

## FACTS BEHIND TERRORISM

### U.S. Negri supporters attempt to block Moro murder probe

This week, the Committee Against Repression in Italy (CARI), an openly proterrorist grouping organized to defend arrested Italian Professor Toni Negri, made its first attempt to intervene to stop the collaboration between Italian antiterrorist officials and experts in the United States in the prosecution of the murderers of former Italian President Aldo Moro.

On June 20, a Michigan Circuit Court granted a temporary restraining order to Martin Glaberman, one of the organizers of CARI in the United States, to Italian magistrates from contacting a voice identification expert, Dr. Oscar Tosi at Michigan State University. Glaberman, who has known Negri since 1964 when the two were teaching at the University of Berlin, filed the suit on the grounds that Negri was not in the United States to defend himself.

While a hearing is scheduled for Friday, June 22 for a permanent injunction, the Italian daily, *Il Tempo* reported today that the case had already been thrown out of court. The magistrates are meeting with Tosi in an attempt to establish further verification that the voiceprints of Toni Negri are the same as those of a Red Brigade caller who was made contact with Moro's family during his kidnapping to deliver the Red Brigades' terms. The voice tapes are only part of the evidence against Negri; other evidence includes written correspondence between

Negri and underground groups and individuals.

Glaberman claims to have filed the suit at the behest of "a mutual friend of Negri's, an Italian," but refused to name the individual. However, Negri's attorney, Bruno Leuzzi Siniscalchi, is presently at Glaberman's home, along with John Trumper, a British national who teaches linguistics at the University of Padua, where Negri was an organizer of the "autonomy" group, an above ground support network for the Red Brigades. Since Negri was arrested on April 8, along with some 20 other Autonomy leaders centered at Padua University, Padua has become the headquarters of CARI's Italian affiliate.

CARI is not a simple support operation. Many of the leading figures in the organization are leaders of affiliated autonomy groups in the U.S., Canada and West Germany, and have worked along with Negri to build an international network of communication and logistics for the West German Baader-Meinhof gang, as well as the Red Brigades.

#### Government funds armed camps; race riots heat up

The *Executive Intelligence Review* has learned that over \$240,000 in government funding has gone to black and white racist groups in Boston and Philadelphia for so-called "community patrols." The funds, ostensibly allocated to pro-

vide "career training" to youth for jobs in the security field and to add to "community safety," have in fact created armed camps in these two cities where racial incidents have exploded into violence several times in the last month.

In Philadelphia, community officials have reported extreme racial tension following a shooting incident in which a white sniper shot at three black children, killing one. In Boston, where racial battles have periodically erupted since 1974 when court ordered school busing went into effect in South Boston, there have been several occurrences of gang violence in recent weeks.

Allocations of \$200,000 have been funnelled through the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration (LEAA) in Philadelphia to groups affiliated with black nationalist Imamu Baraka. A large section of the funds is controlled by the House of Umojaa, a Baraka-allied operation in Philadelphia which organizes gangs and has worked with the psychotic cult, MOVE, which was involved in a shootout with Philadelphia police last spring. In Boston, \$40,000 has been channeled through the office of Mayor Kevin White to the "South Boston Marshals," a vigilante group which has led the violent opposition to the Boston busing plan. These operations were first proposed by British intelligence operative John Rees in 1967 following the Newark, New Jersey riots. Rees, who later became staff director for Rep. Larry McDonald (D-Ga) operated through a dummy corporation called National Goals, Inc., and attempted to get government funding for arming white and black patrols in the two segregated areas of the city "to keep the peace."

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