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To : DIRECTOR, FBI

Date 4/5/92

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Subject: CHURCH OF SCIENTOLOGY  
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Reference: FBIHQ airtel dated 3/4/92.

Dissemination, as outlined below, was made on dates indicated.

1 copies of LHM from referenced airtel.

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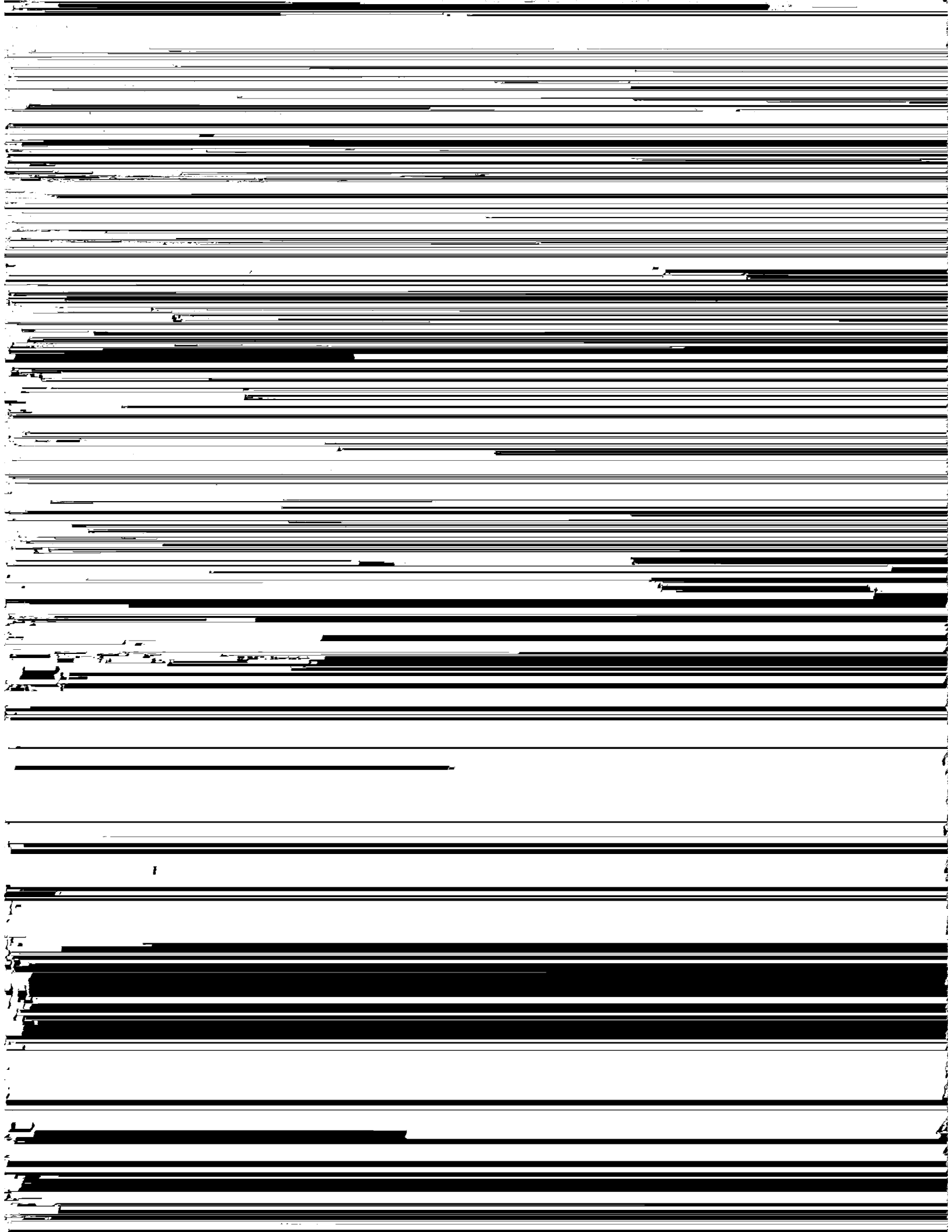
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**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION**  
**FREEDOM OF INFORMATION/PRIVACY ACTS SECTION**

**SUBJECT:**

**CHURCH OF SCIENTOLOGY/L. RON HUBBARD**

**Cross References**



SAC, Kansas City

October 16, 1951

Director, FBI

ALLEGED COMMUNIST INFILTRATION INTO  
"DIANETICS" SCHOOL, WICHITA, KANSAS  
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For your information you previously corresponded with the Bureau concerning the captioned organization by letter dated May 15, 1951, under the title "Hubbard Dianetics Research Foundation; L. Ron Hubbard - Founder, Information Concerning."

The Bureau has never conducted an active investigation of L. Ron Hubbard or his schools; however, the following information is reflected in the files of the Bureau. Lafayette Ronald Hubbard, aka., L. Ron Hubbard, claims to have been born on March 13, 1911, at Eldon, Nebraska. He divorced his first wife, Margaret Grubb Hubbard, in 1947. He subsequently lived as man and wife with Sara Elisabeth Northrup although there is apparently some confusion as to the actual legal status of this relationship. In 1949 Hubbard and Sara Northrup established an organization known as the American Institute of Advanced Therapy in New Jersey and subsequently he wrote a book entitled "Dianetics: The Modern Science of Mental Health" and established a new organization known as the Hubbard Dianetic Research Foundation, Incorporated. This organization was chartered under the laws of the State of New Jersey. The purpose of this organization was to teach the practice of dianetics, which is allegedly a new approach to the treatment of many physical and mental illnesses, without the use of drugs or medicine. This treatment is called Psychotherapy by Hubbard.

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On May 17, 1951, Hubbard has contacted the Bureau on several occasions to make complaints concerning the staff of his organization and Sara Northrup. He has alleged that a number of employees of the Foundation are Communists or Communist sympathizers and that an effort is being made to turn his mailing list and business over to the Communist Party. It appears that [redacted] has attempted to compete with Hubbard in the field of Dianetics. Bureau files reflect that there was apparently some Communist influence in the Washington, D. C., Branch of the Foundation. However, this appeared to be on an individual basis rather than a program of the Foundation.

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Allegations have been made that the activities of the Foundation are of particular interest to sexual perverts, hypochondriacs and are also subscribed to by a goodly number of curiosity seekers. An article concerning the Foundation may be found in Look Magazine for December 5, 1950, on page 79 under the title "Dianetics, Science or Hoax."

JAS:cmw

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