



FREEDOM OF INFORMATION
AND
PRIVACY ACTS

SUBJECT Elizabeth Aardema



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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Date 3/2/72

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, PHILADELPHIA (62-5029) (P)

SUBJECT: UNSUB;
BETSY AARDSMA-VICTIM
MURDER
POLICE COOPERATION

Captioned individual was stabbed to death on 11/28/69 in the Pattee Library at Penn State University University, Park, Pa., by an unknown person or persons. The victim was stabbed with a knife or sharp instrument in the center of the chest through the breast bone. Victim was a graduate student at P.S.U. and was born and reared in Michigan.

Extensive investigation by the Pennsylvania State Police (PSP) to date has failed to develop any suspects.

PSP has attempted to coordinate their investigation in this matter with other police agencies covering similar incidents in different states.

PSP has requested information from the Austin, Texas, Police Department Criminal Investigative Division concerning one [redacted] an Arabian National date of birth [redacted] who was arrested by the Austin Police Department on 1/1/72.

To date, PSP has received only a fingerprint card and a physical description of [redacted] from Austin PD.

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2- Philadelphia (62-5029)

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Let SAC AX Special Agent in Charge
3/6/72 JFH/sk9

PH 62-5029

b7C Criminal Investigator - 3, [REDACTED] PSP, Rockview, Bellefonte, Pa., has requested that Austin PD be contacted and information obtained to determine if [REDACTED] is a subject or suspect in a murder of a college coed on a college campus in the Austin area; if not, the reason he was arrested, if currently in custody, and all available background information concerning him.

Also, obtain all available background information and the conditions of the crime concerning the murder of a college coed on a campus in the Austin, Texas, area. UACB San Antonio handle.

LEAD

SAN ANTONIO
AT AUSTIN, TEXAS

Obtain above requested information and furnish to Philadelphia.

SAC, Alexandria

March 6, 1972

Director, FBI

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UNSUB;
BETSY AARDSMA - VICTIM
MURDER
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RePHairtel to the Bureau dated 3/2/72.

Enclosed for Alexandria is one copy of referenced communication for background purposes.

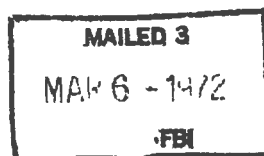
In view of similarities between captioned killing and that set forth in case captioned, " Identification Division - Homicide, OO: Alexandria," Alexandria file 66-2692, Bufile 95-159244, Alexandria furnish background in case to Philadelphia.

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Enclosure

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Mr. Tolson _____
Mr. Felt _____
Mr. Rosen _____
Mr. Mohr _____
Mr. Bishop _____
Mr. Miller _____
Mr. Callahan _____
Mr. Casper _____
Mr. Conrad _____
Mr. Dalbey _____
Mr. Cleveland _____
Mr. Ponder _____
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FBI

Date 3/13/72

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, SAN ANTONIO (62-3612)(RUC)

RE: UNSUB;
BETSY A. AARDSMA -
VICTIM
MURDER
POLICE COOPERATION BETSY AARDSMA

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Re Philadelphia airtel to the Bureau dated
3/2/72.

Enclosed for Philadelphia is one copy of
photograph of [REDACTED]

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On 3/8/72, [REDACTED] Records Division, Austin Police Department, Austin, Texas, advised that [REDACTED] Austin Police Department [REDACTED] was arrested 1/3/72, on a charge [REDACTED] which charge is still pending. [REDACTED] was transferred to the Travis County Jail on this charge and released on bond. At the time of arrest, he gave an address of [REDACTED] and listed his occupation as a teacher. Additional background information, including fingerprints, have already been forwarded to the Pennsylvania State Police by the Austin Police Department. Concerning the request for all available background information and the conditions of the crime concerning the murder of a college coed on a campus in Austin, Texas, discussed with Homicide Detail, Austin Police Department, it is assumed that the crime would be the murder of a coed by the name of HINOJOSA.

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2 - Philadelphia (62-5029)(Enc. 1)
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Approved: [Signature]
Special Agent in Charge

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b7C For the information of Philadelphia, one [redacted]
[redacted] Negro male, was arrested on 3/8/72, clearing this
matter. [redacted] is a local person and was employed by
and working for the City of Austin during November of 1969.



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SUBJECT Elizabeth Oardma



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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Date 4/4/73

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via A I R T E L _____
(Priority)

TO: ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, PHILADELPHIA (62-NEW)

SUBJECT: UNSUB
BETSY ARDSMA - VICTIM
POLICE COOPERATION
PENNSYLVANIA STATE POLICE
BELLEFONTE, PA.

MISCELLANEOUS

In 11/69, victim was fatally stabbed in the book-stacks of the Pennsylvania State University (PSU), University Park, Pattee Library, on the PSU campus. Intensive investigation by the Pennsylvania State Police (PSP) and the State College, Pa., Police Department, has failed to this date to identify the Unsub or establish a concrete motive for the killing. Possible motives set forth were that the victim had come upon a narcotics sale or that the victim had surprised an exhibitionist in the act.

On 3/30/73, Sergeant [redacted] PSP, at Rockview Bellefonte, Pa., advised that one [redacted] who had been previously interviewed by the PSP re above, had recently been arrested on a narcotic charge. [redacted] had been a classmate of the victim and had departed PSU shortly after the murder and had enlisted in the U. S. Army. [redacted] advised that he personally feels that [redacted] should be considered a prime suspect in this killing, even though there is no strong evidence to support his contention.

3 - Bureau
2 - St. Louis
2 - Philadelphia (62-NEW)
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Special Agent in Charge

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[redacted] provided the following information re [redacted]

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Name [redacted]
Date of Birth [redacted]
Army serial number [redacted]
Particulars of service [redacted]

[redacted] had received a [redacted]

[redacted] He had served in the U. S. Army Reserves [redacted]

[redacted] and in addition was in the State College, Pa., Reserve Center until 11/4/69.

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The Philadelphia Division at Bellefonte, Pa., enjoys a strong and most beneficial relationship with the PSP. The PSP is most cooperative in making available all types of information to requesting agents.

Philadelphia requests that [redacted] military records be reviewed and that all available information be forwarded to the Philadelphia Division for dissemination of all appropriate information from these records to the PSP at Bellefonte, Pa.

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ST. LOUIS:

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AT ST. LOUIS, MO.

Will obtain military records of [redacted] as stated above, from the Military Personnel Records Center, and forward to the Philadelphia Division, UACB.

SAC, PHILADELPHIA

4-12-73

SAC, ST. LOUIS

62-M

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UNSUB: *N 1*
BETSY ANDSON - VICTIM
POLICE COOPERATION
PENNSYLVANIA STATE POLICE
BELLEFONTE, PENNSYLVANIA

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Reference: Philadelphia Airtel to Bureau 4-4-73

NATIONAL PERSONNEL RECORDS CENTER (NPRC) RECORDS CHECK

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[redacted] (Civilian) Personnel Records Branch, NPRC, St. Louis, Mo., and
reviewed on 4-12-73 by SC [redacted]

Enclosed are _____ copies of (Form FD-302) (investigative insert) (letterhead memorandum) reflecting pertinent information.

Enclosed for information and reference, subject to restriction stamped thereon, are copies of self-explanatory documents from NPRC files.

Personnel, NPRC (Civilian) (Military) Personnel Records Branch, Veterans Administration Record

Processing Center, SLMO, advised on _____, no record on subject or _____

_____ could be located on basis of information furnished. In event additional identifying or descriptive data becomes available, another lead for review of the NPRC (civilian or military) records should be submitted. Data needed includes: date and place of birth, name utilized in employment or military service, branch and military service number, dates of service or employment, department employing individual, specific organization to which assigned with date of assignment, and Social Security number.

File has not yet been located at NPRC. A special search is under way, and file will be reviewed promptly when located.

File was not located at (Civilian) (Military) Personnel Records Branch, NPRC, SLMO, and should be located at _____

Lead: _____ Office

_____ record located your division. Handle review.

For reference and assistance in handling lead, copies of pertinent serials are enclosed.

Remarks:

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Pertinent copies of [redacted] service record being furnished for Investigative Assistance only and not to be disseminated without prior Bureau Approval.

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1-BUREAU APR 26 1973
1-ST. LOUIS
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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 be 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 be reasonably 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.