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REPORT OF INVESTIGATION

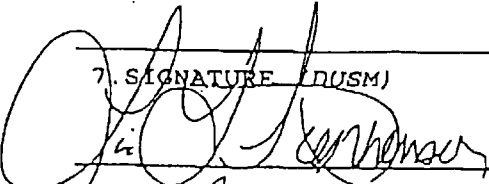

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1. CASE #	2. DATE OF REPORT Jun 8, 1998	3. REPORTED BY: Lisa L. Stephenson Deputy U.S. Marshal
4. CASE TITLE Carl Edward JOHNSON		AT: Tacoma, Washington
5. OTHER DEPUTIES:		
6. TYPE OF REPORT (Check One):		[] ARREST
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[] WITNESS INTERVIEW		[] MEMORANDUM TO FILE
		[X] THREAT REPORT

On 6/06/98, Deputy STEPHENSON received a telephone call from Inspector Jeff GORDON of the Internal Revenue Service, Portland, Oregon regarding Carl Edward JOHNSON. JOHNSON had been previously identified by Inspector GORDON as the individual making threats, via the internet, against Magistrate J. Kelly ARNOLD, U.S. District Judge Frank BURGESS as well as "Federal Judges" in general. (See Preliminary Threat Report dated 11/25/98 on Timothy MAY & CYPHERPUNKS)

Inspector GORDON related that he had received intelligence information from the RCMP's in Canada stating that JOHNSON had planted an incendiary device (made of gasoline and shotgun shells) in a utility closet of a Courthouse in Canada. Inspector GORDON further stated that it is believed JOHNSON has fled to the United States and is driving a white Mazda truck with Saskatchewan license plate #AAF-746.

Inspector GORDON stated that JOHNSON had previously threatened members of the RCMP's, via the internet, which has resulted in a criminal investigation by their agency and the seizure of JOHNSON's computers. Inspector GORDON indicated that the seizure of the computer equipment may be what escalated JOHNSON's behavior. Inspector GORDON further stated that details regarding the incident remain sketchy, however he would contact the U.S. Marshals Office immediately upon obtaining further

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information.

Due to the previous threats received against Federal Judges within the Western District of Washington, Deputy STEPHENSON issued a Security Alert Notice to all Court Security Officers and outside security personnel as well as contacted Ron Stankye of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. Acting Supervisor Deputy U.S. Marshal Charles VOLLMER briefed U.S. Magistrate J. Kelly ARNOLD.

Some of JOHNSON's internet addresses are as follows:
toto@sk.symptico.ca ; carljohn@sk.symptico.ca ; and
cypherpunks@toad.com.

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