

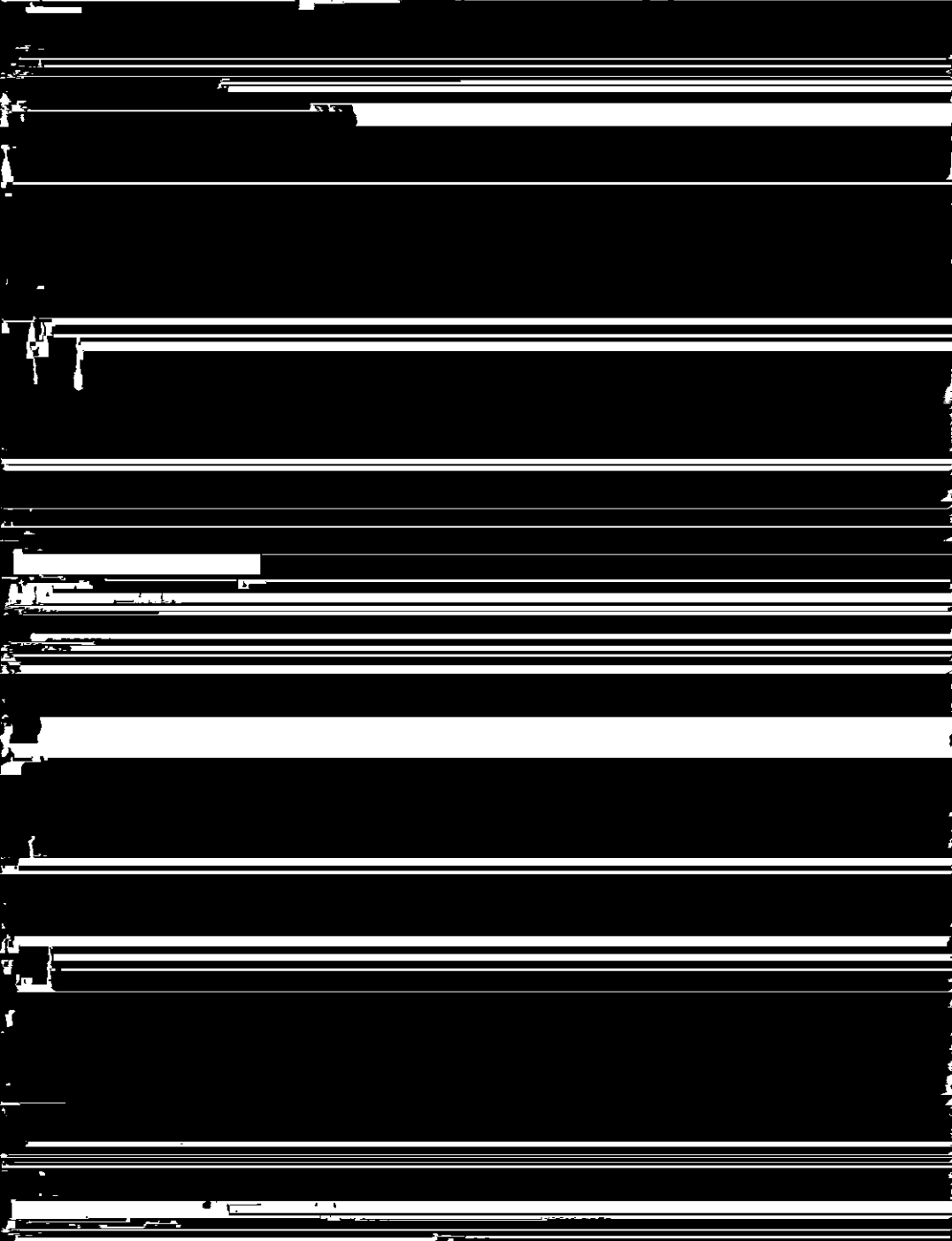
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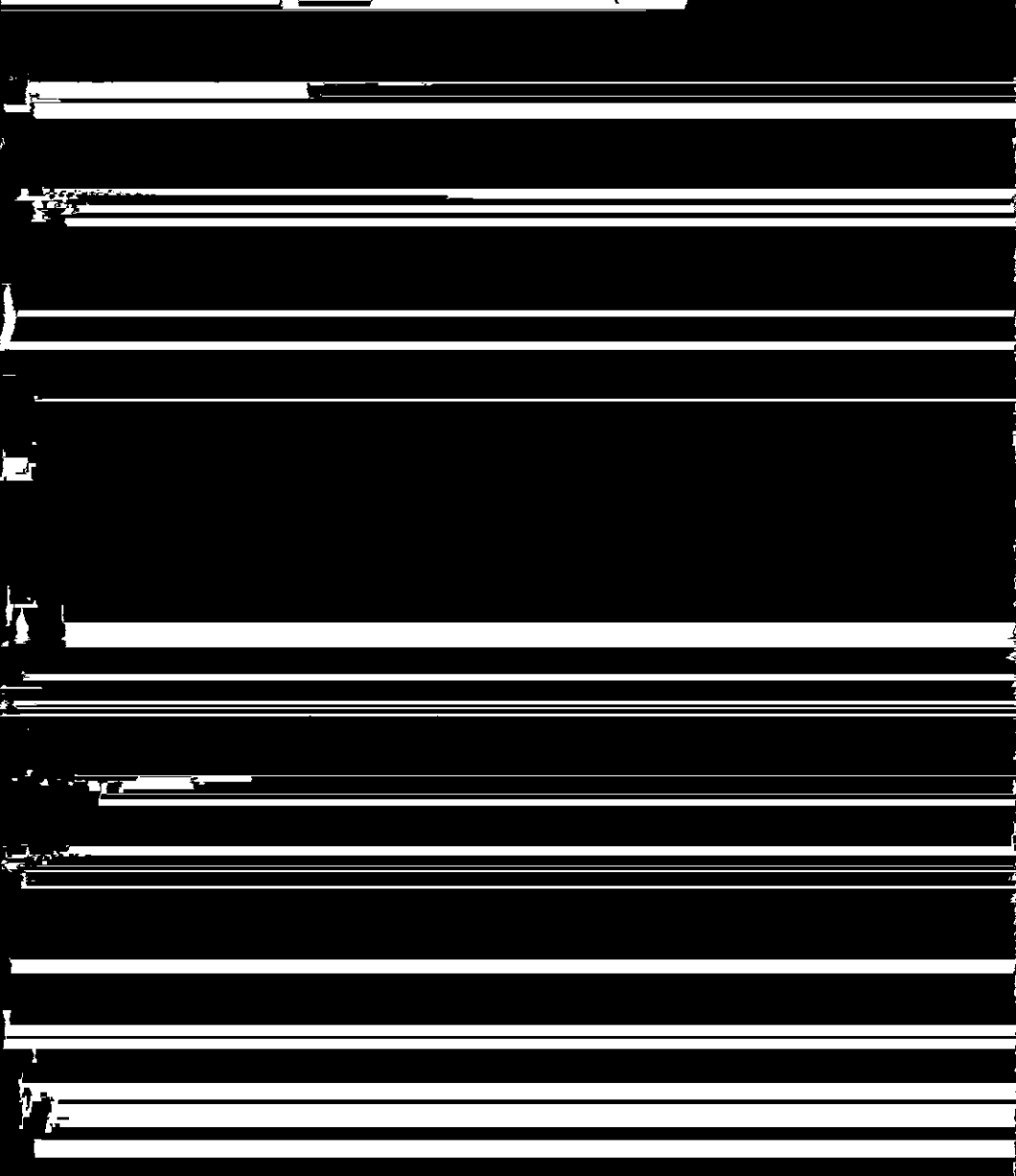
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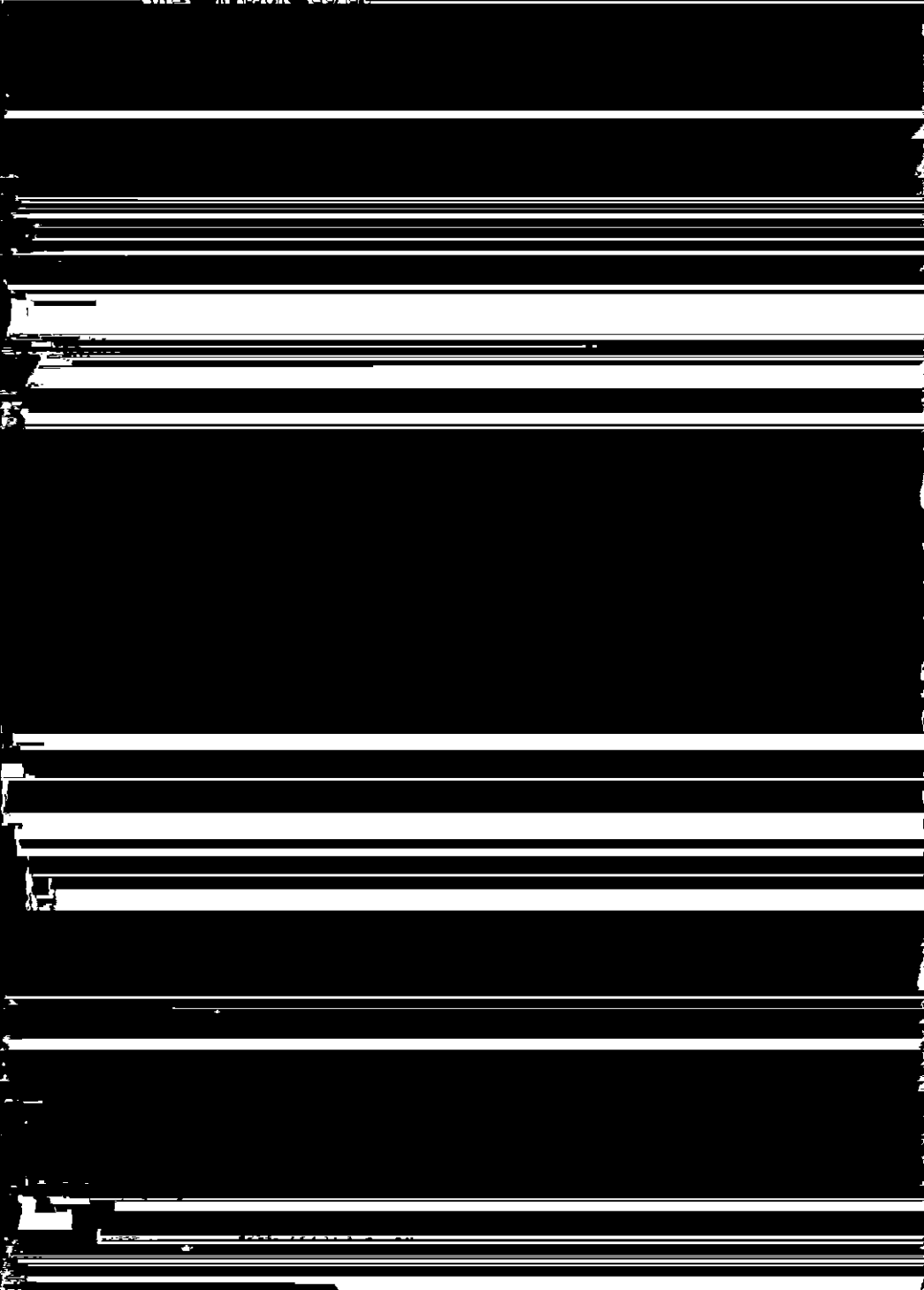
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In the implementation of the policy stated above, the State shall uphold the basic rights and fundamental liberties




- (1) Presidential Decree No. 1613 (The Law on Arson);
 - (2) Republic Act No. 6969 (Toxic Substances and Hazardous and Nuclear Waste Control Act of 1990);
 - (3) Republic Act No. 5207, (Atomic Energy Regulatory and Liability Act of 1968);
 - (4) Republic Act No. 6235 (Anti-Hijacking Law);
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conversations, discussions, or spoken or written words are to



renewal, the one next in rank to the original applicant among the members of the team named in the original written order of the authorizing division of the Court of Appeals shall file the application for extension or renewal: *Provided, That,* without prejudice to the liability of the police or law enforcement personnel under Section 20 hereof, the applicant



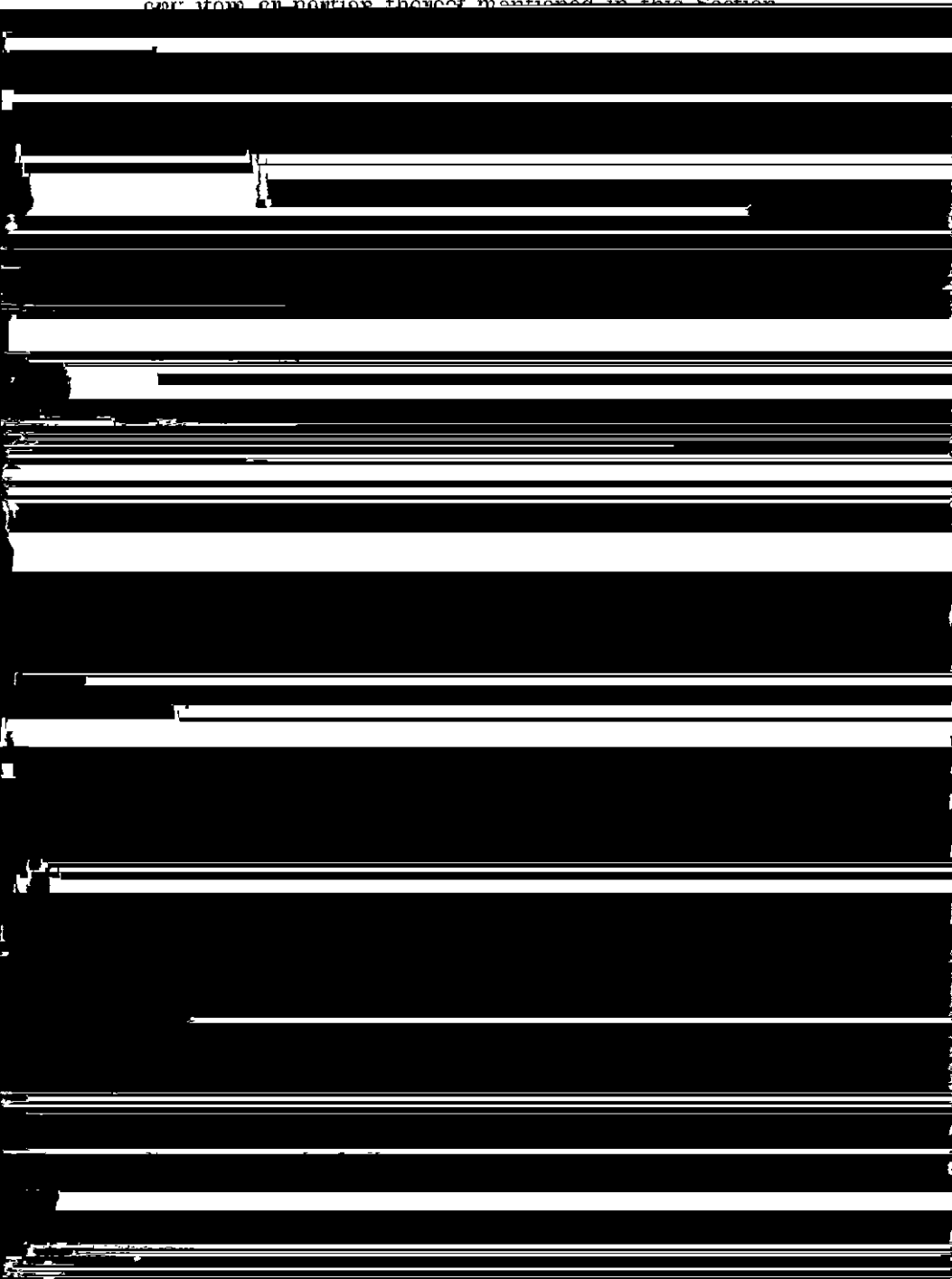
Court of Appeals shall execute with the members of the team that required affidavit.

It shall be unlawful for any person, police officer or any custodian of the tapes, discs and recording, and their excerpts and summaries, written notes or memoranda to copy in whatever form, to remove, delete, expunge, incinerate, shred or destroy in any manner the items enumerated above in whole or in part under any pretext whatsoever.

Any person who removes, deletes, expunges, incinerates

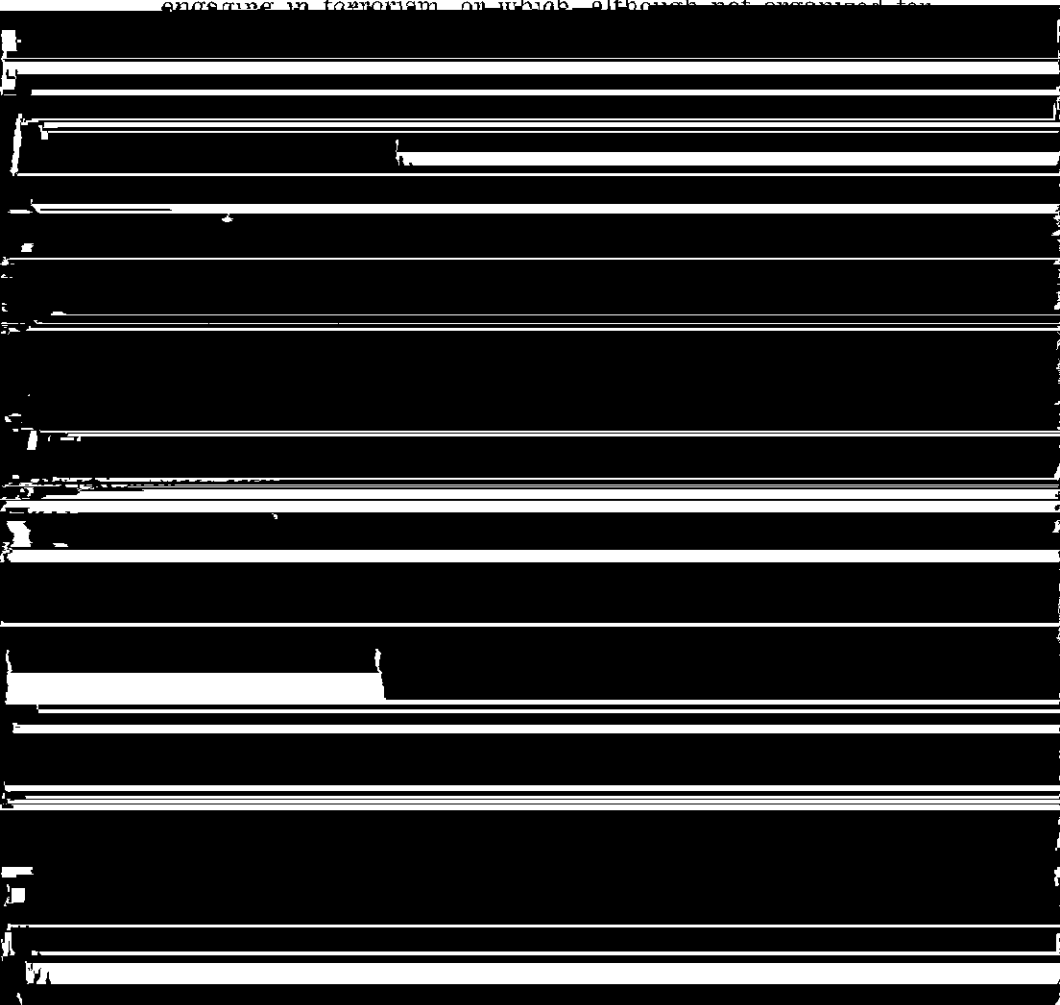


It shall be unlawful for any person, police or law enforcement official to omit or exclude from the joint affidavit any item or portion thereof mentioned in this Section.



enforcement personnel who maliciously obtained an authority from the Court of Appeals to track down, tap, listen to, intercept, and record in whatever manner or form any communication, message, conversation, discussion, or spoken or written words of a person charged with or suspected of the crime of terrorism or conspiracy to commit terrorism: *Provided*, That notwithstanding Section 13 of this Act, the party aggrieved by such authorization shall be allowed access to the sealed envelope or sealed package and the contents thereof as evidence for the prosecution of any police or law enforcement personnel who maliciously procured said authorization.

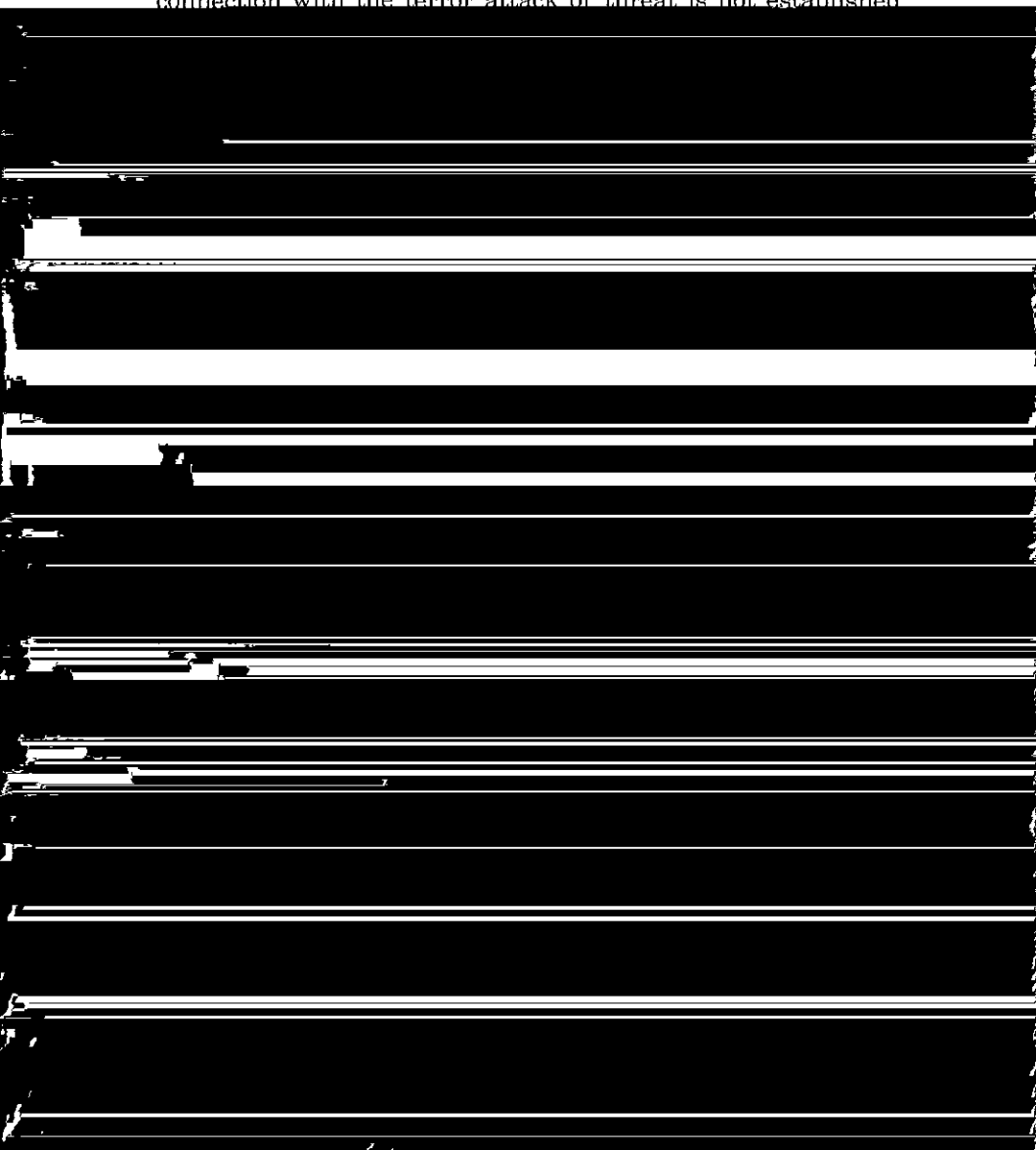
SEC. 17. *Proscription of Terrorist Organizations, Association, or Group of Persons.* - Any organization, association, or group of persons organized for the purpose of engaging in terrorism, or which, although not organized for



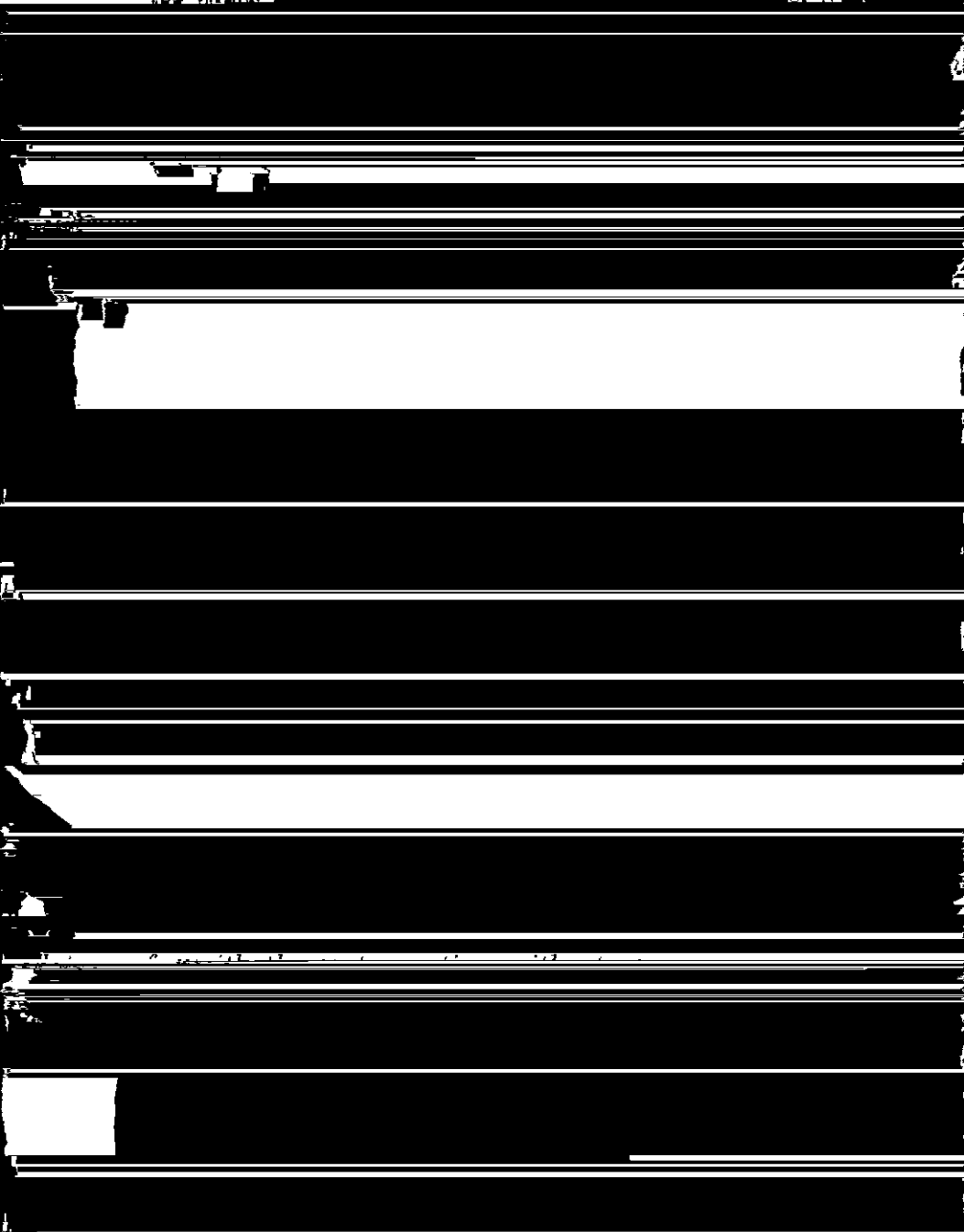
Section 7 and examination of bank deposits under Section 27

The police or law enforcement personnel concerned shall,

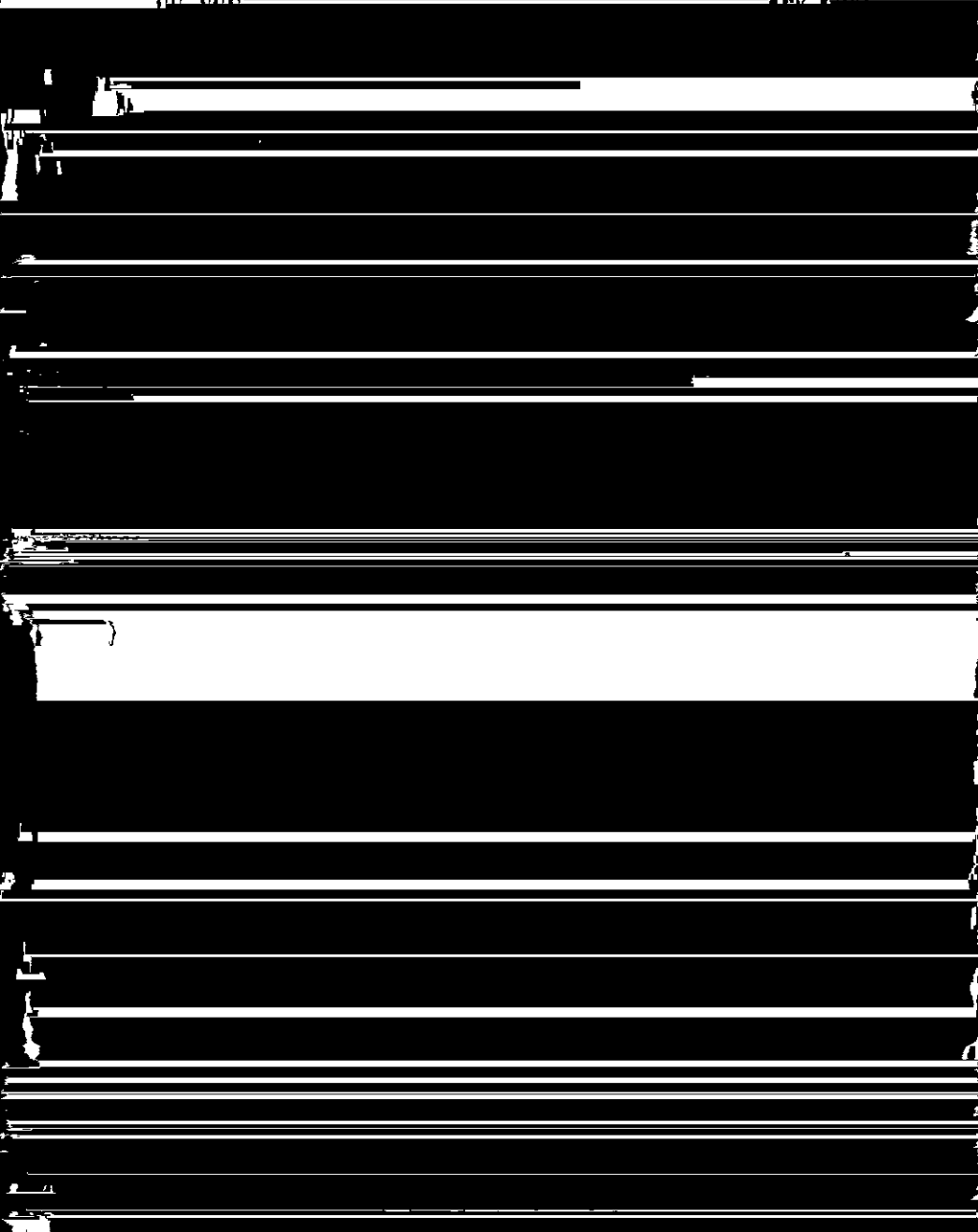
nearest the place of the arrest. If the arrest is made during Saturdays, Sundays, holidays or after office hours, the arresting police or law enforcement personnel shall bring the person thus arrested to the residence of any of the officials mentioned above that is nearest the place where the accused was arrested. The approval in writing of any of the said officials shall be secured by the police or law enforcement personnel concerned within five days after the date of the detention of the persons concerned: *Provided, however,* That within three days after the detention the suspects, whose connection with the terror attack or threat is not established



the cause or causes of his detention in the presence of his

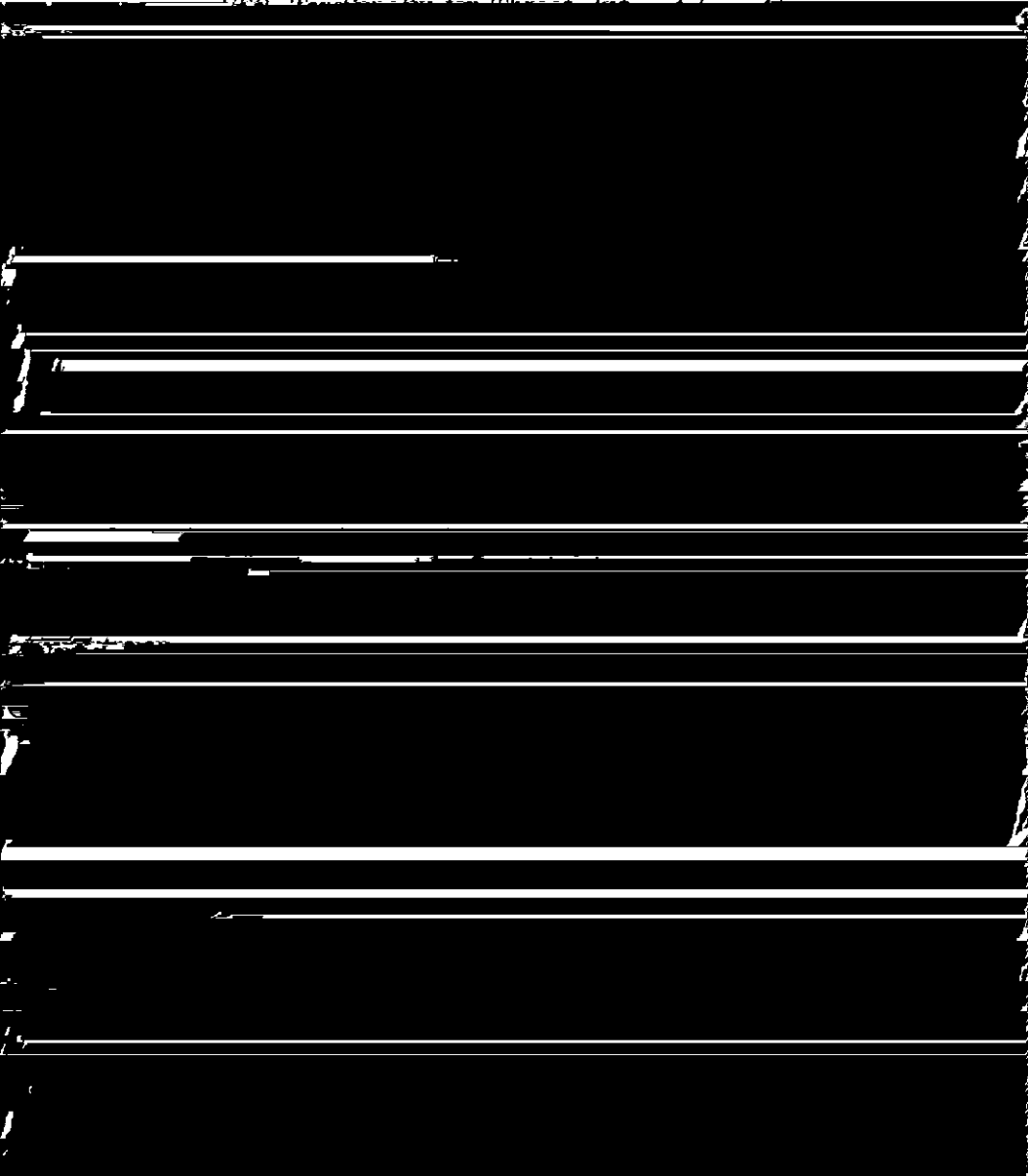


physical condition at the time of his initial admission for custodial detention; (e) the date and time of each removal of the detained person from his cell for interrogation or for any purpose; (f) the date and time of his return to his cell; (g) ~~the name and address of the physician or physicians who~~

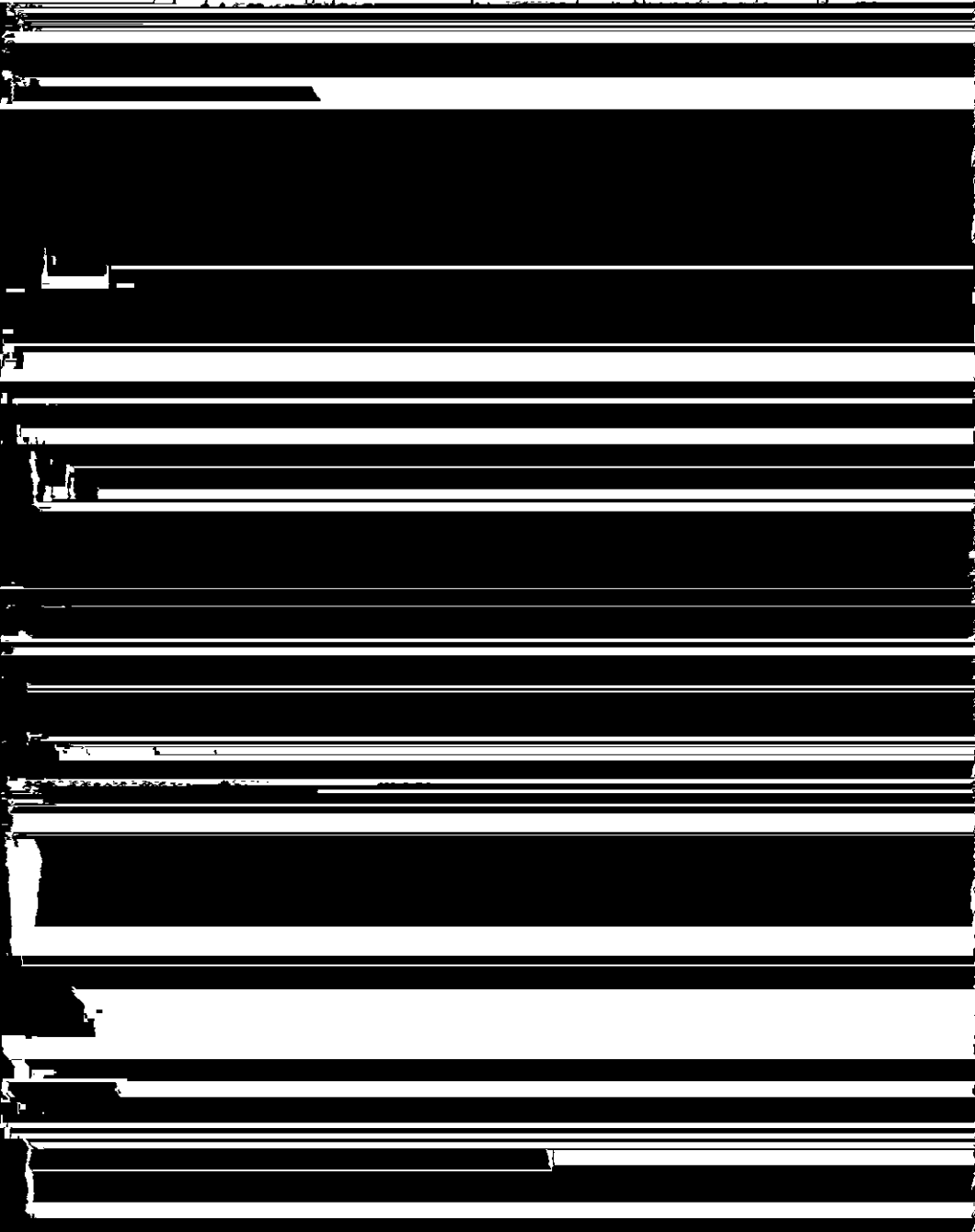


or the crime of conspiracy to commit terrorism; otherwise, the evidence obtained from said detained person resulting from such threat, intimidation, or coercion, or from such inflicted physical pain or torment, or mental, moral, or psychological pressure, shall be, in its entirety, absolutely not admissible and usable as evidence in any judicial, quasi-judicial, legislative, or administrative investigation, inquiry, proceeding, or hearing.

Sec. 25. *Prohibition on Use of Evidence Obtained from Detained Person*

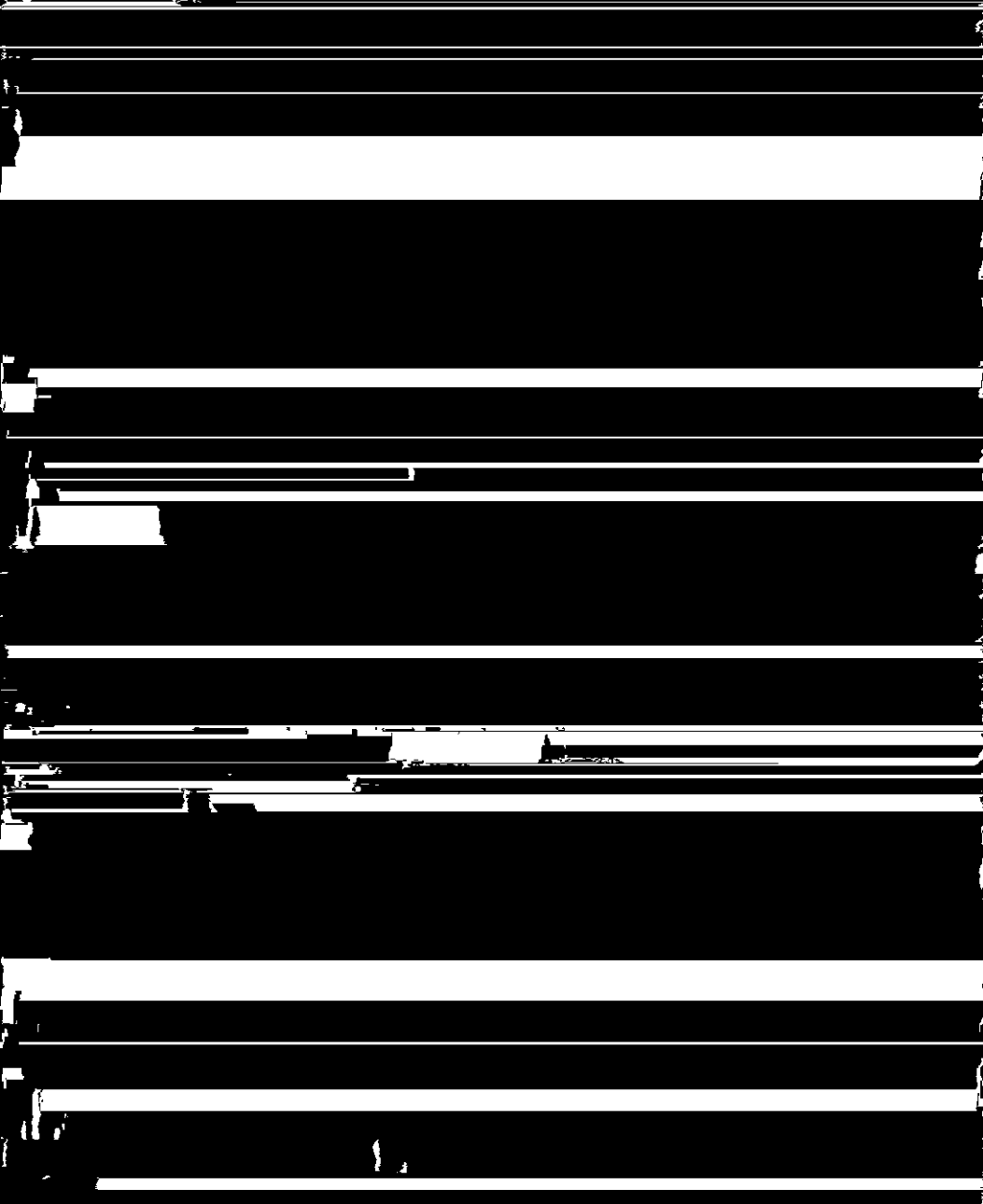


While under house arrest, he or she may not use

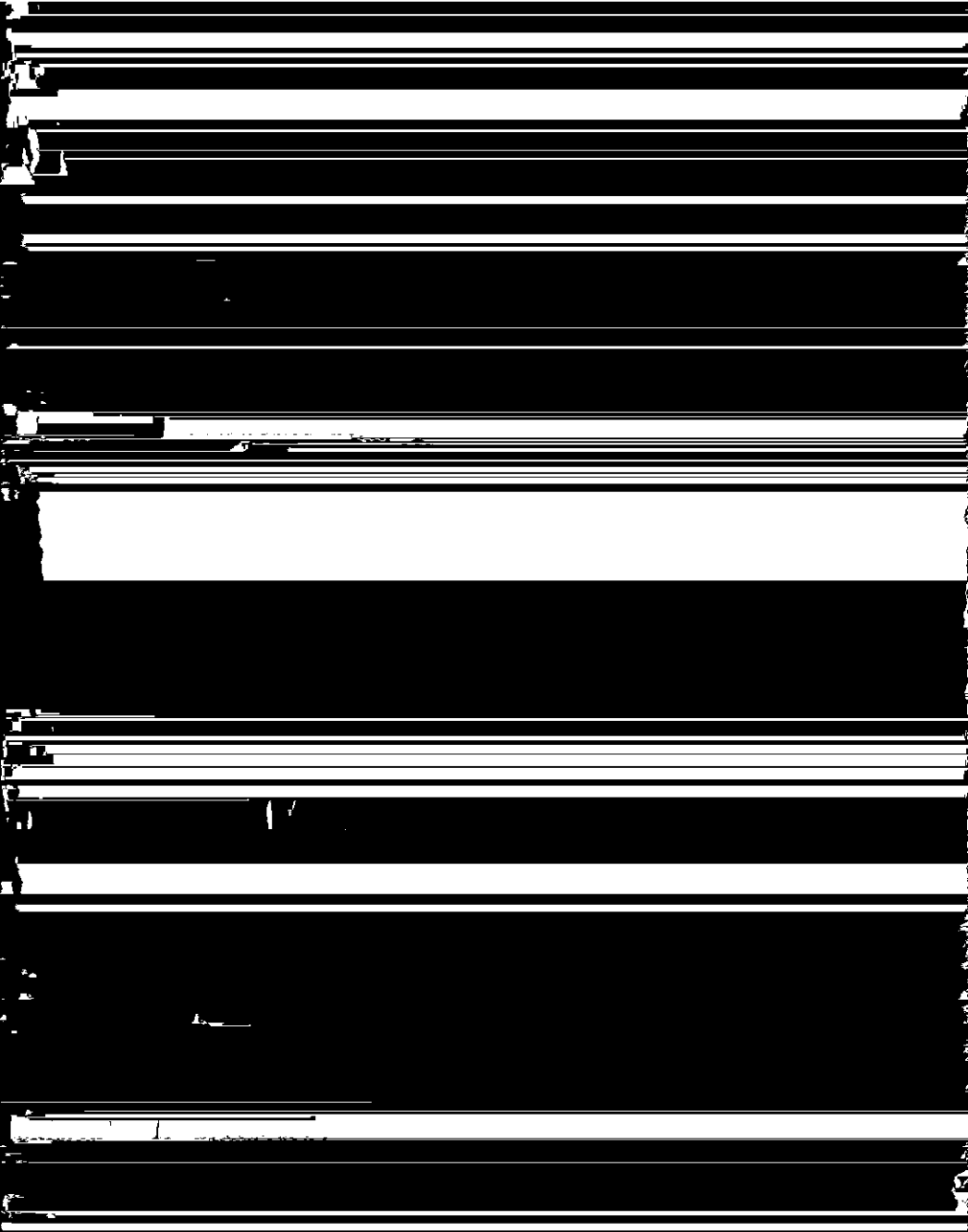


or group of persons in a bank or financial institution, and the gathering of any relevant information about the same from said bank or financial institution, shall only be granted by the authorizing division of the Court of Appeals upon an *ex parte* application to that effect of a police or of a law

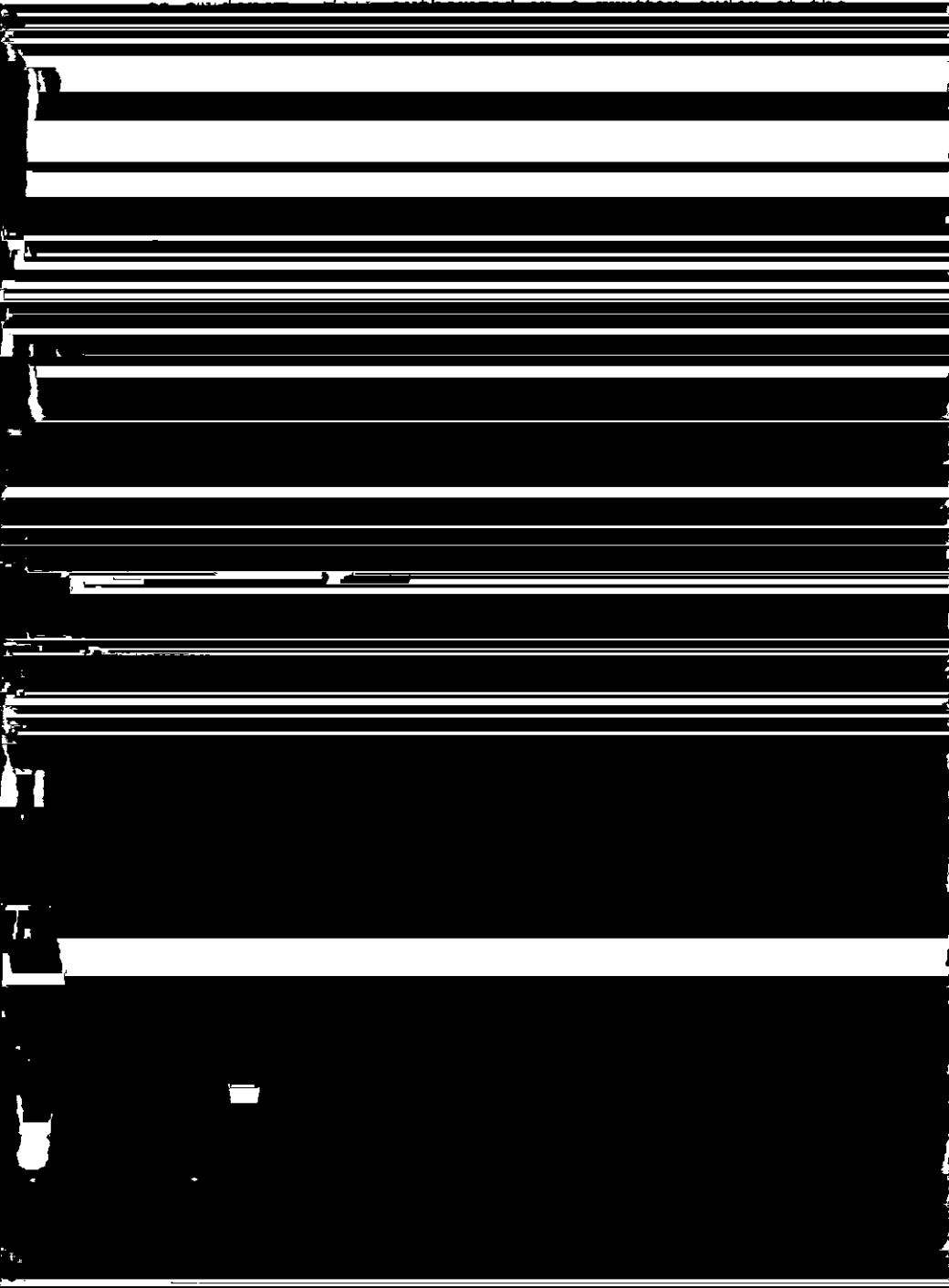
~~enforcement official who has been duly authorized in writing~~



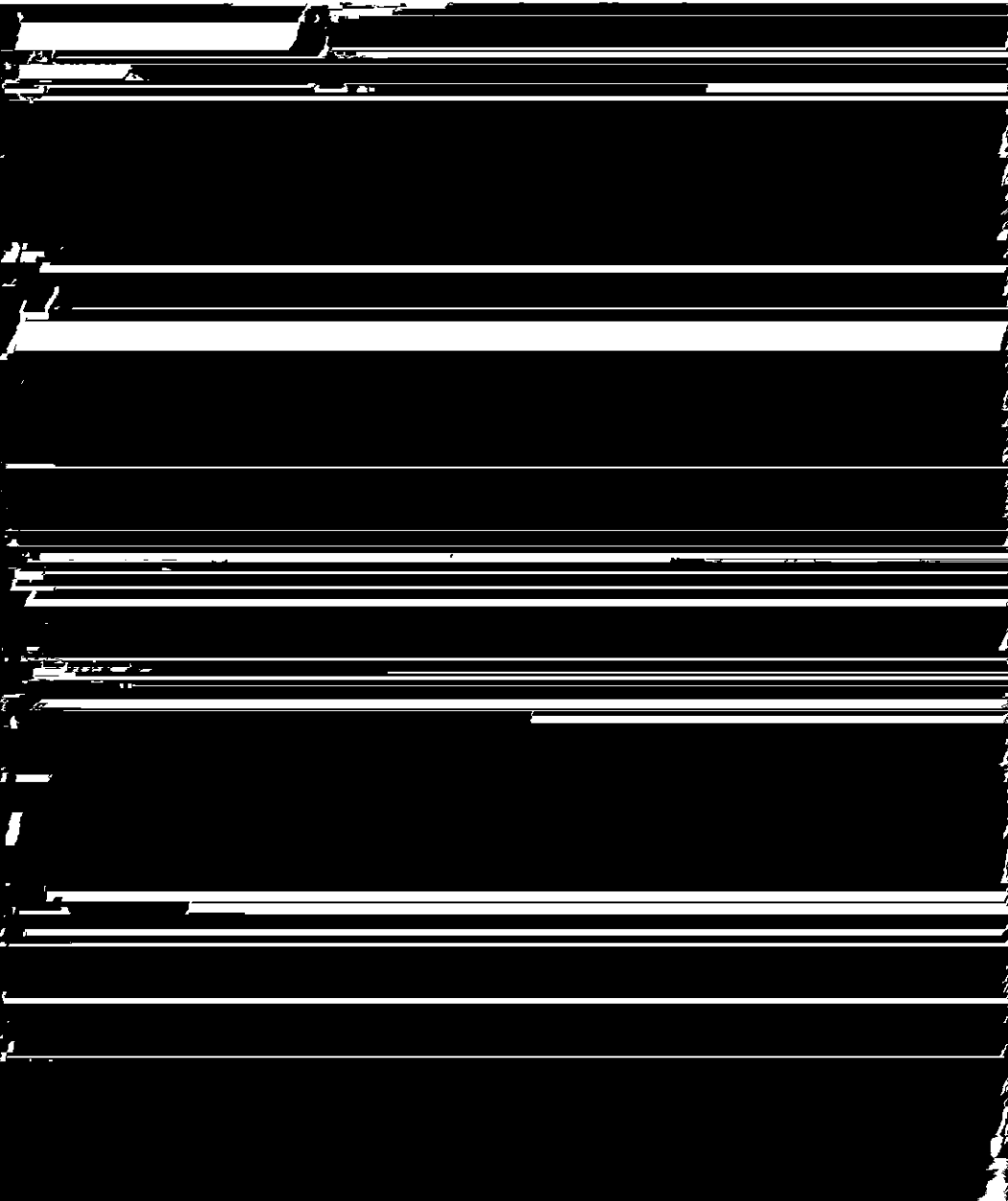
assets, and records are held and maintained; (c) the number of bank deposits, placements, trust accounts, assets, and records discovered, examined, and frozen; (d) the outstanding balances of each of such deposits, placements, trust accounts



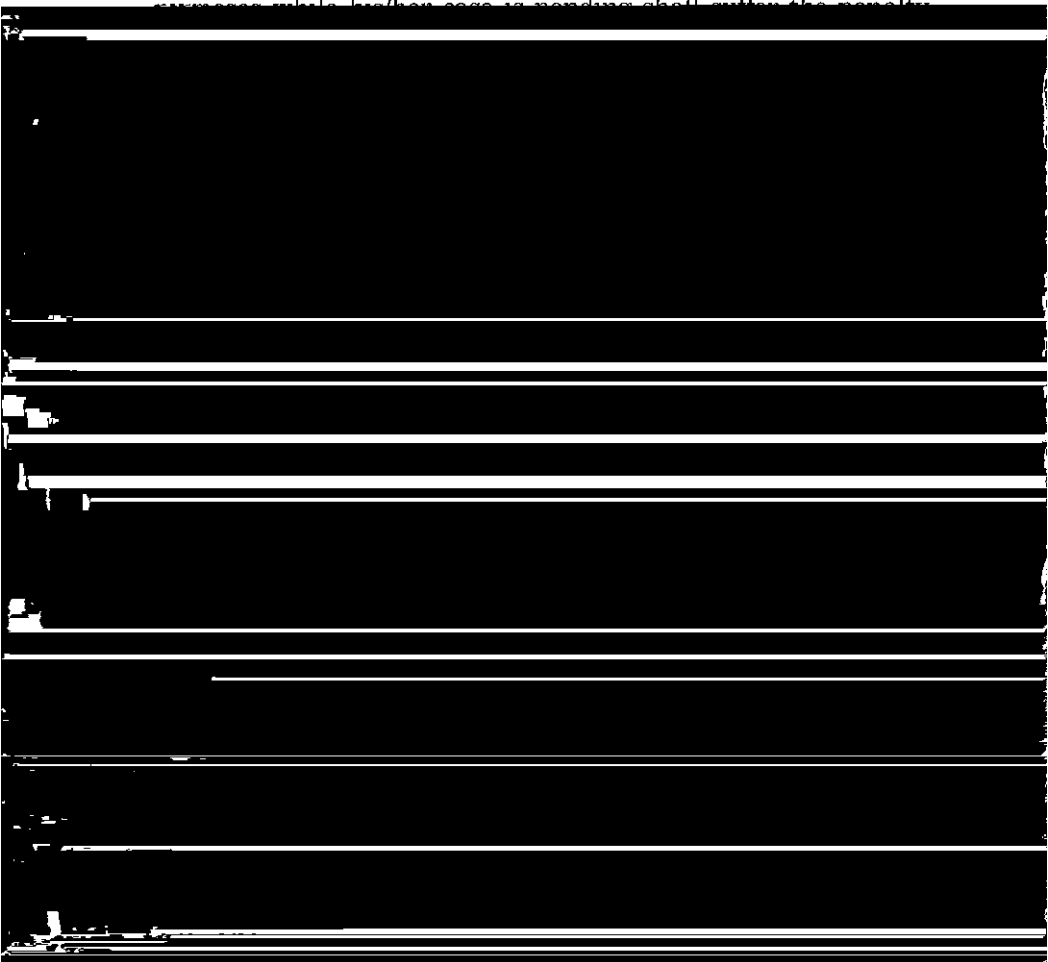
and the sealed envelope or sealed package shall not be opened
and its contents shall not be divulged, revealed, read, or used
as evidence, unless authorized in a written order of the

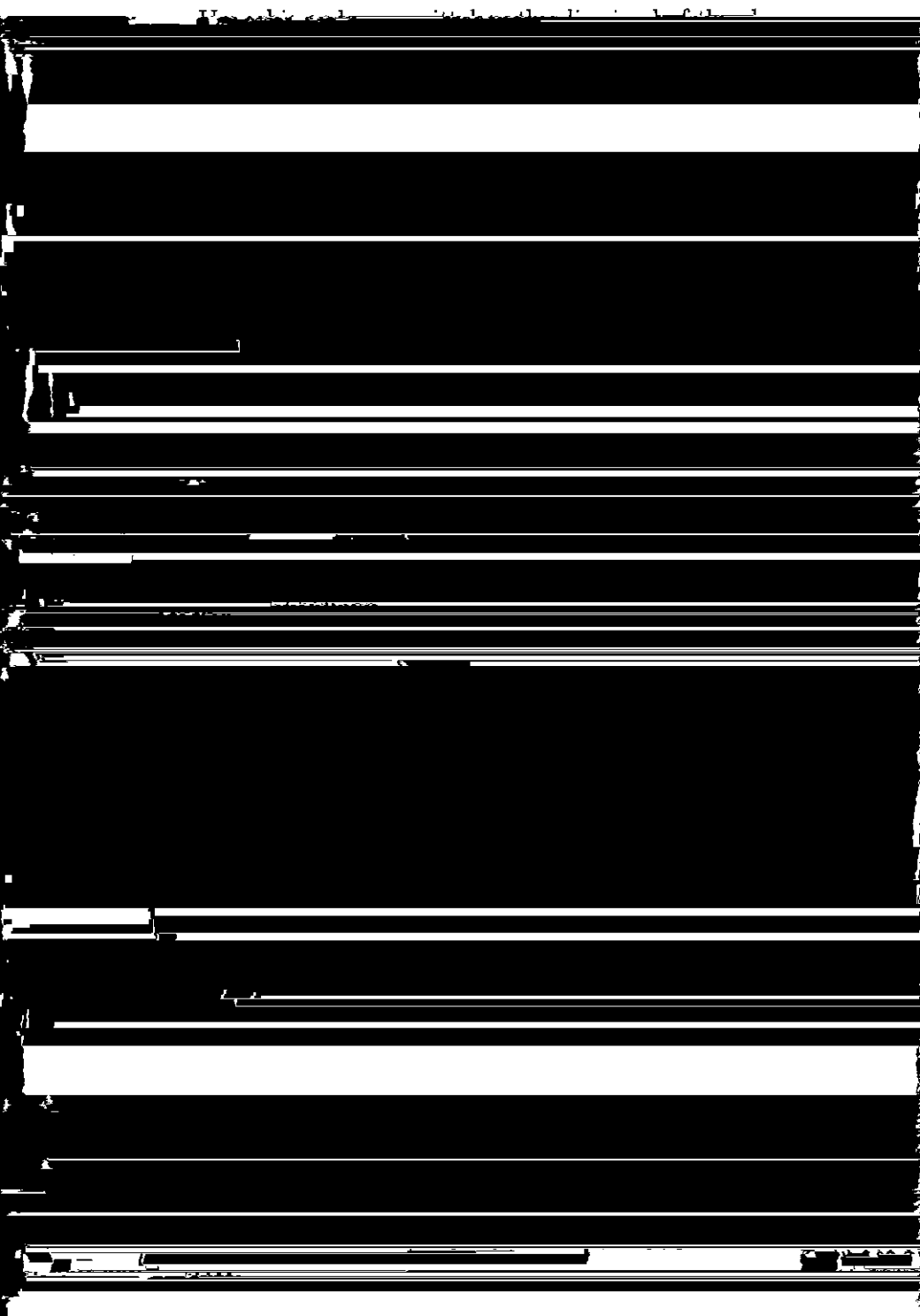


financial institution, when duly served with the written order of the authorizing division of the Court of Appeals, shall be guilty of an offense and shall suffer the penalty of ten (10) years and one day to twelve (12) years of imprisonment.



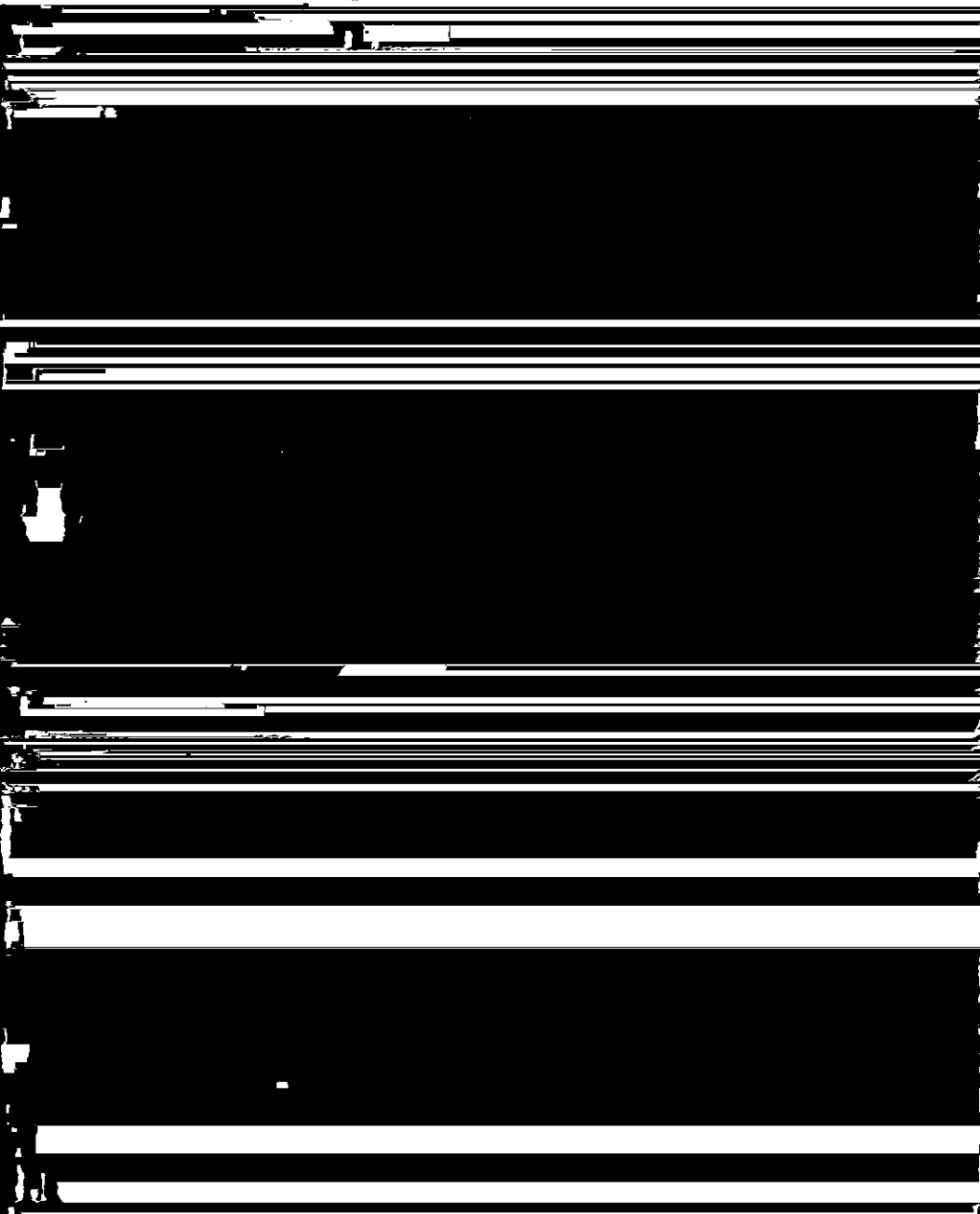
sustenance of his/her family or to use any of his/her property that has been seized, sequestered or frozen for legitimate purposes while his/her case is pending shall suffer the penalty





person has not been convicted and sentenced in a final judgment of a competent court.

SEC. 45. *Immunity and Protection of Government Witnesses.* – The provisions of Republic Act No. 6981 (Witness



SEC. 50. *Damages for Unproven Charge of Terrorism.* –

Upon acquittal, any person who is accused of terrorism shall be entitled to the payment of damages in the amount of Five hundred thousand pesos (P500,000.00) for every day that he or she has been detained or deprived of liberty or arrested without a warrant as a result of such an accusation. The amount of damages shall be automatically charged against the appropriations of the police agency or the Anti-Terrorism Council that brought or sanctioned the filing of the charges.

after the suspect was placed under arrest or his properties were sequestered, seized or frozen.

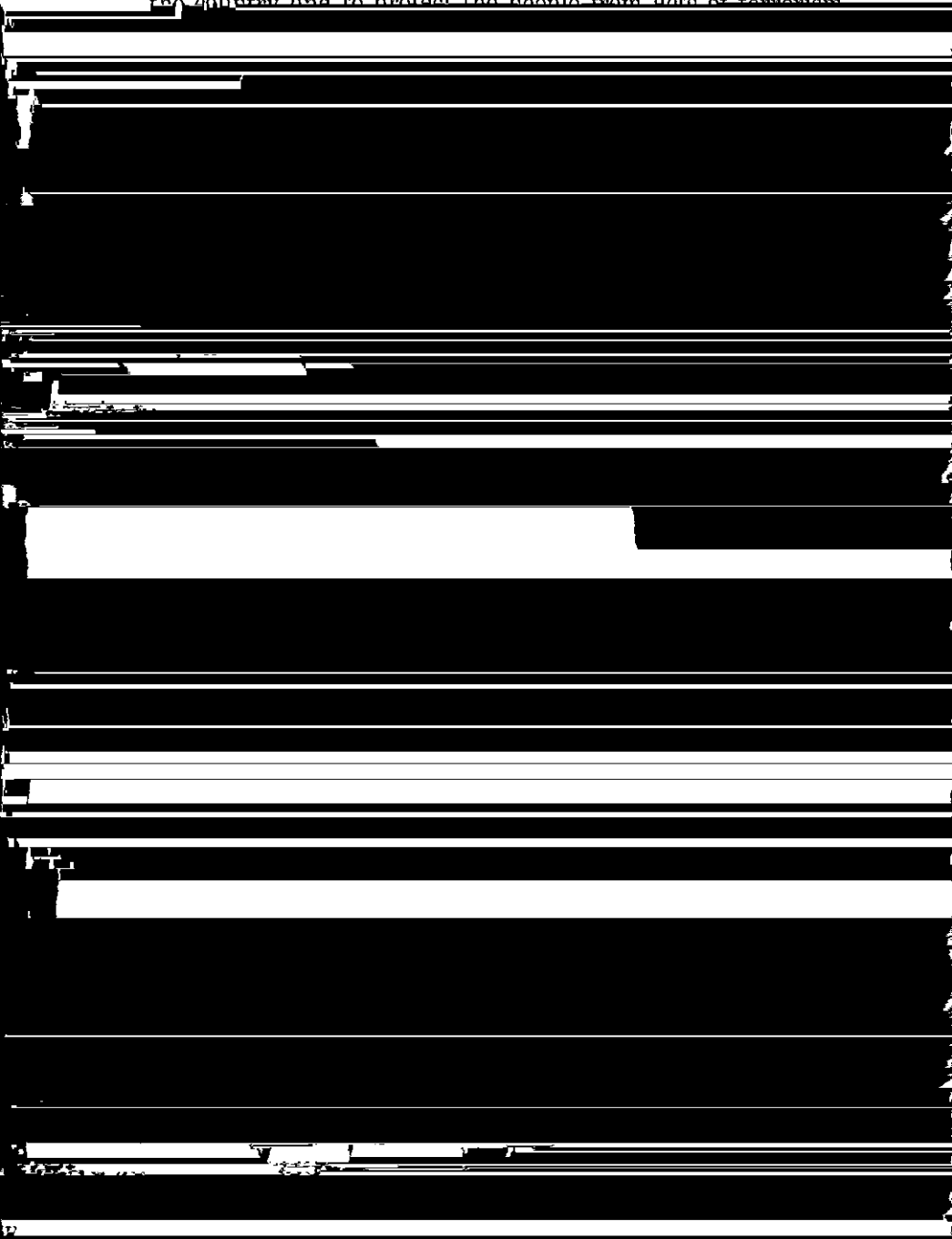
The name and address of the informant shall be considered confidential and shall not be unnecessarily revealed until after the proceedings against the suspect shall have been terminated.

SEC. 52. *Applicability of the Revised Penal Code.* — The provisions of Book I of the Revised Penal Code shall be applicable to this Act.

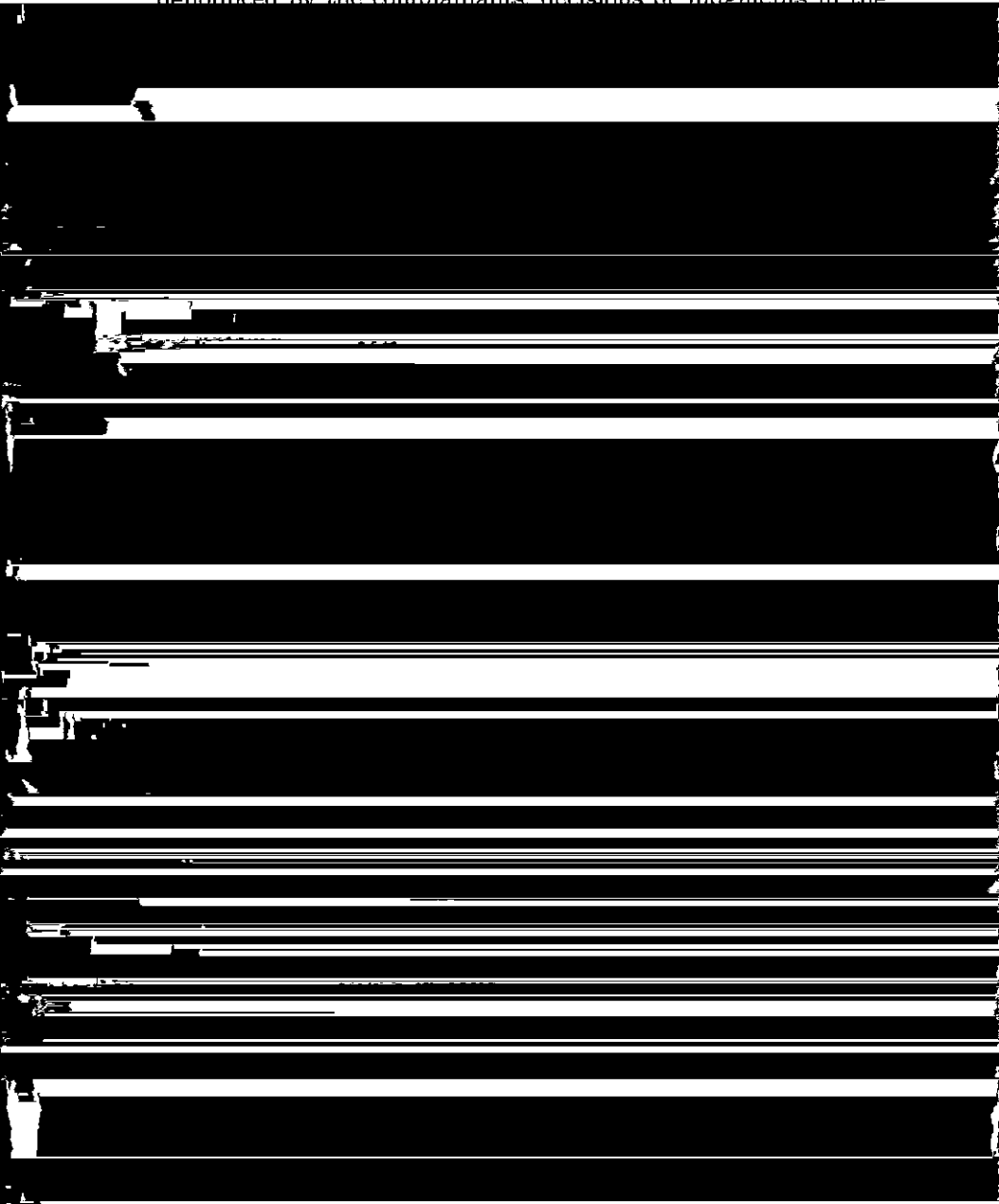
SEC. 53. *Anti-Terrorism Council* — An Anti-Terrorism



and counter-measures to suppress and eradicate terrorism in the country and to protect the people from acts of terrorism



Grievance Committee in receiving, investigating and evaluating complaints against the police and other law enforcement officers in the implementation of this Act. If the evidence warrants it, they may file the appropriate cases against the erring police and law enforcement officers. Unless seasonably disowned or denounced by the complainants, decisions or judgments in the

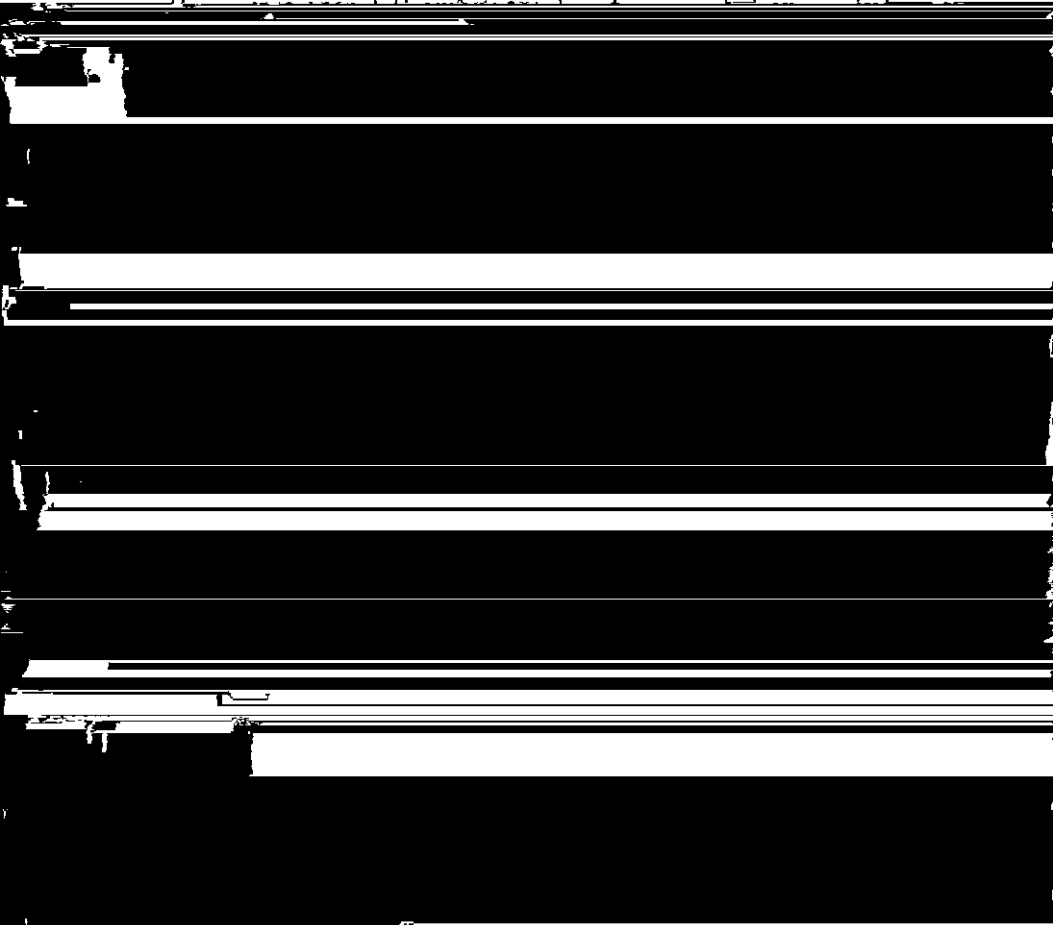


or amend any portion of the Act or to repeal the Act in its entirety.

The courts dealing with anti-terrorism cases shall submit to Congress and the President a report every six months of the status of anti-terrorism cases that have been filed with them starting from the date this Act is implemented.

SEC. 60. *Separability Clause.* – If for any reason any part or provision of this Act is declared unconstitutional or invalid, the other parts or provisions hereof which are not affected thereby shall remain and continue to be in full force and effect.

SEC. 61. *Repealing Clause.* – All laws, decrees, executive orders, rules or regulations or parts thereof, inconsistent with



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