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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

FROM: SAC, KANSAS CITY (66-760)

MURKIN.

Re Kansas City daily summary 6/4/68.

Enclosed to Bureau and each office is one photograph of PAUL OSBORN BRIDGEMAN, Kansas City, Missouri, Police Department #104182, for use in investigation requested in referenced daily summary.

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RE: MURKIN

1 Enclosure to Bureau - photograph PAUL OSBORN BRIDGEMAN

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Paul Osborn Bridgeman

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1 - Mr. Hudson

To: SAC, Memphis (44-1897)

From: Director, FBI (44-38861)

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Re suspects W. Davis, B. Chidlow, Vincent Walker, and Lawrence Rand.

Reference is also made to your teletype 4-5-68 setting forth information furnished by J. W. Farris, driver, Yellow Cab Company, Memphis, Tennessee, who reportedly had taken Vincent Walker and Lawrence Rand to the Municipal Airport after they had checked out of the William Len Hotel, Memphis. Bureau files indicate investigation conducted by Kansas City, San Francisco, and Houston regarding the identities of the above named individuals was negative. No information is located in Bureau files regarding what action your office has taken.

If not already handled, you should exhibit photographs of Ray to J. W. Farris and personnel at the William Len Hotel. You should attempt to obtain registration cards and/or any other identifying data which would disclose handwriting and/or possible latent fingerprints of Vincent Walker and Lawrence Rand. Determine whether or not Walker and Rand made or received any telephone calls while registered at the hotel and if so attempt to determine whom they may have contacted or by whom they were contacted. Recontact personnel at Delta Airlines, Memphis, and personnel at the Municipal Airport in an effort to further identify W. Davis and B. Chidlow and conduct necessary investigation to determine whether or not Davis or Chidlow are identical with Walker and Rand.

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If above action has not been taken, this matter should be given expeditious attention so that the activities and the identities of the above named may be definitely established.

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232PM URGENT 5-24-68 JDG

TO: DIRECTOR, MEMPHIS AND KANSAS CITY

FROM: ST. LOUIS (44-775)

MURKIN.

RE KC TEL, MAY TWENTYTHIRD, LAST, REQUESTING JAMES L. OWENS REINTERVIEW TO DETERMINE PUBLICATIONS HABITUALLY READ BY SUBJECT, IN CONTEMPLATION OF PLACING AD.

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FROM: ST. LOUIS (44-115)

TO: DIRECTOR, MEMPHIS AND KANSAS CITY

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TO DIRECTOR

FROM MEMPHIS (44-1987)

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RE BUREAU TELETYPE, SEVEN FORTY SEVEN PM TODAY AND SAN FRANCISCO TELETYPE TO BUREAU, FIVE ZERO ONE PM TODAY, BOTH REGARDING HARVEY EDWARD LOHMYER.

PHOTO OF LOHMYER NOT YET RECEIVED AT MEMPHIS OFFICE. IF FURTHER EVIDENCE REQUIRED TO ELIMINATE LOHMYER, SUGGEST BUREAU ELIMINATE HIM THROUGH FINGERPRINTS, HIS FBI NO. SEVEN THREE ZERO NINE SEVEN NINE A P. Eliminate by Bombrake

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RE UROM 5/15/68

TWO INDIVIDUALS IN LATE APRIL OBSERVED INDIVIDUAL RESEMBLING SUBJECT AT RESTAURANT. NAMED NOT SEEN SINCE. NO ONE USING SUBJECT NAME OR ALIASES ENTERED OR DEPARTED CURACAO DURING PERTINENT PERIOD. OM FOLLOWS.
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FBI LOUISVLE

829 PM URGENT 6-1-68 JBR

TO DIRECTOR (44-38861), BUTTE, DENVER, DETROIT AND PITTSBURGH

FROM LOUISVILLE (44-947)

OMURKIN.

RE BUTTE TELEPHONE CALL TO LOUISVILLE MAY THIRTYONE LAST.

FOR INFORMATION OF OTHER OFFICES REFERENCED BUTTE PHONE CALL ADVISED AS FOLLOWS:

ON MAY THIRTYONE LAST, PHOTO OF JAMES EARL RAY SHOWN TO LOCAL SALVATION ARMY, BUTTE, AT WHICH TIME OFFICIALS THERE CHOSE FROM THEIR REGISTER THE FOLLOWING THREE INDIVIDUALS AS CLOSELY RESEMBLING THE PHOTO OF RAY*

HARRY CONNORS, SOCIAL SECURITY NO. [redacted] BORN GLADSCOW, MONTEY, MEXICO; FERBER OLSEN, SOCIAL SECURITY NO. [redacted] BORN MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.; WILLIAM MOLLETT, SOCIAL SECURITY NO. [redacted] BORN VAN LEAR, KY., FIVE FT. SIX, ONE HUNDRED FORTY LBS., BLUE EYES, GRAY HAIR; PARENTS - JOHN B. AND SARAH MOLLETT (DECEASED).

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NEAREST OF KIN, MAY SPEAR, MELVIN, KY. (SISTER); OCCUPATION COAL MINER; LAST PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT, LOGAN, UTAH. HE, MOLLETT, HAS PERFORMED HIS MILITARY OBLIGATION AND RECEIVED AN HONORABLE DISCHARGE.

ACCORDING TO OFFICIALS AT SALVATION ARMY, BUTTE, ABOVE THREE SUBJECTS WERE ALL TOGETHER DRIVING A SIXTYONE - SIXTYTWO (NOT FURTHER DESCRIBED) STATION WAGON. OFFICIALS OVERHEARD CONVERSATION AMONG THREE TO EFFECT THEY WERE TRAVELING TO SPOKANE, WASHINGTON. THEY REGISTERED NIGHT OF MAY THIRTY LAST AND CHECKED OUT MORNING OF MAY THIRTYONE LAST.

ON JUNE ONE INSTANT, JACK MOLLETT, WEEKSBURY, KY., BROTHER OF WILLIAM MOLLETT, ADVISED HE HAS NOT SEEN HIS BROTHER WILLIAM IN OVER TWO YEARS. MOLLETT ADVISED HE THOUGHT HIS BROTHER HAD BEEN KILLED IN WAYNE COUNTY, W.VA. OVER A YEAR AGO. MOLLETT STATED A SKELETON WHICH STRONGLY RESEMBLED HIS BROTHER WAS FOUND. MOLLETT STATED THE SKELETON WHICH HAD STEEL PLATE IN THE SKULL AND NO TEETH WAS FOUND WRAPPED IN ARMY BLANKET IN WOODS IN WAYNE COUNTY. MOLLETT STATED AUTHORITIES HAVE NEVER OFFICIALLY NOTIFIED HIM BUT HE BELIEVES BODY IS NOW IN CHARLESTON, W. VA.

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MOLLETT ADVISED, HOWEVER, HE RECEIVED PHONE CALL FROM HIS BROTHER IN FEB. SIXTYEIGHT AND AT THIS TIME HIS BROTHER ADVISED HIM HE WAS IN DENVER, COLORADO AND WAS DOING FINE. MOLLETT STATED ON APR. FIVE LAST HE RECEIVED A COLLECT CALL FROM HIS BROTHER IN DENVER. THE PHONE NUMBER THE CALL ORIGINATED FROM WAS SIX TWO THREE - FOUR FOUR SIX ONE, AND MOLLETT ADVISED IT SOUNDED LIKE IT CAME FROM A BAR BECAUSE OF BACKGROUND NOISES. MOLLETT STATED HIS BROTHER ADVISED HIM AT THIS TIME TO CONTACT ALL THE FAMILY IN DETROIT AND TELL THEM TO BE READY TO MOVE OUT BECAUSE THE "NIGGERS IN DETROIT ARE GOING TO CAUSE A LOT OF TROUBLE OVER THE DEATH OF THAT NIGGER, MARTIN LUTHER."

MOLLETT STATED HIS BROTHER SOUNDED DRUNK AND WENT ON TO SAY HE HAD GOT HIS TEETH FIXED AND HAD GAINED SOME WEIGHT. MOLLETT WAS ADVISED BY WILLIAM THAT HE NOW HAD A GOOD JOB, IN DENVER, AND EVERYTHING WAS FINE. MOLLETT STATED HE HAS NOT HEARD FROM HIS BROTHER SINCE THAT TIME. MOLLETT ADVISED WILLIAM WAS ON HIS WAY TO VA HOSPITAL IN HUNTINGTON, W. VA. APPROXIMATELY TWO YEARS AGO WHEN HE DISAPPEARED. MOLLETT STATED HE HAD NOT HEARD ANYTHING FROM HIS BROTHER UNTIL HE RECEIVED PHONECALL IN FEB. FROM DENVER. MOLLETT FURNISHED FOLLOWING BACKGROUND ON HIS BROTHER:

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WILLIAM M. MOLLETT, AKA BILLY MULLETT, DOB [redacted] BLUE EYES, GRAY HAIR, FIVE FT. SIX, ONE FIFTY LBS., STOCKY BUILD, HAS STEEL PLATE IN HEAD, NO TEETH, POSSIBLY WEARING DENTAL PLATES NOW; FORMERLY EMPLOYED KY. STATE PRISON, LAGRANGE, KY.; BROTHERS BEN MOLLETT, WEEKSBURG, KY., ED MOLLETT, GARFIELD ST., LINCOLN PARK, MICH.; ELIAS MOLLETT, PERRON ST., RIVER ROUGE, MICH.; SISTERS: MRS. VERNIE ENGLISH, ONE SEVEN ONE FOUR ROSE ST., LINCOLN PARK, MICH.; MAY MULLINS, WEEKSBURY, KY. SERVED U.S. ARMY WW II; DRINKS QUITE HEAVILY AND IS MEAN WHEN DRUNK. ASSOCIATES WITH UNDESIRABLE INDIVIDUALS WHEN DRUNK. MOLLETT ADVISED HIS BROTHER DOES NOT DRIVE A VEHICLE AND HAS NEVER OWNED A CAR THAT HE KNOWS OF.

BEN MOLLETT AND MAY MULLINS INTERVIEWED JUNE ONE INSTANT, WEEKSBURY, KY. AND THEY COULD FURNISH NO ADDITIONAL INFORMATION RE PRESENT WHEREABOUTS OR ACTIVITIES OF THEIR BROTHER.

DETROIT, CONTACT RELATIVES OF WILLIAM MOLLETT AT RIVER ROUGE AND LINCOLN PARK FOR BACKGROUND AND PRESENT WHEREABOUTS OF MOLLETT.

DENVER, DETERMINE SUBSCRIBER OF PHONE NUMBER SIX TWO THREE - FOUR FOUR SIX ONE AND DETERMINE IF MOLLETT PRESENTLY EMPLOYED IN DENVER AREA. ALSO DISPLAY PHOTO OF SUBJECT RAY TO PEOPLE RESIDING AT ABOVE PHONE NUMBER.

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PITTSBURGH, AT VA HOSPITAL, HUNTINGTON, W. VA., OBTAIN BACKGROUND ON MOLLETT.

AT CHARLESTON, DETERMINE IF BODY FOUND IN WAYNE COUNTY W. VA. OVER A YEAR AGO HAS BEEN IDENTIFIED.

LOUISVILLE AT KENTUCKY STATE PRISON, LAGRANGE, CHECK EMPLOYMENT RECORDS FOR BACKGROUND ON MOLLETT.

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TO : Mr. Rosen

DATE: June 2, 1968

FROM : C. L. McGowan

SUBJECT: MURKIN

1 - Mr. Rosen
1 - Mr. Malley
1 - Mr. McGowan
1 - Mr. Long
1 - Mr. McDonough
1 - Mr. Martindale
1 - Mr. Gordon

This is the case involving the murder of Martin Luther King, Jr.

At 9:30 p. m., 6/1/68, Moss Innes, Legal Attache, Ottawa, Canada, telephonically advised that the Roayl Canadian Mounted Police (RCMP) are conducting a survey of Canadian passports in an attempt to locate James Earl Ray. RCMP investigators have located Canadian passport number DJ909324 for one Ramon George Sneyd issued 4/24/68, at Ottawa. This passport contains a photograph of Sneyd which RCMP advises is very definitely similar to Ray and there is good probability it is a photograph of Ray.

Sneyd's application for passport was filed on his behalf by the Kennedy Travel Bureau, 962 Dundad Street West, Toronto, and was handled by Miss L. Spencer who RCMP is attempting to locate for interview. Sneyd filed an affidavit in lieu of listing a guarantor that he had only been in Toronto three weeks and did not know a guarantor. Passport data listed Sneyd as white male, born [redacted], at Toronto, five feet ten inches in height, 168 pounds in weight, black hair, blue eyes, residence 968 Dundad Street, Toronto (RCMP established this to be a Chinese rooming house where Sneyd arrived 4/19/68, and roomed for three weeks). He also listed as a friend Paul Bridgman, 102 (or 108) Ossington Street, Toronto (RCMP has been unable to locate Bridgman to date).

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The purpose for the Canadian passport was for Sneyd to fly to London, England, 5/6/68, via British Overseas Airlines Company (BOAC) and return to Canada 5/21/68. RCMP as yet has no information as to what BOAC flight Sneyd may have taken to London and there is no indication he has returned to Canada.

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Memorandum to Mr. DeLoach
RE: MURKIN

RCMP has instructed their personnel to go all out to further identify and locate Sneyd. The handwriting on the application is being examined by the RCMP and will be forwarded to FBI Laboratory by the Legal Attache, Ottawa, along with a photograph of Sneyd.

Based on name checks and data furnished, there is no identifiable record of Sneyd in Bureau Indices, Bureau Fugitive Indices, National Crime Information Center or Identification Division files.

The Identification Division has a record on one Paul Osborn Bridgeman, FBI number 352 520 C, who was last fingerprinted by Department of Correction, Jefferson City, Missouri, on 4-23-65, on a robbery charge. Bridgeman received a five-year sentence which was commuted on 1-16-68.

ACTION: The Legal Attache, London, has been instructed to have investigation conducted through his sources to attempt to identify and locate Sneyd in London and to determine through BOAC if Sneyd did arrive in London and his movements subsequent to arrival.

We are affording this case top priority attention.

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FBI DENVER

12:09 PM MDT URGENT 6-2-68 FCD

TO: DIRECTOR (44-38861), LOUISVILLE, BUTTE, DETROIT, AND PITTSBURGH

FROM: DENVER (157-203) 2P

MURKIN.

RE LOUISVILLE TEL JUNE ONE, LAST.

TELEPHONE NUMBER SIX TWO THREE DASH FOUR FOUR SIX ONE LISTED TO ETHEL T. GEORGE, ONE NINE TWO TWO GRANT ST., DENVER, COLO. ONE NINE TWO TWO GRANT IS ADDRESS OF GRANT HOTEL.

ON THIS DATE GEORGE ADVISED SHE IS ASSISTANT MANAGER OF GRANT HOTEL AND RESIDES IN ROOM TWO. SHE HAS PRIVATE PHONE LISTED ABOVE AND ONLY OTHER TELEPHONE IS LISTED TO GRANT HOTEL.

WILLIAM MOLLETT STAYED IN ROOM TWENTY FOUR BY HIMSELF FOR TWO MONTHS AND MOVED OUT APPROXIMATELY SIX WEEKS AGO TO HERD SHEEP BELIVED TO BE SOMEWHERE IN MONTANA. EMPLOYMENT IN DENVER UNKNOWN.

GEORGE ADVISED MOLLETT USED TELEPHONE TO CALL BROTHER OR SISTER IN KENTUCKY. SHE EXHIBITED TELEPHONE BILL SHOWING CALL MADE TO MELVIN, KENTUCKY, TELEPHONE NUMBER SIX ZERO SIX DASH NINE THREE EIGHT DASH TWO FOUR SIX EIGHT, ON APRIL FIVE, LAST. THE BILL WAS ONE DOLLAR THIRTY FIVE CENTS WHICH MOLLETT PAID GEORGE IN CASH.

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FROM: DENVER (151-503) 5P

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TO: DIRECTOR (AA-2888)), LOUISVILLE, BUTTE, DETROIT, AND

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GEORGE RECALLS CONVERSATION WAS ABOUT RELATIVES AND THAT SOME RELATIVE HAD DIED.

THIS WAS ONLY TIME MOLLETT USED TELEPHONE.

GEORGE DESCRIBED MOLLETT AS FIVE FEET FIVE INCHES, SLIM BUILD, GRAY HAIR, APPROXIMATELY FIFTYFIVE YEARS OLD. PHOTO OF JAMES EARL RAY SHOWN AND GEORGE ADVISED MOLLETT IS DEFINITELY NOT RAY.

TEL FURNISHED LOUISVILLE, BUTTE, DETROIT AND PITTSBURGH IN VIEW OF THEIR INVESTIGATION.

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RELSTEL JUNE ONE LAST AND PGTEL JUNE TWO LAST.

RELSTEL INDICATES THAT LOCAL SALVATION ARMY AT BUTTE SELECTED HARRY CONNERS, WILLIAM MOLLETT AND FERBER OLSEN AS CLOSELY RESEMBLING PHOTO OF RAY. INVESTIGATION INDICATES WILLIAM MADISON MOLLETT IS FIFTY-SIX YEARS OLD AND DOES NOT ANSWER PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION OF RAY. UNLESS ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AVAILABLE WHICH WOULD INDICATE MOLLETT IS IDENTIFIABLE WITH RAY, NO FURTHER ACTION SHOULD BE TAKEN TO LOCATE HIM.

REPGTEL INDICATES INVESTIGATION CONCERNING UNIDENTIFIED BODY FOUND IN WAYNE COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA, IS CONTINUING. LSTEL INDICATED THAT PERSON DIED OVER A YEAR AGO, AND THERE APPEARS TO BE NO REASON TO CONTINUE THAT PHASE OF THE INVESTIGATION.

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AND PITTSBURGH
RE: MURKIN

BUREAU NOT AWARE OF ANY LEADS SET OUT TO IDENTIFY FERBER OLSEN OR HARRY CONNERS. BUTTE, ADVISE BY RETURN TEL WHAT ACTION CONTEMPLATED REGARDING THOSE TWO, IT BEING NOTED THAT PERSONNEL AT SALVATION ARMY, BUTTE, CONSIDER ALL THREE AS CLOSELY RESEMBLING RAY.

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TO DIRECTOR 44-38861, BUTTE, DENVER, DETROIT AND LOUISVILLE
FROM PITTSBURGH 44-576

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RE LOUISVILLE TEL JUNE ONE, LAST.

LLOYD HAMBLIN, VARO, HUNTINGTON, W.VA., FURNISHED FOLLOWING INFORMATION FROM RECORDS TODAY:

WILLIAM MADISON MOLLETT LAST ADMITTED TO HOSPITAL FOUR EIGHTEEN, 'FIFTYSIX FOR PHYSICAL EXAMINATION AND DIAGNOSIS REVEALED MILD HYPERTENSION, RESIDUALS OLD FRACTURES - SKULL AND NOSE, PERIAPICAL DENTAL INFECTION, AND TEETH EXTRACTED.

RECORDS REFLECT MOLLETT SUBSEQUENTLY REQUESTED DENTAL TREATMENT, WAS GIVEN APPOINTMENTS WHICH WERE NOT KEPT BY HIM. HE CORRESPONDED WITH PRESIDENT JOHNSON RE DENTAL PROBLEM AND WAS AFFORDED TREATMENT VA HOSPITAL SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH WHERE HE WAS FURNISHED FULL UPPER AND LOWER DENTURES ON FEB. FOURTEEN, 'SIXTYSIX. HAMBLIN ADVISED

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LLOYD HAMBLIN, AVRO, HUNTINGTON, W.VA., FURNISHED FOLLOW-

RE LOUISVILLE TEL JUNE ONE, LAST.

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FROM PITTSBURGH AA-SIR

TO DIRECTOR AA-28881, BUTTE, DENVER, DETROIT AND LOUISVILLE

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MOLLETT HAS FILE AT VARO, LOUISVILLE, KY. VA HUNTINGTON RECEIVED INFO FROM VARO, LOUISVILLE THAT AS OF MAR. TWELVE, 'FIFTYSIX, MOLLETT WAS A SCHIZOPHRENIA, PARANOID TYPE. MOLLETT BORN [redacted] TWELVE AT VAN LEAR, KY., COAL MINER, MILITARY SERVICE NOV. TEN 'FORTYFOUR TO NOV. THIRTY, 'FORTYSIX, HONORABLE DISCHARGE, ARMY SN THREE FIVE SEVEN EIGHT FIVE FOUR FOUR SEVEN, SSN [redacted] VA CLAIM NO. C ONE SIX ZERO SEVEN ZERO THREE SIX, DEPRESSION LEFT TEMPLE, FATHER JOHN B MOLLETT, MOTHER SARAH MOLLETT, BOONS CAMP, KY., PERMANENT ADDRESS - WEEKSBURY, KY., ADDRESS OF JAN. 'SIXTYSIX, TWENTYTWO EAST SECOND ST., SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH.

INVESTIGATION RE UNIDENTIFIED BODY FOUND WAYNE COUNTY, W.VA., CONTINUING.

LOUISVILLE REVIEW VARO RECORDS FOR ANY RECENT INFO RE MOLLETT'S WHEREABOUTS.

MAIL COPY TO MEMPHIS.

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INVESTIGATION RE UNIDENTIFIED BODY FOUND AVAYNE COUNTY,

TWENTYTWO EAST SECOND ST., SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH.

ADDRESS - WEEKSBURY, KY., ADDRESS OF WAN, .SIXTYSIX,

MOLLETT, MOTHER SARAH MOLLETT, BOONS CAMP, KY., PERMANENT

ZERO THREE SIX, DEPRESSION FELT TEMPLE, FATHER JOHN B

ONE-SIX THREE FIVE NINE, AV CLAIM NO. C [redacted]

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RECEIVED INFO FROM AVRO, LOUISVILLE THAT AS OF MAR. TWELVE,

MOLLETT WAS LIVE AT AVRO, LOUISVILLE, KY. AV WHITINGTON

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TO : Mr. D. J. Brennan, Jr.

DATE: 6/3/68

FROM : N. F. Stames

SUBJECT: MURKIN

Reference is made to memorandum A. Rosen to Mr. DeLoach dated 5/22/68.

This case involves the murder of Martin Luther King, Jr.

Liaison was requested to contact the Chief Postal Inspector without identifying the case involved and obtain his clearance to publish an advertisement designed to solicit a reply from a particular fugitive.

On 5/27/68 this matter was discussed with Mr. Henry B. Montague, Chief Postal Inspector, U.S. Post Office, Washington, D.C., who advised as follows:

Montague stated that the subject of hypnosis is most controversial, particularly among the medical profession, and his Department has several pending false representation cases where claims regarding hypnosis were too grandiose in offering positive results.

Montague, after reviewing the sample advertisement as set forth in referenced memorandum, stated that as presently written, it would probably bring strong complaints from the medical profession as well as Better Business Bureaus. He suggested that the word "positive" be eliminated and the sentence "Results guaranteed or your money back" be replaced by "Money back if not completely satisfied." He stated these minor changes would make the advertisement inoffensive since no positive claims would be made and the Post Office would then be in a position to so advise anyone who lodged a complaint. Montague stated the advertisement, with the above-mentioned changes, would not violate postal laws and could be used by the Bureau in an effort to obtain the desired results.

1 - Mr. McGowan
(Attn.: McDonough)
1 - Liaison
1 - N. F. Stames

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RE: MURKIN

Montague stated that when final arrangements were made to run the advertisement, he should be advised of the address where inquiries would be received. He explained that if any inquiries or complaints were made in the field to Postal Inspectors, they would submit this information to the Inspector in Charge of the District where the addressee is located. Montague could then insure that all inquiries concerning this particular advertisement would not receive any investigative attention by his Department.

ACTION:

For information of the General Investigative Division, Civil Rights Section.

In light of Canadian developments as of 6/5/68, this matter held in abeyance. EPM

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222PM URGENT 6-3-68 SMS

TO DIRECTOR, ATLANTA, BIRMINGHAM & MEMPHIS

FROM LOS ANGELES (44-1574)

MURKIN.

RE LATEL MAY THIRTY-ONE LAST.

RE JAMES PAUL THORNTON.

JOHN HARTLEY ORTMAN, FOUR SIX FOUR TWO BRIARHILL DRIVE, YORBA LINDA, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED THIS DATE RECALLS THORNTON AS VOLUNTEER WORKER AT ANAHEIM, CALIFORNIA, HEADQUARTERS, GEORGE WALLACE CAMPAIGN. ADVISED THORNTON A LONER AND DOES NOT KNOW ANY OF HIS ASSOCIATES. ORTMAN UNABLE IDENTIFY PHOTOGRAPH OF JAMES EARL RAY.

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FROM LOS ANGELES (44-1574)

TO DIRECTOR, ATLANTA, BIRMINGHAM & MEMPHIS

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RE JERRY RAYNES. REINTERVIEWED. HAD NO ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ABOUT SUBJECT OR WHEREABOUTS. BELIEVES SUBJECT PROBABLY DEAD OR HE WOULD HAVE BEEN FOUND BY NOW. DOES NOT THINK SUBJECT WOULD EVER CONTACT HIM, BUT MIGHT CONTACT CAROL PEPPER OR JOHN OR HERRY RAY.

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TO DIRECTOR AND MEMPHIS
FROM ATLANTA 44-2386

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SUMMARY OF INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED JUNE THREE INSTANT.

REVIEW OF APPROPRIATE RECORDS REFLECT NO WITHDRAWAL FROM ANY BANK IN ATLANTA METROPOLITAN AREA IN EXCESS OF TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS DURING MONTH OF APRIL NINETEEN SIXTYEIGHT.

JIMMIE D. GARNER, ONE ZERO SEVEN FOURTEENTH ST., NE, ATLANTA, REINTERVIEWED AND HAS OBTAINED NO ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CONCERNING SUBJECT. GARNER STATED THAT TO HIS KNOWLEDGE SUBJECT DID NOT HAVE TYPEWRITER AND DEFINITELY DID NOT LEAVE A TYPEWRITER AT THE ROOMING HOUSE AT ONE ONE THREE FOURTEENTH STREET WHEN HE LEFT THE ROOMING HOUSE.

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MISS ROBBIE LEE GARNER, SISTER OF JIMMIE D. GARNER, REINTERVIEWED AND STATED THAT NO TYPEWRITER

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TO DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

FROM SPRINGFIELD (44-561) -P-

MURKIN, CR.

RE SPRINGFIELD TELETYPE TO BUREAU MAY THIRTY ONE, LAST,

RESIDENCES TWELVE HUNDRED BLOCK FOURTH STREET, ALTON, ILLINOIS, CANVASSED; PHOTOGRAPHS OF JAMES EARL RAY AND ASSOCIATED DISPLAYED WITHOUT EFFECTING IDENTIFICATION. INFORMANTS ALTON RA RECONTACTED AND CAN PROVIDE NO INFORMATION INDICATING RAY IN ALTON, JULY, NINETEEN SIXTY SEVEN. INFORMANT INSTRUCTED INITIATE DISCREET INQUIRY IN THIS REGARD. SUSPECTS JOHN MC CLINTOCK AND WILLIE LEE CONTACTED; STATE THEY HAVE NO KNOWLEDGE OF RAY AND DENY AND CONTACT BY HIM.

AIRMAIL COPY SENT ST. LOUIS, CHICAGO MEMPHIS FOR INFORMATION.

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RCB/SS RE: MK. King, Jr.
FOR REVIEW AT FBIHQ AND/OR DELIVERY
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FROM SPRINGFIELD (44-151) -9-

TO DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

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Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

FROM: SAC, EL PASO (157-186) (P)

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Re SA airtel to the Director, dated 5/21/68.

RE TELEPHONE CALLS BY SUBJECT RAY EN ROUTE FROM LOS ANGELES TO NEW ORLEANS.

Page 2 of referenced airtel sets out leads for the El Paso Office at El Paso, Guadalupe Peak, and Alpine, all Texas, regarding telephone calls received by individuals in those communities.

The telephone calls to El Paso and Alpine were checked out and it was determined that the persons receiving these telephone calls were not acquainted with JAMES EARL RAY and had never been in contact with him, according to their own statements.

It was determined that the telephone number at Guadalupe Peak, namely 915-828-1819, was a non-existent or incorrect number.

On 5/31/68, an FTS telephone call was made to the San Antonio Office, at which time SAC J. MYERS COLE was requested to have the telephone company records rechecked in an effort to ascertain the correct telephone number at Guadalupe Peak, Texas.

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1 - El Paso

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