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DOCUMENT CAPTIONED "BRAIN-WASHING -
A SYNTHESIS OF THE TEXT - BOOK ON
PSYCHOPOLITICS"

INTERNAL SECURITY - RUSSIA

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Reurlet 6-7-61 furnishing copy of captioned document.

For your information, the document has been given wide distribution since its publication in 1955. It is distributed by the Hubbard Dianetic Research Foundation, Inc., Box 242, Silver Spring, Maryland. Various copies of the document have been received by the Bureau from individuals from coast to coast and even from Australia, together with inquiries concerning its authenticity.

The Hubbard Dianetic Research Foundation, Inc., was founded by one L. Ron Hubbard who is connected with the Hubbard Association of Scientologists International, The Academy of Scientology and The Founding Church of Scientology, 1312 19th Street, Northwest, Washington 9, D.C.

The April 24, 1951, issue of the "Washington Times Herald" contained an article with a Los Angeles, California, date line indicating that Hubbard's wife, in suing for divorce, claimed he was "hopelessly insane." Individuals who have been connected with the organizations headed by Hubbard or who have been in contact with him have indicated he is a "crackpot," and of "doubtful mental background." No investigation has been conducted by the Bureau concerning Hubbard.

NOTE: Oklahoma City Office forwarded to Bureau captioned document which could be construed as a text on brainwashing which elaborates on a purported address by "Beria" to American students at "Lenin University" at an unspecified date. The document contains some reasonable statements and also much that is incomprehensible. The author of the document, [redacted] does not claim that it is a textbook, but states it is "a synthesis of information gathered...over the last 10 years."

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI
Attention: Central Research Section

DATE: 6/7/61

FROM : SAC, OKLAHOMA CITY (100-0)

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*From: [unclear] 62-94080-55
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Transmitted herewith for the Bureau is one Photostat of an 18-page document captioned as above.

This Photostat was furnished SA DALE H. WILLIAMS at the Tulsa RA by [redacted] ^{INFORMANT}

[redacted] advised SA WILLIAMS that the copy of this document from which the Photostat was made was obtained by him from [redacted] who was formerly a professor at Tulsa University. It was [redacted] understanding that [redacted] had obtained the document from [redacted] who in turn had secured it from her husband.

[redacted] It was [redacted] further understanding that [redacted] had smuggled it from Russia or one of the Iron Curtain countries during the course of conducting his business of controlling oil well fires.

Oklahoma City indices were checked but no information pertaining to the above-named individuals, [redacted] or "Book on Psychopolitics" was located.

The Bureau's attention is invited to information beginning paragraph two appearing under the "Editorial Note" on page one which states in part as follows:

"This book is a synthesis of information gathered through observation, discussion, investigation and experience over the last ten years."

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"I cannot entirely vouch for its authenticity. Disclosure of the sources from which it is drawn would undoubtedly lead to great difficulties for

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them. And in matters of this kind the Soviet is not accustomed to the issuance of validations.

"Having compiled this volume I did not easily discover any method of distribution since my own finances are, as is customary with professors, necessarily limited ..."

The Editorial Note upon completion is followed by the name "CHARLES STICKLEY - New York City, 1955."

Based upon comments in the Editorial Note, it appears this document is probably the work of [redacted]. The document purports to reflect Soviet aims and teachings of a repugnant nature.

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This document is being furnished the Central Research Section for information and whatever action is deemed advisable. No copy of this document is being retained by the Oklahoma City Division and no further action is being taken, UACB.

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