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COUNTER-INTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)

The referenced airtel instructed recipient offices to submit a counter-intelligence proposal concerning "The Black Panther," the Black Panther Party (BPP) newspaper.

Chicago suggests that consideration be given to the possibility of printing a page of the newspaper which could be substituted into the paper during transit from California prior to the papers being picked up by the local BPP members at the airport.

This page could contain material which would be critical of local BPP policy and personnel, including threats to expell local members and a call for realignment of the local chapter.

Preliminary inquiry at O'Hare International Airport, Chicago, indicates that it is possible to obtain access to shipments of the Panther paper under secure conditions.

The above is being submitted for the Bureau's consideration.

No action will be taken by Chicago without Bureau approval.

JPM