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FROM: J E MCCONNELL, PAB

DATE: 21 JUNE 1990

Mr J K Ledlie - B



Mr Bell - B
Mr R Wilson - B
Mr Lindsay - B
Mr McKervill - B

#### THE SECURITY FORCES AND COMMUNITY RELATIONS

It was agreed at the meeting in your office on 7 June that a list of opinion formers in Catholic West Belfast would be helpful. Attached is such a list, the product of joint consideration by Nigel Hamilton and PAB. It is by no means exhaustive and does not include 'external' forces such as the media. (Also included is a short list of 'unsympathetic' opinion formers to be avoided).

2. We would urge caution in the way this information is communicated to the Army or indeed whether this should happen at all. The last thing we need, as we have already agreed, is for enthusiastic army officers to make direct contact with those on the list in a militaristic way. Much better if such a relationship comes about through our own channels in a more natural way and we of course would facilitate such discussions through informal, though structured contact. In this regard I have noted the recent correspondence between yourself and Mr Bell on the subject of West Belfast functions involving the Minister. PAB would also be happy to undertake or assist in any way possible in this process.

3. We would also be very much in favour of properly organised and conducted pre-tour briefings, as well as RUC briefings at Chief Officer, sub-divisional commander or even recruit training level. But these are subjects for another meeting to consider.

[Signed Ken Lindsay for]

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### CATHOLIC WEST BELFAST

#### KEY OPINION FORMERS:

Churches:

St Peter's St Peter's Square

St Paul's Falls Road

St Agnes Andersonstown

Corpus Christi Ballymurphy

St Luke's Twinbrook

Church of the Nativity Poleglass

St Anne's Parish Finaghy

Bishop Cahal Daly

Father Matt Wallace
interested in job creation,
community activity, young men at
risk

Monsignor Michael Dallatt
 Vicar-General in Dioceses
 interested in education

Father Tom Tonercommunity development and jobs

Father Michael Murrayrecently arrived Parish Priest

Father Jim Donaghey
 young people, job creation, relationship with security forces

Father Brendan McGhee

Father Paddy McWilliams
 job creation, housing and social issues

Monsignor Tom Bartley

#### Job Creation and Training:

Liam Parker - Chairman Worknet

member W Belfast Engerprize Board
with facilities in lower Falls,
middle Falls, Turf Lodge,
Andersonstown

John Carlin - Secretary West Belfast Enterprize
Board, (Kennedy Way and lower
Falls)

Westlink Enterprize Centre,
 Distillery Street

 Vice Principal, College of Business Studies

Tommy Shaw - formerly of Divis Joint Development Committee

 now manager of Andersonstown Employment Agency

Tommy Hale - Manager of Turf Lodge Enterprize Centre (brother shot dead in Sean Graham killings)

Carmel McCavanagh - West Belfast Parent Youth Support
Group, involved with keeping young
people out of hands of
paramilitaries

Pauline Canavan - Springfield Charitable Association - major ACE scheme and provider of local day-care and training facilities

Jane Craven and Seamus Murphy - senior staff at Whiterock Education Centre, Ballymurphy

Joe McVey - Manager Work West Enterprize Centre, Glen Road

Caroline Cullen - Lower Falls Association for The Handicapped

# Schools:

Mr Gerry Hamill

Mr Finnbar McCallion

Brother Monahon

Mr Dessie Bannon

Sister Rosaleen McMahon

Sister Genevieve

- Principal of Corpus Christi College

- Principal of St Colms, Twinbrook

Principal of Christian Brothers
 CBS, Glen Road

Careers Officer, Corpus Christi

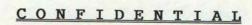
College

- Principal, St Louise's

- Comprehensive School

- Former Principal of St Louise's

Comprehensive School



Politicians:

Dr Joe Hendron (SDLP)

Dr Alasdair McDonnell (SDLP)

Miss Mary McMahon (Workers Party)

Mrs Mary Muldoon (SDLP)

Mr Alex Attwood (SDLP)

Mr John Lowry (W. Party)

Mr Kevin Smyth (W. Party and a local teacher)

SDLP Advice Centre in Andersonstown Road

# "Other" Unsympathetic Opinion Formers:

Father Desmond Wilson -

Conway Mill/Springhill Community House

Mr Mike Tomlinson) Dr Bill Rolston )

University lecturers and Obair Report authors

Catriona Ruane

West Belfast Action for the Unemployed

Stevie Johnston

Falls Community Council

Divis Joint Development Committee

Glar na Ngael

Falls Women's Group

Sinn Fein representatives

Gerry Adams MP

Councillors: Elizabeth Fitzsimmons

Francis McCann Sean McKnight Richard May Theresa Holland Martin O'Muilleoir

Alex Maskey

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