLEN says very little, but I have noticed that the Mayor obviously relies on ALLEN and his intelligence to guide him in his conversation and in his public utterances.
RE: Mayor GEORGE CHRISTOPHER

It should be noted that the Mayor, on his own volition, stated emphatically that under no circumstances will he make any attempt to gather intelligence information or to appear to be doing so while in the Soviet Union. He wants to appear as an example of what an immigrant poor boy can achieve in a democracy like the United States, and no more.

I will undoubtedly have the occasion to see Mayor CHRISTOPHER after his return from the U.S.S.R. and the Bureau will be advised of any information of interest which he volunteers at that time.

The above is being forwarded to the Bureau and UFO for their information.
January 6, 1960

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Thanking you for your consideration, and with every good wish, I am

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Leave Amsterdam - Sunday, February 7, 1:30 p.m.,  
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Prior to our departure, I shall cable you accordingly.

Thanking you again, and reciprocating your good wishes for the New Year, I am

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GEORGE CHRISTOPHER
Mayor
January 7, 1960

Dear Mr. Auerback:

Thank you so much for the briefing regarding our contemplated trip to the U.S.S.R.

I will return the material which you so kindly loaned us very shortly.

I am enclosing a copy of a letter to the Embassy of the U.S.S.R., as well as a copy of a letter to the Honorable Georgy Zhukov, concerning our itinerary within the Soviet Union.

If you have any additional advice you may wish to impart to us, please do not hesitate to do so.

May I take this opportunity to thank you again for your counsel and guidance and to tell you that your assistance is truly appreciated.

Please convey my thanks to your very able assistants during the briefing session in your office.

With every good wish, I am

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Mayer
DIRECTOR, FBI

SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (80-503)

MAYOR GEORGE CHRISTOPHER
OF SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA
VISIT TO U.S.S.R. AT PERSONAL
INVITATION OF PREMIER NIKITA KHRUSHCHEV
MISCELLANEOUS - INFORMATION CONCERNING

Remylet 1/8/60.

On 1/28/60, HAROLD SEE, General Manager, KRON-TV, San Francisco, California, contacted this Office to advise that his Station was sending a reporter and a cameraman, GEORGE MARTIN and CHARLES STANYAN with the Mayor CHRISTOPHER party on their forthcoming trip to the U.S.S.R. SEE said that the Station had requested, and obtained, permission to photograph gas stations, household plumbing and various other items of public interest while in the Soviet Union. It is his opinion that the Station will be able to send out undeveloped film from the Soviet Union and he wanted to know if this Office was interested in talking to MARTIN and STANYAN prior to their leaving from an intelligence angle.

SEE was informed that this Office did not desire to talk to MARTIN or STANYAN.

SEE volunteered that upon the return of the group to the United States he would talk to them and if there was any information that was not available to the public regarding their trip that he felt the Bureau would have an interest in he would contact this Office.

2 - Bureau
3 - Washington Field (INFO)
1 - San Francisco
Hurled Into Home
Bomb Threat
Sent to Mayor
Bottle Tossed Through Window

(Photos on Page 33)

A large-size pop bottle containing a written bomb threat was hurled through a picture window into the living room of Mayor Christopher's home at 155 Stonecrest Dr. during the night.

The mayor discovered the hole in the window this morning. There were shattered fragments of the bottle on a living room table, and a note saying a time bomb had been planted under the house.

POLICE CHIEF Tom Carr, a squad of inspectors headed by Lieut. Don Scott, and the mobile crime laboratory went to the scene immediately.

The note, signed "The haft" and hand-written in ink on a piece of white paper, read:

"Tomorrow your house may not be standing on its foundation due to the fact that there is a phleted (sic) time bomb there. Just think it over. It could be anybody—the milkman, the garbage man, or the gardener. If you don't believe us, stay at home tomorrow."

Under the signature was written: "Be there—believe or not."

CHRISTOPHER said he and his wife Tula arrived home about 11 p.m. last night and retired immediately.

Christopher said neither he nor his wife examined the room when they got home, and that the bottle could have been thrown either while they were away or while they were asleep.

He heard nothing during the night, the mayor said.

"It's impossible right now to read anything into this," Scott said.

"THIS IS the first time this has ever happened to me," Christopher said. "I'm not upset, but Tula is. Anyhow, it's not very pleasing."

The note is being examined by laboratory experts.
Bottled Poison Pen Note

MORROW. YOUR HOUSE WILL
BE STANDING ON NATIONAL
DAY TO THE FACT. THERE IS A BOMB
IN THE BOMB THERE. JUST THINK IF
YOU DON'T BELIEVE US JUST
STAY HOME TOMORROW

MEDIA

BE THERE
BELIEVE IT OR NOT.
THIS IS the hole (in photo above) in the window of Mayor Christopher's home at 155 Stonecrest dr. being examined by Police Lieut. Don Scott. The hole was made by a bottle containing a threat hurled, it is presumed, some time within the past 24 hours.
'probably a prank'

'Bomb' Note Hurled Into Mayor's Home

A pop bottle containing a threat to blow up his house was thrown through the front window of Mayor George Christopher's residence at 55 Stonecrest drive yesterday.

The bottle smashed a hole in a plate-glass picture window and narrowly missed two China figurines before shattering on the floor of a sitting room.

The scrawled note, with two misspellings, warned the Mayor there was a time bomb in his house and was signed 'Mafia' in big capitals.

"I don't like it, but I don't take it seriously," said the Mayor as he looked out at the quiet residential district where he lives.

"I think it must have been kids, or a prank."

Just when the bottle was thrown was hard for police to determine.

The Mayor said he and his wife, tulsa, returned home about 11 p.m. Thursday evening and he stayed up until midnight reading.

They did not check the sitting room when they came in, however, and heard nothing during the night.

Mrs. Christopher discov...
Note in Bottle

Mayor Shrugs At Bomb Threat

Continued from Page 1

erred the smashed window and broken glass at 7 a.m. yesterday.

Neighbors in houses adjoining the Christophers told officers they had heard running footsteps in a nearby service alley at 2 a.m.

The note, which was alternately printed and in script, read as follows:

"Tomorrow your house will not be standing on its foundation due to the fact. There is a plated time bomb there. Just think it could be anybody—the milkman, the garbage man, or the gardener, if you don't believe us stay home tomorrow."

"And scrawled below the Mafia signature was a sort of P. S.—'Be there, believe it or not.'"

Lieutenant Don Scott of the general works detail said that while police believed the note was thrown by a crank, they were taking precautions as if it were serious.

"This is the first time something like this has ever happened to me," said Mayor Christopher, "I'm not upset, but it is not very pleasing."
The Mayor and his wife found this smashed pane when they awoke yesterday.
Wife Shaken

Police Probe Death Threat To Mayor

Bomb Warning Called 'Serious'; Clues Hunted.

A death threat against Mayor George Christopher, called in a bottle hurled through his living room window, was called "serious" by investigating officers yesterday. It was found by the mayor and his wife yesterday morning.

A horde of police investigators, led by Police Chief Thomas Cahill, searched the house and then subjected the note to intensive laboratory tests.

They weren't saying whether they got any clues from the analysis.

Wife Shaken

The Mayor said it was the first threat he ever has received. While inclined to consider it the work of a diseased but not necessarily dangerous mind, he was white with anger at its effect upon his wife.
Death Threat

Bomb Warning to Mayor Probed

(Continued from Page 1)

She was shaken considerably, he reported.

The Christophers were out Thursday night until 11 p.m.
When they returned home, they went immediately to
their second floor bedroom. They saw or heard nothing
unusual.

About 6 a.m. yesterday, however, Mrs. Christopher
walked into the living room of their home at 55 Stonecrest
Drive and found a soft-sided hole in the big picture
window. The object that pierced it

a 15 ounce soft drink bottle
had hit a cocktail table and
burst into a spray of frag-
ments that liberally littered
the carpet.

In the debris was a scrap
of cheap typing paper, with
the longhand threat in blue
ink:

"Tomorrow your house will
not be standing on its foun-
dation due to the fact there is a
planted (an obvious miswriting
or "planted") time bomb
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any one, the milkman, the
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It was signed with a flour-
ish, "Mafia," and had the
postscript, "Be there believe
it or not."

DISCOUNTS MARIA

Lt. Donald Scott, acting
captain of inspectors, said
the police search found nothing
suspicious in the home.

He declared the threat is
being taken seriously, but
expressed the belief "there is
no Mafia connection."

"There is nothing to indi-
cate it might be the work of
an enemy of the Mayor," he
added. "We don't have any
way of telling who did it and
we aren't going in for con-
jecture."

Four detectives were as-
signed to the case. Among
the things they were check-
ing were neighbors' reports
of having heard running feet
in the night, and whether
there had been any teenage
parties in the area Thursday
night.

Inspectors Nate Federini and
George Dyer Sr., after satis-
fying themselves there was
no bomb in the Christopher
house, interviewed three
neighbors.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Heymann,
who live at 10 Broadmoor
Drive on the same alley as
the Mayor, said they never
had any threatening phone
calls.

"It looks like the work of
some young punk who had
nothing better to do with his
time. If somebody was going
to blow up my house, I
wouldn't have cared."

His office said there have
been no threats by letter or
phone recently. A secretary
said that "eratic letters are
the part of being mayor, and
when they seem too serious
we turn them over to the
police. But there haven't
been any for quite a while."

After superintending the
cleanup of his living room
and satisfying police ques-
tioners, the Mayor and his
wife left for a Lake Tahoe
weekend that had been ar-
anged many days ago.
Don Stottlemeyer (left), crime lab technician, carefully examines fragments of bottle that came through window.
Memorandum

TO: SAC
FROM: SA RAY M. ANDRESS
DATE: 6/13/61
SUBJECT: MAYOR GEORGE CHRISTOPHER INFO CONCERNING

Today Chief of Police THOMAS J. CAHILL and Inspector THOMAS FITZPATRICK, San Francisco Police Dept., advised they had received inquiry today concerning a remark made by Mayor GEORGE CHRISTOPHER in Cleveland, Ohio. According to the press, the Mayor had made some remark that he had been approached by eastern mobsters who endeavored to buy him off but he had thrown them out. Both Chief CAHILL and FITZPATRICK stated allegedly this had happened 5½ years ago at the time CHRISTOPHER was elected to the office of Mayor. Both stated that no report had ever been made by CHRISTOPHER concerning such an incident and they had no knowledge of him ever having reported such happenings to anyone. Inspector FITZPATRICK advised he was furnishing this information in view of the fact there would be possible press inquiries to this office. He stated that Mayor CHRISTOPHER in his usual manner had "popped off again."

During the conversation with Chief of Police CAHILL the possibility that Congressmen SHELLEY and EUGENE McATEER would be candidates for Mayor was mentioned and Chief CAHILL was asked how he would stand if either of these individuals was elected. He stated that the backers of both of these individuals had advised him that they would back them only if he, CAHILL, remained Chief of Police. CAHILL stated that he felt secure in his present position if either Congressmen SHELLEY, McATEER or Supervisor DOBBS were elected at the next Mayor's election.
Christopher Joins Posse Chasing Knight

Mayor George Christopher, visiting in Los Angeles, said acidly yesterday that Goodwin J. Knight has "a fanatical obsession" against fellow Republicans and seems to want to help the Democrats.

Knight, avowed candidate for the GOP gubernatorial nomination which Richard M. Nixon also will seek, has charged he was offered a high political post if he would step aside.

In Sacramento, Senator John McCarthy (Rep-San Rafael) said Knight's accusation probably was the result of a wrong assumption. He said it was "entirely understandable" that an enthusiastic supporter of any candidate might try to feel out his opponent—without the candidate's knowledge or consent.)

Christopher said flatly he didn't believe Knight's charges:

"He has a fanatical obsession against the Republican party, his own party, and every possible candidate," the San Francisco Mayor added.

"He has made long tirades against Nixon and me, and he has berated Joseph Shell, also a GOP candidate."

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"George Christopher is California’s No. 1 candidate for lieutenant governor. This colorful San Franciscan is aggressive and qualified to do a first-rate job for California."

...has been urged by us to enter the election contest and we have pledged him our all-out support.

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Office Memorandum  • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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FROM 

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"MAYOR. SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF."


80-503*: Let's thanking SAC R. Auerbach for briefing regarding his contemplated trip to the USSR at personal invitation of Premier N. Khrushechev.

105-8010*: a highly sensitive and Conf. Source, who has furnished reliable info. in the past, advised 1/28/60, that

Mayor Christopher's brother JOHN had FBI #1760142 (94-879*) file. He was considered a Dangerous Criminal. The Mayor sent him to Alaska in 1955 because he was a cause of many heartaches to the family. In 1958 he was Shot & Killed at Alaska by Unk. person.

In 3/54: Rept by Chief Police Ahern re: trying to obtain unfavorable info. re: Mayor (1940 Milk War action against Christopher Firm.) Ahern believes they are obtaining info. to Blackmale the Mayor, so to permit racket operations in SF.

Newsclipping from P.W.'s (CP Paper): Christopher vows to support FEP (1950); 1947 "Come What May, The DPW will be on labor side Christopher's opinion; 2/51, Christopher made Honorary Chmn of Comm. for Educ. & Info. on Negro History; 2/55 he attended Mt Zion Baptist Church Ceremony re: Negro History week;

8/55, invitation to Christopher to Dr. Hoiland Roberts Anniv. Cel. by CLS; 3/55 Translation from "Russian Life". Article states Christopher is of same faith as Russians and contributes to and attends certain Russian functions.; 1950 Sponsor of Anti-Nazi Conf.; 4/51 Russian groups support Christopher for Mayor; 11/55 Spoke at Kezar Club, Fillmore Sec; SF, CP meeting; 3/55 on mailing list of Calif. for Bill of Rights; 3/56 present at Breaking grounds for "Presidio Hill Nursery Sch-IS-C"; 10/56 Phil Tanner (Show Club) claimed to be Christophers friend) (Crim.); Let signed by THE GREEKS, Re: Christopher trip to Greece, and association with CP members they claim that their reports are true and are from reliable sources;

In 1959 Let's to & From, Mayor, asking SAC W.W. Burke to serve on the Public Library Comm. (Bur. refused app.) Let's from Burke advising him of transferred and with the excellent cooperation from the City officials not being able to accept position.

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Mayor George Christopher

A Short Biography

George Christopher's personal history and long career in public service are dramatic proof that America is still the promised land of the melting pot and opportunity, where all citizens are free to seek and achieve outstanding accomplishments on their own initiative and ability, without regard to race, creed or color.

The son of a Greek immigrant, George Christopher left day school at the age of fourteen because of his father's lingering illness, but continued his schooling at night. Four years later he graduated from high school and enrolled in college, where he studied for five years, graduating with a degree in accounting. This totalled nine years of continuous night class attendance.

After practicing as a Public Accountant for several years, he founded a small milk company. Today the highly successful Christopher Dairy Farm is the largest independently owned dairy in the San Francisco Bay Area. A conscientious fighter for the rights of small business, farmers and consumers against monopoly, George Christopher has long vigorously opposed price-fixing laws and agreements.

The memory of Christopher's youth has never been left entirely behind as indicated by his constant efforts and financial support in behalf of athletic groups and other character-building youth activities.

Today, more than 30,000 California children each year attend baseball and football games through his generosity.

In 1945, following his meteoric success in the business world, George Christopher entered public service through election to the San Francisco Board of Supervisors. San Franciscans rewarded his ability, his courage and his energy "to get things done" by re-electing him to the Board by overwhelming majorities. He twice served as President of the Board in recognition of the highest vote ever accorded any member of that Board.

In 1959, the people of San Francisco elected him Mayor by the largest majority ever given a candidate for that office.

In 1959 the confidence of the people was again evidenced by George Christopher's re-election for an additional four-year term in the office of Mayor. San Francisco, under Mayor Christopher's guidance, was designated by Fortune Magazine as "one of the best administered cities..."
in the United States." The New York Times termed him a "Master Salesman" for the major part he played in the successful efforts to bring Big League baseball to California. Former President Hoover—a Republican whose outstanding talents were enlisted by the Democratic Truman Administration to reorganize and streamline the administrative offices of the Federal Government—has praised George Christopher as "the best Mayor of any large city with which I am acquainted."

Since George Christopher assumed the role of chief executive of San Francisco, the city has shown a continually declining crime rate. He has won national attention for his vigorous efforts to bring complete integrity to the Police Department.

In recognition of George Christopher's outstanding administrative ability, he was elected president of the American Municipal Association in 1957—a unique distinction rarely bestowed upon a first-term official. The organization consists of several thousand mayors and officials from more than 13,000 communities throughout the United States.

In his official capacity, George Christopher, with his charming wife Tula, has entertained with unflagging graciousness and hospitality kings, queens, premiers and presidents from all over the world. Following the 1959 visit of Nikita Krushchev to California—requested by the President and the State Department—Christopher received a formal invitation to visit the Soviet Union. He accepted the invitation and in February of 1960 paid a courtesy call on the Russian Premier in the Kremlin and extensively toured the vast lands behind the Iron Curtain.

This historic Kremlin visit and tour of the country impressed Mayor Christopher with America's need to more fully awaken to the serious impact being made on the economy of the Western World by the Soviet brand of industrial competition.

As a dynamic public official and highly successful, self-made businessman, Mayor George Christopher has consistently been a vigorous exponent of the free enterprise system, and throughout his career has steadfastly opposed excessive governmental controls.

He has had widespread rank and file labor union support in his campaigns for public office, and in his business life he has played a leading part in stabilizing labor negotiations affecting the milk industry. In the 22 years of its existence, his own plant has never experienced one hour of work stoppage.

A skilled negotiator, Mayor Christopher has successfully averted several threatened breakdowns in labor-management disputes of serious import to San Francisco, including street car and civic opera strikes.

He has acquired intimate knowledge of State Government through his close working relationship with legislators and State officials on common problems. He is a firm champion of urban-rural and interregional cooperation. In great demand in recent years for speaking engagements throughout California, George Christopher has a wide acquaintance and growing following in every section of the State, in recognition of his emergence as one of the truly outstanding men in public service on the California political scene.
DIRECTOR, FBI
ATTN: CRIME RECORDS

SAC, SAN FRANCISCO

MAYOR GEORGE CHRISTOPHER
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA
MISCELLANEOUS-INFORMATION CONCERNING

Enclosed herewith is a letter addressed to me from Chief of Police THOMAS J. CAHILL, San Francisco, which requests a letter from the Director to Mayor CHRISTOPHER, congratulating the Mayor on his tour of office.

It is noted that Mayor CHRISTOPHER declared May 10, 1963, "J. EDGAR HOOVER DAY" in San Francisco and he has consistently supported law enforcement in this area. He admires the Director and would appreciate an autographed photograph of the Director along with the letter.

San Francisco indices contain no unfavorable information concerning Mayor CHRISTOPHER.

It is my recommendation that the Director honor Chief CAHILL's request. It is recommended that the letter and the photograph be sent to me and I will personally deliver them to Chief CAHILL to be used as stated.

2 - Bureau (Enc1,l)
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August 15, 1963

Curtis O. Lynum
Special Agent in Charge
Federal Bureau of Investigation
422 Federal Office Building
San Francisco, Calif. 94102

Dear Curt:

As you know, Mayor George Christopher has been an unwavering supporter of good law enforcement in this city during his eight years in office. Because the law allows only two terms in office, Mayor Christopher's administration will terminate as of January 8, 1964. Mayor Christopher, in his first campaign, pledged to the people of this city the highest standard of law enforcement possible for the Police Department. In his second campaign, he campaigned very strongly on the record of his Police Department. He has stood for and demanded fair, impartial, and vigorous enforcement of the law, emphasizing his crystal-clear policy of a closed town. He has advocated the close cooperation among federal, state, and local law enforcement agencies, including the Federal Bureau of Investigation. In fact, he declared May 10, 1963, J. Edgar Hoover Day in San Francisco.

On December 8, 1963, a testimonial dinner honoring Mayor Christopher will be given by his friends in San Francisco. A moving picture will be shown of messages received from important people who are conscious of public welfare and public safety. We would be extremely grateful if arrangements could be made to have this matter brought to the attention of Director Hoover, asking him to write a letter congratulating Mayor
George Christopher, and pointing up the important role he has played to insure this community of honest, vigorous law enforcement in a spirit of cooperation with all agencies involved. It would be greatly appreciated if Director Hoover would also send an autographed picture of himself to appear in this movie and to be presented to Mayor Christopher on December 8th. If this request can be arranged, I would greatly appreciate receiving the letter and the picture as soon as possible so that it can be worked into the program.

Again assuring you of my cooperation in all matters of mutual interest, and my sincere appreciation for the outstanding cooperation which I have received at all times from your office,

Sincerely yours,

Thomas J. Cahill
Chief of Police
December 8, 1963

Honorable George Christopher
Mayor
San Francisco, California

My dear Mayor:

On the occasion of the completion of your term as Mayor of San Francisco, I want to express my sincere congratulations to you on the outstanding manner in which you have always discharged the arduous responsibilities of your high office. Certainly, the excellent example you have set will serve as an inspiration to those who follow you.

Your tenure in this position has been characterized by ability and honor, and my associates and I have long valued the spirit of cooperation which you have engendered among all police agencies as well as your strong support of constructive measures contributing to effective law enforcement. I am enclosing one of my photographs which I have autographed to you, and you have my best wishes for continued good health and happiness.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

Enclosure

(1)- San Francisco
Memorandum

TO: SAC, San Francisco

FROM: Director, FBI

DATE: 8-26-63

SUBJECT: MAYOR GEORGE CHRISTOPHER
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

Reurlet 8-19-63.

Enclosed herewith are the original and a copy for your files of my letter to captioned individual as well as my photograph which I have autographed to him in accordance with your request.

Your attention is directed to the fact that my enclosed letter is dated December 8, 1963, for presentation to Mr. Christopher on that date by Chief Thomas J. Cahill, San Francisco Police Department.

Enclosures (3)
Hon. George J. Christopher  
Mayor of the City of San Francisco  
City Hall  
San Francisco, California  

Dear Mayor Christopher:

As the current Mayor of San Francisco, I thought you might be interested in the fine article in the December, 1963, issue of the FBI Law Enforcement Bulletin, written by Chief of Police Thomas J. Cahill, entitled "A New Concept in Community Relations."

May I also take this opportunity to wish you and your family a Happy and Joyous Holiday Season and the best of everything in the New Year.

Kindest personal regards.

Sincerely,

CURTIS O. LYNUM  
Special Agent in Charge
January 7, 1964

The Honorable J. Edgar Hoover
Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation
Constitution Avenue and Tenth Street, N. W.
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

It was a very deep and gratifying pleasure to receive the autographed photograph and generous note which you so kindly sent for presentation to me at the dinner in my honor last Sunday evening, and I am writing to express my sincere thanks for the compliments you paid me. I am highly honored to have these memorable expressions of your valued friendship, and you have my sincere appreciation for commenting so favorably on the relationship that we in San Francisco have enjoyed with you and with the Bureau.

Your letter and photograph were read and shown to the audience assembled for the dinner, and were warmly received. You are held in the greatest respect and highest esteem in our City, and it has been a particular privilege for me to work with your associates here over the years and to have a part in strengthening the splendid relationship between them and San Francisco.

Thank you for your friendship, your continued cooperation, and for your very great personal kindness.

With every good wish, I am

Sincerely yours,

George Christopher
Mayor
General Eisenhower said:

It is a privilege to join in paying tribute to George Christopher and to compliment the people of San Francisco on having at the head of their city's government these past 8 years. As one who has had fine memories of San Francisco and great admiration for your Mayor, I believe your choice was extremely fortunate. George Christopher, as a distinguished civic leader, has earned a high level of respect throughout the country because of what he has done for San Francisco and because of the spirit and dedication he has brought to his office.

He is a man of courage and strong conviction, of impeccable integrity, the kind of American who has always been willing to face a challenge, take a risk, push into unexplored areas of thought and opportunity. He is a shining example of hard working initiative, self reliance, a sturdy foe of paternalistic government and a vigorous champion of free enterprise and of the fundamental principles of America. In a very real sense, he represents all those immigrants to this land that have contributed their best to the building of America and to the growth of its great, bright heritage in culture. As one who has been privileged to know him well over the past decade, I compliment him on a job well done. During the years to come, his experience, his wisdom, his dedication cannot fail to be of inestimable value to San Francisco, to California, and to the nation. Mayor Christopher, I congratulate you on past accomplishments and wish for you many more happy and fruitful years in your home city of San Francisco.

J. Edgar Hoover wrote:

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

December 8, 1966

Vote June 7th Primary

George CHRISTOPHER for Governor

The Qualified Candidate ☆ The Electable Candidate
The reports being issued about gifts received by Mr. Clarence Kelley seem to have an underlying motive. It is not necessary to go into the matter of Mr. Kelley's integrity, which is considered impeccable.

The surmise is that this is but one more effort on the part of Henry Kissinger to take control of the F.B.I. He already has control of the C.I.A. and the National Security Council--now he would like absolute control over this agency as well.

If you want to investigate the crime of "gifts", let us start with Mr. Kissinger himself. He had no hesitancy, upon entering the Nixon administration, to accept a $50,000 cash gift from Mr. Rockefeller, and he has permitted his wife to be on Rockefeller's payroll at $2,500 per month since,--doing what? All this, while Mr. Kissinger is flitting around the world discussing oil contracts.

Nor does Mr. Kissinger hesitate to accept gifts from foreign countries valued at thousands of dollars, but personally places a value on them of "under $50.00", so that he may retain them personally instead of turning them over to the Government as provided by law. This conduct would normally be considered a major scandal.

I respectfully suggest that you pursue Kissinger's game and allow Mr. Kelley to pursue his duties in the honorable way he knows. The only devious person in your administration is Kissinger, whose presence in your administration will come day regret.

Very truly yours,

[Signature]

GEORGE CHRISTOPHER
September 20, 1976

Honorable George Christopher
President
Christopher Commercial Corporation
55 Stonecrest Drive
San Francisco, California 94132

Dear Mr. Christopher:

Thank you for sending me a copy of your September 7th letter to the President. I appreciate the support you expressed for my endeavors as Director of the FBI.

Sincerely yours,

Clarence H. Kelley
Director

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WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

December 17, 1959

GEORGE CHRISTOPHER

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The October, 1959, issue of the "Diplomatic List" published by the United States Department of State, lists

This document contains neither recommendations nor conclusions of the FBI. It is the property of the FBI and is loaned to your agency: it and its contents are not to be distributed outside your agency.
DIRECTOR, FBI (105-14937)  

SAC, WFO (105-13767)  

12/17/59

Enclosed are five copies for the Bureau and one copy for San Francisco of a letterhead memo dated as above and captioned "GEORGE CHRISTOFER."  

The informant referred to in the letterhead memo is _______________________.  

The letterhead memo is classified "confidential" because of the sensitive nature of the informant and because it reveals our investigative interest in _______________________.  

The enclosed letterhead is being furnished for the information of the San Francisco Office.  

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TO:  DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM:  SAC, NEW YORK (105-OR)

SUBJECT:  MAYOR GEORGE CHRISTOPHER
MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION CONCERNING

...a highly sensitive and confidential
source, who has furnished reliable information in the past,
...advised...

According to source, [ ] advised...

One copy of this communication is being furnished
San Francisco for information.

Information from this source, if used in report,
must be most carefully paraphrased in order to protect the
source. Under no circumstances should subject or any un-
authorized persons become aware we have knowledge of the
above information.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (105-OR)

SUBJECT: GEORGE CHRISTOPHER
INFORMATION CONCERNING

Above submitted for information.

105-8010-4

Bureau (RM)
San Francisco (INFO) (RM)
New York

WED: KPM (7)
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (105-8010) (C)

SUBJECT: GEORGE CHRISTOPHER

Information Concerning

Information set forth below was furnished by

On the above date.

Source advised that GEORGE CHRISTOPHER who is in the dairy business

The source noted that CHRISTOPHER is planning a trip to the Soviet Union in May 1971.

The above-mentioned at the residence of GEORGE CHRISTOPHER in San Francisco.

RECOMMENDATION: Reopen 105-8010 and assign to

and close on this communication.
IN THE EVENT THE INFORMATION SET FORTH ABOVE IS PREPARED IN A FORM SUITABLE FOR DISSEMINATION IT SHOULD BE CAREFULLY PARAPHRASED AND CLASSIFIED "SECRET FOREIGN DISSEMINATION" SINCE IT REVEALS THE BUREAU'S INVESTIGATIVE COVERAGEL OR

GEORGE CHRISTOPHER, the owner of the Christopher Dairies, Inc., is the former mayor of the City of San Francisco and has been in contact with the Soviets frequently in the past.

The foregoing is for information purposes.
Memorandum

TO: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (105-16284) DATE: 3-12-71

FROM: SUPERVISOR, SQUAD 8

SUBJECT: IS - R

San Francisco

Source

Who has furnished reliable information in the past.

Reliability

Date Advised

Classification: "Secret - No Foreign Dissemination"

Attached is information furnished by above source.

EXTREME CARE SHOULD BE EXERCISED IN HANDLING THIS INFORMATION AND IT MUST BE SUITABLY PARAPHRASED IN ANY COMMUNICATION. IT SHOULD BE CLASSIFIED AS ABOVE WHEN DISSEMINATED OUTSIDE OF THE BUREAU.

SEE ATTACHED

Action: Route to

105-16284

105-8010 (CHRISTOPHER)

FRED - SAN FRANCISCO
Memorandum

TO: SAC, San Francisco (105.3302)  DATE: 3-27-71

FROM: Supervisor, Squad 8

SUBJECT: IS - R

Source

Reliability Who has furnished reliable information in the past.

Date Advised

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ACTION: ROUTE TO

105.3302

105.8010 (Christopher)
Memorandum

TO: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (105-269561) DATE: 4-5-71

FROM: SUPERVISOR, SQUAD 8

SUBJECT: IS - C

Source

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ACTION: ROUTE TO

1 - 105-269561
2 - 105-8016 (CHRISTOPHER)

INDEXED: 1971
APR 5, 1971
FBI - SAN FRANCISCO
Memorandum

TO: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (105-26954) DATE: 4-2-71

FROM: SUPERVISOR, SQUAD 8

SUBJECT: IS - 12

Source

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ACTION: ROUTE TO

105-26954

105-8010 (CHRISTOPHER)

SEARCHED, INDEXED, SERIALIZED, FILED

APR 2, 1971

FBI - SAN FRANCISCO

105-8010 - 9
TO: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO
FROM: SUPERVISOR, SQUAD 8
SUBJECT: IS - R

Source
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Date Advised
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ACTION: ROUTE TO

105-26954
105-8010 (CHRISTOPHER)

SECRET 105-8010-10
Memorandum

TO: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (105-3302)
FROM: SUPERVISOR, SQUAD 8

DATE: 4/29/71

SUBJECT: IS - R

Source

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Date Advised

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Source advised that on __________ he learned that

ACTION: Route to SAs __________ and __________

Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan

(5)
1-105-3302
1-105-8010 (GEORGE CHRISTOPHER)
JPM:kah

(3)

[Signature]
TO: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (105-3302)
FROM: SUPERVISOR, SQUAD 8

DATE: 4/29/71

SUBJECT: IS - R

Source

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Source advised that

Source noted that

According to the source.

1-105-3302

1-105-8010 (GEORGI CHRISTOPHER)

(JM: kah)

(S)

Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan
The matter was left to further contacts to resolve, according to the aforementioned source.

ACTION: Route to SAs and
Memorandum

TO: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (105-26436)  DATE: 5/6/71

FROM: SUPERVISOR, SQUAD 8

SUBJECT: IS-R

Source:

Reliability: Who has furnished reliable information in the past.

Date Advised:

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Source advised that on

Continuing, the source noted that

1-105-26436

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(5)

1-105-13981 (VISIT OF SOVIET GROUPS TO SF)

1-105-8010 (GEORGE CHRISTOPHER)

JPM: kah

(5)
Source mentioned that

Source related that

according to the source.

ACTION: Route to SAs and.
Memorandum

TO: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (105-27116)
FROM: SUPERVISOR, SQUAD B
SUBJECT: ...

Source
Reliability Who has furnished reliable information in the past.
Date Advised
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Source advised that on...

Continuing, source noted that...

1-105-27116
1-105-8010 (GEORGE CHRISTOPHER)
JPM: kah
(3)

Nothing further was decided, according to the source.

**ACTION:** Route to SAs and
Memorandum

TO: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (105-16284-D) DATE: 5-25-71
FROM: SA
SUBJECT: SAN FRANCISCO IS - R
OO: SF

Attached hereto is

PAYROLL SAVINGS PLAN

105-8010 (GEORGE CHRISTOPHER)

U.S. Savings Bonds Res... SEC
TO: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (105-3302)  DATE: 6/7/71

FROM: SUPERVISOR, SQUAD S-1

SUBJECT: IS - R

Source

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Source related that on

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ACTION: Route to SAs and

1-105-3302

1-105-8010 (GEORGE CHRISTOPHER)

JPM: kah (3)

Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan

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Memorandum

TO: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (105-27116)
FROM: SUPERVISOR, SQUAD S-1

SUBJECT: IS - R

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Source learned that on

Continuing.

I-105-27116
I-105-17764 (CYRIL MAGNIN)
I-105-8010 (GEORGE CHRISTOPHER)

Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan
Finally, it was noted that apparently

ACTION: Route to SA
Memorandum

TO: SAC, San Francisco (105-27116)

FROM: SUPERVISOR, SQUAD 8

DATE: 6/10/71

SUBJECT: IS - R

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Source learned that on

Continuing, the source advised that

ACTION: Route to SAs and.
TO: SAC, San Francisco (105-27116)  
FROM: SUPERVISOR, SQUAD 8  
DATE: 6/10/71  

SUBJECT: IS - R  

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On the above-mentioned date,  

He indicated that  

ACTION: File.
Memorandum

TO : SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (105-3302)

FROM : SUPERVISOR, SQUAD S-1

DATE: 7/9/71

SUBJECT: IS - R

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Source learned that on

ACTION: Route to SAS and

1 - 105-3302
2 - 105-8010 (GEORGE CHRISTOPHER)
3 - 105-27116

JPM/CVR (4)

SECRET
TO : SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (105-27116)

FROM : SUPERVISOR, SQUAD S-1

DATE: 7/13/71

SUBJECT: IS - R

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Source learned on

Source noted that

ACTION: Route to SA

Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan
Memorandum

TO: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (105-3302)

FROM: SUPERVISOR, SQUAD S-1

SUBJECT: IS - R

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Source related that on

it was apparent to the source that: but

ACTION: Route to SAs and

Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan
Memorandum

TO: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (105-27116) DATE: 7/14/71

FROM: SUPERVISOR, SQUAD S-1

SUBJECT: IS - R

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1-105-27116

105-8010 (GEORGE CHRISTOPHER)

JPM: kah (3)
SF 105-27116
JPM: kah

Source related that

Finally.

ACTION: File.
Memorandum

TO: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (105-3302)

FROM: SUPERVISOR, SQUAD S-1

SUBJECT: IS - R

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Source learned that on
Source related that
Source further learned on

1-105-3302
1-105-3010 (GEORGE CHRISTOPHER)
1-105-27116
JPM:kah
(4)

Buy U.S. Savings Bond. Support the Payroll Savings Plan
Source speculated that:

ACTION: Route to SAs and
Memorandum

TO: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (105-27116)  DATE: 7/22/71

FROM: SUPERVISOR, SQUAD S-1

SUBJECT: IS - R

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Source learned that on

1-105-27116
1-105-8010 (GEORGE CHRISTOPHER)
JPM: kah (3)

Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan
According to the source.

ACTION: File.
Memorandum

TO: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (105-3302)

FROM: SUPERVISOR, SQUAD S-1

SUBJECT: IS - R Source

DATE: 8/4/71

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On ( ) according to the aforementioned source,

Continuing, the above-mentioned source advised that

1-105-3302

(1) 105-B010 (GREGOR CHRISTOPHER)

JPM: KAN (4)

Buy U.S. Savings Bonds - Support the Payroll Savings Plan

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Later, according to the source.

ACTION: Route to SAs and
TO: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (105-27116)  DATE: 8/25/71

FROM: SUPERVISOR, SQUAD S-1

SUBJECT: IS - R

Source
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Source related that on

Finally source related that

ACTION: File.

1 - 105-27116
2 - 105-8010 (GEORGE CHRISTOPHER)
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Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan
ACTION: File
TO: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (105-27116)  
FROM: SUPERVISOR, SQUAD S-1  

DATE: 9/21/71  

SUBJECT: IS - R  

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Source advised that on  

ACTION: Route to SA
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

SEPTEMBER 29, 1971

CONFIDENTIAL

PROPOSED TRAVEL TO THE SOVIET UNION OF HIGH LEVEL DELEGATION TO MEET WITH PREMIER ALEKSEI KOSYGIN

George Christopher, Christopher Dairy Farms, 555 Fulton Street, San Francisco, California, on September 28, 1971, advised Special Agents of the FBI that he was chairman of a group of San Francisco businessmen and their wives who visited the Soviet Union September 10 through 19, 1971.

In a way of background, George Christopher was mayor of San Francisco during former Soviet Chairman Nikita Khrushchev's visit to San Francisco in 1959. Christopher visited Khrushchev in the Soviet Union during 1960. During that visit, of Foreign Minister Andrei Gromyko, served as Christopher's guide.

Christopher subsequently met with

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PROPOSED TRAVEL TO THE SOVIET UNION OF HIGH LEVEL DELEGATION TO MEET WITH PREMIER ALEKSEI KOSYGIN

At that time Christopher proposed to assemble a high level group of San Francisco businessmen to visit the Soviet Union and meet with Soviet Premier Aleksei Kosygin and to explore the possibility of trade between the United States West Coast and the USSR. According to Christopher, he was enthusiastic and said that he would make the necessary arrangements for the group. As a result, detailed plans were effected to assemble a high caliber representative group and meetings were held with Zinchuk to perfect arrangements.

Christopher stated the group was under the banner of the Greater San Francisco Chamber of Commerce. Christopher was the chairman of the group. Zinchuk was the chairman of the Greater San Francisco Chamber of Commerce.

Christopher maintains that he had absolute assurance the group would meet with Premier Kosygin but in fact this meeting never took place. He said the group was not met at the Moscow, USSR airport by any member of Soviet officialdom but instead by a representative of Intourist.

Christopher described the trip as pleasant, however, marked with a lack of any official notoriety.

As a result, he and soon after their return prepared a letter to stating their dissatisfaction with Principally because of the obvious lack of preparation in arranging for this group's visit. Christopher said he sent copies of this letter to Premier Kosygin in Moscow and to Soviet Ambassador Anatoly F. Dobrynin in Washington, D. C.

The contents of this letter are as follows:
September 27, 1971

Dear [Recipient's Name],

Upon returning from the USSR we wish to report to you in accordance with our agreement. Overall we can say that the trip was pleasant and the people we met were cordial and hospitable.

However, since this was not intended to be a pleasure jaunt, but rather a constructive business trip, we must be candid about the total results.

1. When we arrived at the Moscow airport, no official was present to greet the delegation. Thus, we immediately gathered the impression that our many assurances of official recognition perhaps would not materialize but still hoped our trip had not been in vain.

2. During our several meetings with you in San Francisco prior to our departure, we very forcefully stressed the importance of a visit inside the Kremlin for we were aware that anyone could walk outside the Kremlin walls as a sightseer. Our Intourist guide knew nothing of any such arrangements, therefore a highly important group of business leaders had to be content to see the Kremlin from the outside, along with thousands of other tourists. I need not stress the embarrassment we suffered with our delegation at this failure to fulfill a very definite promise.

3. We informed you that it was imperative for this group to visit with Mr. Kosygin even briefly, as a special trip of only one week involving such important business leaders would be meaningless without such a meeting. We also informed you repeatedly that if the Kosygin meeting could not be arranged, we would prefer to postpone or cancel the trip. We were assured that such a meeting would take place and that if Mr. Kosygin was in the Crimea we would fly to that area for the meeting. Now, what happened? No one knew of any such proposed meeting. Everyone was placing the responsibility on someone else and we left without seeing the person we had travelled 7500 miles to meet.
4. We finally met with one of the several deputy premiers, as well as with the minister of foreign trade. However, these meetings were not arranged through any special auspices of USSR officialdom, but rather because several members of our delegation finally converged on the president of the USSR Chamber of Commerce and heatedly and emphatically expressed their wrath and righteous indignation. The president of your Chamber of Commerce once again stated that he knew nothing of the arrangements, however he did cooperate in arranging several meetings.

5. For the first two days of our visit our delegation was floundering around in complete uncertainty as no arrangements had been made to meet with USSR specialists and industrial counterparts. Thus we had nothing to do but wander about aimlessly like ordinary tourists. This was disillusioning to a group that is in fact the most highly respected and most responsible segment of our business and industrial sector in the Western United States.

6. You informed us that your [redacted] was travelling to Moscow to complete arrangements for our trip. We were eventually told in Moscow that your Vice-Consul had come to Moscow and kept right on going to a vacation resort, without leaving any word for us or making any arrangements for the facilitation of our delegation.

To sum it up, [redacted] this tour would have been excellent for a group of pleasure seekers who wanted to casually visit the USSR and then go on to other resort areas for a rest or to visit other adjoining countries. But this was not a pleasure seeking group, for any of them can do on his own what we did in our visit to the Soviet Union. Instead, this was the most highly responsible group of executives in Western America, operating enterprises valued in the billions of dollars. We had all decided to leave our offices for just one week, visit your country under the plan promised to us, and return home with a better understanding of the USSR industrial and cultural machinery. Highly placed industrial leaders such as those who comprised our delegation do not relish leaving their manifold responsibilities for one week and endure the rigors of such a trip just to see what Moscow looks like from the outside.

And we repeat, had we not vigorously protested after two days of nothing, we would not have seen even the subordinate officials with whom we eventually met.
Programs of this kind, must in the future be fulfilled with precision, otherwise the visit will not be conducive to the amicable relationships that are so important in these difficult days.

We regret that it has become necessary to call these shortcomings and failures to your attention.

Very sincerely,

George Christopher, Chairman
Christopher also advised that at the time of the group's departure at the San Francisco International Airport, he was presented with a Torah by a group of San Francisco rabbis together with the request that this Torah be presented to a rabbi in Moscow. Christopher said he is certain that no member of his group had any advance information regarding this request and it presented a problem. Christopher inquired of Pan Am officials during a stopover at Kennedy International Airport, New York City, New York. Christopher was informed that religious articles were not permitted when entering the Soviet Union. In addition, a group of New York rabbis presented Christopher with an additional Torah at the Kennedy Airport. Christopher said that in order to prevent complications and the possibility of prejudicing their proposed visit with Premier Kosygin, it was decided that the Torahs would remain in the United States.

Christopher further advised that he felt that he had established some type of rapport with Khrushchev during their 1959 and 1960 visits. He had hoped to visit Khrushchev at his home and had acquired a pen and pencil set and a woman's brooch for Khrushchev and his wife. Subsequent to the group's arrival in Moscow, Christopher learned of Khrushchev's death. He said he wanted to attend the funeral but since the event was marked by lack of publicity in Moscow press, he thought better of the matter. Again he did not want to give the Soviets any reason for the group's not meeting with Premier Kosygin. Instead Christopher telephoned Khrushchev's residence and spoke with Khrushchev's son and son-in-law. Soon after Khrushchev's son and son-in-law visited Christopher at his hotel and Christopher presented the gifts to them and extended the group's condolences.
TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (105-216092)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (105-27116)(/)

SUBJECT: PROPOSED TRAVEL TO THE SOVIET UNION OF HIGH LEVEL DELEGATION TO MEET WITH PREMIER ALEKSEI KOSYGIN IS - R

OO: San Francisco

Re San Francisco letter and LHM dated 9/13/71.

Enclosed for the Bureau are seven copies of an LHM dated and captioned as above. One copy is being furnished WFO for information.

Enclosed LHM is classified "Confidential" inasmuch as the unauthorized disclosure of the information contained therein could be prejudicial to the defense interests of the nation.

GEORGE CHRISTOPHER was interviewed by SAs and JOHN T. KERLER on 9/28/71. Mr. CHRISTOPHER was forthright and cooperative.

Approved: ___________________  Sent _____________ M  Per _____________

Special Agent in Charge
In order to further the aim and purposes of the Bureau's Cointelpro program, San Francisco on 9/28/71, interviewed former San Francisco mayor GEORGE CHRISTOPHER, who, over the years, has been most cooperative and friendly to the Bureau. The purpose of this interview was to explore his receptiveness to initiating a letter of criticism to appropriate Soviet officialdom relative to the poor treatment extended to captioned group during their travel to the USSR. A critical letter from CHRISTOPHER and the prominent members of this group could prove to be detrimental to

On 9/28/71, CHRISTOPHER was approached ostensibly for the purpose of obtaining observations of his visit to the Soviet Union. During the interview CHRISTOPHER advised that he had sent a critical letter to on 9/27/71, and a copy to Premier KOSYGIN. When Ambassador DOBRYNNIN's name was mentioned he exclaimed "I should have also sent DOBRYNNIN a copy and will do so today".

San Francisco will continue to follow this matter and submit additional information in a form suitable for dissemination.
TO: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (105-27116)  
FROM: SUPERVISOR, SQUAD S-1  
DATE: 10/5/71  

SUBJECT:  

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Source  
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Source learned on  
Continuing, source noted that:  

1 = 105-27116  
1 = 105-8010 (GEORGE CHRISTOPHER)  
1 = 105-17764 (CYRIL MAGNIN)  

Buy U.S. Savings Bonds SECREm in the Payroll Savings Plan.
Source noted that.

In addition, source related that.

In addition, source learned on [__], that.

In addition, during the course of.

ACTION: Route to SA.
Memorandum

TO: SAC; SAN FRANCISCO

FROM: SUPERVISOR, SQUAD 17

SUBJECT: IS-R

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(See attached - which is to be considered part of this memorandum.)

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Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan
Memorandum

TO: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO

FROM: SUPERVISOR, SQUAD 17

DATE: 5/17/77

SAC, SAN FRANCISCO

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Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan
Memorandum

TO: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (05- 80/0 Sub 50)
FROM: SUPERVISOR, SQUAD 17

George Christopher

DATE: 8/4/77

SUBJECT: IS - R

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Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll-Savings Plan
Memorandum

TO: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO
FROM: SUPERVISOR, SQUAD 17
SUBJECT: George Christopher IS - R

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Memorandum

TO: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO
(105-8010 Sub 50)

FROM: SUPERVISOR, SQUAD 17

SUBJECT: George Christopher

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Date of Declassification: FEB 13, 1978

Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan
Memorandum

TO: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO

FROM: SUPERVISOR, SQUAD 17

SUBJECT: Gendat Christopher (105-8010 Subject)

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REASON FOR EXTENSION FCIM, T1, E1, H1 (3)
DATE OF REVIEW FOR DECLASSIFICATION 20 years from date

Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan
MEMORANDUM

TO: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO
    105-8010 sub 50
FROM: SUPERVISOR, SQUAD 17
    George Christopher

SUBJECT: ____________________________

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REASON FOR EXTENSION FCIM II, 1-2.4.2 (2) (3)
DATE OF REVIEW FOR DECLASSIFICATION: 20 years from date

Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan

105-8010 sub 50-7
MEMORANDUM

To: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (105-20/0 Sub 50)  
From: SUPERVISOR, SQUAD 12  
Date: 29 OCT 1981

Subject: GEORGE CHRISTOPHER

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Source: 
Reliability: has furnished reliable information in the past
Date advised: 

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Reason for extension FCXM II, 1-2.4.2 (263)
Date of review for declassification 14-999

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Memorandum

To: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (105-8010 Sub 50) Date: 1/27/84

From: SUPERVISOR, SQUAD 14

Subject: GEORGE CHRISTOPHER

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Source

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Date Advised

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Memorandum

To: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (105-8010 Sub 50) Date 1/25/84

From: SUPERVISOR, SQUAD 14

Subject: GEORGE CHRISTOPHER

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Office Memorandum

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO

SUBJECT: MAYOR GEORGE CHRISTOPHER
OF SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA
VISIT TO U.S.S.R. AT PERSONAL
INVITATION OF PREMIER NIKITA KHURSHCHEV
MISCELLANEOUS - INFORMATION CONCERNING

On two recent occasions I have had the opportunity to meet and talk with in private Mayor GEORGE CHRISTOPHER of San Francisco. Mayor CHRISTOPHER has just been re-elected to a second four-year term by an overwhelming majority and is being inaugurated for a second term today.

The Mayor was born in Greece and brought to San Francisco as a baby. He started work as a boy and at the time of his election as Mayor for the first time, four years ago, he had developed into a wealthy and extremely influential businessman in the wholesale milk business, solely as a result of his own efforts and application. He served several terms on the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco prior to becoming Mayor. He was an unsuccessful candidate for the Republican nomination for U.S. Senator in 1958 and was defeated because of a coalition between the GOODWIN KNIGHT, WILLIAM KNOWLAND and RICHARD NIXON forces. Mayor CHRISTOPHER is quite proud of his Greek background and it is the first time in the history of the City of San Francisco that a foreign-born Mayor has been elected.

Mayor CHRISTOPHER's first administration as Mayor has been characterized by his attempt to have a completely honorable, honest and above-board administration. He has selected the most capable men possible as his Commissioners, he has insisted on absolute honesty in the Police Department and reached down into the ranks to appoint a Chief who would carry out his policies. His weakness, perhaps, is that he is impulsive and outspoken and not readily inclined to forgive one who has done him wrong. His decisive re-election indicates that his policies are overwhelmingly supported by the citizens of San Francisco.
You will recall that during the visit of Soviet Premier NIKITA KHURSHCHEV to the United States, KHURSHCHEV became quite incensed at the treatment he allegedly received in Los Angeles, California. KHURSHCHEV threatened publicly to call off his trip and to loosen missiles against the United States, if necessary. Mayor CHRISTOPHER informed me that while the KHURSHCHEV party was enroute from Los Angeles to San Francisco by train, Ambassador LODGE, who was President EISENHOWER's representative, called him by radio telephone from the train and told him that it was the policy of the U.S. Government that there must be no more "needling" of KHURSHCHEV and that it was the U.S. Government's wish that his reception in San Francisco be a warm one, without any attempts being made to embarrass the Soviet Premier.

Mayor CHRISTOPHER stated that as Mayor of San Francisco, which is a warm-hearted city, and being quite open and friendly himself, he resolved to carry out these suggestions to the best of his ability, but at the same time to make it plain that he and the citizens of San Francisco stood for democracy, Christian ideals, and certainly would not compromise with Communism. As a result, KHURSHCHEV virtually "bubbled over" during his visit to San Francisco. A State banquet was given for him at the Sheraton-Palace Hotel and practically all of the speakers fell all over themselves to be nice to KHURSHCHEV, in spite of his attacks on democracy. Those who were there and those who viewed the speeches on television have remarked that the only decent speeches which were firm, but polite, intelligent and hospitable were those by Mayor CHRISTOPHER himself. In his speech of welcome, he extended the hospitality of the City to the Premier, but at the same time traced the history of San Francisco and California and their Christian and democratic traditions.

At the finale of the evening, Mayor CHRISTOPHER presented the Premier with a gavel made from California redwood, and in explaining what the gavel stood for and how it was used he very plainly, but very firmly, pointed out that the use of the gavel stood for democracy and that the people in the United States decided their form of Government. I have heard many comments concerning the excellent manner in which CHRISTOPHER was friendly and polite, but was the only one to stand up for democratic principles in his speeches while KHURSHCHEV was in San Francisco.
As a result of the hospitality afforded, Premier KHRUSHCHEV has personally invited Mayor CHRISTOPHER and his wife to visit the Soviet Union. The only other person, to the Mayor's knowledge, who has been personally invited by the Premier to make such a visit is President EISENHOWER himself. The Mayor has accepted the invitation and the attached letters from him to the Soviet Embassy and to the Chairman of the State Committee for Cultural Relations in Moscow set forth his plans and his itinerary.

In private conversations with me the Mayor - who has impressed me with his good common sense and practical reasoning - has stated that he knows that the invitation is not without some definite Soviet purpose. He has stated that he realizes that his visit to the Soviet Union obviously is planned by the Soviets for some present or future benefit of their own. He is fully aware that, with his Greek background, he represents a minority group in the United States and, furthermore, having been born in Greece, his natal country is one in a very touchy part of the world.

The Mayor talked to me on a man-to-man basis as the Director's representative and the representative of the FBI in his city. It was quite obvious to me that Mayor CHRISTOPHER has a profound respect for the FBI and mentioned these matters to me because of that great respect.

He stated that he has given this matter considerable thought, that he has made up his mind he is going to the U.S.S.R. as a true guest, but also as a true representative of American democracy. He stated that he will at all times be polite, but that at no time will he let himself be used for anything which appears to him might be propaganda purposes. The Mayor rather jocularly indicated that he will have to curb his impulsive nature and has stated that he plans whenever possible not to be caught in a situation where he will have to answer "When did you stop beating your wife?" type questions. He says that he plans to make brief, positive statements upholding the U. S. and American democracy and at the same time be an extremely polite guest.

I have also met and talked with another man more familiarly known throughout San Francisco as "who is a career civil servant. It is my impression that is greatly devoted to the Mayor and that this devotion is reciprocated by the Mayor. says very little, but I have noticed that the Mayor obviously relies on and his intelligence to guide him in his conversation and in his public utterances.
RE: Mayor GEORGE CHRISTOPHER

It should be noted that the Mayor, on his own volition, stated emphatically that under no circumstances will he make any attempt to gather intelligence information or to appear to be doing so while in the Soviet Union. He wants to appear as an example of what an immigrant poor boy can achieve in a democracy like the United States, and no more.

I will undoubtedly have the occasion to see Mayor CHRISTOPHER after his return from the U.S.S.R. and the Bureau will be advised of any information of interest which he volunteers at that time.

The above is being forwarded to the Bureau and WFO for their information.
January 6, 1960

Embassy of the U.S.S.R.
Washington 6, D.C.

My dear

Enclosed you will find copy of a letter addressed to the Honorable Georgy Zhukov in connection with our impending trip to Russia. I'm sure you will find the letter self-explanatory, and I am forwarding it to your attention.

I shall appreciate any advice you may be able to offer in connection with our journey to the Soviet Union.

Thanking you for your consideration, and with every good wish, I am

Sincerely yours,

GEORGE CHRISTOPHER
Mayor
January 6, 1960

Honorable Georgy Zhukov
Chairman, State Committee for
Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries
Moscow, Union of Soviet Socialist Republics

My dear Mr. Zhukov:

Thank you again for your kind letter of December 15, 1959, in which you extend to me and Mrs. Christopher the hospitality of your government to visit your country for about three weeks.

Since receipt of your invitation, I have been arranging my schedule so that I could leave San Francisco, and I have finally completed these plans which I am happy to transmit to you.

I had planned to visit the Soviet Union sometime in the Spring, but unfortunately budget matters and other fiscal problems preclude my absence from the City at that time. Therefore, the only time available to me will be in the month of February, and I look forward with great anticipation to this visit. Our itinerary has just been completed, and is as follows:

- **Leave San Francisco** - Friday, February 5, 9:45 a.m., PAA Flight 120 (Jet)
- **Arrive London** - Saturday, February 6, 7:05 a.m.
- **Leave London** - Sunday, February 7, 9:00 a.m., BE Flight 422
- **Arrive Amsterdam** - Sunday, February 7, 11:10 a.m.
- **Leave Amsterdam** - Sunday, February 7, 1:30 p.m., SU Flight 42
- **Arrive Moscow** - Sunday, February 7, 7:40 p.m.
- **Leave Moscow** - Sunday, February 21, 11:00 a.m., SU Flight 031

Upon leaving the Soviet Union, we will take a plane from Copenhagen on Monday, February 22, 8:15 a.m., for New York. The foregoing is now firmly scheduled as our itinerary.
Honorable Georgy Zhukov

January 6, 1960

You inquire as to the places we might wish to visit. I should very much like to see some of the cities outside of Moscow, such as Leningrad and Kiev, and any other cities you might recommend. In addition, I should like to visit some of your institutions, such as a major newspaper, a jail or penitentiary, a civic hospital, housing project, youth center, cooperative farm, etc. I should like, also, to visit a typical dairy farm, as I have been personally engaged in that business for many years. I should like to include a visit to the All-Union Institute of Scientific and Technical Information, administered by

Of primary importance to me is a visit with Chairman Premier Nikita Khrushchev, whom I had the privilege of meeting while he was in San Francisco. I would consider this meeting of paramount importance. In addition, if Mr. Mikoyan and are available, I should also like to spend a brief time with them in order to renew acquaintances.

I appreciate very much receiving your kind invitation, and look forward not only to meeting the high personages who have visited our country, but also to acquiring a better insight and understanding of the vast Soviet Union. Be assured that Mrs. Christopher joins me in expressing our thanks for this opportunity.

For your further information, I will be accompanied on this trip by several people in addition to Mrs. Christopher. I understand, of course, that only Mrs. Christopher and I will be guests of the Soviet Union. The City and County of San Francisco will send, at the City's expense, my newspapers have manifested great interest in this trip, and have decided to send their City Hall correspondents to cover my activities. For your information, their names and addresses are listed below. I might add that they represent all three of the daily newspapers in San Francisco.

San Francisco Examiner, Hearst Press


San Francisco Chronicle
January 6, 1960

Finally, the Pan American Airways Company has decided to send along its official representative, Pan American Airways, 1127 Russ Building, San Francisco, is being sent with my group to expedite the traveling procedures.

It is possible, also, that the local television stations may wish to send cameramen along to cover these activities. If they decide to do so, I shall advise you at once to see if it meets with your approval.

It would be appreciated if all the gentlemen accompanying me on this trip could be lodged in the same hotel, and extended official courtesies in the dispatch of their responsibilities while traveling with me to other cities in the Soviet Union. This, of course, is at their own expense.

The foregoing is for your information. If you find that we should amend our plans in any way, I am sure you will notify us at the earliest possible moment.

Should you have any further suggestions, we would be most appreciative, since this will be our first trip to the Soviet Union, and we want to be guided by any advice you may have to offer.

Prior to our departure, I shall cable you accordingly.

Thanking you again, and reciprocating your good wishes for the New Year, I am

Very sincerely yours,

GEORGE CHRISTOPHER
Mayor
TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (105-OR)

SUBJECT: MAYOR GEORGE CHRISTOPHER

MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION CONCERNING

a highly sensitive and confidential source, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised 1/28/60, that he had learned that GEORGI ALEKSANDROVICH ZHUKOV, Chairman of the State Committee for Cultural Relations, Moscow, USSR, had contacted Mayor GEORGE CHRISTOPHER, Mayor of San Francisco, California, regarding CHRISTOPHER's proposed trip to the USSR.

According to source, ZHUKOV advised CHRISTOPHER that Premier NIKITA KHRUSHCHEV would not be available at the time CHRISTOPHER had planned to visit the USSR due to KHRUSHCHEV's scheduled visit to France. ZHUKOV indicated the best time for CHRISTOPHER to visit the USSR would be April, 1960. Source stated that ZHUKOV had requested CHRISTOPHER to cancel his present trip and come at a later date.

One copy of this communication is being furnished San Francisco for information.

Information from this source, if used in report, must be most carefully paraphrased in order to protect the source. Under no circumstances should subject or any unauthorized persons become aware we have knowledge of the above information.
Date: February 15, 1960

To: Director
Central Intelligence Agency
Attention: Deputy Director, Plans

From: John Edgar Hoover, Director

Subject: MAYOR GEORGE CHRISTOPHER OF SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, VISIT TO USSR AT PERSONAL INVITATION OF PREMIER NIKITA KHRUSHCHEV. MISCELLANEOUS - INFORMATION CONCERNING (Espionage)

On January 28, 1960, Station KRON-TV, San Francisco, California, contacted our San Francisco Office to advise that his station was sending party on the forthcoming trip to the USSR. Stated the station had requested and obtained permission to photograph gas stations, household plumbings and various other items of public interest while in the Soviet Union. It is his opinion that the station will be able to send out undeveloped film from the Soviet Union and he wanted to know whether our office in San Francisco was interested in talking to and from an intelligence angle prior to their leaving. Was informed that the FBI did not desire to talk to or.

The above is being furnished for your information and whatever action you may deem appropriate. This Bureau has no objections to your talking to and if you so desire.

VT:cgw (5)

NOTE: Confidential since this discloses fact Americans going to the USSR may be briefed and given assignments while there unauthorised disclosure of which could be harmful to the national interests.
TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (80-503)

SUBJECT: MAYOR GEORGE CHRISTOPHER
OF SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA.
VISIT TO U.S.S.R. AT PERSONAL
INVITATION OF PREMIER NIKITA KHRUSHCHEV
MISCELLANEOUS - INFORMATION CONCERNING

Remylet 1/8/60.

On 1/28/60, [REDACTED], KRON-TV, San Francisco, California, contacted this Office to advise that his Station was sending [REDACTED] with the Mayor CHRISTOPHER party on their forthcoming trip to the U.S.S.R. [REDACTED] said that the Station had requested, and obtained, permission to photograph gas stations, household plumbing and various other items of public interest while in the Soviet Union. It is his opinion that the Station will be able to send out undeveloped film from the Soviet Union and he wanted to know if this Office was interested in talking to [REDACTED] prior to their leaving from an intelligence angle.

[REDACTED] was informed that this Office did not desire to talk to [REDACTED] or [REDACTED].

[REDACTED] volunteered that upon the return of the group to the United States he would talk to them and if there was any information that was not available to the public regarding their trip that he felt the Bureau would have an interest in he would contact this Office.

2 - Bureau
1 - Washington Field (INFO)
1 - San Francisco

FTD/af
(July 11, 1960)

Federal Bureau of Investigation
Mr. Edgar Hoover
Washington, D.C.
U.S.A.

Mayor George Christopher sends
best regards to the Grand Old Party.

/s/ California Northern Republican

COPY: hbb

Tolson  Mohr  Parsons  Belmont  Callahan  Delano  Marone  McGuire  Rosen  Tamm  Trotter  Jones  W.C. Sullivan  Ingram  Holmes  Gandy
August 5, 1963

Honorable George Christopher
Mayor
San Francisco, California

My dear Mayor:

Enclosed is a copy of the August, 1963, issue of "The Investigator" which I thought you would enjoy. On page 37 of this magazine, which is distributed each month to all FBI employees, you will find an item concerning the Proclamation and Key to the City that residents of San Francisco presented to me through Mr. Curtis O. Lynum, Special Agent in Charge of the San Francisco Office. Again, my profound thanks for this honor.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

Enclosure

1 - San Francisco

NOTE: Mayor Christopher designated 5-10-63 as "J. Edgar Hoover Day" in San Francisco; Director's letter of thanks sent to Christopher on 5-14-63.
Dear Mr. Hoover:

Thank you very much for sending me the August issue of "The Investigator." It was extremely kind of you to share this issue with me, and I am pleased that the F.B.I. readers of this Magazine have this opportunity to learn of the high esteem which we hold for you.

Again may I say what a pleasure it was to present the proclamation and key to the City in your honor.

With every good wish, I am

Sincerely yours,

George Christopher
Mayor
Memorandum

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
ATTN: CRIME RECORDS

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO

SUBJECT: MAYOR GEORGE CHRISTOPHER
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA
MISCELLANEOUS-INFORMATION CONCERNING

Enclosed herewith is a letter addressed to me from Chief of Police THOMAS J. CAHILL, San Francisco, which requests a letter from the Director to Mayor CHRISTOPHER, congratulating the Mayor on his tour of office.

It is noted that Mayor CHRISTOPHER declared May 10, 1963, "J. EDGAR HOOVER DAY" in San Francisco and he has consistently supported law enforcement in this area. He admires the Director and would appreciate an autographed photograph of the Director along with the letter.

San Francisco indices contain no unfavorable information concerning Mayor CHRISTOPHER.

It is my recommendation that the Director honor Chief CAHILL's request. It is recommended that the letter and the photograph be sent to me and I will personally deliver them to Chief CAHILL to be used as stated.
August 15, 1963

Curtis O. Lynum
Special Agent in Charge
Federal Bureau of Investigation
422 Federal Office Building
San Francisco, Calif. 94102

Dear Curt:

As you know, Mayor George Christopher has been an unwavering supporter of good law enforcement in this city during his eight years in office. Because the law allows only two terms in office, Mayor Christopher's administration will terminate as of January 8, 1964. Mayor Christopher, in his first campaign, pledged to the people of this city the highest standard of law enforcement possible for the Police Department. In his second campaign, he campaigned very strongly on the record of his Police Department. He has stood for and demanded fair, impartial, and vigorous enforcement of the law, emphasizing his crystal-clear policy of a closed town. He has advocated the close cooperation among federal, state, and local law enforcement agencies, including the Federal Bureau of Investigation. In fact, he declared May 10, 1963, J. Edgar Hoover Day in San Francisco.

On December 8, 1963, a testimonial dinner honoring Mayor Christopher will be given by his friends in San Francisco. A moving picture will be shown of messages received from important people who are conscious of public welfare and public safety. We would be extremely grateful if arrangements could be made to have this matter brought to the attention of Director Hoover, asking him to write a letter congratulating Mayor.

[Signature]

P.S. Enclosure
George Christopher, and pointing up the important role he has played to insure this community of honest, vigorous law enforcement in a spirit of cooperation with all agencies involved. It would be greatly appreciated if Director Hoover would also send an autographed picture of himself to appear in this movie and to be presented to Mayor Christopher on December 8th. If this request can be arranged, I would greatly appreciate receiving the letter and the picture as soon as possible so that it can be worked into the program.

Again assuring you of my cooperation in all matters of mutual interest, and my sincere appreciation for the outstanding cooperation which I have received at all times from your office.

Sincerely yours,

Thomas J. Cahill
Chief of Police
December 5, 1963

Honorable George Christopher
Mayor
San Francisco, California

My dear Mayor:

On the occasion of the completion of your term as Mayor of San Francisco, I want to express my sincere congratulations to you on the outstanding manner in which you have always discharged the arduous responsibilities of your high office. Certainly, the excellent example you have set will serve as an inspiration to those who follow you.

Your tenure in this position has been characterized by ability and honor, and my associates and I have long valued the spirit of cooperation which you have engendered among all police agencies as well as your strong support of constructive measures contributing to effective law enforcement. I am enclosing one of my photographs which I have autographed to you, and you have my best wishes for continued good health and happiness.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

Enclosure
1 - San Francisco (Sent with cover memo)

See NOTE next page.
Honorable George Christopher

NOTE: Bufiles reflect no derogatory information concerning George Christopher or Thomas J. Cahill and prior cordial correspondence with Christopher. SAC Lynum recommends Chief Cahill's request be honored. Cahill's letter to SAC Lynum states that Mayor Christopher declared May 10, 1963, "J. Edgar Hoover Day" in San Francisco and has advocated close cooperation among police agencies.
SAC, San Francisco

8-26-63

Director, FBI

MAYOR GEORGE CHRISTOPHER
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

Re: Unit 8-10-63.

Enclosed herewith are the original and a copy for your files of my letter to captioned individual as well as my photograph which I have autographed to him in accordance with your request.

Your attention is directed to the fact that my enclosed letter is dated December 8, 1963 for presentation to Mr. Christopher on that date by Chief Thomas J. Cahill, San Francisco Police Department.
January 7, 1964

The Honorable J. Edgar Hoover  
Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Constitution Avenue and Tenth Street, N. W.  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

It was a very deep and gratifying pleasure to receive the autographed photograph and generous note which you so kindly sent for presentation to me at the dinner in my honor last Sunday evening, and I am writing to express my sincere thanks for the compliments you paid me. I am highly honored to have these memorable expressions of your valued friendship, and you have my sincere appreciation for commenting so favorably on the relationship that we in San Francisco have enjoyed with you and with the Bureau.

Your letter and photograph were read and shown to the audience assembled for the dinner, and were warmly received. You are held in the greatest respect and highest esteem in our City, and it has been a particular privilege for me to work with your associates here over the years and to have a part in strengthening the splendid relationship between them and San Francisco.

Thank you for your friendship, your continued cooperation, and for your very great personal kindness.

With every good wish, I am  
Sincerely yours,

George Christopher  
Mayor
To: Director, FBI
From: SAC, New York (105-OR)

Subject: George Christopher

On 8/6/64, [Redacted] advised that George Christopher contacted the

Above submitted for information.

Bureau (RM)
1 - San Francisco (INFO) (RM)
1 - New York

WED: kpm (7)

Approved: [Redacted]
Special Agent in Charge

Sent: [Redacted]

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION.
George Christopher, former Mayor of San Francisco, currently a candidate for Governor of California. He has been subjected to criticism by columnist Drew Pearson just this past week and is mentioned in Pearson's column today. The Director gave Christopher an autographed photograph (presented by Chief Thomas J. Cahill, San Francisco Police) and sent a letter (dated 12/8/63) upon his having completed his term as Mayor.

apparently identical with

who requested Director to address Third Annual Prayer Breakfast in June, 1965 (invitation turned down).

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 10-01-2009 BY 60324 UC/BAW/SAB/DF
As you no doubt aware there is an active primary election campaign now under way in California. It will culminate on June 7th. We would like to bring to Mister J Edgar Hoover's attention the fact that one of the Republican candidates, Mister George Christopher is using film clips of himself and Mister Hoover taken several years ago as paid television spots. In manner in which these clips are shown gives an impression that Mister Hoover is supporting Mister Christopher. We appreciate that this is not the case but it is easy to mislead uninformed voters. We respectfully request that Mister Hoover indicate to us in some manner that he is indeed.
NOT INVOLVED IN BEHALF OF ANY PARTISAN CAMPAIGN. USE OF MISTER HOOVERS NAME IN THIS FASHION DOES A DISSERVICE TO THE FINE ORGANIZATION HE Has. FOR OUR PART YOU MAY REST ASSURED WE WOULD IN NO WAY EVER DO ANYTHING THAT WOULD LEND THIS TYPE OF IMPLIED SUPPORT TO OUR CAMPAIGN. MAY WE HEAR FROM YOU ON THIS MATTER IMMEDIATELY. SINCERELY

REGAN

FOR GOVERNOR COMMITTEE 3257 WILSHIRE.

7TH 3257.
Memorandum

TO: Mr. DeLoach
FROM: R. E. Wick
DATE: 5/12/66
SUBJECT: GEORGE CHRISTOPHER, FORMER MAYOR OF SAN FRANCISCO; USE OF FILM CLIPS DEPICTING DIRECTOR IN POLITICAL CAMPAIGN

A telegram was sent from Los Angeles at 11:43 p.m. on 5/11/66 to Assistant to the Director DeLoach by [name redacted] who identified himself as the [name redacted] of the Regan for Governor Committee, 3257 Wilshire Boulevard, Los Angeles, California. The telegram was to bring to the Director's attention the fact that George Christopher, who is a candidate for the Republican nomination for Governor of California, is using film clips of himself and the Director which were taken several years ago in paid television spots. The telegram requests that the Director indicate to him in some manner that the Director is "not involved in behalf of any partisan campaign."

DATA IN BUREAU FILES

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Wick to DeLoach memo
Re: GEORGE CHRISTOPHER

Office, with a key to the city for the Director. He was thanked for this key by the Director by letter dated 5/14/63 and on 8/5/63 a copy of the August 1963 issue of "The Investigator," which contained a picture of the presentation, was sent to him.

It is noted that Drew Pearson in several recent columns, the last being 5/12/66, has been attacking Christopher on the basis of convictions of Christopher a number of years ago for watering down milk by the Christopher Dairy Farms, owned by Christopher.

The film clips referred to may be the result of the following reflected in our files. By letter dated 8/15/63 addressed to SAC Lynum, Chief of Police Thomas Cahill of San Francisco advised that on 12/8/63 a testimonial dinner would be given for Mayor Christopher in San Francisco marking the end of his administration. Cahill's letter indicated that a moving picture would be shown of messages received from important people and requested that the Director write such a letter to Mayor Christopher commenting on the role he had played to insure good law enforcement for San Francisco. Chief Cahill also requested that the Director send an autographed picture of himself "to appear in this movie" and to be presented to Mayor Christopher 12/8/63. This request was forwarded by San Francisco to the Bureau on 8/19/63. By letter dated 8/26/63 the Director sent to SAC San Francisco a photograph autographed to Mayor Christopher and also enclosed a letter dated 12/8/63 for presentation on that date by Chief Cahill. By letter dated 1/7/64 Mayor Christopher thanked the Director for the photograph and note and stated in his letter, "Your letter and photograph were read and shown to the audience assembled for the dinner, and were warmly received."

ACTION TAKEN

SAC Lynum of the San Francisco Office was telephonically contacted on the morning of 5/12/66 to determine if he or anyone in his office or the Los Angeles Office are aware of or have seen the film clips referred to by Lynum subsequently advised, after checking with the Los Angeles Office, that no personnel of either office had seen the film clips referred to. Lynum advised, however, that Chief of Police Cahill stated that at the testimonial dinner on 12/8/63 a sound movie was shown to those assembled and the Director's photograph, among those of other prominent persons, was shown on the screen at the same time as a narrator read letters from the Director and the other persons addressed to Christopher.
Wick to DeLoach Memo
RE: GEORGE CHRISTOPHER

OBSERVATIONS

It would appear from the above that the film clip referred to by________ is a portion of the movie shown at the testimonial dinner on 12/8/63, reflecting the Director’s photograph and narration of the letter sent by the Director to Mayor Christopher. In any event, it has long been the Director’s policy not to inject himself or the FBI into political campaigns in any way, and it is felt that the attached telegram should be sent to________ so advising him.

RECOMMENDATION

That the attached telegram be sent to________

Regan for Governor Committee, 3257 Wilshire Boulevard, Los Angeles, California.
Memorandum

TO: Mr. DeLoach

FROM: R. E. Wick

DATE: 6-4-66

SUBJECT: GEORGE CHRISTOPHER, FORMER MAYOR OF SAN FRANCISCO; USE OF LETTER FROM DIRECTOR IN POLITICAL CAMPAIGN

Reference is made to memorandum from Wick to Mr. DeLoach dated 5-12-66 (copy attached) which set forth information to the effect that George Christopher, in his campaign for the Republican nomination for Governor of California, was using in a campaign movie being shown on television, a film clip containing a photograph of the Director and a letter to Christopher from the Director dated 12-8-63 (copy attached) commending Christopher for the role he had played in insuring good law enforcement in San Francisco.

It will be recalled that it was determined by the Bureau that such a letter from the Director to Christopher was sent on 12-8-63, along with an autographed photograph of the Director, and that these had been incorporated into a movie which was shown at a testimonial dinner and subsequently presented to Christopher on 12-8-63 upon the completion of his term as Mayor of San Francisco.

The use of the Director's photograph and letter was brought to the Bureau's attention in a telegram dated 5-11-66 from [REDACTED] of the Regan for Governor Committee, Los Angeles, California. It was recommended and approved that a telegram be sent [REDACTED] pointing out to him that it has always been the Director's policy to refrain from lending support to any candidate in campaigns for political office. Such a telegram was sent on 5-12-66.

CURRENT DEVELOPMENTS

SAC Baker of the San Diego Office telephoned and advised at 1:55 p.m., 6-4-66, that a one-half page advertisement appeared in the "San Diego Tribune" on 6-3-66 consisting of photographs of the Director (Continued next page)
R. E. Wick to DeLoach Memo
RE: George Christopher

and former President Eisenhower and letters written to Christopher by Mr. Hoover and the former President. The letter from Mr. Hoover is the one to Mr. Christopher dated 12-8-63. The advertisement states: "This is what two eminent Americans think of George Christopher." The advertisement then goes on to state that the letter from Mr. Hoover was included in a movie which was presented to Christopher at the time of a testimonial dinner to him on 12-8-63. The Director's letter to Christopher is quoted verbatim, including the date on it. Baker advised that a similar ad also appeared in the "San Diego Union" and in the west coast edition of "The Wall Street Journal" on 6-3-66. He is sending copies of this advertisement to the Bureau by airtel today.

ACTION TAKEN:

Baker was advised that should he receive any inquiries regarding these advertisements he should point out that the Director's letter to Christopher was sent in 1963 and advise persons contacting him that it is the Director's policy to refrain from lending support to any candidate in campaigns for political office. It is noted that we have already so advised [_____________] of the Regan for Governor Committee, Los Angeles, California.

RECOMMENDATION:

None. For information.
Mr. DeLoach  

R. E. Wick  

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Enclosure  

1 - Mr. DeLoach  
1 - Mr. Rosen  
1 - Mr. Jones  

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TELEGRAM

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REGAN FOR GOVERNOR COMMITTEE
3257 WILSHIRE BOULEVARD
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA  90005

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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NOTE: See Wick to DeLoach memo 5/12/66 captioned "George
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December 8, 1963

Honorable George Christopher
Mayor
San Francisco, California

My dear Mayor:

On the occasion of the completion of your term as Mayor of San Francisco, I want to express my sincere congratulations to you on the outstanding manner in which you have always discharged the arduous responsibilities of your high office. Certainly, the excellent example you have set will serve as an inspiration to those who follow you.

Your tenure in this position has been characterized by ability and honor, and my associates and I have long valued the spirit of cooperation which you have engendered among all police agencies as well as your strong support of constructive measures contributing to effective law enforcement. I am enclosing one of my photographs which I have autographed to you, and you have my best wishes for continued good health and happiness.

Sincerely yours,

U. Edgar Hoover

Enclosure
1 - San Francisco (Sent with cover memo)
I received your telegram of June 3rd.

You may wish to know that it is and always has been my firm policy to refrain from lending support to any candidate in campaigns for political office.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: [Redacted] is on the mailing list to receive the Uniform Crime Reports bulletin. Our last outgoing to him was dated 2-1-63 over Miss Gandy's signature in view of the fact that he is a chronic letter writer if encouraged. In 1963 the Director sent a letter to George Christopher, Mayor of San Francisco, at the request of Chief of Police Thomas Cahill. It was sent as a message on the occasion of a testimonial honoring Christopher at the termination of his administration, and the Director complimented him on the role he played to insure good law enforcement.
YOUR LETTER OF DEC 8 1963 TO GOVERNORIAL CANDIDATE GEORGE CHRISTOPHER APPEARS IN LAST MINUTE HALF PAGE POLITICAL PRIMARY AD IN THIS MORNINGS GIBSON NEWS PAPER. SEARCH OF PAPER DISCLOSES NO REFERENCE TO HIS MANY ALLEGED CONVICTIONS OF MILK LAW VIOLATIONS IN THIS STATE BUT RATHER FEATURES A TOP EDITORIAL ON ESCELLENCE OF THE MILK INDUSTRY GENERALLY CORDIALLY
LOS ANGELES--GEORGE CHRISTOPHER, REPUBLICAN GUBERNATORIAL CANDIDATE, SUED PEARSON FOR $6 MILLION YESTERDAY, CLAIMING THE COLUMNIST'S EARLIER LIBEL SUIT AGAINST HIM WAS A "SMEAR PLOTTED AND INSPIRED" BY GOV. EDMUND G. (PAT) BROWN.

PEARSON SUED CHRISTOPHER, THE FORMER MAYOR OF SAN FRANCISCO, FOR $2,625,000 LAST MONDAY. PEARSON SUED FOR "LIBEL" AND CLAIMED "INTERFERENCE WITH BUSINESS RELATIONSHIPS." IN HIS CROSS-COMPLAINT, CHRISTOPHER CHARGED THAT PEARSON'S STATEMENTS WERE "UNQUESTIONABLY MOTIVATED BY PAT BROWN" AND THAT THE COLUMNIST'S SUIT WAS "INTENDED TO PREVENT MY NOMINATION, AS EVERY POLL SHOWS THAT I AM THE ONLY REPUBLICAN WHO CAN DEFEAT EVERY DEMOCRATIC PARTY NOMINEE, INCLUDING THE INCUMBENT GOVERNOR."

BROWN CAMPAIGN AIDES MEANTIME DISCLOSED THAT DEMOCRATIC INVESTIGATORS HAVE BEEN LOOKING INTO THE PERSONAL AND POLITICAL LIFE OF CHRISTOPHER AND TWO OTHER BROWN OPPONENTS IN THE JUNE 7 PRIMARY, RONALD REAGAN AND SAMUEL YORTY, MAYOR OF LOS ANGELES.

5/19--GE1013A
TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (62-0)

SUBJECT: USE OF THE DIRECTOR'S NAME BY GEORGE CHRISTOPHER, REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Enclosed for the Bureau is a self-explanatory letter, published by the "Christopher for Governor Committee", beginning, "Dear Fellow Republican..." and signed LEONARD FIRESTONE, JOHN MC CONE and THOMAS B. PIKE.

Enclosed for San Francisco is one Xerox copy of this letter.

The above letter was made available to the Los Angeles Office by and was received by this office on 6/1/66.

The Bureau's attention is invited to paragraph 3 of this letter, which states, "We must let the public see and hear the candidate whose personal character is vouched for by J. EDGAR HOOVER, DWIGHT EISENHOWER, and others in a moving fifteen-minute TV documentary film."

For the information of the Bureau, Los Angeles indices indicate wrote a complimentary letter to the Director on 10/12/62, thanking him for the splendid accomplishments that he has managed under constant attack.

The Director acknowledged this letter from on 10/13/62. has corresponded with the Los Angeles Office infrequently since that time and has furnished information which she felt was of a subversive nature, which information she had received through the mail.

The Christopher for Governor Committee letter is being furnished to the Bureau for information.
LA 62-0

A copy is being furnished to San Francisco in the event San Francisco has received similar information.

| No action being taken by Los Angeles in this matter. |
Dear Fellow Republican:

You are witnessing a Republican primary which has fooled all the handicappers. It now is definitely a two-horse race (or is it "elephant race"?), with the undecided voters determining the winner in these final days of the campaign.

Drew Pearson's revival of a 27-year-old smear against Christopher... long ago proved a pack of lies when George Christopher ran for Supervisor and twice for Mayor of San Francisco... makes it imperative that we launch a decisive television campaign built around the integrity and experience of the man best qualified to be Governor.

We must let the public see and hear the candidate whose personal character is vouched for by J. Edgar Hoover, Dwight D. Eisenhower, and others in a moving 15 minute TV documentary film.

The polls continue to show that Christopher is the only Republican who is a cinch to defeat either of his potential Democrat opponents in the November final.

A generous contribution to the Christopher TV Fund will blow down the Pearson smear and upset the Democrat plot to deny him the Republican nomination.

Please send your check in today. Then watch George Christopher on TV, knowing that you had a decisive role in bringing his proven record of courage, competence and integrity before the Republican voters who will nominate him on June 7th.

Sincerely yours,

[Signature]

Leonard Firestone

John McCone

Thomas P. Pike

P.S. Corporate contributions by companies having no government contracts are legal and acceptable.
June 7, 1966

Your telegram of June 4th has been received.

With respect to your inquiry, it is and always has been my firm policy to refrain from lending support to any candidate in campaigns for political office.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

1 - San Francisco - Enclosure

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J EDGAR HOOVER, DIRECTOR OF THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHDC
GEORGE CHRISTOPHER USING LETTER WRITTEN BY YOU IN 1963 AS ENDORSEMENT
FOR HIS CANDIDACY FOR GOVERNOR IN ADVERTISEMENT OF JUNE 3 1966.
DO YOU ENDORSE CHRISTOPHER? IF NOT, WILL YOU PUBLICIZE THE FACT

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6-7-66
DFC: jflz

EX-103
REC 12 62-105909-17
s JUN 8 1966
Memorandum

TO: Mr. Gale

FROM: [Blank]

SUBJECT: INFORMATION CONCERNING

DATE: June 6, 1966

At 5:55 p.m., June 6, 1966, captioned individual telephonically contacted the Bureau and spoke with SA Extra-duty Supervisor, Special Investigative Division.

advised that he is in Los Angeles, California, and has noted that all of the California newspapers are currently carrying a picture of Director Hoover as well as a letter written by the Director implying that the Director was endorsing George Christopher in his political campaign for the governorship of the State of California.

also noted that Christopher, in addition to running the Director's picture, he was also running in the newspapers a picture of former President Eisenhower and a letter received from Mr. Eisenhower likewise implying endorsement of Christopher for governor.

It should be noted that in December, 1963, when Christopher completed his term as mayor of San Francisco, he received a letter from Director and letters from President Eisenhower and others.

It was pointed out to that the letter he is referring to, that is currently appearing in the California papers, was sent to Mr. Christopher in December, 1963, and in no way pertained to any political campaign. It was also emphatically pointed out that the Director has always had a firm policy of never endorsing any man for any political office.

appreciated receiving this information and then terminated the conversation.

ACTION

Since these newspaper articles have been previously called to the attention of the Bureau, no further action is recommended at this time.
June 10, 1966

62-105909-19

Dear [Name],

I received your communication on June 8th.

Regarding your inquiry, I wrote a letter to Mr. Christopher dated December 8, 1963, after the completion of his term in office as Mayor of San Francisco. With respect to the newspaper clipping you forwarded, I have not endorsed any individual in this campaign as it has always been my firm policy to refrain from lending support to any candidate seeking public office.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Correspondent is identical with [Name] and are members of the John Birch Society. Prior cordial correspondence has been maintained. [Name] forwarded a newspaper clipping containing a photograph of the Director and a copy of the Director's letter to George Christopher, former Mayor of San Francisco. The photograph and letter were used by Christopher to further his political campaign. The letter and photograph were sent to the SAC at San Francisco for use in a testimonial dinner on 12/8/63 following the completion of Christopher's term in office as Mayor.
June 8, 1966

The attached clipping was sent to the Director by [blank] with the following note:

"Would appreciate your confirmation of this letter. This man's reputation scarcely warrants this recommendation. Is it true or false?"

[Blank]
Here's what two eminent Americans say about George Christopher

General Eisenhower said:

It is a privilege to join in paying tribute to George Christopher and to compliment the people of San Francisco on having him at the head of their city's government these past 8 years. As one who has had fine memories of San Francisco and great admiration for your Mayor, I believe your choice was extremely fortunate. George Christopher, as a distinguished civic leader, has earned a high level of respect throughout the country because of what he has done for San Francisco and because of the spirit and dedication he has brought to his office.

He is a man of courage and strong conviction, of impeccable integrity, the kind of American who has always been willing to face a challenge, take a risk, push into unexplored areas of thought and opportunity. He is a shining example of hard working initiative, self-reliance, a sturdy foe of paternalistic government and a vigorous champion of free enterprise and of the fundamental principles of America. In a very real sense, he represents all those immigrants to this land that have contributed their best to the building of America and to the growth of its great, bright heritage in culture. As one who has privileged to know him well over the past decade, I compliment on a job well done. During the years to come, his experience, wisdom, his dedication cannot fail to be of inestimable value to Francisco, to California, and to the nation. Mayor Christopher, I congratulate you on past accomplishments and wish for you many more happy and fruitful years in your home city of San Francisco.

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December 8, 1963

Vote June 7th Primary

George CHRISTOPHER for Governor

The Qualified Candidate ★ The Electable Candidate
Goleta Valley Doings
Harriet Stassese

"It never rains but it pours" does not necessarily refer to liquid drops from the sky. In this case, the reference is to rummage sales, which by and large are a rarity in the Goleta area. Tomorrow, however, there will not only be one but two sales going strong in the heart of Goleta. The Fairview PTA sale will take place at 303 Magnolia Avenue. At the same time the Goleta Boys Club Ladies Auxiliary will be holding its long heralded rummage sale in the Bank of America parking lot on Hollister Avenue. Funds from this sale will be used for buying sport and craft equipment and improving the Boys Club facilities. Items that are being sold include furniture, appliances, toys and clothing. The public is invited to come early (the sale starts at 8 a.m.). do a little shopping, and spend lots of money. We'll see you all you fellow bargain hunters there.

The congenial, well-liked, Joseph Mulroy family of 697 Rosemore Rd. will leave Goleta as soon as school is out. Mulroy is assuming new responsibilities in the Oakland area as an administrator of a Kaiser Foundation hospital. Jean Mulroy has long been active in all areas of community affairs. Daughters Laura and Kathy will be missed by many friends. The Fairview and Goleta Valley Junior High schools respectively.

The Richard Glenn family

School to Increase Insurance Payment

The school board will increase from $6 to $8.08 monthly its contribution for health insurance for each full-time employee. In 1985-86, the board decided last night. It also approved an amendment to the school lease path of the superintendents' residence. The amendment removes the purchase price of the house from the property tax.

During the discussion on health insurance, Superintendent Norman B. Scharrer reported that the county pays about $6 for its employees (this is a 100% contribution), and the state of California and UCSB each contribute $6, so the superintendent added.

Juvenile Hall

Escapes Caught

Two boys who escaped yesterday afternoon from Juvenile Hall were apprehended three hours later hiding behind an El Sueo Road grocery store. The boys, 16 and 18, walked away from the facility about 2:30 p.m. They were spotted by deputies about 5:30 p.m. hiding under a tree behind El Sueo Market. 400 El Sueo Rd. Officers returned the boys to the hall.

Field House Job To Be Completed By Summer's End

Rehabilitation of the field house at Santa Barbara High School will be completed this summer, Robert S. Grant, of the architectural firm of Rundell/Arvedt/Robert/Grant, last night told the school board, when it approved final working drawings for the job.

Work at the building, constructed in 1950, will be in the shower and locker rooms. Estimated cost of the project is $70,500.

The school board authorized forwarding the drawings to the State Office of Architecture and Construction for its approval, together with the necessary filling fee of $300.

The California intersectional train crew and color guard contest, scheduled at Peabody Stadium here tomorrow, has been postponed until some time in the fall.

Ray Kent, a leader in the parents' group of El Kadettes, girls' drill team of Santa Barbara, said that the conflict of school work and examinations cut the participation in the event. It had been planned to come on the same day as the Santa Maria Elks Parade tomorrow, so that drill groups could take part in both events.

Don McGee of Santa Barbara, El Kadettes drillmaster, is making plans for a fall revival of the annual competition, with the date not yet set. El Kadettes will be defending their state championship.
TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
ATTENTION: CRIME RECORDS

FROM: SAC, SAN DIEGO (80-0)
GEORGE CHRISTOPHER
CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR
STATE OF CALIFORNIA


Enclosed is a political advertisement clipped from the "San Diego Evening Tribune," Friday, 6/3/66. This advertisement appeared in the morning San Diego newspaper, the "San Diego Union," on the same day, as well as in a recent issue of the "Wall Street Journal," which is printed on the West Coast.

The enclosed is furnished for the information of the Bureau.

Enclosure

Bureau (Enc. 1)(REGISTERED)
San Diego

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REC-35 62-105909-20
16 JUN 6 1966

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Approved
Special Agent in Charge
Date: 6-3-66
Author: Eugene Williams
Title: Political Advertisement

EVENING TRIBUNE
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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, are excerpts, quoted in full, from a film presented to Mr. Christopher by his friends in 1964 at the conclusion of his 8 years as mayor of San Francisco. These two eminent Americans are recognized for their personal integrity and as astute judges of men. They know George Christopher's entire career and their appraisal deserves the careful study of every voter faced with the selection of a Republican candidate at the June 7th primary.

J. Edgar Hoover wrote:
My dear Mayor:
On the occasion of the completion of your term as Mayor of San Francisco, I want to express my sincere congratulations to you and your outstanding manner in which you have always discharged the arduous responsibilities of your high office. Certainly the excellent example you have set will serve as an inspiration to those who follow you.

Your tenure in this position has been characterized by ability and honor and my associates and I have long valued the spirit of cooperation which you have engendered among all police agencies, as well as your strong support of constructive measures contributing to effective law enforcement. I am enclosing one of my photographs which I have autographed to you and you have my best wishes for continued good health and happiness.

Sincerely yours,

/s/ J. Edgar Hoover

December 8, 1964

Vote June 7th Primary

George CHRISTOPHER for Governor
The Qualified Candidate ★ The Electable Candidate

CHRISTOPHER FOR GOVERNOR COMMITTEE, State Headquarters: Wilshire Blvd., Los Angeles; Howard St., San Francisco. Arch Monson, Jr., State Coordinator; Harold Helm, State Finance Chairman
August 20, 1969

BY LIAISON

Honorable John D. Ehrlichman  
Counsel to the President  
The White House  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Ehrlichman:

Reference is made to your name check request concerning [redacted] and several other individuals.

The central files of the FBI contain no pertinent derogatory information identifiable with the following individuals:

[Redacted]

The fingerprint files of the Identification Division of the FBI contain no arrest data identifiable with the above individuals based upon background information submitted in connection with this name check request with the possible exception of [redacted]

Attached are copies of FBI Identification Records which may be identical with these individuals.

Enclosures:

- Mr. DeLoach (sent direct) - Enclosures
- Mr. Gale (sent direct) - Enclosures

59SEP12 1969
Honorable John D. Ehrlichman

Attached are separate memoranda concerning the following individuals:

Mr. and Mrs. Armand Hammer

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

Enclosures (15)
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8/13, 1969

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Via AIRTEL AIRMAlL - REGISTERED
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO

SUBJECT: GEORGE CHRISTOPHER

Information set forth below was furnished by
on 3/10/71.
GEORGE CHRISTOPHER, the owner of the Christopher Dairies, Inc., is the former mayor of the City of San Francisco and has been in contact with the Soviets frequently in the past.

The foregoing is for information purposes.
Dear Mr. Christopher:

Thank you for sending me a copy of your September 7th letter to the President. I appreciate the support you expressed for my endeavors as Director of the FBI.

Sincerely yours,

C. M. Kelley
Clarence M. Kelley
Director

NOTE: Bufiles indicate Mr. Christopher was Mayor of San Francisco for a period of eight years. Bufiles contain no information to preclude this reply.
The reports being issued about gifts received by Mr. Clarence Kelley seem to have an underlying motive. It is not necessary to go into the matter of Mr. Kelley's integrity, which is considered impeccable.

The surmise is that this is but one more effort on the part of Henry Kissinger to take control of the F.B.I. He already has control of the C.I.A. and the National Security Council—now he would like absolute control over this agency as well.

If you want to investigate the crime of "gifts", let us start with Mr. Kissinger himself. He had no hesitancy, upon entering the Nixon administration, to accept a $50,000 cash gift from Mr. Rockefeller, and he has permitted his wife to be on Rockefeller's payroll at $2,500 per month since,—doing what? All this, while Mr. Kissinger is flitting around the world discussing oil contracts.

Nor does Mr. Kissinger hesitate to accept gifts from foreign countries valued at thousands of dollars, but personally places a value on them of "under $50.00" so that he may retain them personally instead of turning them over to the Government as provided by law. This conduct would normally be considered a major scandal.

I respectfully suggest that you cease playing Kissinger's game and allow Mr. Kelley to pursue his duties in the honorable way he knows. The only devious person in your administration is Kissinger, whose presence in your administration you will someday regret.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE CHRISTOPHER
FM DIRECTOR, FBI
TO FBI WASHINGTON FIELD PRIORITY
FBI ALEXANDRIA PRIORITY
FBI BALTIMORE PRIORITY
FBI PITTSBURGH PRIORITY
FBI SAINT LOUIS PRIORITY
FBI SAN FRANCISCO PRIORITY

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ENCLOSURE FOR WASHINGTON FIELD forwarded BSM.


BUREAU HAS BEEN REQUESTED TO CONDUCT EXPEDITED INVESTIGATION OF CHRISTOPHER FOR PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENT, POSITION NOT INDICATED.

ALL OFFICES - APPOINTEE IS SCHEDULED FOR CONFIRMATION HEARINGS OCTOBER 16, 1981. INVESTIGATION MUST BE MET BY BUDED.

NOTE: REQUEST RECEIVED OCTOBER 6, 1981, FROM FRED FIELDING, COUNSEL TO THE PRESIDENT.
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BORN DECEMBER 8, 1907, IN GREECE, AND HAS SSAN 560-05-4359.

RESIDENCES: 1924 TO JANUARY, 1977, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA; DECEMBER, 1977, TO THE PRESENT, 1170 SACRAMENTO STREET, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA.

EDUCATION: 1924 TO 1929, GALILEO HIGH AND HUMBOLDT EVENING, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, DIPLOMA; 1929 TO 1933, GOLDEN GATE UNIVERSITY, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, B.C.S. DEGREE.

EMPLOYMENT: 1923 TO 1927, SAN FRANCISCO EXAMINER, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, PAYROLL CLERK; 1927 TO 1930, BROWN WILLIAMSON TOBACCO, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, OFFICE MANAGER AND ACCOUNTANT; 1931 TO 1939, VARIOUS PUBLIC ACCOUNTING AND STARTED OWN DAIRY BUSINESS, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA; 1945 TO 1955, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS (CITY AND COUNTY), SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, MEMBER AND PRESIDENT; 1956 TO 1964, CITY OF COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, MAYOR; 1939 TO 1971, CHRISTOPHER DAIRIES, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, OWNER; 1971 TO THE PRESENT, PERSONAL REAL ESTATE BUSINESS, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, OWNER, BLUE SHIELD ADV. BOARD, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, MEMBER; CENTRAL BANK AND CENTRAL BANKING

DO NOT TYPE MESSAGE BELOW THIS LINE
SYSTEM, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, CONSULTANT; BERKELEY FARMS DAIRIES, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, CONSULTANT.

ARRESTS: 1939, VIOLATION MILK PRICE FIXING CAN, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE OF CALIFORNIA, MISDEMEANOR FINE.

RELATIVES: THE FOLLOWING RELATIVES ARE DECEASED:
BROTHER, JOHN CHRISTOPHER, BORN 1927; FATHER, JAMES CHRISTOPHER, BORN 1887; AND MOTHER, MARY KOINES CHRISTOPHER, BORN 1889.

THE FOLLOWING RELATIVES ARE LIVING: SPOUSE, TULA SARANTITIS CHRISTOPHER, BORN 1912, RESIDES 1170 SACRAMENTO STREET, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA;

REFERENCES AND ASSOCIATES:
ALEXANDRIA CHECK CIA.
BALTIMORE CHECK DCII.
SAINT LOUIS CHECK FRC-C.
PITTSBURGH CHECK OPM.
SAN FRANCISCO, AS PRINCIPAL OFFICE, INSURE AT LEAST THIRTY
TO THIRTY-FIVE PERSONS KNOWLEDGEABLE CONCERNING APPOINTEE ARE
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Koine, Mary

James, Mrs.

OCT 9 1981

FBI/DOJ
TO: FBI, LIAISON  
FROM: FRED F. FIELDING  
SUBJECT: FBI Investigations

Subject's Name: CHRISTOPHER, GEORGE  
Date of Birth: Dec. 8, 1907  
Place of Birth: Greece  
Present Address: 1170 Sacramento Street, San Francisco, Calif.

We request:  

- Copy of Previous Report
- Name Check
- Full Field Investigation NO IRS TO FBI

The person named above is being considered for:

- White House Staff Position
  - Presidential Appointment

Attachments:

- SF 86 1 2
- SF 87, Fingerprint Card

Remarks/Special Instructions:

SPECIAL EXPEDITE (resending)
### Security Investigation Data for Sensitive Position

**Instructions:** Prepare in triplicate, using a typewriter. Fill in all items. If the answer is "No" or "None," so state. If more space is needed for any item, continue under item 28.

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28. SPACE FOR CONTINUING ANSWERS TO OTHER QUESTIONS. (Show item numbers to which answers apply. Attach a separate sheet if there is not enough space here.)

29. REPORT OF INFORMATION DEVELOPED. (This space reserved for FBI use.)

DATE:

Before signing this form check back over it to make sure you have answered all questions fully and correctly.

CERTIFICATION

I CERTIFY that the statements made by me on this form are true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, and are made in good faith.

False statement on this form is punishable by law.

(DATE) (SIGNATURE—Sign original and first carbon copy)

INFORMATION TO BE FURNISHED BY AGENCY

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DATE OF APPOINTMENT TYPE OF APPOINTMENT ☐ EXCEPTED ☐ COMPETITIVE. (Include indefinite and temporary types of competitive appointments.) CIVIL-SERVICE REGULATION NUMBER OR OTHER APPOINTMENT AUTHORITY TITLE OF POSITION AND GRADE OR SALARY

DEPARTMENT OR AGENCY DUTY STATION SEND RESULTS OF PREAPPOINTMENT CHECK TO:

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(SIGNATURE AND TITLE OF AUTHORIZED AGENCY OFFICIAL)

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14. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN DISCHARGED FROM THE ARMED FORCES UNDER OTHER THAN HONORABLE CONDITIONS?  □ YES □ NO.

(If answer is "Yes," give details in item 28.)  N/A

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(DETERMINE MONTH + YEARS)

16. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN DISCHARGED (FIRED) FROM EMPLOYMENT FOR ANY REASON?  □ YES □ NO.

17. HAVE YOU EVER RESIGNED (QUIT) AFTER BEING INFORMED THAT YOUR EMPLOYER INTENDED TO DISCHARGE (FIRE) YOU FOR ANY REASON?  □ YES □ NO.

(If your answer to 16 or 17 above is "Yes" give details in item 28. Show the name and address of employer, approximate date, and reasons in each case. This information should agree with the statements made in item 15—EMPLOYMENT.)

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1. FULL NAME
   (Initials and abbreviations of full name are not acceptable. If no middle name, show form (MMN); if initials only, show “(NMN)."
   
   LAST NAME: CHRISTOPHER
   FIRST NAME: GEORGE
   MIDDLE NAME: NMN

   OTHER NAMES USED. (Maiden name, names by former marriages, former names changed legally or otherwise, aliases, nicknames, etc. Specify which, and show dates used.)

   TELEPHONES: (415) 626-8410
   (415) 776-6610

   7. IF MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED, GIVE FULL NAME AND DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH OF SPOUSE. IF FORMER SPOUSE, INCLUDE HIS/her NAME, GIVE DATE AND PLACE OF MARRIAGE OR DIVORCE.

   (Give same information regarding all previous marriages and divorces.) Married to Tula Sarantossi on June 23, 1935, in San Francisco, Calif. She was born in S.F. on Dec 28, 1912.

   8. DATES AND PLACES OF RESIDENCE. (If actual places of residence differ from the mailing addresses, furnish and identify both.

   FROM TO NUMBER AND STREET CITY STATE
   Dec 1977 - date 1170 Sacramento St. S.F. Calif
   Nov 1977 - Jan 1945 55 Stonecreek Ave S.F. Calif
   Dec 1945 - Dec 1948 3029 25th Ave S.F. Calif
   Dec 1948 - 1929 89 Shipley St S.F. Calif
   1924 - 1929 54 Perry St S.F. Calif

   9. U.S. CITIZEN
   □ BY BIRTH □ NATURALIZED
   □ ALIEN REGISTRATION NO.
   □ DATE, PLACE, AND COURT
   □ CERT. NO. 318560 PETITION NO. 19027
   □ DERIVED-PARENTS CERT. NO.(S).
   □ ALIEN REGISTRATION NO.
   NATIVE COUNTRY: Greece
   DATE AND PORT OF ENTRY: New York, 1911

   10. EDUCATION. (All schools above elementary.)

   NAME OF SCHOOL: Galileo High and Humboldt Evening S.F.
   ADDRESS: Golden State University
   FROM (Year): 1924 - 1929 1929 - 1933
   TO (Year): 1929 1933
   DEGREES: regular high school degree

   11. THIS SPACE FOR FBI USE. (See also item 29.)

   12. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER: 560-05-4359 A

   13. MILITARY SERVICE (Past or present)

   SERIAL NO. (If none, give grade or rating at separation)
   BRANCH OF SERVICE (Army, Navy, Air Force, etc.)
   FROM (Yr.) TO (Yr.)
Before signing this form check back over it to make sure you have answered all questions fully and correctly.

CERTIFICATION

I CERTIFY that the statements made by me on this form are true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, and are made in good faith.

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in San Francisco since 1911.

With regard to Form 278, I do not understand what more the Office of Ethics desires. The addresses may further identified, but these holdings are in small towns, and everyone knows the property. However, I have tried to further identify the locations. Regarding values all such properties are listed at cost.

For their further information, the following is more direct identification:

1. Modera Calif. Property: This is a leased Bank building, leased to Crocker Bank, on Yosemite Ave (the only Crocker Bank in town).

2. Mountain View Property: This is leased to Bell Savings & Loan (the only one in town).

3. Local Los Property: This is leased to First Interstate Bank (the only one in town).

4. Hayward Calif. Property: Leased to First Interstate Bank (the only one in town).

5. S.F. Commercial Property: Commercial Bldg at 65 Sansome St, San Francisco.


7. S.F. Commercial Property: 1600 Market St, leased to Eureka National Savings and private office.

8. Residential Condominium – 1170 Sacramento St Apt 5 D.
Dear [Name],

With reference to your letter of Sept. 9, 1981, I thought it might be more expeditious if I responded in this written note.

Question 1: re: Number 8

From 1924 to 1929 we lived at 54 Perry Street, San Francisco, house by house re-demolished, and then moved to 89 Shipley St., San Francisco. In fact, we lived in this area from 1911.

Question 2: re: question Number 10: Yes, I did receive a high school degree from Humboldt Evening High School.

Question No. 3: re: Employment since 1971

During this time I have served as a consultant to Berkeley Farms Dairies in San Francisco, as a compensated consultant; served as a compensated member of the Board of Directors of Central Bank and Central Banking System; as a compensated member of Blue Shield Advisory Board; as Non-Compensated advisor to Greece and Cyprus; and manager of my own realty holdings in various parts of the State of California.

Your Question No. 4 - Yes, all my residences have been...
TO: George Christopher

This letter confirms in writing your express consent for the Federal Bureau of Investigation to make an investigation of your background as part of the consideration for your application for employment.

You should be aware that the authority to collect this background information is based on the President's executive powers in Article II of the Constitution. The information will be used to obtain necessary clearances to assist you in your work. The background information, which includes a review of FBI files, will be disclosed to another Federal agency, to assist in its process of clearing you. Wilfully making a false statement, or concealing a material fact, may constitute a violation of Section 1001, Title 18, of the U.S. Code.

If you provide any information which indicates a violation of law, whether civil, criminal or regulatory in nature, it will be referred to the appropriate Federal, state, local or foreign agency.

By volunteering information about how you exercise rights guaranteed by the First Amendment, it will be assumed that you are expressly authorizing the maintenance of this information in the records of any Federal agency.

The FBI investigation will include the collection and use of relevant information in the files of various Federal agencies and it is necessary that you authorize the disclosure of such information to the FBI.

If you consent to such an investigation, and to the disclosure of relevant information by other Federal departments and agencies to the FBI, please sign your name below and return this original letter of consent to me.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Fred F. Fielding

Approved: George Christopher

Date: Aug 10, 1981
AUTHORITY TO RELEASE INFORMATION

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

I hereby authorize any Special Agent or other authorized representative of the Federal Bureau of Investigation bearing this release, or copy thereof, within one year of its date, to obtain any information in your files pertaining to my educational records including, but not limited to, academic, achievement, attendance, athletic, personal history, and disciplinary records; employment records; and credit records. I hereby direct you to release such information upon request of the bearer. This release is executed with full knowledge and understanding that the information is for the official use of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. Consent is granted for the FBI to furnish such information, as described above, to third parties in the course of fulfilling its official responsibilities. I hereby release you, as the custodian of such records, and any school, college, university, or other educational institution, credit bureau or consumer reporting agency, including its officers, employees, or related personnel, both individually and collectively, from any and all liability for damages of whatever kind, which may at any time result to me, my heirs, family or associates because of compliance with this authorization and request to release information, or any attempt to comply with it. Should there be any questions as to the validity of this release, you may contact me as indicated below:

Full Name: ____________________________
Signature: ____________________________

Full Name: ____________________________
Type or Print Name: GEORGE CHRISTOPHER

Parent/Guardian (if required): ____________________________

Date: ____________________________

Current Address: 1170 Sacramento St.
San Francisco, Cal. 94108

Telephone Number: (415) 776-6610
(415) 626-8410
Airtel

10-7-81

Director, FBI

SACs, Alexandria - Enc. (2)
Baltimore - Enc. (2)
Pittsburgh - Enc. (3)
Saint Louis - Enc. (2)
San Francisco - Enc. (2)

GEORGE (NMN) CHRISTOPHER
SPECIAL INQUIRY
BUDED: OCTOBER 14, 1981 WITHOUT FAIL. (B)

ReButel today.

Enclosed are background data and records release received with request for investigation.

SPIN
To: SAN FRANCISCO
From: FBHQ - SPIN
Subject: GEORGE (NMN) CHRISTOPHER
        SPECIAL INQUIRY (B)
        BUDDO: 10-14-81

Date: OCT 7 1981
Time: Transmitted 3:50 p.m.

Special handling instructions:
ATTN: SPIN DECK.
ENVELOPE REMOVED FOR HANDLING.

Approved: JUN 10 1982

RETURN TO: USAF SECURITY

536-5158
TO DIRECTOR, FBI (IMMEDIATE) .

BOSTON (IMMEDIATE) .

LOS ANGELES (IMMEDIATE) VIA FBIHQ BT .

UNCLAS .

GEORGE (NMN) CHRISTOPHER; SPIN; BUDED: OCTOBER 14, 1981, WITHOUT FAIL (B) .

FOR THE INFORMATION OF BOSTON AND LOS ANGELES, BUREAU HAS BEEN REQUESTED TO CONDUCT EXPEDITE INVESTIGATION OF CHRISTOPHER FOR PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENT, POSITION NOT INDICATED. APPOINTEE IS SCHEDULED FOR CONFIRMATION HEARINGS OCTOBER 16, 1981, THEREFORE, INVESTIGATION MUST BE MET BY BUDED .

APPOINTEE WAS BORN DECEMBER 8, 1907, IN GREECE AND HAS SOCIAL SECURITY ACCOUNT NUMBER 560-05-4359 .
RECEIVING OFFICES ARE REQUESTED TO CONDUCT APPROPRIATE SPIN INVESTIGATIONS.

SPIN.

BT
RE BUREAU TT TO PITTSBURGH DATED OCTOBER 7, 1981.

ON OCTOBER 8, 1981, OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT (USOPM), NACI CENTER, BOYERS, PENNSYLVANIA (AP), ADVISED THAT HIS INDICES CONTAIN NO RECORD FOR CAPTIONED APPLICANT.
UNCLAS

GEORGE (NMN) CHRISTOPHER, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED: OCTOBER 14, 1981.

RE BUREAU TEL DATED OCTOBER 7, 1981.

THE DEFENSE CENTRAL INDEX OF INVESTIGATIONS (DCII) IS A
COMPUTERIZED INDEX OF APPLICANT, SECURITY, AND CRIMINAL INVESTI-
GATIVE FILES COMPILED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE (DOD). ON
OCTOBER 8, 1981, A SEARCH OF THE DCII WAS CONDUCTED IN REGARD TO
APPLICANT BY THE DCII COMPUTER OPERATOR AT FORT GEORGE G. MEADE,
MARYLAND. REVIEW OF THE RESULTING DCII PRINTOUT DISCLOSED NO
RECORD LOCATED FOR APPOINTEE.

NONE OF THE PERSONS CONTACTED REQUESTED CONFIDENTIALITY UNDER
THE PROVISIONS OF THE PRIVACY ACT.

BT

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RE: SAN FRANCISCO TELTYPE TO BUREAU, OCTOBER 8, 1981.

REFERENCE:

ON OCTOBER 9, 1981, I ADVISED

SA HE HAS KNOWN APPOINTEE SINCE 1958. AT THAT TIME APPOINTEE WAS MAYOR OF SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA (1956-1964). WAS APPOINTED TO SEVERAL COMMISSIONS BY APPOINTEE AND WORKED WITH APPOINTEE VERY CLOSELY. STATED THAT APPOINTEE OWNED A DAIRY AT THE TIME AND REFUSED TO PLACE BIDS SELLING MILK TO THE PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM AS HE NEVER WANTED TO BE LATER ACCUSED OF PREFERENTIAL TREATMENT BECAUSE HE WAS MAYOR.
STATED HE WAS PRESENT ON SEVERAL OCCASIONS WHEN INFLUENTIAL MEMBERS OF THE CITY OF SAN FRANCISCO WENT TO MAYOR CHRISTOPHER AND ASKED FOR PREFERENTIAL TREATMENT OR SPECIAL FAVORS. HE SAID ON EACH OCCASION, APPOINTEE WOULD IMMEDIATELY REFUSE THE REQUEST AND THEN WOULD ESCORT THE PEOPLE FROM HIS OFFICE.

STATED IN HIS YEARS OF KNOWING APPOINTEE, HE HAS ALWAYS FOUND APPOINTEE TO HAVE THE HIGHEST INTEGRITY, TO BE EXTREMELY TRUSTWORTHY, CAPABLE AND HONEST. HE STATED HE HAS NEVER MET ANYONE WITH HIGHER STANDARDS AND MORALS THAN THE APPOINTEE. APPOINTEE ENJOYS AN EXCELLENT REPUTATION AND HE HAS NO REASON TO QUESTION HIS LOYALTY TO THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT. HE HIGHLY RECOMMENDED APPOINTEE FOR A POSITION OF TRUST WITH THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT.

ADMINISTRATIVE:

ALL INDIVIDUALS CONTACTED WERE APPRISED OF THE PROVISIONS OF THE PRIVACY ACT AND NONE REQUESTED CONFIDENTIALITY.
TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, WFO (161-15521) (P) (C-1)

GEORGE (NMH) CHRISTOPHER,
SPIN
BUDED: 10/14/81 (WF) (B)

ADMINISTRATIVE

All persons contacted were advised of the provisions of the Privacy Act of 1974; none requested confidentiality.

LEAD:

WASHINGTON FIELD:

AT WASHINGTON, D.C.

Will report results of MPD and USSS checks when received.

1-Bureau
1-WFO

EGB:tvw
(2)

Approved: 6/30/82

Transmitted (Number) (Time) Per

53 JUN 10 1982
White House Office (WHO)

A search of the files of the Records Office, WHO by

revealed no record concerning

George Christopher.
CRIME AND POLICE AGENCY

caused a search to be made of the files of the Credit Bureau, Incorporated, Washington, D.C., and was advised on __________, that the files contained (a satisfactory credit record) (no credit rating) (no record) for the _________________.

On __________, SC determined that no arrest record was contained in the Metropolitan Police Department files concerning the _________________. (or relatives).

It is to be noted that at all times an indefinite number of unidentifiable records are out of file and not available for review.

On __________, SC determined that no record was contained in the Department of Transportation, Bureau of Motor Vehicle Services, Government of the District of Columbia files concerning the _________________ or relatives.

On __________, SC searched the files of the United States Park Police and no identifiable adult criminal or traffic record could be located regarding the George Christopher.

MISCELLANEOUS

SA ________________ caused a search to be made of the files of the Office of Personnel Management, and was advised on __________ that no (additional pertinent information) (record) was found concerning the _________________.

SA ________________ caused a search to be made of the files of the U.S. Secret Service, Department of the Treasury, and was advised on __________ that (no record) (no derogatory information) (no additional pertinent information) was found concerning the _________________.

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GEORGE (MMN) CHRISTOPHER, SPIN; BUDED: OCTOBER 14, 1981 WITHOUT FAIL.

REBUTEL TO BOSTON DATED OCTOBER 8, 1981.

REFERENCE/ASSOCIATES
ON OCTOBER 9, 1981, [BLACKED OUT] ADVISED


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NO REASON TO QUESTION THE APPOINTEE'S LOYALTY TO THE UNITED STATES AND STATED THAT "THERE SHOULD BE MORE AMERICANS LIKE HIM, HIS FIRST THOUGHT IS FOR AMERICA". HE ADVISED THAT THE APPOINTEE IS WELL INFORMED REGARDING FOREIGN AND NATIONAL AFFAIRS. HE KNEW OF NOTHING DEROGATORY IN NATURE CONCERNING THE APPOINTEE AND GAVE HIM HIS HIGHEST RECOMMENDATION FOR A POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE WITH THE U.S. GOVERNMENT.

ADMINISTRATIVE:

ALL PERSONS CONTACTED IN THIS MATTER WERE ADVISED OF THE PROVISIONS OF THE PRIVACY ACT OF 1974 AND NONE DESIRED CONFIDENTIALITY.
EMPLOYMENT

THE FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION WAS CONDUCTED BY SA

AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

ON OCTOBER 9, 1981,

BERKELEY FARMS, 2065 OAKDALE AVENUE, ADVISED THAT APPOINTEE HAS BEEN SERVING AS A CONSULTANT TO BERKELEY FARMS SINCE ABOUT 1970 WHEN THE APPOINTEE SOLD HIS BUSINESS, CHRISTOPHER DAIRIES, TO BERKELEY FARMS. AS ITS CONSULTANT,
ADVISED THE APPOINTEE'S RESPONSIBILITIES CONSIST PRIMARILY OF ENTERTAINING ITS CUSTOMERS AND ALSO BEING AVAILABLE TO ANSWER WHATEVER QUESTIONS BERKELEY FARMS MAY HAVE REGARDING THE DAIRY BUSINESS. TO THIS END, STATED THE APPOINTEE HAS BEEN MOST EFFECTIVE AND BERKELEY FARMS IS PROUD OF ITS ASSOCIATION WITH APPOINTEE. GLADLY RECOMMENDED THE APPOINTEE FOR A POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE.

ON OCTOBER 9, 1981, BLUE SHIELD OF CALIFORNIA, TWO NORTH POINT, ADVISED THAT THE APPOINTEE HAS BEEN AND IS A MEMBER OF ITS ADMINISTRATIVE ADVISORY BOARD, WHICH HAS 70 MEMBERS, SINCE ABOUT 1978. THE ADMINISTRATIVE ADVISORY BOARD'S FUNCTION RESTS PRIMARILY ON THE ELECTION OF A BOARD OF DIRECTORS, CONSISTING OF 23 INDIVIDUALS, WHO ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR GUIDING THE OPERATIONS OF BLUE SHIELD. ADVISED THAT BLUE SHIELD IS HONORED TO HAVE APPOINTEE ON ITS BOARD AND HE HIGHLY RECOMMENDED THE APPOINTEE FOR A POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE.

ON OCTOBER 8, 1981, A REVIEW THROUGH THE APPROPRIATE CITY DIRECTORIES FOR THE SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA FAILED TO LOCATE ANY BUSINESS IDENTIFIABLE WITH THE BROWN WILLIAMSON COMPANY.
SEE REFERENCES AND ASSOCIATES FOR CONFIRMATION OF OTHER EMPLOYMENTS.

RESIDENCE

THE FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION WAS CONDUCTED BY SA

AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

ON OCTOBER 8, 1981,

ADVISED THAT HE HAS KNOWN THE APPOINTEE FOR OVER FORTY YEARS AND HAS BEEN HIS NEIGHBOR FOR ABOUT FOUR YEARS. DESCRIBED THE APPOINTEE AS A PERSON OF GOOD CHARACTER, HONESTY, LOYALTY AND INTEGRITY. HE WAS ONE OF SAN FRANCISCO'S BEST MAYORS AND HE IS MORE THAN QUALIFIED FOR ANY PUBLIC OFFICE. ADVISED THAT THE APPOINTEE, IN ADDITION TO BEING A GOOD PERSON, IS ALSO A GOOD NEIGHBOR. GLADLY RECOMMENDED THE APPOINTEE FOR A POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE.

ON OCTOBER 8, 1981,

ADVISED THAT SHE FIRST MET THE APPOINTEE IN 1956 AND HAS BEEN HIS NEIGHBOR SINCE 1977. ADVISED THAT SHE HAS THE HIGHEST RESPECT FOR THE APPOINTEE AND HAS ALWAYS KNOWN HIM TO BE A PERSON OF OUTSTANDING HONESTY AND
INTEGRITY. HE IS A VERY PATRIOTIC AMERICAN AND AN ABLE PUBLIC SERVANT. FURTHER ADVISED THAT THE APPOINTEE HAS BEEN AN EXCELLENT NEIGHBOR AND SHE UNHESITATINGLY RECOMMENDED THE APPOINTEE FOR A POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE.

ON OCTOBER 8, 1981, ADVISED THAT HE HAS BEEN FRIENDS WITH THE APPOINTEE FOR ABOUT SEVEN YEARS AND NEIGHBORS FOR ABOUT FOUR YEARS.

DESCRIBED THE APPOINTEE AS VERY FRIENDLY AND OUTGOING. HE IS A MAN OF NOTED HONESTY AND INTEGRITY. HE IS NOT ONE WHO IMPOSES HIMSELF ON OTHERS AND HE IS AN EXCELLENT NEIGHBOR.

THINKS HIGHLY OF THE APPOINTEE AND HE RECOMMENDED THE APPOINTEE, WITHOUT HESITATION, FOR A POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE.

ON OCTOBER 8, 1981, ADVISED THAT HE HAS BEEN FRIENDS WITH THE APPOINTEE FOR ABOUT TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AND WAS HIS NEIGHBOR FOR OVER FIFTEEN YEARS. ADVISED THAT HE WAS WHEN APPOINTEE WAS MAYOR OF SAN FRANCISCO AND HE CONSIDERS THE APPOINTEE TO BE THE BEST MAYOR SAN FRANCISCO EVER HAD.

ON OCTOBER 8, 1981, _______ ADVISED THAT THE APPOINTEE WAS HIS NEIGHBOR FOR OVER FIFTEEN YEARS AND HE HAS ALWAYS FOUND HIM TO BE FRIENDLY AND COURTEOUS. HE IS A MAN OF IMPECCABLE HONESTY, LOYALTY AND INTEGRITY. AS A NEIGHBOR, HE WAS ALWAYS VERY HELPFUL AND CARING. _______ HIGHLY RECOMMENDED THE APPOINTEE FOR A POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE.

ON OCTOBER 8, 1981, _______ ADVISED THAT HE AND THE APPOINTEE HAVE BEEN FRIENDS FOR ABOUT TWENTY-FOUR YEARS AND WERE NEIGHBORS FOR ABOUT TWENTY YEARS. _______ DESCRIBED THE APPOINTEE AS A SINCERE AND DEDICATED MAN. HE IS WELL BALANCED AND HAS A GOOD UNDERSTANDING OF PEOPLE. HE IS A PERSON OF OUTSTANDING HONESTY, LOYALTY AND INTEGRITY. IN ADDITION TO HAVING BEEN A GOOD NEIGHBOR, HE
IS ALSO A GOOD FRIEND. RECOMMENDED THE APPOINTEE, WITHOUT HESITATION, FOR A POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE.

ON OCTOBER 9, 1981, ADVISED THAT HE PURCHASED SAID RESIDENCE FROM THE APPOINTEE IN 1977. IS ONLY VAGUELY FAMILIAR WITH THE APPOINTEE BUT HE ADVISED THAT HE HAS HEARD NOTHING BUT COMPLIMENTS FROM THE NEIGHBORS ABOUT HIM. BASED ON HIS BUSINESS DEALINGS WITH THE APPOINTEE, I.E., PURCHASE OF SAID RESIDENCE, AND WHAT HE HAS HEARD, ADVISED HE KNOWS OF NO REASON WHY THE APPOINTEE SHOULD NOT BE SELECTED FOR A POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE.

REFERENCES

THE FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION WAS CONDUCTED BY SA AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

ON OCTOBER 9, 1981, ADVISED THAT HE HAS KNOWN THE APPOINTEE FOR ABOUT THIRTY-FIVE YEARS WHEN THE APPOINTEE WAS FIRST A MEMBER OF THE SAN FRANCISCO BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AND LATER MAYOR OF SAN FRANCISCO. IN FACT,
CONTINUED, THE APPOINTEE USED TO HAVE HIS BUSINESS, CHRISTOPHER DAIRIES, NEAR HIS

DESCRIBED THE APPOINTEE AS A MAN OF IMPECCABLE HONESTY, LOYALTY AND INTEGRITY. HE IS AN EXTREMELY ABLE PUBLIC SERVANT AND A CARING HUMAN BEING. FELT THAT THE APPOINTEE IS JUST AN ALL-AROUND FIRST-RATE PERSON AND ADVISED THAT HE COULDN'T RECOMMEND ANYONE MORE HIGHLY THAN THE APPOINTEE FOR ANY POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE.

ON OCTOBER 9, 1981, ADVISED THAT HE FIRST MET THE APPOINTEE SOME TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO WHEN THE APPOINTEE WAS MAYOR OF SAN FRANCISCO. DESCRIBED THE APPOINTEE AS AN EXCELLENT BUSINESSMAN, A GOOD CITIZEN, AND A CARING INDIVIDUAL. STATED THAT THE APPOINTEE IS "A GREAT MAN" AND THAT "NO ONE WOULD BE A BETTER DELEGATE TO THE UNITED NATIONS" THAN THE APPOINTEE. HIGHLY RECOMMENDED THE APPOINTEE WITHOUT RESERVATION.

ON OCTOBER 9, 1981, ADVISED THAT HE HAS KNOWN THE APPOINTEE FOR OVER FORTY YEARS AND THAT HE COULDN'T PRAISE ANYONE MORE THAN THE APPOINTEE. HE IS "STRAIGHT AS AN ARROW." HE IS A MAN OF CONVICTION WHOSE
HONESTY, LOYALTY AND INTEGRITY ARE OF THE HIGHEST CALIBER.

SUCH COMMENTS, STATED, ARE BASED ON THEIR MANY YEARS OF ASSOCIATION INCLUDING HIS DEALINGS WITH THE APPOINTEE'S FORMER DAIRY BUSINESS--THE CHRISTOPHER DAIRIES. "HIS WORD IS HIS BOND," ADDED WITHOUT HESITATION, RECOMMENDED THE APPOINTEE FOR A POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE.

ON OCTOBER 9, 1981, ADVISED THAT SHE HAS KNOWN THE APPOINTEE FOR ABOUT FORTY-FIVE YEARS AND THAT THE APPOINTEE HAD SERVED ON THE SAN FRANCISCO LIBRARY COMMISSION WITH HER LATE HUSBAND. DESCRIBED THE APPOINTEE AND HIS WIFE AS "THE GRANDEST PEOPLE" SHE HAS EVER KNOWN. THEY ARE PEOPLE OF UPRIGHT CHARACTER, HONESTY AND INTEGRITY. THEY ARE ALSO VERY CARING AND COMPASSIONATE PEOPLE, A "RARITY" IN TODAY'S WORLD. WAS MOST IMPRESSED WITH THE APPOINTEE AND SHE RECOMMENDED THE APPOINTEE, WITHOUT QUALIFICATION, FOR A POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE.

ON OCTOBER 9, 1981, ADVISED THAT HE HAS BEEN FRIENDS WITH THE APPOINTEE FOR OVER THIRTY YEARS. DESCRIBED THE APPOINTEE AS A PERSON OF THE HIGHEST CHARACTER, HONESTY AND INTEGRITY. HE HAS A KEEN SENSE OF HUMOR AND GREAT COMPASSION FOR OTHERS. HE IS METICULOUS, FRIENDLY AND OUTGOING. HE IS, ACCORDING TO THE BEST MAYOR SAN FRANCISCO HAS EVER HAD AND THE U.S. GOVERNMENT IS GETTING A MOST ABLE REPRESENTATIVE. RECOMMENDED THE APPOINTEE, WITHOUT RESERVATION,
TO ANY POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE.

ON OCTOBER 9, 1981, [Redacted]

The following investigation was conducted by SAl

At Santa Rosa, California

On October 13, 1981,

Advised he has been acquainted with George Christopher for nearly thirty years. He stated he first became acquainted with Christopher when Christopher became a supervisor in San Francisco and at which time was employed by the City and County of San Francisco.

Advised that when Christopher became mayor of San Francisco he appointed as of the City of San Francisco. He further advised that this position is the position

Advised that Christopher was a man who provided the best direction in leadership of any mayor San Francisco has ever known. He advised Christopher brought in the top people he could get to run the city as Christopher believed the city was in bad shape and through those he brought in to run the various departments the city became very efficiently run. During the eight
YEARS CHRISTOPHER WAS MAYOR OF SAN FRANCISCO, THE CITY RAN VERY SMOOTHLY AND CHRISTOPHER ELIMINATED CORRUPTION WITHIN THE CITY'S DEPARTMENTS.

ADvised that Christopher kept close personal contact with each department head in San Francisco so he would know all that was transpiring within each department.

ADvised that Christopher was always very frugal with the people's money and wanted the utmost for each city dollar spent.

He advised he considered Christopher to be a very intelligent, hard working, sincere individual who is "as honest as the day is long" and one who possesses a sense of humor. He advised Christopher is an out-going person who makes friends easily and those who are his friends are persons of outstanding character and reputation as is Christopher.

He advised Christopher has always been extremely knowledgeable of U.S. government and world affairs and is one who always keeps himself abreast of current events. He advised Christopher is capable of putting in long hard work hours on his job and has always done so when needed.
ADvised without reservation he would recommend Christopher for a position of trust and confidence.
ASSOCIATES

THE FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION WAS CONDUCTED BY SA

AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

ON OCTOBER 12, 1981, ADVISED

THAT HE HAS KNOWN THE APPOINTEE FOR SOME THIRTY-FIVE YEARS AND CONSIDERS HIM TO BE A TOP-NOTCH INDIVIDUAL IN ALL REGARDS.

ADvised that he was when the appointee was mayor and he was a most able and honest public servant. described the appointee as a person of excellent character with unquestionable integrity and loyalty.

ADvised that the appointee has always conducted himself in a professional manner and was and is well respected by his peers. have the appointee the highest recommendation for a position of trust and confidence.

ON OCTOBER 12, 1981, ADVISED THAT HE HAS KNOWN THE APPOINTEE SINCE THE MID 1950'S AND HAS FOUND HIM TO BE AN EXCEPTIONALLY HONEST INDIVIDUAL. HE IS A MAN OF HIGH CHARACTER WHOSE INTEGRITY AND LOYALTY ARE BEYOND REPROACH. AS A MATTER OF
FACT, ___ ADVISED, HE WOULD "TRUST (THE APPOINTEE) WITH HIS MONEY AND FAMILY." ___ DESCRIBED THE APPOINTEE AS A SELF-EDUCATED MAN WHO IS VERY CHARMING AND CARING. ___ WAS FAVORABLY IMPRESSED WITH THE APPOINTEE AND HE RECOMMENDED THE APPOINTEE, WITHOUT RESERVATION, FOR A POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE.


ON OCTOBER 8, 1981, ___ ADVISED THAT HE AND THE APPOINTEE HAVE BEEN FRIENDS SINCE
THEIR CHILDHOOD DAYS--SOME SIXTY YEARS NOW, DESCRIBED THE APPOINTEE AS A MAN OF THE HIGHEST CALIBER IN ALL RESPECTS.
HE IS INTELLIGENT, CARING, HONEST, LOYAL AND COMPASSIONATE.
HE WAS THE BEST MAYOR SAN FRANCISCO EVER HAD AND IN HIS OPINION, STATED THE BEST SELECTION THE GOVERNMENT COULD HAVE MADE. BASED ON HIS KNOWLEDGE OF THE APPOINTEE, RECOMMENDED THE APPOINTEE, UNQUALIFIABLY, FOR A POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE.

ON OCTOBER 8, 1981, ADVISED THAT HE HAS KNOWN THE APPOINTEE FOR SOME THIRTY YEARS AND THAT HE WAS APPOINTEE'S FURTHER ADVISED THAT THE APPOINTEE WAS THE FINEST, MOST UPRIGHT MAYOR HE HAS EVER SERVED UNDER. HE IS "DYNAMIC, INDEPENDENT AND NOT PERSUADED BY EMOTIONS." HE IS A STRONG LEADER WITH IMPECCABLE HONESTY, LOYALTY AND INTEGRITY. HE IS FRIENDLY, COMPASSIONATE AND CARING. HE IS EXEMPLARY OF A GOOD PUBLIC SERVANT. WAS FAVORABLY IMPRESSED WITH THE APPOINTEE AND HE HIGHLY RECOMMENDED THE APPOINTEE FOR A POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE.
ON OCTOBER 9, 1981, Advised that he has known the appointee for some twenty-five years as he first supported the appointee's campaign for a seat on the San Francisco Board of Supervisors. Described the appointee as a man of impeccable character whose honesty, loyalty and integrity are above reproach. He is intelligent, friendly and discreet. Such qualities were evident from the appointee's early dairy business days to his current real estate business. Felt that the appointee is a man of exceptional talent and he highly recommended the appointee for a position of trust and confidence.

ON OCTOBER 9, 1981, advised that he has been friends with the appointee since 1936 and has always found him to be a top-notch individual. Advised that the appointee, Mayor of San Francisco and did an excellent job. Described the appointee as an "extremely honest, capable and knowledgeable man." He executed the responsibilities of the office of the Mayor with the same effectiveness and honesty as his own personal dairy and real
ESTATE BUSINESSES. THINKS HIGHLY OF THE APPOINTEE AND HE UNHESITATINGLY RECOMMENDED THE APPOINTEE FOR A POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE.

ON OCTOBER 12, 1981, ADVISED THAT SHE HAS KNOWN THE APPOINTEE FOR SOME TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AND HAS ALWAYS FOUND HIM TO BE A FIRST-RATE INDIVIDUAL. HE IS INTELLIGENT, WARM, CONGENIAL AND DIPLOMATIC--"THE PERFECT STATESMAN." ADVISED THAT SHE HAS NEVER HEARD OF ANYTHING OF AN UNSATISFACTORY NATURE REGARDING THE APPOINTEE OR ANY OF HIS CLOSE ASSOCIATES. THINKS HIGHLY OF THE APPOINTEE AND ADVISED THAT SHE COULDN'T THINK OF ANYONE SHE WOULD RECOMMEND MORE HIGHLY THAN THE APPOINTEE FOR A POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE.

EXCELLENT REPRESENTATIVE FOR THE U.S. GOVERNMENT.

ADvised that he felt President Reagan made a wonderful choice in selecting the appointee and he recommended the appointee, without qualification, for any position of trust and confidence.
ASSOCIATE

THE FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION WAS CONDUCTED BY SA

AT SAN RAFAEL, CALIFORNIA

ON OCTOBER 13, 1981,

ADVISITED THAT HE HAS KNOWN APPOINTEE AND HIS FAMILY INTIMATELY FOR OVER THIRTY YEARS.

ADVISITED APPOINTEE IS ONE OF THE HIGHEST TYPES OF INDIVIDUALS THAT HE KNOWS AND THERE IS NO QUESTION THAT HE IS A PERSON OF THE HIGHEST INTEGRITY, CHARACTER AND MORALS, AND THAT HE IS A RESPONSIBLE CITIZEN.

ADVISITED THAT NO MATTER HOW HIGH AN APPOINTMENT THE APPOINTEE WAS BEING CONSIDERED FOR, THE APPOINTEE WOULD BE WELL RECEIVED BY THOSE THAT KNOW HIM.

ADVISITED APPOINTEE IS PROMINENT IN THE SAN FRANCISCO GREEK COMMUNITY.

ADVISITED THAT HE WOULD UNQUESTIONABLY RECOMMEND THE APPOINTEE FOR A POSITION OF THE HIGHEST TRUST IN THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT.

ADVISITED HE BELIEVES THAT THE PEOPLE WERE INDEED FORTUNATE FOR A MAN OF HIS CAPABILITY TO BE WILLING, AT HIS AGE,
TO ACCEPT AN APPOINTMENT.
THE FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION WAS CONDUCTED BY SA
AT OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA.

STATED THAT HE HAD KNOWN THE APPOINTEE FOR AT LEAST TEN
YEARS BOTH SocialLY AND PROFESSIONALLY. HE STATED THE APPOINTEE
POSESSES UNQUESTIONED INTEGRITY AND ALL KNOWN ASSOCIATES ARE
OUTSTANDING. HE STATED THAT THE APPOINTEE IS ONE OF THE MOST
RELIABLE CAPABLE MEN OF HIGH MORAL CHARACTER HE HAS EVER MET. HE
STATED THAT THE APPOINTEE IS COMPLETELY LOYAL TO THE UNITED STATES
AND HE WOULD CERTAINLY TRUST HIM WITH SENSITIVE INFORMATION. HE
STATED THE APPOINTEE POSSESSES GREAT JUDGMENT AND ABILITY AT ALL
LEVELS OF MANAGEMENT AND RECOMMENDS HIM WITHOUT RESERVATIONS FOR A
POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE WITH THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT.
HE STATED THAT HE KNOWS ABSOLUTELY NOTHING DEROGATORY REGARDING THE
APPOINTEE.

STATED THAT THE APPOINTEE IS PRESENTLY ON THE BOARD OF

AT MORAGA, CALIFORNIA

ON 10/9/8

STATED THAT HE HAS KNOWN THE APPOINTEE FOR AT LEAST EIGHT YEARS BOTH SocialLY AND PROFESSIONALLY. HE STATED THAT IN HIS OPINION THE APPOINTEE WAS OUTSTANDING IN ALL RESPECTS AND HIS CHARACTER WAS UNQUESTIONED AND OF THE HIGHEST DEGREE. HE STATED THAT THE APPOINTEE WAS HIGHLY RELIABLE AND THAT ALL ASSOCIATES OF APPOINTEE WERE OUTSTANDING CITIZENS OF THE COMMUNITY. STATED THAT THE APPOINTEE WAS TOTALLY LOYAL TO THE UNITED STATES AND THAT HE COULD MOST CERTAINLY
BE TRUSTED WITH SENSITIVE INFORMATION. HE STATED HE HIGHLY RECOMMENDS THE APPOINTEE FOR A POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE WITH THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT, AND KNOWS NOTHING DEROGATORY REGARDING THE APPOINTEE.

AT PIEDMONT, CALIFORNIA ON 10/9/81

STATED THAT HE HAS KNOWN THE APPOINTEE FOR AT LEAST 22 YEARS BOTH PROFESSIONALLY AND SOCIALLY. HE STATED THE APPOINTEE POSSESSES A MOST OUTSTANDING AND UNQUESTIONED CHARACTER AND HE IS OF HIGHEST INTEGRITY. HE STATED THE APPOINTEE IS TOTALLY RELIABLE AND ALL KNOWN ASSOCIATES ARE OUTSTANDING INDIVIDUALS. HE STATED THAT THERE IS NO REASON WHATSOEVER TO QUESTION THE LOYALTY OF THE APPOINTEE, AND THAT HE CAN MOST CERTAINLY BE TRUSTED WITH SENSITIVE INFORMATION. HE STATED WITHOUT HESITATION THAT HE UNQUESTIONABLY RECOMMENDS THE APPOINTEE FOR A POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE WITH THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT. HE STATED HE IS UNAWARE OF ANY DEROGATORY INFORMATION REGARDING THE APPOINTEE.
BERKELEY FARMS DAIRY
47TH AND SAN PABLO AVENUE
EMERYVILLE, CALIFORNIA
AT EMERYVILLE, CALIFORNIA

THE FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION WAS CONDUCTED BY SC AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA


NATURALIZATION

THE FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION WAS CONDUCTED BY SC AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

CREDIT AND LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY CHECKS

THE FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION WAS CONDUCTED BY SE

AT SAN JOSE, CALIFORNIA

ON OCTOBER 9, 1981, RECORDS OF THE CREDIT BUREAU, INC., WHICH COVERS THE SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA, WERE REVIEWED REGARDING THE APPOINTEE. SAID REVIEW DISCLOSED APPOINTEE AS HAVING BEEN ON FILE SINCE JANUARY, 1936, WITH A POSITIVE CREDIT RATING--PAID AS AGREED.

THE FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION WAS CONDUCTED BY SC

AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

ON OCTOBER 9, 1981, RECORDS OF THE SAN FRANCISCO POLICE DEPARTMENT, BUREAU OF IDENTIFICATION, WERE CHECKED REGARDING THE APPOINTEE AND HIS SPOUSE WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

ON OCTOBER 13, 1981, MILK MARKETING, CALIFORNIA STATE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, ADVISED THAT THEIR RECORDS ARE ONLY KEPT FOR A THREE YEAR PERIOD. CONSEQUENTLY, IT HAS NO INFORMATION REGARDING THE APPOINTEE.
THERE ARE NUMEROUS 105 REFERENCES TO APPOINTEE WHEREIN HE HAS HAD NUMEROUS CONTACTS WITH MEMBERS OF THE SOVIET CONSULATE IN SAN FRANCISCO. THESE CONTACTS HAVE EITHER BEEN WHILE APPOINTEE WAS ACTING IN AN OFFICIAL CAPACITY AS A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE CITY OF SAN FRANCISCO OR WHERE HE HAS ACCEPTED INVITATIONS TO ATTEND SOCIAL FUNCTIONS SPONSORED BY THE CONSULATE.

SPIN.

BT
ATTN: SPECIAL INQUIRY SECTION

GEORGE CHRISTOPHER; SPECIAL INQUIRY (B); BUDIED PAST

RE: BUTEL TO WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE, OCTOBER 7, 1981, AND
BUAIRTEL TO ALEXANDRIA, OCTOBER 7, 1981.

ALL INDIVIDUALS CONTACTED WERE APPRISED OF THE PROVISIONS
OF THE PRIVACY ACT, AND THOSE REQUESTING CONFIDENTIALITY HAVE
BEEN SO NOTED.

PERSONNEL, FEDERAL RECORDS CENTER, CIVILIAN BRANCH,
ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI, ADVISED OCTOBER 15, 1981, THEY WERE NOT
ABLE TO LOCATE AN OFFICIAL PERSONNEL FOLDER FOR GEORGE CHRISTOPHER,
SSAN 560 05 4359.

Dated to outstanding M.D.P.S.
October 16, 1981
BY COURIER

Honorable Fred F. Fielding
Counsel to the President
The White House
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Fielding:

In accordance with a request received from you on October 6, 1981, an investigation has been conducted concerning Mr. George Christopher. Transmitted herewith is a summary memorandum containing the results of this investigation.

When checks of the files of the Central Intelligence Agency, United States Secret Service, and the Metropolitan Police Department, Washington, D. C., have been completed, you will be advised.

Sincerely yours,

Charles P. Monroe
Assistant Director
Criminal Investigative Division

Enclosure

MLD: No (VI)

Note: Mr. Christopher is currently self-employed as a dairy, banking, and insurance consultant and is presently managing personal real estate investments. He is being considered for a Presidential appointment as a delegate to the United Nations (per appointee). Investigation favorable and complete except, for United States Secret Service, Metropolitan Police Department, Central Intelligence Agency.
October 16, 1981

THE INVESTIGATION OF MR. CHRISTOPHER COVERED INQUIRIES IN THE UNITED STATES AS TO HIS CHARACTER, LOYALTY, AND GENERAL STANDING, BUT NO INQUIRIES WERE MADE AS TO THE SOURCES OF HIS INCOME.

Birth

Mr. Christopher indicated he was born on December 8, 1907, in Greece. Records of the United States District Court, San Francisco, California, indicate Mr. Christopher became a naturalized United States citizen on March 3, 1930.

Education

Mr. Christopher attended Golden Gate University, San Francisco, California, from September, 1926, to June, 1930, receiving a B.C.S. degree.

Military Service

Mr. Christopher has indicated that he has had no military service.

Employment

1923 to 1927
San Francisco Examiner, San Francisco, California, on an intermittent part-time and full-time basis as a payroll clerk. Exact dates could not be verified as records have been destroyed; however, this employment was verified through an associate.

1927 to 1930
Brown Williamson Tobacco Company (now defunct), San Francisco, California, as an accountant and office manager. This employment could not be verified and the current whereabouts of former co-workers and supervisors are unknown.
George Christopher

1931 to 1939
Mr. Christopher indicated he was employed during this period as a free-lance accountant for numerous businesses, the names of which he could not recall. Mr. Christopher also indicated he was in the process of starting a dairy business. The aforementioned was verified through associates.

1939 to June, 1970
Christopher Dairies (now known as Berkeley Farm Dairies), Emeryville, California, on an intermittent part-time and full-time basis as owner and manager.

January, 1945, to 1955 (exact date not recorded)
Board of Supervisors, City and County of San Francisco, San Francisco, California, initially as a member and finally as President.

January, 1956, to 1964 (exact date not recorded)
City and County of San Francisco, San Francisco, California, as Mayor.

June, 1970, to the present
Berkeley Farm Dairies, Emeryville, California, as a consultant.

1978 to the present (exact date unknown)
Blue Shield of California, San Francisco, California, as a Member of the Administrative Advisory Board.

May, 1980, to the present
Central Bank and Central Banking System, San Francisco, California, as a consultant.

June, 1970, to the present
Christopher Commercial Corporation, San Francisco, California, a real estate business, as owner/manager.

Family Status
Mr. Christopher is married to the former Tula Sarantitis and they reside at 1170 Sacramento Street, San Francisco, California.

Mr. Christopher has indicated his wife is a United States citizen.
Mr. Christopher has listed the following deceased close relatives:

- Brother: John Christopher
- Father: James Christopher
- Mother: Mary Koines Christopher

In addition to his wife, Mr. Christopher has listed the following living close relatives, all of whom reside in

Based on the background information provided by Mr. Christopher, he has no close relatives residing in communist-controlled countries.

Interviews

Thirty-five persons, consisting of current and former supervisors and co-workers, present and former neighbors, references, associates, and social acquaintances, were interviewed. They advised Mr. Christopher is a loyal American whose character, reputation, and associates are above reproach. He was described as intelligent, outspoken, meticulous, dynamic, sincere, capable, dedicated, and hardworking. Several of Mr. Christopher's associates stated Mr. Farrow Mr. Christopher possesses excellent management and administrative abilities and commented favorably regarding Mr. Christopher's being a "self-made man." Several references stated Mr. Christopher is known to his peers as a man of conviction and excellent judgment and one who is well informed on national and foreign affairs. All persons interviewed highly recommended him for a position of trust and responsibility.
George Christopher

Among those interviewed are the following:

Credit and Arrest Checks

Information has been received from appropriate credit reporting agencies indicating their files contain either no record or no additional pertinent information concerning Mr. Christopher.

Information has been received from appropriate law enforcement agencies indicating their files contain no record concerning Mr. Christopher or his close relatives. Mr. Christopher indicated that in 1939 he was charged by the Department of Agriculture (DOA), State of California, San Francisco, California, with a violation of milk price fixing and a misdemeanor fine was paid. Records of the DOA, State of California do not indicate any such charge.

Legion Checks

Information has been received from the following governmental agencies indicating their files contain either no record or no additional pertinent information concerning Mr. Christopher:
George Christopher

Agency Checks

Information has been received from the following governmental agencies indicating their files contain either no record or no additional pertinent information concerning Mr. Christopher:

Division of Personnel Investigations,
Office of Personnel Management;
Defense Central Index of Investigations;
and The White House Office.

The central files of the FBI, including the files of the Identification Division, contain no additional pertinent information concerning Mr. Christopher.
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GEORGE (NMN) CHRISTOPHER; SPIN; BUDED: OCTOBER 14, 1981, WITHOUT FAIL (B).

RE TELCALL OF SUPERVISOR [OCTOBER 15, 1981.

THE FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION WAS CONDUCTED BY SA

AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

ON OCTOBER 15, 1981, [ ]

ADVISED THAT HE DOES RECALL THE

APPOINTEE AS HAVING BEEN EMPLOYED BY THE SAN FRANCISCO EXAMINER

IN THE 1920'S; HOWEVER, HE DOES NOT RECALL THE EXACT DATES OR

THE TITLE OF HIS (APPOINTEE'S) POSITION.

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53 JUN 10 1982
ON OCTOBER 7, 1981, APPOINTEE ADVISED THAT HIS PERSONAL REAL ESTATE BUSINESS IS THE CHRISTOPHER COMMERCIAL CORPORATION HE HAS ESTABLISHED FOR INVESTMENT PURPOSES. SAID CORPORATION IS BEING OPERATED FROM THE APPOINTEE'S RESIDENCE AT 1170 SACRAMENTO STREET, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA. ADDITIONALLY, THE APPOINTEE ADVISED THAT HE DID FREE-LANCE ACCOUNTING WORK TO SAVE UP MONEY FOR THE PURPOSE OF STARTING A DAIRY BUSINESS--CHRISTOPHER DAIRIES-- BETWEEN 1931 - 1939. HOWEVER, HE CAN'T RECALL THE EXACT DATES, NAMES, AND ADDRESSES INVOLVED.

IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT OF ALL OF THE APPOINTEE'S REFERENCES AND ASSOCIATES, NONE RECALL OR HAVE KNOWLEDGE OF A BROWN WILLIAMSON TOBACCO COMPANY. FURTHERMORE, INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED AT SAN FRANCISCO DISCLOSED THAT SAID COMPANY IS NOT CURRENTLY A VIABLE BUSINESS CONCERN.

THE FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION WAS CONDUCTED BY SC AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

ON OCTOBER 15, 1981, PERSONNEL AND RECORDS, SAN FRANCISCO EXAMINER, 110 FIFTH STREET, ADVISED THAT IT IS UNLIKELY THAT IT STILL HAS EMPLOYMENT RECORDS DATING BACK TO THE 1920'S. HOWEVER, IF THEY EXIST, THEY WOULD BE STORED IN ITS WAREHOUSE AND THE RETRIEVAL OF IT WOULD BE EXTREMELY DIFFICULT.

BT
TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, ALEXANDRIA (161B-8372) (RUC)

GEORGE (NMN) CHRISTOPHER
SPECIAL INQUIRY (B)
BUDED: 10/14/81 WOF

Re Bureau teletype to WFO, 10/7/81; and Bureau airtel to Alexandria, 10/7/81.

SC caused a search to be made of the files of the Central Intelligence Agency (CIA), and was advised on 10/16/81, that the files contained no information concerning the appointee.

All individuals contacted were apprised of the provisions of the Privacy Act and those requesting confidentiality have been so noted.

Approved: [Signature]

53 JUN 10 1982
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
Washington, D.C. 20520

Room 84
Old Executive Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dearest

George Christopher, who was born December 8, 1907, has been designated for a Presidential Appointment as Alternate United States Representative to the United Nations General Assembly. It is understood that FBI inquiries are being made at the direction of the White House.

Upon completion of these inquiries, it would be appreciated if you would ask the Bureau to furnish this office with a copy of its reports concerning him.

Sincerely yours,

Summary memorandum dated 10/16/81 furnished to Dept. of State on 11/27/81. Also furnished was summary memorandum dated 11-6-81.

[Authorization to Release]

53 JUN 10 1982
TO:  DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM:  SAC, WFO (161-15521) (RUC)

GEORGE (NMN) CHRISTOPHER
SPIN
BUDED:  10/14/81 (WF) (B)

ReSAC WFO airtel dated 10/13/81.

ADMINISTRATIVE

All persons contacted were advised of the provisions of the Privacy Act of 1974; none requested confidentiality.

All investigation is completed at WFO.
caused a search to be made of the files of the Credit Bureau, Incorporated, Washington, D.C., and was advised on \underline{10/20/81} that the files contained (a satisfactory credit record) \underline{(no credit rating)} \underline{(no record)} for the 

\underline{George Christopher} or relatives).

It is to be noted that at all times an indefinite number of unidentified records are out of file and not available for review.

\underline{Transportation, Bureau of Motor Vehicle Services, Government of the District of Columbia} files concerning the 

searched the files of the United States Park Police and no identifiable adult criminal or traffic record could be located regarding the 

caused a search to be made of the files of the Office of Personnel Management, and was advised on \underline{10/10/81} that no \underline{(additional pertinent information)} \underline{(record)} was found concerning the 

\underline{George Christopher} or relatives.

caused a search to be made of the files of the Department of the Treasury, and was advised on \underline{10/10/81} that (no record) \underline{(derogatory information)} \underline{(no additional pertinent information)} was found concerning the 

\underline{George Christopher} or relatives.
November 6, 1981

BY COURIER

Honorable Fred F. Fielding
Counsel to the President
The White House
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Fielding:

Reference is made to my letter dated October 16, 1981, which furnished you the results of an investigation concerning Mr. George Christopher.

Enclosed is a summary memorandum containing the results of additional inquiries in this matter.

This completes our investigation.

Sincerely yours,

Charles P. Monroe
Assistant Director
Criminal Investigative Division

Enclosure

MLD: H (VI)

RETURN TO ROOM 5158
November 6, 1981

GEORGE CHRISTOPHER

The information in this summary memorandum supplements the information contained in a summary memorandum dated October 16, 1981.

Arrest Check

Information has been received from the Metropolitan Police Department, Washington, D.C., indicating its files contain no record concerning Mr. Christopher.

Agency Checks

Information has been received from the Central Intelligence Agency and the United States Secret Service indicating their files contain no record and no additional pertinent information, respectively, concerning Mr. Christopher.
November 16, 1981

CONGRESSIONAL RECORD—SENATE

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

NOMINATIONS

Executive nominations received by the Senate Tuesday, November 16, 1981:

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

C. T. Conover, of California, to be Comptroller of the Currency for a term of 5 years, vice John Galen Blatt, resigned.

VETERANS’ ADMINISTRATION

Charles Timothy Hagel, of the District of Columbia, to be Deputy Administrator of Veterans’ Affairs, new position.

TAX POLICY

Jules G. Körmér III, of Maryland, to be a judge of the United States Tax Court for a term expiring 15 years after he takes office; new position—Public Law 95-459 of October 13, 1978.

CONFIRMATIONS

Executive nominations confirmed by the Senate November 16, 1981:

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Beverly A. Scott, of Pennsylvania, to be Medical Director in the Regular Corps of the Public Health Service, subject to qualifica-
tions therefor as provided by law and regulation, and to be a member of the General Council of the Public Health Service, for a term of 4 years.

UNITED NATIONS

The following named persons to be Representatives and Alternate Representatives of the United States of America to the 36th session of the General Assembly of the United Nations:

Representatives:
Kenneth L. Adelman, of Virginia, to be Representative of the United States of America to the 36th session of the General Assembly of the United Nations.

John Sherman Cooper, of Kentucky, to be Representative of the United States of America to the 36th session of the General Assembly of the United Nations.

Benjamin A. Gliman, U.S. Representative from the State of New York, to be Representative of the United States of America to the 36th session of the General Assembly of the United Nations.


Jean J. Kirkpatrick, of Maryland, to be a Representative of the United States of America to the 36th session of the General Assembly of the United Nations.

Bruce F. Caputo, of New York, to be an Alternate Representative of the United States of America to the 36th session of the General Assembly of the United Nations.

George Christopher, of California, to be an Alternate Representative of the United States of America to the 36th session of the General Assembly of the United Nations.

Herman M. Chazenstein, of the District of Columbia, to be an Alternate Representative of the United States of America to the 36th session of the General Assembly of the United Nations.

William Courtnight Sherman, of Virginia, to be an Alternate Representative of the United States of America to the 36th session of the General Assembly of the United Nations.

RECESS UNTIL 10:30 A.M.

TOMORROW

Mr. BAKER. Mr. President, I see no Senator seeking recognition. I assume there is pending business that can be transacted by the Senate this evening. I therefore move, in accordance with the order previously entered, that the Senate stand in recess until the hour of 10:30 a.m. tomorrow.

The motion was agreed to, and, at 5:51 p.m., the Senate recessed until Tuesday, November 17, 1981, at 10:30 a.m.