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*Bishop Lavrentije in Denouncements of Informers
of the State Security Service*

*A Contribution to the Study of the Relationship of the Serbian Orthodox Church
and the Authorities in Socialist Yugoslavia*

Summary

In the article, based on unpublished documents, new facts are exposed about the forms of control and surveillance of the clergy of the Serbian Orthodox Church in times of self-management socialism. It refers, above all, to the surveillance of church activities among expatriates in the late sixties and early seventies of the last century in Western Europe. At a sensitive moment in time, when around one million workers rushed to Western European countries looking for work, informers watched carefully and scrutinized the activities of the West European Bishop Lavrentije, as well as several other prominent rectors, like Aleksa Todorovic in Munich and Miloje Nikolic in London.