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FROM DIRECTOR, FBI

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LABORATORY HAS ANALYSED THE LETTER COMBINATIONS IN THE HARRY LOWMYER NAME ON THE AEROMARINE SUPPLY COMPANY INVOICES IN RELATION TO THE SIGNATURES APPEARING ON FINGERPRINT CARDS OF APPROXIMATELY FIFTYFIVE SUSPECTS. MANY OF THE FINGERPRINT CARD SIGNATURES WERE TOTALLY NOT COMPARABLE AND NO MEANINGFUL COMPARISONS WERE POSSIBLE A FEW SIMILARITIES WERE NOTED BETWEEN THE SIGNATURE OF BOBBY RAY GRAVES. FBI NUMBER FOUR ONE ZERO ONE FIVE ZERO D AND CERTAIN SIMILAR LETTERS IN THE HARRY LOWMYER NAME. TO THE LIMITED NATURE OF THE MATERIAL THE SIGNIFICANCE OF 49 APR 11 1968 THESE FEW SIMILARITIES COULD NOT BE ASSESSED.

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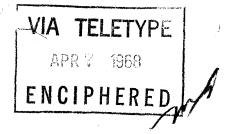
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| E | BROWN HAIR, BLUE EYES. GRAVES IS EXALTED CYCLOPS OF |
| F | KLAN IN BOILING SPRINGS AREA. UNIDENTIFIED LATENTS LOCATED |
| 7 | O DATE ARE NOT IDENTICAL WITH GRAVES'S FINGERPRINTS. |
| | NOTWITHSTANDING DIFFERENCE IN DESCRIPTION AND FACT |
| 7 | THAT GRAVES'S FINGERPRINTS NOT IDENTIFIED WITH LATENTS |
| N | MEMPHIS SHOULD STILL NOT OVERLOOK GRAVES AS A SUSPECT |
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PHOTOGRAPH OF GRAVES AVAILABLE IN FINGERPRINT JACKET

BEING MAILED MEMPHIS WITH COPY OF THIS WIRE.



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5-00 AM URGENT 4-7-68 RM

TO DIRECTOR, ATLANTA, CHICAGO, DETROIT, KANSAS CITY, MEMPHIS.

ST. LOUIS (PLAINTEXT) ATTN. DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE

FROM PHILADELPHIA (157-2574)

MURHIN ASSASSINATION MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

RACIAL MATTERS

SOURCE, RELIABLE, IS TO DEPART PHILA. EIGHT

FLIGHT SIX FOUR THREE UNITED AIRLINES FOR CHICAGO, ARRIVE NINE FIFTY TRANS WORLD AIRMAN

FIVE AM. HE WILL THEN FLY VIA TWA TO KANSAS CITY AND DEPART THERE M ARRIGING MEMPHIS Five PM THIS DATE. AT MEMPHIS

HE WILL MAKE ARRANGEMENTS FOR TRIP TO ATLANTA.

CLIFFORD HYMAN ADVISED SOURCE THAT HE, HYMAN, WOULD TRY TO MAKE ARRANGEMEMENTS FOR WALLACE MUHAMMAD TO MEET SOURCE IN CHICAGO. CLIFFORD INDICATED HE WILL FLY DIRECT TO MEMPHIS THIS DATE. PLACE AND TIME OF DEPARTURE UNKNOWN TO SOURCE.

SOURCE INSTRUCTED TO OBTAIN GUN BY BOTH LAWRENCE HENRY AND CLIFFORD HYMAN WHO HAVE ADVISED SOURCE THEY WILL BE ARMED. SOURCE HAS NOT

OBTAINED WEAPON.

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SOURCE BELIEVES THAT HAROLD HYMAN, BROTHER OF CLIFFORD MAY ALSO

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LAWRENCE HENRY MAY WEAR CLERICAL GARB AS HE HAS DONE AT PAST &
DEMONSTRATIONS. HE IS FREE LANCE PHOTOGRAPHER AND CAN BE EXPECTED TO
CARRY CAMERA. REGARDLESS, OF CLOTHING WORN, SOURCE REPORTED HENRY
DEPARTED FOR DETROIT APRIL SIX LAST. FROM AIRPORT OTHER THAN PHILA.

JR. HAVE DEPARTED CITY FROM AIRPORTS OTHER THAN PHILA. SOURCE REPORTED THESE PERSONS AND OTHERS, IDENTITIES UNKNOWN, DEPARTED FROM NEWARK, NEW JERSEY, NEW YORK CITY AND WILMINGTON, DELAWARE.

ADMINISTRATIVE DATA

REPHTELS ARIL FIVE AND SIXTH LAST.

PHOTOS OF HENRY, ANDREWS, TURNER, AND HYMAN BROTHERS FURNISHED AIRMAIL SPECIAL DELIVERY
ATLANTA AND MEMPHIS AMED THIS DATE.

SOURCE WILL CONTACT MEMPHIS AND ATLANTA OFFICES.

FOR INFO OF BUREAU, PH INDICES REFLECT JOHN BRYANT, JR., HAS BEEN UNITAL STATES POST OF PUE

EMPLOYED USPO, PHILA. SINCE THREE TWELVE FIFTYEIGHT AS MAIL HANDLER.

PH WILL VERIFY BRYANT'S ABSENCE FROM WORK AND RETURN THROUGH POSTAL AUTHORITIES.

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FOLLOWING IS SUMMARY OF INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED APRIL SEVEN INSTANT.

INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED AT HIGHWAY PATROL SUB-STATION,

MEMPHIS, DISCLOSES THAT ARRESTS MADE BY HIGHWAY PATROL CONTAIN

NO IDENTIFYING DATA RE MAKE OF AUTOMOBILE. ARREST RECORDS

REVIEWED BEGINNING MARCH FIFTEEN. APPROXIMATELY ONE HUNDRED

RECORDS REVIEWED. THESE ARE FILED IN ARRESTING OFFICER'S NAME

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BEEN CONTACTED. THEREAFTER, LEADS WILL BE EXTENDED TO SURROUNDING TERRITORIES.

ADDITIONAL NEIGHBORHOOD INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED, MEMPHIS,
HAS CLARIFIED SOME OF POINTS INVOLVING POSSIBLE DEPARTURE ROUTE
AND USE OF MUSTANG BY SUSPECT IN QUESTION. SUSPECT WHO DEPARTED
ROOMING HOUSE AT FOUR TWO TWO AND ONE HALF S. MAIN ST. SHORTLY
AFTER SHOOTING OF DR. KING DID TURN LEFT AND GO SOUTH ON MAIN ST.

CANIPE AMUSEMENT CO., WHICH IS IN BUILDING IMMEDIATELY

ADJACENT TO EXIT FROM ROOMING HOUSE, HAD THREE PERSONS THEREIN

WHEN SUSPECT DROPPED PACKAGE AT ENTRANCE TO CANIPES. ADJACENT TO

CANIPES AMESEMENT CO IS LOT CONTAINING SOME JUNK AND AUTO
MOBILES AND IS PARTIALLY CONCEALED BY LARGE BILLBOARDS. AREA

IMMEDIATELY IN FRONT OF CANIPES AND EXTENDING PART WAY INTO AREA

WITH JUNK CARS ALLOWS ROOM FOR THREE AUTOMOBILES TO BE PARKED

ONE OF THREE PERSONS IN CANIPE'S STORE, YOUNG NEGRO MALE, APPROXIMATELY

TWENTY TWO YRS. OF AGE, IS POSITIVE THAT ONE OF THREE CARS THAT

WERE PARKED IN AREA DESCRIBED ABOVE WAS WHITE MUSTANG. HE IS OF

OPINION THAT MUSTANG PULLED OUT FROM AREA SOUTH OF CANIPE

AMUSEMENT COMPANY AND HEADED NORTH ON MAIN STREET. THIS YOUNG

NEGRO, JULIUS GRAHAM, ENTERED CANIPES STORE APPROXIMATELY

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FIVE THIRTY PM AND IS OF OPINION THAT WHITE MUSTANG WHICH HE SAW GO BY CANIPES AMUSEMENT CO. SHORTLY AFTER SIX PM IS THE SAME MUSTANG WHICH HE SAW PARKED THERE EARLIER.

OTHER CUSTOMER IN STORE, A NEGRO MALE, BURNELL FINLEY, AGE
ABOUT FORTY, A MATURE, APPARENTLY RESPONSIBLE FAMILY MAN, ALSO
OBSERVED THAT ALL PARKING SPACES FILLED AS HE ARRIVED AT CANIPES STORE
AROUND FIVE THIRTY PM BUT DID NOT NOTICE TYPE OR MAKE VEHICLES
THERE. IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING SHOOTING AND AFTER MAN DROPPED
PACKAGE AT CANIPE'S STORE, HE HEARD TIRES SCREECH AND OBSERVED WHAT
HE IDENTIFIES AS A WHITE MUSTANG GO NORTH ON MAIN.

RECORDS, HERTZ RENT-A-CAR, MEMPHIS, REVEAL NO WHITE MUSTANGS OR OTHER COMPACT CRS BEING ASSIGNED TO THE MEMPHIS RENT-A CAR FLEET. RECORDS DID REVEAL THAT A LIGHT GREEN NINETEEN SIXTY EIGHT MUSTANG BEARING NINETEEN SIXTY EIGHT TENN LIC. BY FIVE ZERO ONE SIX WAS TURNED IN AT METRO AIRPORT, MEMPHIS, THREE FIFTEEN PM, APRIL FIVE LAST. SIGNATURE OF INDIVIDUAL TURNING IN THIS VEHICLE ILLEGIBLE, HOWEVER, VEHICLE WAS RENTED UNDER UNIT EIGHT SEVEN SEVEN, RENTAL AGREEMENT NO. THREE NINE FIVE NINE TWO ZERO SEVEN.

KNOXVILLE, TENN. KNOXVILLE HAS BEEN REQUESTED TO CONDUCT INVESTIGATION RE THIS RENTAL.

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HERTZ RECORDS FAILED TO REFLECT ANY WHITE MUSTANGS OR OTHER WHITE COMPACT CARS BEING TURNED IN TO HERTZ RENTAL AT MEMPHIS FROM OTHER HERTZ RENTAL COMPANIES THROUGHOUT U.S. FROM MARCH, NINETEEN SIXTYEIGHT TO DATE.

CHECK AT AVIS RENT A CAR AGENCY, MEMPHIS, REVEALS THAT THIS AGENCY DOES HAVE MUSTANGS IN THEIR FLEET, HOWEVER, RECORDS CONCERNING THESE MUSTANGS NOT AVAILABLE UNTIL AM, APRIL EIGHT NEXT. CHECK WITH THRIFTY RENT-A-CAR, MEMPHIS, AND NATIONAL CAR RENTALS, MEMPHIS, REVEALED THESE AGENCIES DO NOT HAVE MUSTANGS IN THEIR FLEET BUT DO HAVE OTHER COMPACTS. RECORDS NOT AVAILABLE UNTIL AM, APRIL EIGHT.

FOLLOWING REQUEST PREVIOUSLY MADE OF BUREAU IN CONNECTION WITH EVIDENCE SUBMITTED THIS DATE:

MEMPHIS REQUESTED THAT COLOR PHOTOS OF BEDSPREAD IN QUESTION DEFINITION DE FURNISHED MEMPHIS AND BIRMINGHAM FOR USE IN CONDUCTING INVESTIGATION AT VARIOUS MOTELS. ALSO REQUEST THAT BLOW-UP COLOR PHOTOS BE FURNISHED OF VARIOUS PRICE TAGS AND IDENTIFIABLE STICKERS AND OR NUMBERS APPEARING ON ITEMS SUBMITTED.

MEMPHIS THIS DATE REQUESTED JACKSON OFFICE TO EXPLORE BEER CAN SALES IN ITS DIVISION. IT BEING NOTED BEER CANS DID CONTAIN

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MISS. STATE TAX STAMP AND WERE LOCATED IN BROWN PAPER BAG MARKED "HOMESTEAD". MEMPHIS REQUESTED JACKSON TO DETERMINE IF TAX STAMP MIGHT INDICATE POSSIBLE DISTRIBUTOR AND TO EXPLORE POSSIBILITY OF ANY RETAILER BEING SERVED BY DISTRIBUTOR AND HANDLING HOMESTEAD PAPER BAGS.

FOR POSSIBLE CONSIDERATION BY BUREAU IN INSTANT MATTER,
IN PAST EXTENSIVE INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED IN BIRMINGHAM DIVISION

IN MATTER CAPTIONED, "GREENBOMBS." DURING COURSE OF THIS
INVESTIGATION, KLANSMEN AND PEOPLE AFFILIATED WITH VARIOUS HATE
GROUPS WERE IDENTIFIED WITH SPECIFIC IDENTIFICATION RECORDS.
BUREAU WAS REQUESTED AT THAT TIME TO COMPARE LATENTS IN GREENBOMBS
CASE WITH KNOWN FINGERPRINT RECORD OF NUMEROUS INDIVIDUALS
THROUGHOUT AREA AND SOUTHERN STATES.

SUGGEST THAT BUREAU REVIEW COMPLETE LIST OF NAMES FURNISHED IN THAT CASE AND CONSIDER COMPARING FINGERPRINT RECORDS OF PEOPLE MENTIONED IN GREENBOMBS WITH LATENTS IN THIS CASE, IT BEING NOTED THERE IS POSSIBILITY THAT SUSPECTS IN THIS CASE MAY BE RESIDENTS OF BIRMINGHAM.

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MURDER OF MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

Investigation into the murder of Martin Luther King, Jr., is proceeding on a top priority basis and the complete facilities of the FBI are committed to the identification and apprehension of the person or persons responsible.

Additional evidence is being steadily developed and investigation has eliminated a number of suspects. In addition to exploiting all available direct evidence that could lead to the subject, we are also checking a large number of persons considered capable of this crime because of their past activities.

Every logical avenue of investigative approach is being vigorously pursued to resolve this matter as quickly as possible.

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This is the case involving the murder of Martin Luther King, Jr_{\bullet} , $4/4/68_{\bullet}$

Attached for approval is a memorandum to the White House summarizing developments since the last memorandum was prepared for the President on 4/6/68. Copies have been prepared for the Attorney General, the Deputy Attorney General, and the Civil Rights Division. The following details are not included in the attached memorandum.

Among the items recovered near the crime scene were an undershirt and a pair of shorts, each bearing the same printed laundry mark. It has been determined that the mark was made by a Thermo Seal marking machine manufactured by the Textile Machine Company. Headquarters of the manufacturer cannot identify the laundry involved but believes the marking code indicates a laundry in the Northeastern states. All laundries using these marking machines are being contacted.

It is noted that the rifle believed to be the murder weapon was sold by a Birmingham dealer on 3/30/68. It has been determined that the person who purchased this weapon handled other guns in the store and three of these weapons are presently being processed for fingerprints by the Identification Division.

ACTION:

1. Attached for approval is a memorandum for the White House with copies for the Attorney General, the Deputy Attorney General and the Civil Rights Division.

2. All-out investigation is continuing on an expedite basis.

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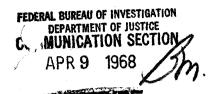
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FROM SAN DIEGO 44-387 4 P

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RE TAMPA TELETYPE TO BUREAU, SAN DIEGO, BIRMINGHAM, AND MEMPHIS, APRIL NINE LAST.

FOR INFO LOS ANGELES AND SALT LAKE CITY, REFERENCED TELETYPE AS FOLLOWS;

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WHICH IDENTIFIED HIM WITH ONE THERAL BURNS LYMAN, WHITE,

MALE, BORN

AT MOAB, UTAH,

FIVE FEET NINE, ONE THREE ZERO POUNDS, BROWN HAIR AND EYES,

ONE OF THE SUBJECTS OF CASE ENTITLED "THERAL BURNS LYMAN,

AKA. - FUGITIVE; DAVID JOSEPH JIRON, UFAP - FORGERY, ITSMV;

ITSP; SSA, NINETEEN FORTWEIGHT, SAN DIEGO OFFICE OF ORIGIN.

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LYMAN AND CONDUCT APPROPRIATE INVESTIGATION IN EFFORT TO
DETERMINE IF HE SHOULD BE CONSIDERED A SUSPECT IN INSTANT CASE.

RECORDS, SAN DIEGO POLICE DEPARTMENT, REFLECT SUBJECT
SENTENCED OCTOBER EIGHT, NINETEEN SIXTYFOUR, ON FORGERY
CHARGES AND ON OCTOBER NINETEEN NINETEEN SIXTYFOUR, WAS
CONFINED AT CHINO STATE PRISON, CHINO, CALIFORNIA, AND ON
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FROM PAROLE.

REVIEW OF SAN DIEGO FILE REFLECTS FOLLOWING BACKGROUND INFORMATION RE LYMAN: ,

NAME THERAL BURNS LYMAN, WMA, BORN

MOAB, UTAH, ONE THREE FIVE POUNDS,
BROWN HAIR, BROWN EYES, RUDDY COMPLEXION, TATTOO OF FLOWER
ON HIS CHEST, OCCUPATION BARTENDER, THREE TRIMMER, CARD
DEALER, SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER

PARENTS ROBERT LYMAN, FATHER,

ONE FOUR SEVEN OR ONE FOUR NINE EIGHTH STREET EAST, SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH. ARLENE LYMAN, MOTHER, BLACKFOOT, IDAHO, MILITARY SERVICE, U.S. AIR FORCE ONE NINE FOUR FIVE DASH ONE NINE FIVE FIVE, SERIAL NUMBER ONE NINE FIVE ONE SEVEN SIX FOUR FIVE, WIFE MARY EAGLAN LYMAN, LAST KNOWN ADDRESS SEVEN ONE FOUR AND A HALF GROVE STREET, ST. PETERSBURG, FLORIDA, FBI NUMBER NINE ZERO EIGHT ONE THREE ZERO E.

LOS ANGELES REQUESTED TO REVIEW FILES RE LYMAN AT CHINO STATE PENITENTIARY AND SET FORTH LEADS TO LOCATE LYMAN TO DETERMINE IF HE IS IDENTICAL TO UNKNOWN SUBJECT THIS CASE. END PAGE THREE

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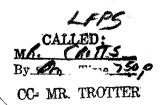
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CHECK MARYLAND STATE POLICE RECORDS REFLECT CLARENCE B MITCHELL, FIVE FIVE TWO THREE OXON HILL ROAD, OXON HILL, MARYLAND, DESCRIBED AS WHITE MALE, FIVE FEET, ONE SEVEN ZERO POUNDS. DOB

OCCUPATION IN FORTY-SIX AS BOILER FIREMAN FOR U.S. ON SEPTEMBER FOUR. SIXTY-FOUR. MITCHELL PURCHASED BER GELESI WITH TWO ONE-HALF INCH BARREL, SERIAL NUMBER ONE THE SIX ONE THREE THREE, BALTIMORE INDICES NEGATIVE.

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ON APRIL EIGHT LAST, WANDA STELLA MITCHELL WAS CONTACTED AND MADE ARRANGEMENTS FOR CLARENCE BENJAMIN MITCHELL TO MEET AGENTS AT OSI HEADQUARTERS, ANDREWS AIR FORCE BASE, SUITLAND, MARYLAND WHERE HE WAS EMPLOYED. MITCHELL STATED THAT ON APRIL FOUR LAST HE WAS WITH HIS WIFE AND CHILDREN AT THEIR PRESENT HOME, THREE THREE FOUR EIGHT CURTIS DRIVE, APT.

ONE ZERO ONE, SUITLAND, MARYLAND. MITCHELL STATED HE LEFT WDC FOR HIS HOME IN RIPLEY, TENNESSEE NEAR MEMPHIS AT APPROXIMATELY NINE P.M. ON APRIL FOUR LAST.

WANDA STELLA MITCHELL CONTACTED AND VERIFIED THAT HER HUSBAND WAS AT HOME UNTIL LATE EVENING OF APRIL FOUR LAST.

ALLEN E. AUSTIN, SUITLAND LOAN OFFICE, SUITLAND, MARYLAND, IDENTIFED MITCHELL AS AN INDIVIDUAL WHO PAWNED A GUITAR AND AMPLIPHIER AFTER TWO P.M. ON APRIL FOUR LAST.

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7:00 PM URGENT 4-9-68 PMS
TO DIRECTOR (44-38861) AND MEMPHIS (44-1987)
FROM CHICAGO (44-1114)



RE BUREAU TEL TO ALL CONTINENTAL OFFICES AND CHICAGO TEL TO DIRECTOR, ET AL, BOTH APRIL EIGHT LAST.

ME HARVEY LOWMEYER OR LOWMYER, THE FOLLOWING CONTACTS
MADE WITHOUT OBTAINING ANY ADDITIONAL INFO RE CAPTIONED
SUSPECT:

TELEPHONE NUMBERS ILLINOIS BELL TELEPHONE, CHICAGO, AME PHONE DIRECTORIES IN TERRITORY, ALL RECORDS CHICAGO CRIME COMMISSION, AND ALL RECORDS ILLINOIS BOARD OF PAROLE. CHICAGO.

ALL BOMBING SUSPECTS APPROPRIENTED.

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