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TO DIRECTOR (44-38861)

FROM LEGAT, OTTAWA (44-4)

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REMYTEL FOUR ELEVEN LAST.

RCMP, TORONTO, NOW ADVISE SNEYD, BRIDGEMAN AND GALT ALL INTERVIEWED AND SUPPLIED NEGATIVE ANSWERS AS TO WHETHER THEY HAD EVER RECEIVED "THUNDERBOLT."

ACCORDING TO RCMP, TORONTO, DAVID ARTHUR STANLEY DISASSOCIATED HIMSELF FROM ALL POLITICAL ORGANIZATIONS ABOUT TWO YEARS AGO AND HANDED OVER HIS RECORDS TO RCMP, TORONTO. THIS INCLUDED NAMES OF PEOPLE RECEIVING "THUNDERBOLT" AND REVIEW OF SAME FAILS TO REVEAL NAMES ABOVE.

STANLEY DESCRIBED J. B. STONER AS PUBLICITY SEEKER AND FEELS HE, STONER, WOULD NOT HAVE ANY ASSOCIATION WITH ORGANIZATION CONCERNING VIOLENCE, SUCH AS THAT INVOLVED IN THE MURDER OF MARTIN LUTHER KING. STANLEY WORKED IN OFFICE OF NATIONAL STATES RIGHTS PARTY IN BIRMINGHAM, ALBAMA, FOR THREE MONTHS THROUGH YEARS SIXTYTHREE-SIXTYFOUR AND SIXTYFIVE AND DID NOT AT ANY TIME GET ANY INDICATION OF PLANNED VIOLENCE.

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Date April 9, 1969

RE: **ASSASSINATION OF MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.**

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**Enclosed is copy of RCMP report dated
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RE:
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Martin Luther KING -
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1. Further to P.C.R. dated 5 MAR 69, POUPART was interviewed at which time he was exhibited photographs of RAY. The photographs of James Earl RAY had been mixed together with photographs of other individuals and POUPART was positive that none of the photos exhibited to him resembled the man who had committed the robbery at the Laiterie Perrette.
2. Investigations conducted locally, have to date failed to reveal the present whereabouts of Lucien BLOUIN, the former manager at Laiterie Perrette. At the present time, the only check remaining to be verified is that of local U.I.C. records. Should this verification prove to be of value, the outcome of the interview with BLOUIN will be reported on accordingly.
3. In view of the above and due to the fact that RAY has now pleaded guilty to the charges, this file will be held in abeyance pending receipt of other requests of investigation by the F.B.I., or instructions concerning the disposition of exhibits which are held at this point, or on loan to the F.B.I. and District Attorney's office Memphis, Tenn.

S.U.I.

(JIB P) S/Sgt.
i/c Mtl. GIS.

E. J. C. Mager Sgt.
(E. J. C. Mager) #17440
Montreal G.I.S.

The COMMISSIONER, Ottawa: Your: 68HQ-791-Q-60 Vol. 6

1. FORWARDED for your information. You may expect a further report if and when we are able to locate Lucien BLOUIN.
2. Your instructions as to the disposition of the exhibits in this case will be awaited in due course.

S.U.I.

MONTREAL
18-3-69

J. R. Duchesneau
J.R. Duchesneau, Insp.,
A/Officer i/c C.I.B.

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Date March 14, 1969

RE:

ASSASSINATION OF MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

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27 Feb 69

1. Morris KERTZER Barrister was contacted this date, and he advised that he had no objection to me re-interviewing his client Claire KEATING as long as it was done in his presence. He arranged to have Mrs. KEATING in his office at 1.30PM, at which time she was interviewed.

2. Mrs. KEATING advised that RAY never gave any indication of hatred toward Negroes. The only time the subject was mentioned was during a conversation on the subject of Separatism in the Province of Quebec, when RAY said that they had a similar problem with Negroes in the South. Mrs. KEATING advised that RAY appeared to be neutral on the subject and did not express any love or hate of Negroes. She flatly denied telling William Bradford HUIE that RAY was very outspoken in his dislike of Negroes.

3. Mrs. KEATING advised that she is willing to be interviewed in Ottawa in the presence of her Lawyer by someone in Authority from Memphis, and if he can convince her that her evidence is material to the case, she will consider the possibility of appearing as a witness. Mr. KERTZER advised that he certainly would not allow his client to appear in Memphis as a witness, without first talking to someone from there in a position to tell them exactly what is involved.

CONCLUDED HERE

J.A.G. Synnett Cpl.
(J.A.G. SYNNETT) #19024

J.S.W. S/Sgt
i/c G.I.S.

2-12-69

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REGISTERED

To: Director, FBI (44-38861)
From: Legat, Ottawa (44-4) (P)
Subject: MURKIN

ReBUairtel 2-6-69.

The Bureau is referred to RCMP report dated 1-24-69, at Montreal, Quebec, in which it is pointed out that all efforts to identify Raoul met with negative results (see paragraph five of report).

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January 3, 1969

AIRTEL

TO DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)
FROM LEGAT, OTTAWA (44-4) (P)
SUBJECT MURKIN
OO: MEMPHIS

Rebuairtel, 12/24/68.

For information Bureau, Reguly was also in contact RCMP Headquarters re motel on Montreal Road.

Investigation had failed to develop any information re such motel and it was concluded that Reguly was "fishing" for information, i.e., the Richmond Road Motel.

In absence any information from source other than Reguly for motel on Montreal Road, no action contemplated.

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Date January 2, 1969

RE: **MARTIN LUTHER KING - MURDER OF -
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OTTAWA 7, CANADA

OUR NO. 68HQ-791-Q-60 (V.6)
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December 23, 1968.

Mr. Moss Lee Innes,
c/o United States Embassy,
OTTAWA, Ontario.

Re: Martin Luther KING -
Murder of -
Assistance to FBI

Re Bureau airtel 12-11-68, much of
the investigation requested has been covered, having
been reported in Montreal G.I.S. report 9-12-68
with attachment of the article in the 31-10-68 issue
of the Montreal Star.

2. Montreal has been requested to cover
the other enquiries in the Bureau airtel. Photocopies
of articles in the 12-11-68 issue of the Montreal
Gazette are attached.

W.F.G. Perry, Insp.,
A/Officer in Charge,
Criminal Investigation Branch.

Tells of activity in Montreal

Ray admits 'involvement' in plot

James Earl Ray, accused assassin of Dr. Martin Luther King, says he probably became involved in a plot to murder King when he agreed to smuggle narcotics across the Canadian border for a Montreal contact.

"I got involved gradually, and I didn't know anybody was to be murdered," Ray is quoted as saying in a copy-

righted story by William Bradford Huie in Look magazine.

The article is the second in a series dealing with Ray and the assassination of Dr. King.

In an earlier edition, Ray described how, under the alias of Eric S. Galt, he fled to Montreal after escaping from a U.S. prison in April, 1967, and took refuge in a Notre

Dame St. East apartment house.

While attempting to make his way to South America, Ray met a "blond Latin of about 35" named Raoul in the Neptune Tavern on West Commissioners St. in August, 1967, who offered him \$12,000 and travel papers if Ray would return to the U.S., establish himself in Birmingham, Ala., and make himself "available for certain projects."

After failing to obtain a passport on his own, Ray reportedly agreed to Raoul's terms following eight waterfront meetings.

Ray's initial role in the operation was to bring pack-

ages of narcotics into the U.S. via automobile across the Windsor-Detroit border before heading for his Birmingham assignment.

He met Raoul in the Windsor railway station on Monday, Aug. 21, 1967, and made two smuggling trips. On the second, he nearly ran afoul of custom inspectors at the crossing while carrying a TV set in the trunk of his car. The set had been purchased in Montreal.

Once in Birmingham, Ray set himself up in a rooming house, and awaited further contact from Raoul, which came in the form of a letter a few days later.

Trial delay was planned

MEMPHIS —(UPI)— James Earl Ray planned for as long as a month to make a last-minute switch in lawyers to delay his trial for the murder of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., it was learned yesterday.

It appeared the move would succeed. Famed trial lawyer

Percy Foreman, brought into the case Sunday, spent the day drawing up his request for a continuance of the trial, set to begin today.

Judge W. Preston Battle was expected to grant the delay, probably at least until after Jan. 1.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Assistant Attorney General
CIVIL RIGHTS DIVISION

DATE: August 30, 1968

FROM : Director, FBI

SUBJECT: ASSASSINATION OF MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

Reference is made to our memorandum dated 8/28/68
(your file _____).

There is enclosed one copy of the report of Special
Agent _____ dated _____
at _____.

A. ☐ This covers the preliminary investigation and no further action concerning a full investigation will be taken by this Bureau unless the Department so directs.

B. ☒ The investigation is continuing and you will be furnished copies of reports as they are received.

C. ☐ The investigation requested by you has now been completed. Unless advised to the contrary no further inquiries will be made by this Bureau.

D. ☐ Pursuant to instructions issued by the Department, no investigation will be conducted in this matter unless specifically directed by the Department.

E. ☐ Please advise whether you desire any further investigation.

F. ☐ This is submitted for your information and you will be advised of further developments.

G. ☐ This is submitted for your information and no further investigation will be conducted unless specifically requested by the Department.

H. ☐ This covers the receipt of a complaint and no further action will be taken by this Bureau unless the Department so directs.

Enc. Enclosed are copies of 27 reports of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police in this matter. Copies of these reports are also being furnished to the Criminal Division.

Sent to Dept
June 3, 1968

AIRTEL

TO DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)
FROM LEGAT, OTTAWA (44-4)(P)
SUBJECT MURKIN
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Remy telephone call this date.

Enclosed are the following items:

1) Four copies Kennedy Travel Bureau letter April 17, 1968 to Passport Office, Department of External Affairs, Ottawa.

2) Four copies application for Canadian Passport executed by RAMON GEORGE SNEYD, April 16, 1968.

3) Four copies of Statutory Declaration In Lieu of Guarantor executed by RAMON GEORGE SNEYD at Toronto April 16, 1968.

4) Four copies passport photo attached to application by SNEYD.

It is noted while no information appears on the back of photo, original photo attached to application contained the following information:

"Arcade Photo Studio, 137 Yonge Street, Suite 64, Toronto, Ontario, April 11, 1968."

5) Two passport photographs of SNEYD which have been blown up by RCMP Identification Branch.

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6) One copy of passport photograph with signature superimposed thereon which has been blown up by RCMP Identification Branch.

The above is being forwarded to the Bureau by hand aboard Eastern Airlines Flight departing Ottawa 8:10 AM, June 4, 1968, with scheduled arrival National Airport, Washington, D.C. at 10:28 AM on the same date.

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WINDSOR

RE:
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Dr. Martin Luther KING
Assassination Of
Assistance to F.B.I.

16 APR 68

This date, Sgt. D.A. CARREAU, Temporary i/c Windsor Detachment received a telephone call from Cst. G.M.J. MOUSSEAU, Montreal G.I.B. Branch. Cst. MOUSSEAU, acting on instructions from the Assistant C.I.B. Officer, Montreal, P.Q., requested that members of our Detachment interview one Morris QUINTAL of this city who used to be the janitor of Markay Apartments, 2589 Notre Dame East, Montreal, P.Q. MOUSSEAU went on to say that one Eric S. (Starvo) GALT & John WILLARD & Harvey LOWMYER, suspected by the Federal Bureau of Investigation, U.S.A. of assassinating Dr. Martin Luther KING in Memphis, Tennessee on 4 APR 68, reportedly resided at the aforementioned apartment building in Montreal. He further added that QUINTAL was presently residing at or working for Hi! Neighbor Floor Company, 557 Wyandotte St., East, Windsor, Ontario and requested we interview him and obtain any information whatsoever concerning GALT as soon as possible with results being telephoned to their office.

2. In view of the above a check of the Windsor City Directory revealed that Hi! Neighbor Floor Covering Co., Ltd., was located at 257 Wyandotte St., East, Windsor, Ontario. A check of the records of this company revealed that Morris QUINTAL was presently employed with their company as warehouse foreman and was presently residing at 1392 Hickory Road, Windsor, Ontario.

3. Same date, Cst. H. AVERY and myself interviewed Morris QUINTAL and his wife at their residence. I should mention here that during this interview our true purpose was not divulged to these persons and all questions pertaining to GALT were not associated by these persons to the assassination of Dr. Martin Luther KING. The QUINTALS were questioned at great length and the following information was obtained with regard to GALT. According to the QUINTALS, GALT had rented Apartment #18, 2589 Notre Dame East, Montreal, P.Q. during the month of August, 1967 for \$90.00 per month. At the time of renting this apartment GALT was requested to pay two (2) months' rent in advance and to sign a six (6) months' lease, which he did. During the latter part of September, 1967 GALT informed Mrs. QUINTAL that a relative residing in the U.S.A. was very sick and he had to return to that country and departed. The QUINTALS were shown the artist's recreation of the features of the man suspected of killing Mr. KING as released in the Montreal newspaper, The Gazette, Saturday Final Edition, dated 13 APR 68; however, upon examining this drawing both stated that the drawing did not resemble GALT. Their description of GALT is as follows: 5'11" to 6', 160 to 170 lbs., approximately 32 to 35 yrs. of age, light complexion, dark hair combed back at an angle (no receding hair line), shallow face and gave the overall appearance of being thin.

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4. When questioned pertaining to any known associates, visitors, mail, and possible vehicles used by GALT the QUINTALS stated that during the month and a half that he resided at apartment #18, two (2) visitors only were seen visiting him and those were two (2) elderly women, approximately 40 to 42 years of age. The only description given of these two (2) women was that one had reddish brown hair and the other black hair. At this point the names Mrs. Rita STEEN, 5666 Franklin and Mary DENINNO, 5533 Hollywood Avenue, both from Los Angeles, California, were volunteered to QUINTAL in the event that these known associates of GALT were in fact the two women in question; however, neither name made any impression whatsoever on the QUINTALS. Upon further questioning Mr. QUINTAL stated that at the time subject rented the apartment GALT questioned him as to the price charged for parking a vehicle and when informed that it was \$20.00 a month GALT stated that this figure was too high and asked QUINTAL where else he could park a car. QUINTAL informed him that he could either leave the car on the street in front of the apartment building or parking facilities were available at either a Shell or Esso Service Station down the block from this particular apartment building. It should be mentioned here that at no time did either Mr. or Mrs. QUINTAL observe a vehicle used by GALT. With regard to any mail received by GALT the QUINTALS stated that during the duration of his stay mail was received by him from two (2) sources only; letters from an unknown company in the U.S.A. and another one from Tip Top Tailors, St. Catherine Street, Montreal, P.Q. advising him that a suit he had purchased was ready for delivery. The only other piece of information concerning GALT that could be supplied was that GALT had informed Mrs. QUINTAL that he was employed by EXPO 67.

5. Mr. QUINTAL was questioned with regard to the lease alleged to be signed by GALT and stated quite emphatically that GALT had signed the lease and if his memory served him correctly an information sheet was attached to this document stating GALT's employment, past employment, past addresses, and two (2) relatives. These documents, according to QUINTAL, should either be in the safe or file cabinet on top of the safe in possession of the present superintendent of the apartment building or in possession of the owner of the building, Mr. H. ROTHMAN, 11 Holthman Road, Amstead, P.Q. No other information pertaining to GALT could be supplied by the QUINTALS at this time.

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6. This date, the aforementioned information was telephoned to Cst. MOUSSEAU, Montreal G.I.S. for their information.

7. Same date, the QUINTALS were once again contacted in an effort to ascertain additional information pertaining to GALT that may have been overlooked by them the previous evening. Mrs. QUINTAL stated that although she was not positively certain of the name of the company which wrote to GALT, she was of the opinion that the letter was from the technical company associated with some blind

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institution. When questioned pertaining to any telephone calls received by GALT the QUINTALS stated that the only phone available to him was a pay phone located in the hallway, and to the best of their knowledge one call only, a local call, was received by GALT. No long distance telephone calls were either received by him or placed by him. At this stage of the proceedings these persons were asked if they could supply a composite sketch of GALT to which they replied in the affirmative.

18 APR 68

8. This date, a further telephone call was received from Cst. MOUSSEAU, Montreal G.I.S. and he requested that the Wanted Flyer No. 442 issued by the F.B.I. dated 17 APR 68 be shown to the QUINTALS for a positive identification. MOUSSEAU also requested that QUINTAL supply the names of the persons occupying apartments 17 and 19; who the lease signed by GALT was turned over to; and who the rent was paid to.

9. Same date, the Wanted Flyer on GALT was shown to the QUINTALS who stated that this definitely was the man in question and there was no physical change in his appearance. The QUINTALS went on to say that an elderly gentleman by the name of Owen TINDALE was presently occupying apartment 19 and had been there for approximately thirteen (13) years. They could not supply the names of the occupants of apartment 17 nor 17A, however, they did state that this information should be in the possession of the present superintendent and janitor, a Mr. RACICOTT. With regard to the lease signed by GALT the QUINTALS once again emphatically confirmed that a lease was signed by GALT and was turned over to the owner of the building, Mr. H. ROTHMAN. The rent for the apartment was also turned over by QUINTAL to Mr. ROTHMAN.

10. The information supplied above was telephoned to S/Sgt. R. PRINCE, H.C.O. i/c G.I.S., Montreal, P.Q. for their information.

11. In view of the fact that this Detachment has no knowledge of the exact extent of the investigation presently being conducted by Montreal G.I.S. no further investigations have been conducted with regard to GALT nor has any of the aforementioned information been supplied to any of the U.S. agencies. May we please be advised if the information at hand should be disseminated to American agencies. In view of the fact that we are now in possession of a Wanted Flyer No. 442 issued on GALT and the QUINTALS have positively identified him as being the occupant of apartment 18 and a composite drawing is no longer required from them.

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12. A copy of this report has been forwarded direct to the H.C.O. 1/c C.I.B. Montreal, P.Q. Extra copies attached hereto.

INSTRUCTIONS AWAITED

Cst.
R.G. Hartlen #20410.

(D.W.T.) S/Sgt.
1/c Detachment.

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W.A. Bamford Cst.
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*1 cc - Sac, Memphis
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PCR: 3 JULY 68

SUB-DIVISION - SOUS-DIVISION

DETACHMENT - DÉTACHEMENT

Montreal CIB-GIS

RE:
OBJET:Dr. Martin Luther KING - Murder of
Assistance to F.B.I.1 - Copy of everything
Sent to Memphis 8/2/68

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Cpl.

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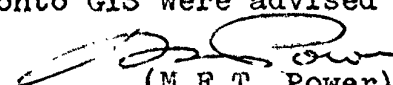
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31-7-68

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100 WELLINGTON STREET,
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FOR TRANSMITTAL TO: DIRECTOR, F.B.I.

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ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE - GENDARMERIE ROYALE DU CANADA

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[Signature] Cst.
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Niagara Falls Detachment.

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Date August 26, 1968

RE:

MURKIN

☒ For information ☐ Retention optional ☐ For appropriate action ☐ Surep, by _____

☐ The enclosed is for your information. If used in a future report, ☐ conceal all sources, ☐ paraphrase contents.

☐ Enclosed are corrected pages from report of SA _____ dated _____

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