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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Precedence: ROUTINE

Date: 10/12/2000

To: Memphis

From: Memphis

Squad 8

Contact: SA [redacted]

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Approved By: [redacted]

Drafted By: [redacted]

Case ID #: 300A-~~NEW~~

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Title: VISIT OF NELSON MANDELA TO
MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE TO ACCEPT
"FREEDOM AWARD" - 11/20-22/2000

Synopsis: To open Special Event case.

Details: Chief Chuck Cook, Memphis Police Department, tel.
#(901) 545-5706, recently advised that Nelson Mandela would be
traveling to Memphis, TN during 11/20-22/2000 to accept the
"Freedom Award," which will be given out at the Civil Rights
Museum on 11/21/2000. Details to follow.

Request this case be assigned to the writer.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Precedence: ROUTINE

Date: 10/17/2000

To: Counterterrorism
All Field Offices

Attn: DT/CPS
SEMU
Attn: ADIC/SAC/DT Supervisor

From: Memphis
Squad 8

Contact: SA [redacted]

(901) 747-9683

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Approved By: [redacted] *[Signature]*

Drafted By: [redacted]

Case ID #: 300A-ME-54720 (Pending)

Title: VISIT OF NELSON MANDELA TO
MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE TO ACCEPT
"FREEDOM AWARD" - 11/20-22/2000

Synopsis: Request to all offices to report any positive information concerning specific threats to captioned visit of Nelson Mandela to Memphis, TN.

Details: On 10/13/2000, Chief Chuck Cook, Memphis Police Department (MPD), Memphis, TN; [redacted] Regional Public Affairs, International Paper (IP), Little Rock, AR; and various MPD personnel met with the writer to discuss the details of, and planned security for, captioned event.

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[redacted] advised that IP, a long-time sponsor of the annual National Freedom Award banquet, will be providing a six-man, unarmed escort/security team throughout Mandela's visit to Memphis. He said tentative plans call for Mr. Mandela to fly in from Los Angeles, CA, via a private jet owned by [redacted] and [redacted] renowned Memphis philanthropists. He should arrive at/around 3:00PM on Monday, November 20, 2000, in Memphis, TN, where he will be staying at the Peabody Hotel. He is expected to tour the Civil Rights Museum that evening.

[redacted] said Mr. Mandela was scheduled to speak at the Temple of Deliverance, Memphis, TN, sometime during the afternoon of Tuesday, November 21, 2000, before resting later that day. (A large crowd is anticipated at the public forum.) At 7:00 that evening, Mr. Mandela will accept the "Freedom Award" at the banquet to be held at the Peabody Hotel.

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To: Counterterrorism From: Memphis
Re: 300A-ME-54720, 10/17/2000

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[redacted] advised Mr. Mandela was expected to depart from the Peabody Hotel, and the Memphis area by plane, sometime during the early afternoon of Wednesday, November 22, 2000. [redacted] will be furnishing the writer with additional details of Mandela's itinerary as they become available.

[redacted] also said it is rumored that several African-American dignitaries, including Michael Jordan, may travel to Memphis to witness Mandela's visit.

In view of Mr. Mandela's high profile, the tumultuous events currently transpiring in the Middle East, and the tragic history associated with Martin Luther King, Jr. and the Civil Rights Museum in Memphis, TN, a potential threat exists for discord/violence throughout Mandela's stay in the area. [redacted] advised that media coverage, to this point, has been almost nonexistent. However, that invariably will change as Mandela's visit approaches.

Any positive information should be reported to SA [redacted]
[redacted] Memphis Division, at (901) 747-9683.

To: Counterterrorism From: Memphis
Re: 300A-ME-54720, 10/17/2000

Accomplishment Information:

Number: 1

Type: WMD - ASSISTANCE PROVIDED TO LOCAL/STATE/FEDERAL AGENCY

ITU: WMD COUNTERMEASURES

Claimed By:

SSN: [REDACTED]

Name: [REDACTED]

Squad: 8

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To: Counterterrorism From: Memphis
Re: 300A-ME-54720, 10/17/2000

LEAD(s):

Set Lead 1:

ALL RECEIVING OFFICES

Request all offices report any positive information concerning specific threats to the visit of Nelson Mandela to Memphis, TN.

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LOS ANGELES
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SAVANNAH ITC
SEATTLE
SPRINGFIELD
ST LOUIS
TAMPA
WASHINGTON FIELD
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Total leads set: 61
Total leads not set: 0

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Precedence: ROUTINE

Date: 10/27/2000

To: Memphis

Attn: ~~SSA~~ [redacted]
SA [redacted]

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From: Counterterrorism
Domestic Terrorism/Counterterrorism Planning Section (DT/CPS)
Special Events Management Unit (SEMU), Rm. 11741
Contact: [redacted] X0229

Approved By: [redacted] *g*

Drafted By: [redacted] *wef*

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Title: VISIT OF NELSON MANDELA TO
MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE, TO ACCEPT
"FREEDOM AWARD;"
MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE;
11/20-22/2000;
CT PREPAREDNESS - SPECIAL EVENTS (DT)

Synopsis: To confirm receipt of ME Electronic Communication (EC) of
10/17/2000, captioned as above, and to provide guidance and a SEMU
point of contact for this special event.

Reference: 300A-ME-54720, Serial 2

Details: Referenced ME EC provided information on Nelson Mandela's
visit to Memphis, Tennessee, 11/20-22/2000.

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Based upon event-related information that ME provided, the
SEMU suggests ME designate captioned event as a [redacted]
[redacted] Information related to the [redacted]
[redacted] and guidance for special event management are
outlined in NSD to All Divisions EC, dated 09/12/1997, captioned
"Special Events Management Unit," and in the recently published
Special Events Management Planning Handbook.

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To: Memphis From: Counterterrorism
Re: 300A-ME-54720, 10/27/2000

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[Redacted]

If ME identifies a credible threat directed against this event, ensure that the SEMU and Domestic Terrorism Operations Unit (DTOU) are notified immediately. Request also that ME forward any security/response plans for this event to CTD SEMU, Room 11741, to the attention of [Redacted]

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For appropriate action.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Precedence: ROUTINE

Date: 10/30/2000

To: Memphis

Attn: SA

From: Albuquerque

Squad 8/Santa Fe Resident Agency

Contact: SA (505) 983-8711

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Approved By:

Drafted By:

Case ID #: 300A-ME-54720 (Pending)
300A-AQ-C54455 (Pending)

Title: VISIT OF NELSON MANDELA TO
MEMPHIS TENNESSEE TO ACCEPT
"FREEDOM AWARD" - 11/20-22/2000

Synopsis: Lead covered.

Reference: 300A-ME-54720 Serial 2

Details: Lead for positive information concerning captioned event is covered. Any positive intelligence will be forwarded under separate communication.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Precedence: ROUTINE

Date: 11/03/2000

To: Memphis

From: Memphis

Squad 8

Contact: SA

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Approved By:

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Drafted By:

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Case ID #: 300A-ME-54720 ⁵ (Pending)

Title: VISIT OF NELSON MANDELA TO
MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE TO ACCEPT
"FREEDOM AWARD" - 11/20-22/2000

Synopsis: Provide revised itinerary.

Details: On 10/31/2000, Chief Chuck Cook, Memphis Police
Department, Memphis, TN, tel. #(901) 545-5706, provided by fax
the attached two-page copy of a revised itinerary regarding
Nelson Mandela's visit to Memphis, TN.

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PHONE NUMBER: 747-9683

TO:

FAX NUMBER: 747-9586

DATE: 10-31-00

NUMBER OF PAGES: 2

NAME: Deputy Chief

FROM:

PHONE NUMBER: 545-5706

FAX NUMBER: 545-3877

RE:

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**MEMPHIS POLICE DEPARTMENT
SPECIAL OPERATIONS
MEMORANDUM**

TO: Command Staff (updated 10/31/00)

FROM: Dep. Chief [redacted]

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DATE: 10/02//2000

SUBJECT: ATTACHED INFORMATION

Contact: [redacted] Regional Public Affairs Director, International Paper
510 Woodlane Street, Suite 103
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201
phone 501-374-8927, fax 501-374-7118

Civil Rights Museum [redacted] 485-5545/521-1300/521-9699
Dignitary: Mr. Mandela
Event: National Freedom Award/ N.A.A.C.P. Freedom Foundation

Dates:

November 21, 2000 Tuesday – 13:30 - Arrive private plane [redacted] family plane, possibly
at Federal Express terminal with small arrival ceremony.– 6 p.m. V. I. P. reception in
Peabody, 7 P.M. Banquet at Peabody.

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November 22, 2000 Wednesday – 09:30 leave Peabody to Temple of Deliverance (public
forum), huge crowds expected, building holds 5,000. 11:15 – Depart to National Civil
Rights Museum Tour. 1300- Return to Peabody

November 23, 2000 – Thursday– 0800 to airport for 0900 departure time

Security Contacts: State Department / [redacted]
Secret Service / S.A.C. Rick Harlow
F. B. I. / S.A.C. Phil Thomas
F.B.I. contact [redacted]

703-312-3352 *leave returns 11/21/00*
544-0333 Fax 544-0342
747-4300 Fax 747-9730
747-9683 Threat Assess
Pager [redacted]
Fax 747-9586
753-6501

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Precedence: ROUTINE

Date: 11/16/2000

To: Memphis

From: Memphis

Squad 4

Contact: SA [redacted]

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Approved By: [redacted] *ml*

Drafted By: [redacted]

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Case ID #: 300A-ME-54720 *6* (Pending)

Title: VISIT OF NELSON MANDELA TO
MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE TO ACCEPT
"FREEDOM AWARD" - 11/20-22/2000

Synopsis: Advise of meeting and revised itinerary.

Details: On 11/16/2000, Chief Chuck Cook, Memphis Police Department (MPD), Memphis, TN, tel. #(901) 545-5706, at the behest of [redacted] Nelson Mandela's bodyguard, called a meeting of the principals involved in coordinating Mandela's visit to the Memphis area.

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International Paper, Little Rock, AR, advised of a revised itinerary for Mandela. He said Mandela would be flying in to Memphis, TN on Tuesday, 11/21/2000, at approximately 4:00PM; he would be chauffeured to the Peabody Hotel in downtown Memphis, where he will be accepting the "Freedom Award" at a banquet that evening, and where he will be spending the night. On Wednesday, 11/22/2000, Mandela's agenda calls for him to leave the Peabody Hotel around 8:45AM, and travel to the Temple of Deliverance, Memphis, TN, to deliver a speech, after which time he will be transported to Memphis International Airport and depart the area on an early afternoon flight.

Those identifiable principals attending the meeting called by Chief Cook included [redacted] the writer, MPD Director W Walter Crews, Deputy Director Bolden, [redacted] Acting SAC U.S. Secret Service [redacted] U.S. Department of State SA [redacted] of Rosenblum Consulting, [redacted] National Civil Rights Museum [redacted] and Major Dobbins and [redacted] of the MPD Tactical Unit.

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To: Memphis From: Memphis
Re: 300A-ME-54720, 11/16/2000

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[redacted] provided the attached three-page copy of a U.S. Department of State Intelligence and Threat Analysis Report concerning Mandela's visit.

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Office of Intelligence and Threat Analysis

U.S. Department of State • Diplomatic Security Service

November 7, 2000

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MEMORANDUM

TO: DSS/P/DP - Mr. Darryl Rashkin

FROM: DS/DSS/ITA - Mr. Joseph D. Morton *JDM*

SUBJECT: Threat Assessment - U.S. Visit of Nelson Mandela,
former President of South Africa

WARNING: This document contains **Sensitive But Unclassified (SBU)** information which warrants protection from public disclosure in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act and the Privacy Act. SBU documents or information, if shared with federal, state or local police authorities, must be handled as **Sensitive-U.S. Law Enforcement Use Only**, and must be destroyed by shredding or burning. Unauthorized disclosure of SBU information may result in criminal and/or civil penalties.

Based on a review of ITA files, current intelligence, and other pertinent data, the following analysis is submitted:

1. General threat level - LOW
2. Possibility of general protests/demonstrations during the visit - LOW
3. Possibility of violent acts directed specifically against the Principal - LOW
4. Possibility of harassment incidents (bomb threats, anonymous threatening phone calls, etc.) against the Principal or official installations - LOW
5. Possibility of terrorist actions in general location(s) where the Principal will visit, or against persons with whom the Principal will meet - LOW
6. General level of anti-South African sentiment in area(s) to be visited - LOW

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DOMESTIC ASSESSMENT THREAT RATING CRITERIALOW:**Terrorism**

No evidence of capability, intent, or credible threats against the principal and/or South African diplomatic facilities in the United States over the past two years.

Demonstrations/Harassment

The principal and/or South African facilities has been targeted with minimal or no significant demonstration and or harassment activity over the last two years.

DOMESTIC ASSESSMENT

The threat level for the visit of former President Nelson Mandela is assessed as **LOW**. DSS/ITA is currently unaware of any intelligence information to suggest that a current, specific threat exists against the former president in conjunction with his forthcoming visit to the United States.

In past years, South Africa's turbulent political situation generated a substantial amount of anti-South African government activity in the United States. During 1992-1994, DSS/ITA recorded over 14 demonstrations against South African diplomatic facilities or visiting dignitaries. Issues sparking those protests included the country's apartheid policies, the conviction of Winnie Mandela in South Africa, and U.S. visits by Nelson Mandela. In addition to demonstration activity, South African Missions and dignitaries were often the target of harassment incidents and threatening phone calls, from both right and left-wing elements. Moreover, some of these incidents were serious in nature, to include death threats issued against Nelson Mandela, and several incidents of surveillance of Mandela during stopovers in the U.S.

The election of President Mandela in the early 1990's resulted in a considerable lessening of tensions, and anti-South African dissent is virtually non-existent in this country today. DSS/ITA is aware of no/no significant anti-South African incidents in the U.S. over the past three years.

Similarly, since 1994, there have been no significant demonstrations against visiting South African officials and DSS/ITA is not/not aware of any groups that are planning to demonstrate during the principal's visit.

The primary threat to Mr. Mandela emanates from right-wing extremist groups or emotionally disturbed persons present in

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this country. While we are aware of no information indicating that these elements are planning to target the former president, the possibility should not be ruled out - particularly given Mr. Mandela's role in South Africa's history.

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Date: 11/22/00;A-1&7

Edition: The Commercial Appeal

'Living hero' Mandela accepts award, says poverty main threat to freedom

Title: 'Living hero' Mandela accepts award, says poverty main threat to freedom

Character: 300A-ME-54720-7

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Classification:

Submitting Office: Memphis

By Tom Bailey Jr.
The Commercial Appeal

■ The text of Nelson Mandela's speech. **A7**

Indexing:

The greatest long-term threat to freedom everywhere is the growing divide between the rich and poor, Nelson Mandela told 1,500 people at The Peabody Tuesday night.

The black-tie throng overflowed the hotel's Memphis Ballroom to see the revered freedom fighter receive the National Civil Rights Museum's International Freedom Award.

Mandela, wearing his trade-

mark African shirt, never mentioned Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., but alluded to Memphis's sacred place in the history of civil rights.

"For a South African to be honored here tonight in this place and by this body inspires as it reminds us again of the indivisibility of human freedom," the 82-year-old world hero said. "No flash! No flash!" yelled his

entourage to photographers as Mandela slowly walked through the mezzanine to the ballroom.

The plea served as a reminder of Mandela's historic, 27-year imprisonment by the South African government for his fight against apartheid. His eyes have been sensitive to light ever since he was forced to work in glaring-white lime quarries as a prisoner.

Mandela was freed in 1990 and negotiated an end to the oppression of black South Africans by the white minority. He was elec-

ted the first black president of South Africa in 1994, served one term and stepped down last year.

He beamed that famous endearing smile, but his speech revealed the fire still inside.

He did not allow the affluent-looking audience to enjoy in complete comfort its meal of stuffed capon and mixed vegetables.

The world produces far in excess of what's required to feed, clothe and shelter the world's

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population, he said.

"The majority of the world's population languishes in conditions of abject poverty and deprivation. This, in spite of the fact that we have the capacity to take care of all the world's people. This, in spite of the opulence and privilege in which large sectors of the world live."

With the award, Mandela receives a \$100,000 honorarium and \$100,000 for the Mandela Children's Fund.

Gala tickets were \$150 each. Admittance is free to see Man-

dela at a public forum at 10 a.m. today at Temple of Deliverance Church of God in Christ, 369 G.E. Patterson, but all tickets have been claimed. Doors open at 8:30, and ticket-holders are urged to arrive no later than 9:30. WKNO-TV Channel 10 will air the event live.

Memphis was the last stop of a U.S. tour. He is scheduled to return home this afternoon.

"May this century indeed be the one in which we achieve universal freedom and the universal enjoyment of those rights our glorious charters speak of," he said.

Minutes before the gala started, the hotel's crowded mezzanine vibrated with excitement. Guests glanced in search of Mandela each time the elevator doors opened.

Nike chief executive officer Phil Knight posed for pictures with tall female basketball players. Actors Danny Glover and Morgan Freeman, drew fans and reporters.

"I'm sure the buzz has to do with the importance of the indi-

vidual. He's Mandela," said Freeman, who will co-host today's public forum.

Dr. Benjamin Hooks, the civil rights museum board chairman, said, "I think this is the greatest night we've had."

He told the guests that Mandela "personifies what the board envisioned when they created the Freedom Award some 10 years ago."

Catholic Bishop J. Terry Steib gave the invocation, giving thanks for Mandela's "steadfastness and courage."

Mandela was introduced by a short biographical video shown on large screens. However, the audience could only hear the first five minutes due to a technical glitch.

Beverly Robertson, the civil rights museum's executive director, darted back to the control booth, then stepped into the lobby holding her head in her hands. If she said a prayer, it worked. The video started.

Five men clad in traditional African clothes pounded a beat on drums as they walked through the room. When the drumming stopped, the stage curtain rose to reveal Mandela, standing in a spotlight.

J. R. 'Pitt' Hyde III handed the Freedom Award to Mandela, calling him a "living hero" and the "personification of freedom and all the great things it stands for . . . The Hyde Family Foundation helped underwrite the award.

While expressing gratitude and humility for the honor, Mandela opted to challenge the audience rather than deliver a feel-good speech.

For example, he said the usual connotation of "globalization" means the free movement of goods and money across national boundaries.

"Not often enough do we emphasize the globalization of responsibility . . . Where globalization means, as it so often does, that the rich and powerful now have new means to further enrich and empower

themselves at the cost of the poorer and weaker, we have a responsibility to protest in the name of universal freedom.

"Globalization opens up the marvelous opportunities for human beings across the globe to share with one another, and to share with greater equity in the advances of science, technology and industries."

Mandela veered from his prepared text to warn that an "extremely dangerous" tendency in the United Nations is a threat to the long-term peace of the world. He called for abolishing the veto power of UN Security Council members.

Without naming the United States, Mandela said some nations unilaterally decide to bomb "innocent and defenseless citizens" of sovereign nations.



Nelson
Mandela



By A. J. Wolfe

The curtain rises on Nelson Mandela Tuesday at The Peabody as he receives the National Civil Rights Museum's highest honor.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Precedence: ROUTINE

Date: 12/06/2000

To: Counterterrorism

Attn: DT/CPS
SEMU

From: Memphis

Squad 4

Contact: SA [redacted]

(901) 747-9683

Approved By: [redacted]

Drafted By: [redacted]

Case ID #: 300A-ME-54720 (Closed)

Title: VISIT OF NELSON MANDELA TO
MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE TO ACCEPT
"FREEDOM AWARD" - 11/20-22/2000

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Synopsis: Provide event summary.

Reference: 300A-ME-54720 Serial 2

Details: Referenced communication advised of captioned event and requested positive information from field offices regarding Memphis threat assessment. SEMU designated the captioned event a [redacted]

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On 12/6/2000, Chief Chuck Cook, Memphis Police Department (MPD), Memphis, TN, advised that, although his department did not conduct any debriefing following Mandela's visit, the operation went as "smooth as glass." He said Mr. Mandela was very pleased with the security provided him throughout his stay, and the chief, himself, spoke highly of the job his TACT Unit did during the proceedings.

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