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**FILE NUMBER: 163-41412**

1 - Mr. V. Kolombatovic  
1 - Ms. E. M. Smith

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TO SAC SEATTLE  
FROM DIRECTOR FBI

APRIL 8, 1976  
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CANADIAN APPEARANCE OF "PAUL MC CARTNEY AND WINGS," [REDACTED] **b2**

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3:56PM NITEL 4-8-76 JKS

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, SEATTLE (163-NEW) (P)

CANADIAN APPEARANCE OF "PAUL MCCARTNEY & WINGS";

RE BUREAU TELETYPE, APRIL 8, 1976.

[REDACTED] 700 112TH NE, SUITE 105, BELLEVUE, WA,  
BUSINESS PHONE [REDACTED] 206-453-9160, HOME PHONE [REDACTED] ADVISES

HE RECEIVED A TELEPHONE CALL FROM RADIO STATION CHED IN EDMONTON, CANADA ON APRIL 7, 1976 CONCERNING THE SALES OF TICKETS TO A PURPORTED APPEARANCE OF PAUL MCCARTNEY AND THE WINGS IN EDMONTON, CANADA ON MARY 23, 1976. [REDACTED] ADVISES THAT THE PROPOSED APPEARANCE WAS TO BE HAD AT THE EDMONTON SPEEDWAY PARK AND WAS SUPPOSEDLY PROMOTED BY SID BERNSTEIN. STATES THAT SID BERNSTEIN IS A CALIFORNIA PROMOTER WHO HAS HIS OFFICES IN NEW YORK CITY. STATES HE HAS NO REASON TO BELIEVE BERNSTEIN INVOLVED IN INSTANT MATTER. STATES THAT THE COMPLETE PURPORTED APPEARANCE IN EDMONTON, CANADA IS FALSE AND THAT HIS GROUP IS NOT SCHEDULED FOR APPEARANCE IN EDMONTON, CANADA DURING 1976. HE KNOWS NOTHING ABOUT THE TICKET SALES CONCERNING THE PROPOSED APPEARANCE AND ADVISED RADIO STATION CHED TO ANNOUNCE TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC THAT THEY SHOULD NOT PURCHASE TICKETS TO THE PROPOSED AFFAIR.

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Date: 4/9/76

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Via AIRTEL \_\_\_\_\_  
(Precedence)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI  
FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (163-1453) (RUC)  
SUBJECT: CANADIAN APPEARANCE OF  
"PAUL MC CARTNEY AND WINGS"  
[REDACTED]

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W.M.

Re Bureau teletype dated 4/8/76 and Seattle teletype to the Bureau dated 4/8/76.

Enclosed herewith to the Bureau are five (5) copies of an LHM pertaining to captioned matter.

The investigation in the enclosed LHM was conducted by SA [REDACTED], at Seattle, Washington.

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1 - Seattle  
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*[Signature]*  
Special Agent in Charge

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to  
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Seattle, Washington  
April 9, 1976

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RE: CANADIAN APPEARANCE OF  
"PAUL MC CARTNEY AND WINGS"

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] Concerts West, 700 East 112th  
Northeast, Suite 105, Bellevue, Washington, office  
telephone number 206-455-9160, home telephone number  
[REDACTED] was telephonically contacted on 4/8/76 at  
which time he advised that he handles the promotion, ticket  
sales, and advertising for the group "PAUL MC CARTNEY and  
Wings".

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[REDACTED] advised that on 4/7/76 he received a  
telephone call from radio station CHED in Edmonton,  
Canada, at which time he was advised that tickets were  
supposed to go on sale for a purported appearance of  
"PAUL MC CARTNEY and Wings" in Edmonton, Canada, on 5/23/76.  
He related that he was further advised that the proposed  
appearance was to be had at the Edmonton Speedway Park  
and was supposedly promoted by SID BERNSTEIN. He related  
that BERNSTEIN is a California promoter who has his offices  
in New York. He has no reason to believe that BERNSTEIN  
is involved in the Edmonton matter.

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[REDACTED] advised that "PAUL MC CARTNEY and Wings"  
are not scheduled for an appearance in Edmonton, Canada,  
on 5/23/76, nor is his group scheduled in Edmonton,  
Canada, for the year 1976. He related that the group is

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CANADIAN APPEARANCE OF  
"PAUL MC CARTNEY AND WINGS"

scheduled for an appearance in New York City on March 23, 1976. He related that the ticket sale in Edmonton, Canada, is a fraud and that he had contacted the "Wings" attorney in New York City concerning same.

 related that he advised radio station CHED in Edmonton to advise the general public that they should not purchase any of the tickets for the above stated proposed affair.

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4/14/76

To: SAC, Los Angeles

From: Director, FBI

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1 - Mr. O'Brien  
1 - Mr. A. J. Duffin  
Room 4644

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UNSUB, aka

Syd Bernstein;

CANADIAN APPEARANCE OF

'PAUL MC CARTNEY AND WINGS.'

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Title previously carried as "Canadian Appearance of 'Paul McCartney and Wings,' Foreign Police Cooperation."

ReSLairtel to Director dated 4/9/76.

Enclosed for Los Angeles and Legat, Ottawa, are the following:

1. One copy of SLairtel to Director, dated 4/9/76.
2. Two copies of SL 1101, dated 4/9/76.
3. One copy of Director's teletype to SL, dated 4/8/76.

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Enclosures - 6

- 1 - Seattle (Info)
- 2 - Legat, Ottawa (Incs. - 6)

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Airtel to SAC, Los Angeles  
RE: UNSUB, aka  
Syd Bernstein;

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Above for information, Legat, Ottawa.

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Date: 4/28/76

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Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL  
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI ATTN: Foreign Liaison Unit  
 FROM: ADIC, LOS ANGELES (163-3137)(RUC)  
 SUBJECT: UNSUB, aka  
 Syd Bernstein;  
 CANADIAN APPEARANCE OF  
 "PAUL MC CARTNEY & WINGS"  
 [REDACTED] FBW  
 OO: Bureau

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Re Bureau airtel to Los Angeles dated 4/14/76.

Enclosed are six (6) copies of a Letterhead Memorandum (LHM) dated and captioned as above.

Source is [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Los Angeles, California, telephone number [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Beverly Hills, California, was interviewed by SA's [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]

- ③ - Bureau (Encls. 6)
- 1 - Los Angeles

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Approved: \_\_\_\_\_  
Special Agent in Charge

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Los Angeles, California

April 28, 1976

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UNKNOWN SUBJECT,  
Also Known As  
Syd Bernstein;  
CANADIAN APPEARANCE OF  
"PAUL MC CARTNEY & WINGS"

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On April 23, 1976,

[REDACTED]

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Beverly Hills, California, telephone number  
[REDACTED] furnished the following information:

[REDACTED]

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ATTENTION OF AGENCIES  
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SLIP (FORM 6)  
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TO SAC SEATTLE

APRIL 3, 1976

FROM DIRECTOR, FBI

CANADIAN APPEARANCE OF "PAUL MC CARTNEY AND WINGS," [REDACTED]

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NOTE:

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*Seattle advised  
pm of 4/8 that  
[REDACTED] indicated  
McCartney and Wings  
not to appear in  
Canada 5/23 and  
this is a hoax. Said  
Sgt Bernatoni is  
promoted from Calif.  
NY office - but  
has no idea of  
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