



U.S. Department of Justice

**Federal Bureau of Investigation**  
Washington, D.C. 20535

August 31, 2016

MR. JOHN GREENEWALD JR.

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

FOIPA Request No.: 1356752-000  
Subject: BUCHER, LLOYD MARK

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 60 pages of previously processed documents and a copy of the Explanation of Exemptions. This release is being provided to you at no charge.

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For questions regarding our determinations, visit the [www.fbi.gov/foia](http://www.fbi.gov/foia) website under "Contact Us." The FOIPA Request Number listed above has been assigned to your request. Please use this number in all correspondence concerning your request. Your patience is appreciated.

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D. Hardy", with a stylized flourish at the end.

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 the 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.

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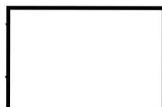
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Class. Case No. Last Serial

☐ Pending

☐ Closed

Serial No. Description of Serial Date Charged

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RECHARGE

Date \_\_\_\_\_

To \_\_\_\_\_ From \_\_\_\_\_

Initials of Clerk

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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Date charged

\_\_\_\_\_  
Employee

\_\_\_\_\_  
Location

NOTE: Hand print names legibly; handwriting satisfactory for remainder.

Indicates: ☐ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases

[Redacted]

*Common* **CDR. LLOYD BUCHER** Victim;  
*EX 7070m*  
*00:529*

Character of case

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Complainant ☐ Protect Source

Cdr. Bucher

Complaint received

☐ Personal ☒ Telephonic Date 5/2/90 Time \_\_\_\_\_

Address of subject

[Redacted]

Complainant's address and telephone number

16296 Rostrata Hill, Poway, Ca.  
Tel. 619-485-0669 (Unlisted)

Subject's Description	Race	Sex	Height	Hair	Eyes	Birth date and Birthplace
	Age	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Weight	Eyes	Complexion	Social Security Number
	Scars, marks or other data					

Facts of complaint

On instant date, CDR. LLOYD BUCHER, Ret., telephonically advised that on 5/1/90 he received a threatening letter. Bucher stated that the letter was lengthy. The threatening part is "don't let [Redacted] Or [Redacted] or [Redacted] or my children near you. Not [Redacted] because he personally had applied himself his soul - he's not! Not [Redacted] because he is liable to attempt to use my son to kill [Redacted] and you! Not my children because they are as misinformed about the (unreadable) conspiracy in this country. It was signed [Redacted] The envelope had a return address of [Redacted]"

*OTA*  
*5/2/90*

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**9A-529-45258-1**

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MAY 2 1990	
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[Redacted]

(Complaint received by)



Field File No.

9A-52-4558-1A<sup>1</sup>

Serial # of Originating Document

OO and File No.

52

Date Received

5/26/99

From

Lloyd Bucher

(Name of Contributor)

(Address) of Contributor

San Diego

By

(Name)

Agent

(e)

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To Be Returned ☐ Yes ☐ No Receipt Given ☐ Yes ☐ No

Grand Jury Material - Disseminate Only Pursuant to Rule 6(e), Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure ☐ Yes ☐ No

Title:

Reference:

(Communication Enclosing Material)

Description: ☒ Original notes re interview of

Lloyd Bucher

pick up letter

5/4/00.

Lloyd Mark Tucker  
DOB - 9/1/27  
Cal. Dr. Lic - N3521584  
1629 ROSTRATA Hill  
Forsyth Calif. 92064  
W/M  
Born 1928  
5'10"  
200 lbs.

Received letter through US Mail. gave  
to FB for evidence. Stated he was not  
threatened by letter, however should notify  
proper authority.

provided letter for evidence.  
Doesn't know author.  
never happened before.



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Field File No. 9A-SD-45258-1A2

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From \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of Contributor)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Address of Contributor)

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By \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of Special Agent)

To Be Returned ☐ Yes ☐ No      Receipt Given ☐ Yes ☐ No

Grand Jury Material - Disseminate Only Pursuant to Rule 6(e), Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure ☐ Yes ☐ No

Title: \_\_\_\_\_  
Floyd Baker - VICTIM  
Extortion

Reference: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Communication Enclosing Material)

Description: ☐ Original notes re interview of

\_\_\_\_\_  
FD-44a registered receipt  
card.

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FILL IN THIS CARD - RETURN TO

Attention: Evidence Control Custodian

Date

5/30/90

Registry No.

R54742516

Mailed to

FBI LABORATORY

Method of Mailing

☒ Registered☐ Airmail☐ Special Delivery☐ Airmail Special Delivery

Checked by

## RECEIPT

Received by

Date and Time Received

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9A-3D-43258-1B(1) letter

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MAY 32 11 09 AM '90

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Universal File Case Number 9A-SD-45258-1A-3  
Field Office Acquiring Evidence San Diego  
Serial # of Originating Document 1B 1  
Date Received 5/4/90  
From Victim  
(Name of Contributor)

(Address of Contributor)  
By SA  City and State)  
(Name of Special Agent)

To Be Returned ☐ Yes ☒ No  
Receipt Given ☐ Yes ☐ No  
Grand Jury Material - Disseminate Only Pursuant to Rule 6 (e)  
Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure

Title:   
Lloyd Bucher - Victim  
Extortion

Reference: \_\_\_\_\_ (Communication Enclosing Material) 3

Description: ☐ Original notes re interview of  
Extortion letter  
"Curd L.M. "Pete" Bucher"  
Dated 4/24/90

**EVID**  
FEDERAL BUREAU  
WASHINGTON

**ENC**  
OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D.C.

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ENCLOSURE (2) TO (LETTER)

TO: San Diego  
7/26/90

FROM: AFED

RE:

SD FILE NO. 9A-SD-45258 (P)

BUFILE NO. 9-72204

**EVIDENCE**

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D.C.

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WASHINGTON, D.C.

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LABORATORY

LC# C-91633

9A-SD-45258.

SUBJECT-



LLOYD BUCHER - VICTIM;  
EXTORTION  
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San Diego, CA 92112

Postal Inspectors  
233 -0618

"Cmdr" L. M. "Pete" Bucher  
formerly of the Pueblo - U.S. Army - retired  
Poway, California

92064



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5-1-90

T E L E T Y P E

Date: 5/7/90

FM FBI SAN DIEGO (9A-SD-45258) (P)

TO DIRECTOR FBI/ROUTINE/

BT

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CITE: //3780//

PASS: HQ FOR VIOLENT CRIMES UNIT.

SUBJECT:  COMMANDER (RETIRED) LLOYD  
BUCHER-VICTIM; EXTORTION; OO: SAN DIEGO.

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ON MAY 1, 1990, COMMANDER (RETIRED) LLOYD BUCHER, PAST  
COMMANDER OF USS PUEBLO CAPTURED BY NORTH KOREANS, JAN. 23, 1968,  
CONTACTED FBI SAN DIEGO. BUCHER ADVISED THAT HE RECEIVED A  
THREATENING LETTER THROUGH THE U.S. MAIL.

THE LETTER, SUSPECTED TO HAVE BEEN AUTHORED BY SUBJECT  *nao*  
WAS RAMBLING IN NATURE; <sup>*nao*</sup> HOWEVER, DID STATE THAT HER SON MAY BE  
USED TO KILL BUCHER AND HIS WIFE.

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*Corrections  
made 5/7/90  
nao*

Approved: *[Signature]* Transmitted 1806 3:43 PM Per

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(Time)

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*MCR/AAA006D.127  
650.009*

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ON MAY 4, 1990, BUCHER WAS INTERVIEWED BY FBI SAN DIEGO, AND THE LETTER WAS TAKEN FOR EVIDENTIARY PURPOSES. BUCHER STATED THAT HE WAS NOT THREATENED BY THE LETTER, HOWEVER, FELT THAT HE SHOULD NOTIFY APPROPRIATE AUTHORITIES.

TO DATE, SUBJECT [REDACTED] HAS NOT BEEN LOCATED. HER LAST KNOWN ADDRESS WAS THE YMCA SAN DIEGO, BUT HAS NOT BEEN THERE FOR APPROXIMATELY EIGHT MONTHS.

BUCHER IS DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: (X)(X)NAME: LLOYD MARK BUCHER, DATE OF BIRTH (DOB) SEP. 1, 1927, CALIFORNIA DRIVERS LICENSE (CDL) N3521584, ADDRESS AS OF AUG. 14, 1984-1629 ROSTRATA HILL, POWAY, CALIFORNIA 92064, WHITE MALE, GRAY HAIR, BROWN EYES, 5'10", 200 POUNDS(X)(X).

THE FOLLOWING IS A DESCRIPTION OF SUBJECT [REDACTED]  
(X)(X)NAME [REDACTED] 5'8", 236  
POUNDS, BROWN HAIR, HAZEL EYES, SOCIAL SECURITY NO. [REDACTED]  
DOB [REDACTED] LAST KNOWN ADDRESS- [REDACTED]  
SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA (YMCA), MISCELLANEOUS ON RETURN ENVELOPE  
USED ADDRESS OF [REDACTED] SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA  
92112(X)(X).

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NECESSARY PROCESSING.

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FBI

TRANSMIT VIA:

AIRTEL

Date: 5/24/90

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI  
ATTN: LABORATORY DIVISION  
FROM: *QW* SAC, SAN DIEGO (9A-SD-45258) (P)

SUBJECT:   
COMMANDER (RETIRED) LLOYD BUCHER-VICTIM;  
EXTORTION;  
OO: SAN DIEGO

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Reference San Diego teletype to Bureau dated 5/7/90.

REQUEST OF THE BUREAU:

LABORATORY DIVISION

It is requested that this letter be searched through appropriate sections of the anonymous letter file possibly associating this letter with specimens submitted in other cases.

Enclosed for the FBI laboratory is the original letter and the envelope received by the victim via U. S. Mail on or about 5/1/90.

For information of the Bureau, on 5/1/90, Commander (retired) LLOYD BUCHER, past commander of the USS PUEBLO captured by North Koreans 1/23/68, contacted FBI San Diego. BUCHER advised that he received a threatening letter through the U. S. Mail.

The letter, suspected to have been authored by subject  was rambling in nature, however, did state that her son may be used to kill BUCHER and

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3-Bureau (Encl. 1)  
(1-FBI Laboratory Section)  
②-San Diego (9A-SD-45258)  
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On 5/4/90, BUCHER was interviewed by San Diego FBI and the letter was taken for evidence. BUCHER stated that he was not that threatened by the letter, however, felt that he should notify appropriate authorities.

To date, subject [ ] has not been located. Her last known address was at the YMCA San Diego, but she has not been seen at that location for approximately eight months.

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[ ] is described as follows:

Name:	[ ]
Race:	White
Sex:	Female
Date of birth:	[ ]
California driver's license:	[ ]
Height:	5 feet 8 inches
Weight:	236 pounds
Hair:	Brown
Eyes:	Hazel
Social Security Account number:	[ ]
Last known address:	San Diego, California

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
M E M O R A N D U M

TO: SAC, SAN DIEGO (9A-SD-45258) (P) DATE: 6/14/90  
FROM: SA [REDACTED]  
SUBJECT: [REDACTED]  
COMMANDER (RETIRED) LLOYD BUCHER - VICTIM;  
EXTORTION;  
OO: SAN DIEGO

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Pursuant to investigation concerning possible extortion surrounding Commander LLOYD BUCHER, the letter which he received through the mail was picked up from him on 5/4/90.

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On 5/7/90, an airtel was dictated for purposes of enclosing original extortion letter to FBIHQ-Laboratory Division. In so doing the original letter was locked in SA [REDACTED] desk.

It was SA [REDACTED] intention to enter the extortion letter into Bulky Evidence as soon as dictation was returned concerning the airtel to the Bureau. Inasmuch as the airtel that was dictated did not return to SA [REDACTED] until after 5/24/90, the letter was not bulkied in San Diego Division until 5/25/90.

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SA [REDACTED] inadvertently overlooked the rule concerning time in entering evidence into Bulky Evidence, however, the letter remained locked up in SA [REDACTED] desk at all times until it was entered into Bulky Evidence on 5/25/90.

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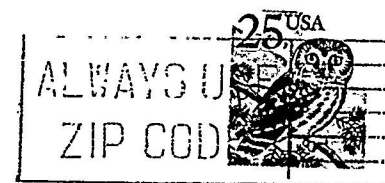
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San Diego, CA 92112



POSTAL INSPECTORS  
233-0618

"Cmrd" L.M. "Pete" Bucher  
formerly of the Pueblo - U.S. Navy Reserve Post  
Poway, California  
92064 5-1-90

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L. M. "Pete" Bucher  
Pasadena, Ca. 92064

April 26, 1990  
Thursday

Bucher,

If you take that medal you as your first mate  
on crew, you will be aiding and abetting your own  
treason. And it's almost tempting to let you, And maybe  
I still will, maybe I won't send you this letter until after  
you take it. But then that would be spite and spite  
is not characteristic or helpful so don't it to do for  
me!

The bottom and top line here is, I'm still being  
used, And you Crooks are the ones who is doing it, still, and  
it gets very tiresome to be nearly 50 yr's old, and still  
have to tell my age, not that I'm ashamed of it, but  
because we women in these United States have unfortunately  
being exposed to the Germany, Poland, and Russian Nazi's  
party and NAACP and some of your bastards vanity  
rubbed off on us, over the years!

And being it considered socially accepted for  
a lady not to have tell her age, you may inform your  
associates, peers, colleagues, that been forced to do so, is  
the best stream.

And don't let [redacted] at [redacted] at [redacted] b6  
my children hear you, Not [redacted] because he was really b7C  
has experienced himself my son, He is not! Not [redacted] because  
he's liable to attempt to use my son to kill [redacted] at  
you! Not my children because they are as misinformed  
about the NAZI Conspiracy in this Country as any American  
that I've ever known, And we both know, you didn't even  
know "who" was doing it, So you said, until years after  
[redacted] had already kidnapped me about a dozen times as  
men. The "how" knew etc.  
And, ... .. "how" "how"

audience on you, and how much of a material witness you  
are!

And of course there's the before's and afters of  
the "CIA", but, "Frankly my dear, I just don't give a  
damns".

Naturally the Chinese will steal everything, and  
of course you probably would have got this letter in the first  
place since they steal the U.S. mail too, and if you acted,  
it will probably have already been opened and well-  
read and acted upon before you received it - by way  
of Ambassador to me!

Would you believe, they are still  
supposed to be no-existent, a myth, a figment of his  
imagination and unknown to the public?

Well, maybe you'll believe this,  
Among them all, inside on this last lap, they stole my  
Soul, my Creativity, my ingenuity, my body, my health,  
my personality, my looks, my teeth, my children, my  
husband as chance for one, my sex life, my social life, my  
professionalism, my talents, the third joint of middle finger  
on my left hand, my ambitions, my plans, my life away  
from me, my relatives, my civil rights, my independence,  
my Natural Character, and an estate approximately worth  
6 or 7 Billion Dollars or more!

And the flag and my home state and  
my Country! And you know that too! This letter is copied.



San Diego, Ca. 92112

ID

DATE:05-07-90\*TIME:09:15\*

MATCHED ON:\*L/N\*F/N

DMV RECORD FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT USE ONLY

DL/NO:N3521584\*B/D:09-01-27\*NAME:BUCHER LLOYD MARK\*  
ADDR AS OF 08-14-84:16296 ROSTRATA HILL FOWAY 92064\*

IDENTIFYING INFORMATION:

SEX:MALE\*HAIR:GRAY\*EYES:BRN\*HT:5-10\*WT:200\*

LIC/ISS:08-14-84\*EXP/BD:92\*RBM1\*CLASS:3 \*

LATEST APP:

DL TYPE:RENEWAL\*ISS/DATE: 08-14-84\*OFFICE: ESC\*BATES:003\*

LICENSE STATUS:

VALID\*

DEPARTMENTAL ACTIONS:

NONE

CONVICTIONS:

NONE

FAILURES TO APPEAR:

NONE

ACCIDENTS:

NONE

END

OUTPUT MSG 685,

FROM C/

TO FB01

TIME=09:14 05/07/90

## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

1Date of transcription 5/7/90

Pursuant to investigation of possible extortion matter concerning LLOYD MARK BUCHER, he was interviewed by SA's [redacted] and [redacted] at San Diego, California.

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BUCHER advised that he received a letter through the U.S. mail from one individual known to him because of the postal return by a [redacted] San Diego, California 92112. BUCHER advised that he was not threatened by the letter, however, because of the nature of the letter wanted to notify the proper authorities.

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BUCHER advised that he was not familiar with anyone by the name of [redacted] and has never received a letter from he prior to this.

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BUCHER provided SA [redacted] with the letter and envelope for evidence.

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Investigation on 5/4/90 at San Diego, California File # San Diego 9A-SD-45258  
by SA [redacted] and SA [redacted]:rsh Date dictated 5/4/90

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REPORT  
of theFEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: SAC, San Diego (9A-SD-45258)

July 13, 1990

FBI FILE NO. 9-72204

LAB NO. 00601043 D ST

Re: COMMANDER (RETIRED) LLOYD BUCHER -  
VICTIM;  
EXTORTION

OO: San Diego

Examination requested by: Addressee

Reference: Communication dated May 24, 1990

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Specimens received: June 1, 1990

## Specimens:

Q1 Envelope postmarked "SAN DIEGO CA 921 PM 26 APR 1990"  
addressed to "Cmrd L.M. "Pete" Bucher formally of the  
Pueblo - U.S. Valley or Reserve Post Poway,  
California 92064"

Q2 Accompanying handwritten letter beginning "If you  
take that medal you or your ..." and signed

## Result of examination:

Specimens Q1 and Q2 searched through the Anonymous  
Letter File with negative results. Appropriate copies have  
been added thereto.

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The submitted specimens were examined for the possible presence of watermarks, indented writing, or other markings which might indicate the immediate source of the questioned envelope and letter, with negative results.

Specimens Q1 and Q2 will be returned upon completion of the latent fingerprint examination. Photographs have been retained.



# FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C. 20537

## REPORT

of the

### LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

YOUR FILE NO. 9A-SD-45253 (P)  
FBI FILE NO. 9-72204  
LATENT CASE NO. C-91633

7/26/90

TO: SAC, San Diego

RE:   
COMMANDER (RETIRED) LLOYD BUCHER - VICTIM;  
EXTORTION

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REFERENCE: Airtel 5/24/90  
EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: San Diego  
SPECIMENS: Envelope, Q1  
Letter, Q2

The listed Q specimens are further described in a separate Laboratory report.

The specimens were examined and one latent fingerprint of value was developed on Q2.

One latent fingerprint developed on Q2, a handwritten letter beginning, "If you take that medal you or your..." and signed  has been identified as a fingerprint of

Inked prints of  recorded in connection with this case, should be submitted to the LFPS with correspondence referenced to IC #C-91633. These prints will be used for comparison purposes and any latent print testimony you may desire in this matter.

The specimens are enclosed.

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Enc. (2)

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7/30/90  
[Signature]

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*[Handwritten signature/initials]*

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## TRANSMIT VIA:

☐ Teletype  
☐ Facsimile  
☐ Airtel

## PRECEDENCE:

☐ Immediate  
☐ Priority  
☐ Routine

## CLASSIFICATION:

☐ TOP SECRET  
☐ SECRET  
☐ CONFIDENTIAL  
☐ UNCLAS E F T O  
☐ UNCLAS

Date August 6, 1990

1 TO: DIRECTOR, FBI  
 2 FROM: SAC, SAN DIEGO (9A-SD-45258) (C)  
 3 SUBJECT: [REDACTED]  
 4 COMMANDER (RETIRED) LLOYD BUCHER-VICTIM;  
 5 EXTORTION;  
 6 OO: San Diego  
 7 -Re San Diego airtel to Director, May 24, 1990.

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8 Investigation at San Diego has failed to develop information  
 9 as to the whereabouts of subject [REDACTED]

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10 Contact with victim BUCHER on August 6, 1990, reflected that  
 11 he has not had any other contact from subject directly or indirectly.

12 Continuous efforts have been made to locate subject through  
 13 "ARJIS," "driver license," Welfare department," and other sources, and  
 14 in all inquiries, only Welfare shows an address of [REDACTED]  
 15 San Diego, California. This address is the YMCA and previous contact  
 16 there determined that she has not been there since October, 1989.

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17 It should be noted that at the time the letter was written,  
 18 there was a large amount of press coverage on the victim. It is suggested  
 19 that subject obtained name of victim from the newspaper, giving only  
 20 his address of Poway, California, and sent the letter there hoping it  
 21 would get to subject. As shown on the original letter, there was no  
 specific address.

Inasmuch as subject appears not to have established a permanent  
 residence in San Diego since her stay at the YMCA in October, 1989, and  
 present whereabouts are unknown, and no new threats received since May 1,  
 1990, this case is being closed administratively at San Diego.

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3-Bureau  
 2-San Diego  
 MCR:jmp  
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Approved: \_\_\_\_\_ Transmitted \_\_\_\_\_ Per \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Number) (Time)

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MEMORANDUM

TO: SAC, SAN DIEGO (9A-SD-45258) (P)

Date 7/23/90

FROM: SA [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT: [REDACTED]  
COMMANDER (RETIRED) LLOYD BUCHER-VICTIM;  
EXTORTION;  
OO: SAN DIEGO

[REDACTED] Continuous efforts to locate and interview subject  
[REDACTED] in this case have met with negative results.

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No further information has been received from victim  
BUCHER advising any further contact by [REDACTED]

Investigation by FBI San Diego indicates that [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] has not established any residence since she left  
the YMCA approximately one year ago. It is felt that [REDACTED] has  
either left the San Diego area or remains among the homeless in  
the San Diego area.

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If subject [REDACTED] is not located in the next 30 days, it  
is recommended this case be placed in close status.

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2-San Diego (9A-SD-45258)  
MCR:plr  
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Field Office Acquiring Evidence \_\_\_\_\_

Serial # of Originating Document \_\_\_\_\_

Date Received 2/6/95

From \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of Contributor)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Address of Contributor)

By  ECT  
(Name of Special Agent)

To Be Returned ☐ Yes ☒ No

Receipt Given ☐ Yes ☒ No

Grand Jury Material - Disseminate Only Pursuant to Rule 6 (e)

Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure

☐ Yes ☒ No

Title:

Reference: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Communication Enclosing Material)

Description: ☐ Original notes re interview of

FD-192 package copy for 1B(1)  
Evidence returned

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Date

5/25/90

Title and Character of Case

LOU BUCHER - VICTIM;  
EXTORTION  
OO: SD.

Date Property Acquired

5/4/90

Source From Which Property Acquired

VICTIM.

Location of Property or Bulky Exhibit

1-3 Bulky 3-1-3

Reason for Retention of Property and Efforts Made to Dispose of Same

EVID.

To Be Returned

☐ Yes ☒ No

See Serial

Agent Submitting Property or Exhibit

Agent A

☐ Yes ☒ No Grand Jury Property - Disseminate Only Pursuant to Rule 6(e), Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure.

☐ Yes ☒ No Property to be Forfeited to the Government

Description of Property or Exhibit

EXTORTION LETTER

"Child L.M. 'Pete' Bucher  
DATED 4/26/90

RETURNED 2/6/95

By



For Valuable and/or Narcotics Evidence Only

Evidence Bag Seal # \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Two  
Special Agents  
Verifying and Sealing  
Bag Contents \_\_\_\_\_

SEMIANNUAL INVENTORY CERTIFICATION TO JUSTIFY RETENTION OF PROPERTY (Initial and Date)

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OO:

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EVIDENCE (PACKAGE COPY)

# CHAIN OF CUSTODY

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		Date	Time			Date	Time
Signature	[Redacted]	5/4/90	9:30 AM	[Redacted]	[Redacted]	5/4/90	11:00 AM
Reason	[Redacted]			[Redacted]	[Redacted]		
Signature	[Redacted]	5/4/90	11:00 AM	[Redacted]	[Redacted]	5/4/90	4:45 PM
Reason	[Redacted]			[Redacted]	[Redacted]		
Signature	[Redacted]	5/6/90	1:10 PM	[Redacted]	[Redacted]		
Reason	Return - Sent to IA			[Redacted]	[Redacted]		
Signature				[Redacted]	[Redacted]		
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Item found. To FBI Lab per SD airtel via  
reg mail #R54147244. [unclear]

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
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TO: SAC, SAN DIEGO (9A-SD-45258) (P) DATE: 5/20/90.

FROM: SSA [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

Lloyd Bucher - Victim;  
Extortion  
OO: SD

To facilitate processing of evidence in this case, it is recommended that a 1B Sub File be opened.

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open 1B sub file  
5/25/90

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Date

5/25/90

Title and Character of Case

LEOYD BUCKER - VICTIM;  
EXTORTION  
OO: SD.

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Date Property Acquired

5/4/90

Source From Which Property Acquired

VICTIM

Location of Property or Bulky Exhibit

Buckley-3-3

Reason for Retention of Property and Efforts Made to Dispose of Same

EVID.

To Be Returned

☐ Yes ☒ No

See Serial

Agent

or Exhibit

Agent A

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☐ Yes ☒ No Grand Jury Property - Disseminate Only Pursuant to Rule 6(e), Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure.

☐ Yes ☒ No Property to be Forfeited to the Government

Description of Property or Exhibit

EXTORTION LETTER

"Curd L.M. 'Pete' Bucker  
DATED 4/28/90

For Valuable and/or Narcotics Evidence Only

Evidence Bag Seal # \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Two  
Special Agents  
Verifying and Sealing  
Bag Contents \_\_\_\_\_

SEMIANNUAL INVENTORY CERTIFICATION TO JUSTIFY RETENTION OF PROPERTY (Initial and Date)

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OO: \_\_\_\_\_

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## CHAIN OF CUSTODY

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Laboratory Work Sheet

To: SAC, San Diego (9A-SD-45258)

FBI FILE NO. 9- 72204-2

LAB NO. 00601043 D ST

Re: [REDACTED]

COMMANDER (RETIRED) LLOYD BUCHER - VICTIM,  
EXTORTIONb6  
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OO: San Diego

Examination by:

Examination requested by: Addressee

Reference: Communication dated May 24, 1990

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Specimens received: June 1, 1990

## Specimens:

Q1 Envelope postmarked "SAN DIEGO CA 921 PM 26 APR 1990"  
addressed to "Cmdr L.M. "Pete" Bucher formally of  
the Pueblo - U.S. Valley or Reserve Post Poway,  
California 92064"Q2 Accompanying handwritten letter beginning "If you  
take that medal you or your..." and signed [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]b6  
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6/18/90*

# Evidence Files Searched

	Section(s) Searched	Date Searched	Section(s) Added	Date Added
Art	_____	_____	_____	_____
Bank Robbery Note File	_____	_____	_____	_____
Motor Vehicle Title	_____	_____	_____	_____
Anonymous Letter File:	_____	_____	_____	_____

Motive \_\_\_\_\_

State(s) \_\_\_\_\_

VIP \_\_\_\_\_

Bombing \_\_\_\_\_

Other \_\_\_\_\_

## Typewriter Information:

Q1 9.45 X 4.10 X .0045 - .0047  
 Blue & white plaid interior  
 25¢ stamp from Booklet;  
 Silver marking on front  
 of envelope  
 no w/m - no l/w

# Standards Files Searched

	Date Searched
Tire Tread	_____
Shoe Print	_____
Typewriter	_____
Watermark	_____
Office Copier	_____
Safety Paper	_____
Computer Print Out	_____

Q2 11.00 X 8.50 X .0028 - .0030  
 3 holes left side  
 Red margin lines  
 33 blue lines

Remarks: \_\_\_\_\_

ESDA - neg

no w/m - no l/w

Cleaves  
 131131

Search  
 neg 6/14/90

Examiner's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ Lab # \_\_\_\_\_

**Recognition Section:**

1. _____	10. _____	19. _____	28. _____
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**National Fraudulent Check File**

Date Searched	Date Added	
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_____	_____	Gimmick Section
_____	_____	Master Check Section
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_____	_____	Counterfeit Money Orders
_____	_____	Counterfeit Checks
_____	_____	Altered Travelers Checks
_____	_____	Altered Money Orders
_____	_____	Raised Bank Checks
_____	_____	Checks prepared with False "Certified" Impressions
_____	_____	Checks prepared with Press-On Letters

**Stolen Money Orders & Travelers Checks Section:**

Travelers Checks - Type	# From	To #
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Money Orders - Type		
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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Roll #: \_\_\_\_\_

Report

(P25)  
(Hammond, 7/10/90)  
Lab # 00601043

Specimens Q1 + Q2 searched through the ALF with negative results. Appropriate copies have been added thereto.

The submitted specimens were examined for the possible presence of watermarks, indented writing, or other markings which might indicate the immediate source of the questioned envelope + letter, with negative results.

Specimens Q1 + Q2 will be returned upon completion of the latent fingerprint examination. Photos have been returned.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

## Laboratory Work Sheet

To: SAC, San Diego (9A-SD-45258)

FBI FILE NO. 9- 724041

LAB NO. 00601043 D ST

Re: [REDACTED]

COMMANDER (RETIRED) LLOYD BUCHER - VICTIM,  
EXTORTION

YOUR NO.

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OO: San Diego

Examination by:

Examination requested by: Addressee

Reference: Communication dated May 24, 1990

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Specimens received: June 1, 1990

## Specimens:

Q1 Envelope postmarked "SAN DIEGO CA 921 PM 26 APR 1990"  
addressed to "Cmdr L.M. "Pete" Buecher formally of  
the Pueblo - U.S. Valley or Reserve Post Poway,  
California 92064"Q2 Accompanying handwritten letter beginning "If you  
take that medal you or your..." and signed [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]b6  
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spec intd  
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FILE # 9-72204-2

CONTENTS: LAB WORKSHEET ITEMS

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Q1-Q2

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## Laboratory Work Sheet

Recorded: 7/12/90

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Received: 7/11/90

To: SAC, San Diego (9A-SD-45258) (P)

FBI FILE NO. 9- 72204

LAB NO. 00601043 D ST

Re: [REDACTED]

COMMANDER (RETIRED) LLOYD BUCHER - VICTIM,  
EXTORTION

YOUR NO. LC#C-91633

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OO: San Diego

Examination by:

Examination requested by:

Addressee

Noted by:

Reference:

Airtel dated May 24, 1990

Examination requested:

Document Fingerprint

Specimens received:

June 1, 1990

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## Specimens:

Q1 Envelope postmarked "SAN DIEGO CA 921 PM 26 APR 1990" addressed to "Cmdr L.M. "Pete" Buecher formally of the Pueblo - U.S. Valley or Reserve Post Poway, California 92064"

Q2 Accompanying handwritten letter beginning "If you take that medal you or your..." and signed [REDACTED]

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Named Subject [REDACTED]

W/F, DOB [REDACTED]

SSAN [REDACTED]

FBI # [REDACTED]

Examination completed

Time

11:00 AM 7/20/90

Date

Dictated

Date

7/20/90

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1-RT/SAW

AKS 7/26/90

— 7/13/90 - Tr

Specs exam'd laser - No lets val

— 7/16/90 - Tr

Specs pro N-Q2 to photo

— 7/20/90 - Tr

Reg MP & Civil Reg Bucher

1 lat fypst val der N - Q2 #6

verified 7-20-90

Fypst to photo for negs - Reg fypst trial use

Specs int'd en

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FBI

TRANSMIT VIA:

AIRTEL

Date: 5/24/90

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI  
ATTN: LABORATORY DIVISION  
FROM: SAC, SAN DIEGO (9A-SD-45258) (P)

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]  
COMMANDER (RETIRED) LLOYD BUCHER-VICTIM;  
EXTORTION;  
OO: SAN DIEGO

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Reference San Diego teletype to Bureau dated 5/7/90.

REQUEST OF THE BUREAU:

LABORATORY DIVISION

It is requested that this letter be searched through appropriate sections of the anonymous letter file possibly associating this letter with specimens submitted in other cases.

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Enclosed for the FBI laboratory is the original letter and the envelope received by the victim via U. S. Mail on or about 5/1/90.

For information of the Bureau, on 5/1/90, Commander (retired) LLOYD BUCHER, past commander of the USS PUEBLO captured by North Koreans 1/23/68, contacted FBI San Diego. BUCHER advised that he received a threatening letter through the U. S. Mail.

The letter, suspected to have been authored by subject [REDACTED] was rambling in nature, however, did state that her son may be used to kill BUCHER and [REDACTED]

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3-Bureau (Encl. 1)  
(1-FBI Laboratory Section)  
2-San Diego (9A-SD-45258)  
MCR:plr  
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ANSI  
1/26/90

On 5/4/90, BUCHER was interviewed by San Diego FBI and the letter was taken for evidence. BUCHER stated that he was not that threatened by the letter, however, felt that he should notify appropriate authorities.

To date, subject [ ] has not been located. Her last known address was at the YMCA San Diego, but she has not been seen at that location for approximately eight months.

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[ ] is described as follows:

Name:	[ ]
Race:	<del>White</del>
Sex:	Female
Date of birth:	[ ]
California driver's license:	[ ]
Height:	5 feet 8 inches
Weight:	236 pounds
Hair:	Brown
Eyes:	Hazel
Social Security Account number:	[ ]
Last known address:	San Diego, California

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R 072243Z MAY 90

FM FBI SAN DIEGO (9A-SD-45258) (P)

TO DIRECTOR FBI/ROUTINE/

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CITE: //3780//

PASS: HQ FOR VIOLENT CRIMES UNIT.

SUBJECT: [REDACTED] COMMANDER (RETIRED) LLOYD

BUCHER-VICTIM; EXTORTION; OO: SAN DIEGO.

ON MAY 1, 1990, COMMANDER (RETIRED) LLOYD BUCHER, PAST  
COMMANDER OF USS PUEBLO CAPTURED BY NORTH KOREANS, JAN. 23, 1968,  
CONTACTED FBI SAN DIEGO. BUCHER ADVISED THAT HE RECEIVED A  
THREATENING LETTER THROUGH THE U.S. MAIL.

THE LETTER, SUSPECTED TO HAVE BEEN AUTHORED BY SUBJECT  
[REDACTED] WAS RAMBLING IN NATURE; HOWEVER, DID STATE THAT HER SON  
MAY BE USED TO KILL BUCHER AND [REDACTED]

Dep. Dir.	
ADD Adm.	
ADD Inv.	
Asst. Dir.:	
Adm. Serv.	WMB
Crim. Inv.	VRO
Ident.	
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Intell.	
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Legal Coun.	
Off. of Cong. & Public Affs.	
Telephone Rm.	
Director's Sec'y	

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PAGE TWO DE FBISD 0009 UNCLAS

ON MAY 4, 1990, BUCHER WAS INTERVIEWED BY FBI SAN DIEGO, AND THE LETTER WAS TAKEN FOR EVIDENTIARY PURPOSES. BUCHER STATED THAT HE WAS NOT THREATENED BY THE LETTER, HOWEVER, FELT THAT HE SHOULD NOTIFY APPROPRIATE AUTHORITIES.

TO DATE, SUBJECT [ ] HAS NOT BEEN LOCATED. HER LAST KNOWN ADDRESS WAS THE YMCA SAN DIEGO, BUT HAS NOT BEEN THERE FOR APPROXIMATELY EIGHT MONTHS.

BUCHER IS DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: (X)(X)NAME: LLOYD MARK BUCHER, DATE OF BIRTH (DOB) SEP. 1, 1927, CALIFORNIA DRIVERS LICENSE (CDL) N3521584, ADDRESS AS OF AUG. 14, 1984-1629 ROSTRATA HILL, POWAY, CALIFORNIA 92064, WHITE MALE, GRAY HAIR, BROWN EYES, 5'10", 200 POUNDS(X)(X).

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THE FOLLOWING IS A DESCRIPTION OF SUBJECT [ ]:  
(X)(X)NAME: [ ] 5'8", 236 POUNDS, BROWN HAIR, HAZEL EYES, SOCIAL SECURITY NO. [ ]  
DOB [ ] LAST KNOWN ADDRESS [ ]  
SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA (YMCA), MISCELLANEOUS ON RETURN ENVELOPE  
USED ADDRESS OF [ ] SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA 92112(X)(X).

SAN DIEGO. AT SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA, (1) WILL LOCATE AND INTERVIEW SUBJECT [ ] (2) WILL FORWARD LETTER TO FBI LAB FOR

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NECESSARY PROCESSING.

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San Diego Unified Port District HARBOR POLICE 12116  
NOTICE TO APPEAR DR 87-4379 HP.

DATE	TIME	DAY OF THE WEEK	ADULT	JUV.
NOV 14 1987	0900	SAT	X	
NAME (FIRST, MIDDLE, LAST)				
LLOYD MARK BUCHER				
RESIDENCE ADDRESS				
16296 ROSTRATA HILL				
CITY	STATE	ZIP		
POWAY	CA	92064		
PARENT'S NAME		ADDRESS		
DRIVERS LICENSE NO.		STATE	BIRTHDATE	
N3521884		CA	SEP 01 27	
SEX	HAIR	EYES	HEIGHT	WEIGHT
(M) F	GRY	BRN	5-10	200
AGE	RACE			
60	W			
VEHICLE/VESSEL		LC/REG. NO.	STATE	PASSENGERS
				M F
YEAR	VEH/VES	MAKE	BODY/HULL STYLE	COLOR(S)
REGISTERED OWNER OR LESSEE		ADDRESS		

ITEMS CHECKED ARE ISSUED PURSUANT TO 40610(B)	INFRACTION	<input type="checkbox"/>
CVC - SEE REVERSE FOR CLEARANCE PROCEDURES.	BOOKING REQUIRED	<input type="checkbox"/>

<input type="checkbox"/> S. 09(a) UPD - WEAPON/DANGEROUS
<input type="checkbox"/> OBJECT IN AIRPORT
<input type="checkbox"/>

APPROX. SPEED	PF/MAX SPEED	VEH/VES SPEED LIMIT	CITIZEN'S ARREST
			MISDEMEANOR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

LOCATIONS OF VIOLATION(S)			
3665 N. HARBOR DR			
WEATHER	TRAFFIC	SURFACE CONDITIONS	NO. OF LANES
RAIN	FOG	HEAVY	MED
			LIGHT

I CERTIFY UNDER THE PENALTY OF PERJURY THAT THE FOREGOING IS TRUE AND CORRECT.  
EXECUTED AT THE PLACE AND ON THE DATE INDICATED ABOVE.

ISSUING OFFICER	BADGE NO.

ARRESTING OFFICER	IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE	BADGE NO.

WITHOUT ADMITTING GUILT, I PROMISE TO APPEAR AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE INDICATED.

X SIGNATURE	
SAN DIEGO MUNICIPAL TRAFFIC COURT 8950 CLAIREMONT MESA BOULEVARD SAN DIEGO, CA 92123	<input type="checkbox"/>
SAN DIEGO MUNICIPAL COURT 220 WEST BROADWAY SAN DIEGO, CA 92101	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
JUVENILE PROBATION 2901 MEADOWLARK DRIVE SAN DIEGO, CA 92123	<input type="checkbox"/>
SOUTH BAY MUNICIPAL COURT 500 THIRD AVENUE CHULA VISTA, CA 92010	<input type="checkbox"/>

TO APPEAR	TIME	MONTH	DAY	YEAR
	0800	DEC	14	87

FORM APPROVED BY THE JUDICIAL COUNCIL OF CALIFORNIA, (S) 3-11-81 V.C. 40513(b), 40522, P.C. 853.9

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Title  
Lloyd Mark Bucher,  
CAA-CWAA;  
OO: SD

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SAN DIEGO UNIFIED PORT DISTRICT  
HARBOR POLICE  
ADULT FIELD RELEASE ARREST REPORT

1 OF 3  
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DR87-4379

ARRESTED PERSON'S NAME BUCHER, LLOYD MARK DATE 111487 CITATION NUMBER HP 12116

VICTIM'S NAME \_\_\_\_\_ ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ RES. PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ BUS. PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

STATEMENT \_\_\_\_\_

WITNESSES \_\_\_\_\_ ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ RES. PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ BUS. PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

STATEMENT \_\_\_\_\_

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ADVISED OF RIGHTS YES ☒ NO ☐ DATE 111487 TIME \_\_\_\_\_ WAIVER YES ☐ NO ☐

COMPLAINANTS OF ARRESTED PERSONS (1) \_\_\_\_\_ (2) \_\_\_\_\_

EVIDENCE DESCRIPTION AND DISPOSITION PROPERTY TAG NO. 1-9 MM WALTHER PP GUN, SERIAL #33195 CE - 430387

1-CLIP w/ 7-9MM ROUNDS

1-BLK HOLSTER # 800276.

STATEMENT OF OFFICER(S) \_\_\_\_\_

CHARGES: ON 111487 AT ABOUT 0900 HRS, I ARRESTED BUCHER FOR CARRYING A LOADED 9MM PISTOL INSIDE HIS SUITCASE AND INTO THE AIRPORT.

ORIGIN: RADIO CALL

PROBABLE CAUSE: I WAS TOLD, BY STATION 70 DISPATCHER, OFFICER [REDACTED] THAT SECURITY CHECKPOINT 3 WAS REPORTING A GUN INSIDE A SUITCASE. UPON ARRIVAL AT THE CHECKPOINT, I MET SECURITY PERSON [REDACTED] WHO DIRECTED MY ATTENTION TO THE X-RAY MONITOR. CLEARLY VISIBLE ON THE MONITOR WAS THE IMAGE OF A HANDGUN INSIDE A SUITCASE WHICH WAS IN THE SCREENING MACHINE. [REDACTED] BROUGHT THE SUITCASE OUT OF THE MACHINE AND I ASKED BUCHER, WHO WAS STANDING NEARBY, IF THE SUITCASE WAS HIS. BUCHER STATED THE SUITCASE WAS HIS AND ASKED IF THERE WAS A PROBLEM.

ISSUING OFFICER \_\_\_\_\_ APPROVED \_\_\_\_\_

☐ OFFICER'S REPORT ONLY  
CONTINUED: ☒ ARR./JUV.CON.  
FROM ☐ CRIME  
☐ OTHER

SAN DIEGO REGIONAL  
OFFICER'S REPORT  
NARRATIVE

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CASE NUMBER	287-4379
DAY OF WEEK	SAT
TIME	0900
DISTRICT	WEST
PROPERTY TAG NO. (S)	

CODE SECTION AND DESCRIPTION (ONE INCIDENT ONLY)

5.09(a)UPD - DANGEROUS WEAPON IN AIRPORT  
LOCATION OF INCIDENT (OR ADDRESS)

3665 N. HARBOR DR  
PERSON(S) INVOLVED: VICTIM

SUSPECT (IF NAMED)  
BUCHER, LLOYD

PROBABLE CAUSE (CONT)

MAINTAINING CONTROL OF THE SUITCASE, I ASKED BUCHER IF HE KNEW THERE WAS A GUN IN THE SUITCASE. BUCHER'S [REDACTED] SAID, "MY GOODNESS LLOYD I'LL BET YOU FORGOT TO TAKE IT OUT WHEN YOU GOT THE SUITCASE FROM THE CLOSET."

BUCHER THEN STATED THAT HE KEPT THE GUN HIDDEN IN THE SUITCASE IN HIS CLOSET AND THAT HE APPARENTLY FORGOT TO REMOVE IT WHEN HE GOT THE SUITCASE. BUCHER SAID THAT HE NEVER CARRIED THE GUN WITH HIM AND THAT IT WAS A PURE MISTAKE TO LEAVE IT IN THE SUITCASE. I ASKED BUCHER IF I COULD REMOVE THE GUN WHICH I COULD FEEL FROM THE OUTSIDE OF THE SUITCASE. BUCHER CONSENTED AND I UNZIPPED THE SIDE POCKET OF HIS SOFT SUITCASE AND REMOVED A 9MM WALTHER PP PISTOL. I THEN REMOVED THE CLIP WHICH CONTAINED 6 ROUNDS AND I REMOVED 1 ROUND FROM THE CHAMBER. THE SAFETY ON THE GUN WAS "OFF" ALLOWING THE PISTOL TO BE FIRED.

BASED ON BUCHER'S STATEMENTS AND THE FACT THAT THE GUN WAS IN A SUITCASE, I

REPORTING OFFICER	I.D. #	DIVISION	APPROVED BY:	MONTH	DAY	YEAR	TIME
		SDHP		11	14	87	0900
				DATE OF REPORT:			

ISSUED BUCHER A CITATION FOR VIOLATION OF  
S. 09(a) UPD (CITE # HP 12116)

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EVIDENCE:

<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>TAG NO.</u>
1- 9mm WALTHER MODEL PP SERIAL # 33195	CE430387
1- HOLSTER BLACK # 800 276	
7- .380 ROUNDS	

THE EVIDENCE WAS IMPOUNDED AT S.D.P.D. BY  
OFFICER

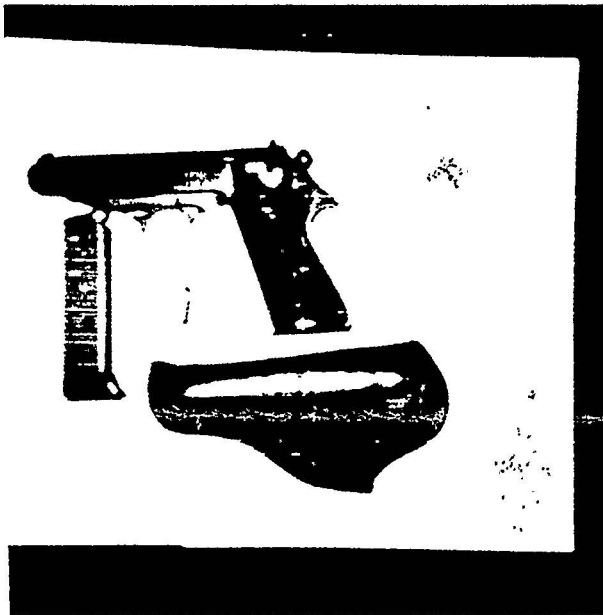
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ADDITIONAL INFO:

I NOTIFIED THE FBI AND SPECIAL AGENT   
(HEAD OF AIRPORT AFFAIRS FOR THE FBI) STATED  
THAT THE FBI WOULD DECLINE FURTHER ACTION  
ON THEIR PART AND THAT WE SHOULD PROCEED  
PER OUR REGULATIONS.

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U.S. Department of Justice

Federal Bureau of Investigation

In Reply, Please Refer to  
File No. 164C-777

San Diego, California  
November 19, 1987

LLOYD MARK BUCHER;  
CRIME ABOARD AIRCRAFT-  
CARRYING WEAPONS ABOARD AIRCRAFT

On November 14, 1987, LLOYD MARK BUCHER attempted to board a PACIFIC SOUTHWEST AIRLINES (PSA) flight at Lindbergh Field, San Diego, California, when a revolver was found in his luggage. Investigation determined that the revolver appeared on the X-ray monitor when BUCHER attempted to clear his luggage at the security checkpoint. When approached by officers of the HARBOR POLICE, Lindbergh Field, BUCHER admitted the luggage was his and that there was a gun inside. BUCHER stated he kept the gun hidden in the luggage in his closet and that he apparently forgot to remove it when he packed for his trip. BUCHER further stated that he never carried the gun with him and that it was a pure mistake to leave it in the luggage. Located inside the luggage was a 9 millimeter WALTHER PP gun, Serial Number 33195, with one magazine containing seven 9 millimeter rounds. BUCHER was subsequently arrested by the HARBOR POLICE and charged with Carrying a Dangerous Weapon in the Airport. (X)  
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On November 14, 1987, Assistant United States Attorney (AUSA) [redacted] San Diego, California, after being apprised of the above facts, stated she would defer prosecution inasmuch as BUCHER was being charged by the HARBOR POLICE.

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LLOYD MARK BUCHER is described as follows:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Date of birth	September 1, 1927
Hair	Gray
Eyes	Brown

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- 1 - USSS, San Diego
- 1 - USA, San Diego

- 1 - FAA, Los Angeles
- 2 - San Diego (1-164C-777)  
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LLOYD MARK BUCHER;  
CRIME ABOARD AIRCRAFT-  
CARRYING WEAPON ABOARD AIRCRAFT

Height	5'10"
Weight	200 pounds
California Driver's License Number	N3521584
Home address	16296 Rostrata Hill Poway, California 92064

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DATE 11-11-2010 BY 60322 UCBAW/STP





## U.S. Department of Justice

## Federal Bureau of Investigation

In Reply, Please Refer to  
File No. 164C-777

November 19, 1987

Director  
United States Secret Service  
Department of the Treasury  
Washington, D. C. 20223

RE: LLOYD MARK BUCHER;  
CRIME ABOARD AIRCRAFT-  
CARRYING WEAPONS ABOARD AIRCRAFT

The information furnished herewith concerns an individual or organization believed to be covered by the agreement between the FBI and Secret Service concerning protective responsibilities, and to fall within the category or categories checked.

1. ☐ Threats or actions against persons protected by Secret Service.
2. ☐ Attempts or threats to redress grievances.
3. ☐ Threatening or abusive statement about U.S. or foreign official.
4. ☐ Participation in civil disturbances, anti-U.S. demonstrations or hostile incidents against foreign diplomatic establishments.
5. ☐ Illegal bombing, bomb-making or other terrorist activity.
6. ☐ Defector from U.S. or indicates desire to defect.
7. ☐ Potentially dangerous because of background, emotional instability or activity in groups engaged in activities inimical to U.S.

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Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation

1 - Bureau  
1 - Special Agent in Charge (Enclosure(s))  
U.S. Secret Service, San Diego  
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## PRECEDENCE:

☐ Immediate  
☐ Priority  
☐ Routine

## CLASSIFICATION:

☐ TOP SECRET  
☐ SECRET  
☐ CONFIDENTIAL  
☐ UNCLAS E F T O  
☐ UNCLAS

Date 11/19/87

To: Director, FBI

## ATTENTION:

From: SAC, SAN DIEGO (164C-777) (C)

## CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

☐ CIVIL RIGHTS SECTION  
☐ DOMESTIC SECURITY AND  
 TERRORISM SECTION  
☒ PERSONAL AND PROPERTY  
 CRIMES SECTION

Subject: LLOYD MARK BUCHER;  
 CAA-CWAA  
 (OO: SAN DIEGO)

☐ CR ☐ EL ☐ DIH ☐ CRA-64  
☐ DAMV ☐ PA ☐ PE ☐ PF ☐ E  
☒ CAA ☐ AP ☐ IWFC ☒ CWAA ☐ FI  
☐ EID ☐ Bomb Threats

## Summary of Complaint:

LLOYD MARK BUCHER was arrested by the SAN DIEGO HARBOR POLICE subsequent to his attempt to pass through airport security with a handgun in his luggage. San Diego indices contain several references to LLOYD MARK BUCHER as the former Captain of the USS PUEBLO, which was captured by the North Koreans Circa 1967.

INDICES: ☐ Negative ☒ See Summary

## ACTION: UACB:

☒ No further action being taken and

2 - Bureau (Enc. 4) ☒ LHM enclosed  
 ① - San Diego (164C-777) ☒ FD-376 (Enc. to LHM)

☒ Copy to: ☒ USA SD  
☒ Secret Service SD  
☐ ATF  
☒ FAA LA

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☐ LHM being submitted  
☐ Report being submitted  
☐ Preliminary investigation instituted  
☐ Limited investigation instituted  
☐ Investigation continuing

SA [redacted] notified  
 USSS SD  
 11/14/87, AM

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 11/19/87

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_

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