

# Terrorist threat over New York: the background elements

Had President Jimmy Carter failed to gain the Democratic Party nomination at last week's New York City Democratic Party convention, it is probable that terrorist forces targeting the convention would have been unleashed. That is the conclusion reached from a compilation of reports of numerous law-enforcement agencies, as well as from other antiterrorist intelligence and security entities.

As the New York press echoed such reports, the obvious danger of terrorist violence came from two violent organizations deployed into the New York metropolitan area for the period of the convention. The first, and most visible was the Communist Workers Party (CWP), a homicidal spin-off of the ultra-Maoist Revolutionary Communist Party (RCP). The CWP has scores of armed members deployed into the metropolitan area. The second force was more than a hundred violent agents of Khomeini's secret intelligence organization, the Savama. These were being safehoused in and around New York City by the American Indian Movement (AIM) and other sympathizer organizations.

The structure of the terrorist and proterrorist deployment against the convention was centered around the remnants of the same Yippie organization which spearheaded the bloody riots at the 1968 Chicago, Illinois Democratic nominating convention. Most important, the Yippies have undergone a transformation during recent years, becoming virtually taken over by the terrorist Jewish Defense League (JDL).

Immediately behind the overall terrorist deployment was the runaway faction of the Israeli secret intelligence agency Mossad, the faction of the Mossad for which the terrorist Jewish Defense League is the best advertised front-organization operating within the United States. Of lesser weight is the Chinese Communist intelligence services network inside the United States, including New

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York Chinatown safehouses of the Peking services used to aid the Communist Worker Party forces.

The issue of greatest concern to antiterrorist intelligence forces involved in protecting the convention was the joint involvement of the American Indian Movement (AIM) and the Mossad's Jewish Defense League.

According to U.S. law enforcement and intelligence sources, AIM has substantial stocks of automatic weapons and sophisticated military-grade explosives available to it. This profile of the AIM was established years ago, including instances of massive coverup of AIM-linked drug-running and gun-running activities through interventions by both the Treasury Department's Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms (BATF) and elements of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI). The AIM also has a longstanding connection to those Muslim networks presently coordinated by Khomeini's Savama. AIM's intervention to provide transportation and safehousing for pro-Khomeini "students" released after violent attacks on Washington reinforces the general picture.

The JDL has full access to the military capabilities of the Mossad in the U.S.A., Canada and Mexico, including not only automatic weapons and military-grade explosives, but also backup with professional assassination teams supplied by the Mossad. Worse, Brzezinski's National Security Council blocks all efforts by U.S. law enforcement and intelligence agencies to hinder the free deployment of Mossad hit teams within the United States.

## **LaRouche was targeted**

The principal target of these combined terrorist forces was Democratic presidential candidate Lyndon H. LaRouche, Jr. In addition to a spate of new libels targeting LaRouche as a "powerful danger," attacks on LaRouche were the principal topic of street-rallies of Yippie-centered forces in the convention area. Known operatives of Israeli intelligence's hit-teams were sup-

porters of the rally targeting LaRouche as the “main danger.”

The prominent involvement of Roy Cohn protégé Dennis King in preparation of that proterrorist rally outside the convention underlined the seriousness of the threat. Roy Cohn, former business partner of the notorious “Joe Bananas” Bonanno, is a hired gun of the international assassination bureau known as “Permin-dex.” This was the organization expelled from Switzerland for its role in attempted assassinations of President Charles de Gaulle of France, and which left Italy hastily in the aftermath of Permindex’s role in preparing the assassination of President John F. Kennedy. Indications of a live “hit” option against LaRouche were strengthened by Cohn’s visit in the Greek isles for the period of the convention.

### **The deployment against LaRouche**

During the past year, Roy Cohn has been retained to play a prominent part in covert operations against the presidential candidacy of LaRouche. Normally, Cohn is retained by an Israeli intelligence nest inside the command of the Anti-Defamation League of B’nai B’rith. However, admissions volunteered to undercover operatives by Canon West of the New York Anglican Cathedral of St. John the Divine assert that the ADL was deployed against LaRouche on orders of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem—for which the Cathedral is the command center in New York.

This targeting of LaRouche was first signaled by a recent article featured in the London *Economist*, an article which targeted both LaRouche and LaRouche’s security consultant Col. (ret.) Mitchell L. WerBell. The London *Economist*’s targeting of LaRouche and WerBell has been subsequently replayed by the Cox press of Atlanta, Georgia, and by the Toronto (Canada) press. The slightly altered format of libel just published in the liberal *Nation* newsweekly is typical of a new round of libels being released through a variety of complicit publications.

The targeting of LaRouche was spontaneously confirmed prior to the convention by highly-placed political operatives of other candidates, figures well placed within the U.S. and European intelligence communities. According to these sources, if LaRouche’s name were placed in nomination on the floor of the convention, an attempted assassination of LaRouche was a near-certainty.

Consequently, the targeting of LaRouche as a lead-ing optional victim of a terrorist attack signifies that examination of the combination of forces conduiting libels, slanders and harassments against LaRouche is among the most effective lines of investigation for exposing the terrorist deployments as a whole.

From spring 1968 onwards, until May-June 1978, the principal covert operations against LaRouche in the United States were the sections of the Anglo-Canadian secret intelligence forces controlling the self-styled neo-Fabian networks of the Institute for Policy Studies. According to secret files released according to the Federal FOIA statute (“Freedom of Information”), Henry A. Kissinger personally played a leading role internationally against LaRouche from mid-1974 onward. The Kissinger operation was known in Department of Justice circles as “Kwaterbak,” and was run chiefly through the Washington Department of Justice and State Department intelligence units, using the Bonn embassy, Frankfurt consulate and U.S. Information Service in Germany in conjunction with British-directed NATO intelligence networks. Parallel and connected operations have been run against LaRouche from then to the present time through State Department channels in France, Italy, Mexico and elsewhere, as well as continuing in West Germany to the present time. For example, during the period of the New York nominating convention, a leading Mexican daily newspaper, *El Herald*, was conducted a report of lying defamation against LaRouche by the U.S. embassy in Mexico City.

During May-June 1978, a new dimension was added to covert operations against LaRouche. These were deployed by the Pan-European Union and its front organization, the Mont Pelerin Society, using the foreign-intelligence front organization known as the Heritage Foundation. At the same time, according to information volunteered to undercover operatives by highly placed British intelligence operatives, the Israeli intelligence nest embedded in the Anti-Defamation League was deployed to run a coordinated defamation and harassment operation against LaRouche and his associates.

The topmost levels of coordination of the campaign against LaRouche inside the United States are based in the New York Anglican Cathedral of St. John the Divine and Georgetown University. These centers, together with Anglo-Canadian intelligence networks associated with the Thatcher government of Great Britain, run both the New York East Side Conservative Club of Buckley, Safire and Cohn, and the Heritage Foundation. Just as the runaway faction of the Israeli Mossad (the faction represented by the Jewish Defense League) is run internationally as a subdivision of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem, so are the relevant elements in the Anti-Defamation League, according to testimony of Canon West, deployed under orders of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine.

That is key to the following elements deployed by Anglo-Canadian secret intelligence against LaRouche.

- Michael Deaver, of Ronald Reagan’s Citizens for



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*Communist Workers Party disruption of a New York Urban League convention just before the Democratic convention.*

the Republic, volunteered that he was deployed against LaRouche by Francis X. Watson of Rockford, Illinois, an operative of British intelligence. Watson confirmed this, also confirming Deaver's statement that Deaver was knowledgeably run by London's Robert Moss.

- The Heritage Foundation is the conduit for the activities of Francis X. Watson against LaRouche—from John B. Anderson's Rockford, Illinois.

- The *New York Times*, especially the notorious Howard Blum and dirty-tricks intelligence operative Paul Montgomery, were deployed, with agreement of the *Times* management, in cooperation with the notorious Roy Cohn.

- The other two principal press conduits for conveying large-circulation libel against LaRouche were the Marshall Field interests (e.g., *Chicago Sun Times* and *Chicago Tribune*), and the *Washington Post*-linked press empire of the Times-Mirror entity (e.g., *Los Angeles Times*, *Newsday*, Fund for Investigative Journalism, Investigative Reporters and Editors, and so forth.)

- Through these and related controls, Associated Press was used as a conduit for persisting dirty operations against the LaRouche presidential campaign.

- Involved through the Mont Pelerin Society in the same operation were the Copley News Chain, McGraw-Hill's *Business Week*, West Germany's *Capital*.

- Involved in cooperation with the Times-Mirror syndicate in Europe were the *Süddeutsche Zeitung*, the Swiss *Bündner Zeitung*, the *Rheinische Merkur*, and a contributor to the key German newsweekly, *Die Zeit*—a Kissinger-friendly publication.

In general, the overall international profile of the combined forces is the same gang which a Louisiana grand jury indicted as implicated in preparing the assassination of President John F. Kennedy, the Permindex organization of Bronfman representative Major Louis Mortimer Bloomfield, the same organization indicted in connection with repeated attempts to assassinate France's President Charles de Gaulle.

Permindex ("Permanent Industrial Expositions") is, like Rio Tinto Zinc and the Argus Corporation, one of the numerous corporate forms assumed by the Anglo-Canadian Special Operations Executive of Lord Beaverbrook and Sir William Stephenson at the end of World War II. Permindex specializes in political assassinations, an activity run through the British West Indies from Permindex bases in the Republic of South Africa and Latin America. The runaway faction of Israeli intelligence's Mossad—the JDL-linked faction—was a partner of Permindex in attempted assassinations against de Gaulle and is a partner of the Permindex network to the present date.

### **LaRouche and Israel**

Apart from its employment in the U.S.A. and Western Europe as a subordinate arm of the Permindex crowd, the runaway faction of the Israeli Mossad has a special hatred against LaRouche because of LaRouche's alliance with those factions of Zionism currently engaged in intelligence warfare against the JDL-linked elements of the Mossad.

Since 1975, LaRouche has been in varying degrees

of cooperation with those Zionist factions which seek a comprehensive Arab-Israeli peace agreement. LaRouche and his associates were invited at one point to mediate private communications between Arab and Israeli private citizens of prominence, to communicate to Arabs Israel's willingness to consider the sort of comprehensive peace package LaRouche had proposed. This was communicated to LaRouche through high-level elements of Israeli intelligence at that time.

At present, the crowd around Begin has imposed a de facto fascist dictatorship on the people of Israel. Estimates of slightly better than ten percent support for the Begin government in Israel, combined with the hideous, Nazi-modeled economic measures against the Israeli population generally, are feeding the growing impulse among Israelis to free themselves from what they see becoming a military fascist dictatorship.

LaRouche's commitments to the policies of anti-Begin factions among Zionists therefore intensifies the hatred against LaRouche among the runaway, JDL-linked elements of the Mossad. Since the runaway faction of the Mossad—actually the arm of the fascist, Jabotinski faction of Zionism—run the Begin government at this time, the Begin government is behind the use of assets of the Mossad in preparing potential assassination attacks against LaRouche.

This is the reason that the fascist, JDL-linked forces in the ADL cooperate with spreading the "fascist anti-Semite" lies against LaRouche. In part, this is intended to attempt to isolate LaRouche from his allies among both Zionist and non-Zionist Jewish opponents of the fascist Jabotinski crowd.

### **The command structure of terrorism**

The overall command structure behind the present international terrorism deployments into the United States is headed by the overlapping circles of the Anglo-Canadian, drug-running SOE crowd and the continental European "black nobility" behind the Mont Pelerin Society.

Underneath this command structure, Israeli and Chinese Communist intelligence services are presently deployed internationally as the up-front arm of the Anglican-Hapsburg-centered "black nobility" crowd.

This crowd created the Muslim Brotherhood in 1929, based on neo-Asharite projects earlier deployed out of the India Office of British intelligence, such as the 19th century al-Afghani caper.

This crowd created modern international terrorism beginning in 1957, with the Basque, Jesuit-created ETA, the first organization of the new series.

Through elimination of the CIA's last remaining field capabilities in the Middle East, especially during the Mondale-directed clean out of 1977, the Mossad

was able to take over entirely the Shah's Savak and the Iranian Air Force capabilities, thus orchestrating the London-directed, Brzezinski-supported Khomeini coup d'etat. Under combined secret agreements negotiated with Communist China, Begin and Washington—under the cosmetic cover of the Camp David rhetoric—the long-standing close cooperation between Israeli and Chinese Communist intelligence was upgraded. The Mossad took over up-front operational control of British secret intelligence operations in the Middle East and India, coordinating the supporting efforts of the Chinese Communist intelligence service.

On the continent of Europe, international terrorism was run both through conduits of NATO intelligence and through Italy, especially through Venice, Trento, the Genoese, the Circolo Rex crowd, and the Qaddafi funding supplied largely by way of the Arab-Italian Friendship Society linkages. The SOE's wartime project, the Sicilian separatist project, has played a pivotal role in this, just as it is pivotal in the Billygate scandal.

Since at least 1969, the Israeli Mossad has been the principal, up-front coordinating arm of all branches of international terrorism, including Muslim Brotherhood terrorist gangs run under the cover of the Palestinian Liberation Organization (e.g., Dr. George Habash).

This is also the case inside the United States.

The closest link to Israeli intelligence directly in the U.S. intelligence community has been Air Force intelligence (e.g., Major General George Keegan, former Meir Kahane partner Joseph Churba). Air Force intelligence officers have persistently played a leading, visible role in creating the sort of ultra-radical organizations (such as the "Venceremos" entity) feeding into pro-Maoist, anarchist organizations feeding into terrorist groups and into spinoffs from the RCP such as the CWP. The JDL takeover of the Yippies merely complements the long-standing pattern.

The Muslim Brotherhood structure inside the United States is exemplary.

The mother organization for the broad-based Muslim Brotherhood deployment inside the United States is the Muslim Student Association, with its Farsi-speaking Iranian Student Association subdivision. This, together with certain non-Muslim Arab-American conduits for Hospitalier and Israeli intelligence networks, controls a large chunk of the American Arab groups, including both Christian and Muslim Arab groupings. Israeli intelligence, which controlled the Shah's Savak and currently controls Khomeini's Savama, controls the Muslim Student Association, controls the Muslim Brotherhood network deployed within the World Community of al-Islam in the West, and totally controls other black Islamic groupings in the U.S.A. In fact, *EIR* has on tape statements by leaders of the Anti-Defa-

mation League explaining their top-down control over the Muslim Brotherhood elements penetrating the World Community of al-Islam in the West. These networks were used by the Anti-Defamation League to abort Imam Wallace Deen Muhammed's support of the Anti-Drug Coalition.

There are other elements controlling this network, including "solidarist" networks overlapping the Tolstoy Foundation. There is no conflict in this. Like the runaway element of the Mossad, the Eastern European fascist organizations inclusive of the Tolstoy Foundation's assets are coordinated by the Church of England, in fact, by the confessor to the Queen of England. This is the controlling connection for British agents within the hierarchy of the Russian Orthodox and Antiochan churches.

These elements of Anglican control over the Arab organizations have been interconnected with the American Indian Movement for years. The AIM's aid to Khomeini's Israeli-intelligence-controlled Savama was not a sudden, recent development.

For example, General Hussein Fardoust, the top agent of the Savama recently deployed into the United States is an Israeli-intelligence "asset" who performed a key role in assassinating Iranian officers opposed to the Khomeini coup d'etat. He was the most notorious of the torturers of the old Shah's Savak, at a time when Israeli intelligence controlled the Shah's Savak. If Khomeini is assassinated, as part of one of the projected U.S. military-intervention scenarios, it will be the Israeli-controlled Savama which kills Khomeini—as a tool which has outlived its usefulness.

So, the runaway faction of the Mossad, the JDL-linked faction, controls the Muslim Brotherhood terrorist inside the United States, and also controls the infrastructure for the Yippie-linked RCP, CWP, and so forth.

This Israeli intelligence control of U.S.-placed terrorist capabilities is known to Brzezinski's National Security Council, as well as the counter intelligence sections of the FBI. It is not accidental that Brzezinski, the Department of Justice, and other elements of the Carter administration are intervening to prevent honest law enforcement and security agencies from closing in on these terrorists. The JDL-linked terrorist and murder organization has been given a free hand by the Carter-Mondale administration.

If there had been an open Democratic convention in New York City, the full, Israeli intelligence controlled riot and assassination capabilities would have been turned loose, with Carter-Mondale consent, upon the New York City convention environment. The Chinese Communist intelligence service, based in New York's Chinatown, would have been deployed in support of that bloodbath.

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## Documentation

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# Putting out the alert

A series of special memoranda issued Aug. 9-12 by the staff of *EIR's* biweekly counterintelligence newsletter, *Investigative Leads*, informed law enforcement agencies that "a conjunction of radical-instigated violence and disruption . . . [was] a 'live' option" prepared as cover for potential terrorism and assassination deployments against the Democratic National Convention Aug. 11-14 in New York.

According to the memoranda, "the most important 'wild card' element in this scenario" was the "Iranian and allied Moslem student demonstrators" deployed in the New York area. However, coordinated preparations were reported underway by the violence-prone Revolutionary Communist Party (RCP), the Yippies, the Jewish Defense League, the American Indian Movement, and the Communist Workers Party, an RCP spin-off. The deployments, asserted the memos, were linked.

## The Iranians

Leading the convergence on New York was an escalation and diversification of pro-Khomeini Iranian nationals' activities during the weeks immediately preceding the convention. Following the release in New York of 190 Iranians arrested for violence at a Washington, D.C. demonstration in the first week of August, three prominent intelligence controllers of pro-Khomeini students—Princeton professor Richard Falk, Georgetown University's Thomas Ricks and Norman Forer of the University of Kansas—each indicated that there would be both an increase in the number of public marches and rallies and a shift in their nature. Said the *Investigative Leads* memorandum of Aug. 9, "Some also implied that there would be an escalation in the kind of activities, implying disruptions, occupations and violence."

"In addition," the memo continued, "we have learned from sources extremely reliable in the recent past that new Savama-linked American networks are being pulled together to carry out these plans. It is not yet clear whether these networks will replace or merely supplement the apparatus previously centering around Bahram Nahidian," the Savama intelligence station chief in Washington who was recently exposed.

Following their stay in New York's Woodside Is-

Islamic Center after release from detention, some of the 190 Islamics arrested for violence remained in the New York area into the convention period, *IL* reported.

"In addition, there is a renewed contact between the Iranian students and the violence-prone Revolutionary Communist Party," the memo reported. The RCP newspaper *Revolutionary Worker* of Aug. 1 "notes RCP participation in Washington demonstrations by the Khomeiniacs. It will be remembered that these two groupings last surfaced together at the occupation of the Statue of Liberty last November, where chief suspect in the murder of Tabatabai, David Belfield, and controller Nahidian were both present."

In the memorandum of Aug. 11, *Investigative Leads* reported that it was attempting to "confirm reports of Iranian funding of both the CWP and RCP. The relationship between the Iranians and the RCP has been especially close. The day after U.S. embassy personnel were taken hostage in Teheran, a group calling itself the Islamic Guerilla Army (IGA) occupied the Statue of Liberty. After their arrest it was found that most IGAers were also members of the Revolutionary Communist Party. Again, at a 'Free [RCP leader] Bob Avakian Rally' called some months ago in Washington, many of those arrested along with Revolutionary Communist Party members were Iranians who had mobilized from around the country."

Law enforcement sources were able to confirm that RCP/CWP members in the New York area were armed. "Throughout the convention," reported the Aug. 11 memorandum, "they have been among the more militant" demonstrators. In addition, "The leadership core of the CWP" traveled "in carloads" to the New York area from as far away as North Carolina and the Houston-Dallas area. Approximately 30 CWP members appeared at demonstrations outside the Madison Square Garden convention hall on Sunday, Aug. 10 and Monday, Aug. 11.

## The Indians

*Investigative Leads* also detailed a multitude of links between the Iranian/Muslim Brotherhood networks and the American Indian Movement (AIM). "It is known that AIM provided a caravan of cars and vans which transported the Iranian demonstrators from New York's Woodside area back to Washington. AIM has moved into the very center of international environmentalist-terrorist networks over the years, and explicitly acknowledges its common outlook on Western industrialism . . . and the primacy of 'spiritual' over 'material' values with the Islamic Revolution. . . . AIM has been represented at numerous international radical meetings, supplied two members . . . as representatives to Iran since the hostages' seizure, and has numerous bilateral relations with foreign groupings, including Latin Amer-

ican and European radicals."

One recommendation was that Senator James G. Abourezk be investigated for involvement in AIM/Muslim Brotherhood coordination. Abourezk, a South Dakota Democrat, was both chairman of the subcommittee overseeing Indian affairs, and the legal representative of the Iranian students detained in Washington and then New York.

## JDL/Yippies

An added element in the converging scenario for violence was the overlapping Yippie and Jewish Defense League organizations. "Surveillance . . . of the joint demonstration Aug. 11 by members of the Yippies and the Jewish Defense League confirms that these two groups are working closely together in a joint 'anti-Nazi' campaign that specifically targets Democratic Party leader Lyndon H. LaRouche," reported the Aug. 11 memo. "According to several reliable law enforcement sources, the Yippies and JDL have been interconnected organizations for at least the last two years. These sources cite the fact that many JDL members have risen to high posts within the Yippies whose members have in turn joined the JDL."

"A demonstration called by the Yippies at Madison Square Garden," it reported, "included contingents from: Students Struggle for Soviet Jewry, an umbrella group among which JDL members are prominent; Rock Against Racism; the CWP; and the RCP. Speeches and 'direct action' taken by the demonstrators confirm that LaRouche is a special target of these organizations. Yippie leader Dana Beal attacked LaRouche as a 'Nazi,' while other demonstrators burned a LaRouche presidential campaign poster, shouting: 'This is what we will do to the LaRouche people.'"

The scheduled speaker at the rally cited by the *IL* memorandum was Dennis King, "a former leader of the Maoist Progressive Labor Party . . . [who] authored a 16-part series attacking LaRouche as a dangerous anti-Semite for *Our Town*, a community newspaper published in New York by associates of Roy Cohn.

"Other demonstrators carried banners with such slogans as 'Nazis should be turned into lampshades.' Members of Rock Against Racism—including Yippie militant Aaron Kay—circulated a leaflet attacking LaRouche and his security adviser, Mitchell WerBell. Kay, who once threatened to throw a 'pie filled with battery acid' at LaRouche, was observed provoking 12 CWP members to take action against the Democratic Party leader.

"One member of Mr. LaRouche's campaign staff was stabbed three months ago by a JDLer," notes, "and the spring edition of the Yippies' *Overthrow* magazine called for direct action to be taken against LaRouche and WerBell . . ."