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The above information was verified in substance on December 31, 1958, by [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] and on January 30, 1959 by [REDACTED] b7D

At Hartford, Connecticut

On November 26, 1958, [REDACTED] furnished information concerning a meeting of the NOI held at 1097 Main Street, Hartford, on November 19, 1958. [REDACTED] stated MALCOLM X spoke as follows: b7D

As the personal representative of ELIJAH MUHAMMAD he wanted to acquaint the audience with the most feared and most intelligent black man in North America, the great ELIJAH MUHAMMAD, spiritual leader of the Moslems in North America.

The Bible is a lie yet you abide by its lies and worship it. Know the truth about it and you will no longer worship it. The American flag is not your flag. Know the truth about this flag and you will readily accept another. You are not a Negro. Know why you are so called and you will no longer be ashamed of being black. The American Constitution was not written for you but for the white man, by him and about him.

Concerning the above speech, [REDACTED] stated that at no time did the speaker either by word, implication or gesture advocate violence, but the things he read from the books concerning the treatment of the Negro, especially the slaves, were enough to make one's blood boil and certainly enough to make a weak minded person follow in the thought process the speaker had tried to create. b7D

On December 1, 1958, [REDACTED] stated that at a meeting of Temple number 7 of the NOI in New York on November b7D

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26, 1958, it was stated that MALCOLM X was then in Hartford, Connecticut.

At Jacksonville, Florida

[redacted] advised on September 30, 1958, MALCOLM X directed a letter to the "Florida Tattler", a weekly Negro newspaper, in which MALCOLM stated he had been lecturing for the past two weeks in Miami and Tampa, Florida, and that he planned to spend two days in Jacksonville on October 6 and 7, 1958, in an effort to get the new Moslems there better organized. According to [redacted] with the letter above mentioned from MALCOLM X was a news release which described MALCOLM X as being the Minister in the New York City NOI. -

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[redacted] advised in October, 1958, that he attended a meeting of the Moslems held October 6, 1958, at 612 West Union Street, Jacksonville. The group was addressed by Minister MALCOLM. During the discussion by MALCOLM he stated that Christ and all his disciples were colored and that the white people would have you looking up to the Bible as if you would get your reward in heaven, while the white people were getting their heaven now on earth. MALCOLM stated that would come to an end and that at some time a small colored nation in the east would rule the world.

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[redacted] further advised that on the following evening, October 7, 1958, he attended a meeting held at the same place at which time MALCOLM discussed the Bible and ELIJAH MUHAMMAD, the leader of the Moslem group. MALCOLM pointed out that the colored people should be leaders as well as the whites. He stated MUHAMMAD did not believe in integration because soon the darker race of people would be the leaders.

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At Miami, Florida

On October 10, 1958, [redacted] furnished information

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