

S.E. No. 1 (Plain)

METROPOLITAN POLICE

Special Report

SPECIAL BRANCH

24th day of November 1982

SUBJECT

1. The following information has been received from a secret and reliable source:-

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TROOPS OUT
MOVEMENT

2. "During the course of a regular Troops Out Movement (TOM) Steering Committee meeting, held at the Prince Albert public house, Wharfdale Road, N1, during the evening of Monday 15th November 1982 it was agreed that an approach be made to Sinn Fein Headquarters, Dublin, to request the attendance of either Gerry ADAMS, or one of the other four successful Sinn Fein candidates during the recent Northern Ireland Assembly Elections, to come to London to speak at a one day 'Anti-Repression' TOM Conference to be held on Saturday, 11th December 1982 at Carlton House, St Johns Way, N1.

Reference to Papers

400/82/95

3. It is known that an express telegram has been sent to Sinn Fein in Dublin, requesting the attendance of ADAMS, either at the proposed conference or to arrange a brief speaking tour immediately prior to the scheduled "Bloody Sunday" demonstration, in January, 1983, or both.

4. In addition, it has been mentioned by **Privacy** that **Privacy** a member of the TOM Steering Committee, of the GIC Labour Party Group, is also attempting to persuade Gerry ADAMS to come to London in the near future. Any known developments will be reported."

5. References:-

Gerry ADAMS

RF 335 **Privacy**

Privacy

Sinn Fein

335/82/66

GIC

400/82/87

TO [redacted]
29 Nov 82
P.A. IN [redacted]

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CHIEF SUPERINTENDENT