

## Investigative Leads by Michele Steinberg

### The KGB and the Heritage Foundation

*What does the Heritage Foundation have in common with Izvestia and Literaturnaya Gazeta?*

An article in the Soviet journal *Literaturnaya Gazeta* of July 6, which fraudulently attempts to show that the *Executive Intelligence Review* agrees with the Soviet KGB in its attacks on President Reagan, has provided the prima facie evidence that the Heritage Foundation, the Western Goals organization led by John Birch Society leader and U.S. Congressman Larry McDonald, and General Daniel Graham, a former director of the Defense Intelligence Agency, are working in tandem with the KGB.

Written by Iona Andronov, the article targets *EIR* and its founder Lyndon H. LaRouche, Jr., by falsely quoting *EIR* counterterrorism expert Paul Goldstein as the source of information that the CIA and President Reagan were behind Ali Mehmet Agca, the terrorist who attempted to assassinate Pope John Paul II.

Not coincidentally, Andronov's article surfaced at the precise time that Agca was confessing to Italian officials that the KGB was directly involved in his 1981 assassination attempt on the Pope.

For counterintelligence analysts, Andronov's bit of black propaganda suggests a reliable litmus test: any official who says that LaRouche is KGB, should be investigated themselves for KGB links.

The Andronov article is part of a KGB campaign to target LaRouche and U.S. scientist Dr. Edward Teller, who are leading the international fight to implement President Reagan's March 23 policy of developing space-based laser anti-ballistic missile de-

fense systems.

Mr. LaRouche's aggressive unmasking of Yuri Andropov's expansionist policies to establish Moscow as the "Third and Final Rome" has made him a special target of the Russian Orthodox Church-controlled KGB. LaRouche has especially disturbed the Kremlin by exposing some of the KGB's valued operations in the West—the FBI's coverup of KGB control of the U.S. and Western European peace movement, and the role of KGB-linked Democratic Party figures in destabilizing the Reagan Administration through "Debategate."

Intelligence sources familiar with KGB black propaganda confirm that the Andronov article was designed precisely to feed to KGB assets and dupes within Western conservative circles. The KGB well knows that conservatives, not "peaceniks," are best used to slow down LaRouche's successful efforts to build international support for the beam policy.

Lest any doubts remain that "conservatives" like General Graham are some of the most valued assets of the Soviet Union, one need only review a series of recent articles on the subject of Edward Teller and the space-based ABM systems:

● On July 3, the Soviet daily, *Izvestia*, printed an article called "The Bad Mister Teller," which, in the form of a fictitious dialogue between Teller and "American youth," attacks the "bad and horrific Mr. Teller . . . father of the hydrogen bomb" for "militarizing space" with laser beams and anti-ballistic missile systems. The article

says Teller is a "man-eater and wants to bury us all under a heap of radioactive ash" with his "Star Wars game."

● On July 6, the East German military daily, *Volksarmee* (People's Army), printed a piece called "The Old Lion Roars for Space War." Teller, the article warns, is a "close friend" of President Reagan, and "belongs to the military industrial complex that designed the space warfare project. . . . This is sheer madness, going under the cover of scientific method: it shows what certain scientists are driven to."

● On July 10, the *Los Angeles Times* printed a 12-page special section attacking Teller, the "military industrial complex," and the beam weapons strategy. Under the headline, "Teller's Obsession Became Reality in Star Wars Plan," author Robert Scheer, a veteran of the Soviet-linked Institute for Policy Studies magazine, *Ramparts*, quotes Daniel Graham saying that Teller is "a man who walks around the country carrying a load on his shoulders, the father of the H-bomb . . . he wants the Western world to be safe with his technology . . . but the rest of [us] did not buy it."

With his attack on Teller, Graham proves he is part of a Soviet-backed campaign to stop the U.S.A. from developing beam weapons. Whether Graham understands his role must be a subject of investigation.

Evidence provided to the *EIR* shows that other military officials and adjuncts are knowingly spreading lies that "LaRouche is KGB." One subject under investigation is U.S. embassy military attaché Colonel Russell in Ottawa, Canada, who urged NATO representatives to stay away from an *EIR* seminar on the beam weapons question because the "information might go to the East."