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Date: 4/17/68

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Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL  
(Priority)

**TO: SAC, MEMPHIS (44-1987)**

**FROM: SAC, MOBILE (157-2627) (P)**

**SUBJECT: MURKIN**

On 4/16/68, JAMES POWELL, 3533 S. Georgetown, Montgomery, Alabama, advised SA GERALD O. GRAYBILL that the following items were found AM, 4/16/68, on the side of the Bell Road, Montgomery, approximately 1/2 mile from the intersection of Highway 80 East:

1. A map of the City of Memphis, Tennessee, which indicates that the map was distributed by the National Bank of Commerce, Memphis.
2. Holiday Inn Passport, 2/1/67 - 5/31/67, which is a directory of Holiday Inns throughout the U. S.
3. Eastern Travel Guide, a booklet listing Eastern and Western motels throughout the U. S.

He picked up these items and wanted to turn them over to the FBI as they might have some connection with captioned case.

Item #1 has a penciled circle, approximately 1 1/2" in diameter, around a residential section, approximate center of which would be intersection of Scenic and Highland Roads, which appears to be about seven miles from center of city. Several numbers with alphabetical prefixes, possibly telephone numbers are written on back of map.

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2-Memphis (Enc. 3) (RM)  
2-Mobile

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Approved: WMA  
Special Agent in Charge

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Item #3 has another number, possibly telephone written on it.

These items bear no evidence of rain damage, although the Montgomery area had a heavy rainfall throughout 4/14/68.

These items are enclosed herewith for the Memphis Division in order that a determination can be made as to whether they are pertinent to captioned case. If of no use, they can be destroyed.

DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

4/17/68

SAC, NEW YORK (44-1609)

MURKIN  
CR  
(OO: MEMPHIS)

Enclosed for Memphis is a copy of New York letter to Bureau, dated 4/12/68, which states that three (3) rolls of film taken by Columbia Broadcasting System (CBS), Staff Cameraman REGGIE SMITH at Spelman College of the funeral of Dr. MARTIN LUTHER KING were obtained from ROBERT ROCKS of CBS and forwarded to the Bureau.

On 4/16/68, the film was returned to ROCKS and a receipt obtained.

ROCKS stated that the film was loaned to the FBI to be reproduced but not to be made available to CBS competition or other news media and that if the film is needed for court then a subpoena duces tecum would have to be issued.

The film was duplicated and copies kept at the Bureau.

2 - Bureau  
② - Memphis (44-1987) (Encl 1)  
1 - New York

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DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

4/12/68

SAC, NEW YORK (44-1609)

MURKIN  
CR  
(OO: Memphis)

Enclosed herewith are 3 rolls of film which were obtained on 4/12/68 by SA Francis L. Cashin from Robert Rocks, Supervisor of Film Editors, CBS, 524 W. 57th St, NY, NY. THEY MUST BE RETURNED TO ROCKS BY THE AM OF 4/16/68 and are not be made available to other news media.

The films were taken by CBS Staff Cameraman Reggie Smith at Spelman College and are of the funeral of Dr. Martin Luther King. The Bureau is requested to reproduce the film and forward the enclosures made back to NY by 4/16/68. In each film there is a white male, who not necessarily the same white male, who could be the subject of MURKIN. It is noted that cameraman Smith confidentially advised SAC ROY MOORE that while he was taking pictures a white male looked suspicious to him

As to the enclosed rolls:

- #1. Crowd going into Spelman to view the deceased. White male will be to the left in a tan coat.
- #2. End of sequence. Lower right corner. White male turned head and looked toward camera. Taken outside Spelman.
- #3. INSIDE Spelman. People viewing deceased. Only white male in the pictures.

*Rec'd from Bureau 4/19/68*

3- Bureau (44-38861) (Encls 3) (R-m)  
1- New York (44-1609)

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*Cashin*

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**Airtel**

**To: SAC's, New York (44-1987)  
Memphis (44-1987)**

**From: Director, FBI (44-38861)**

**MURKIN**

**Re New York teletype 4/17/68.**

**On basis of information furnished in referenced teletype, no fingerprint record could be located in our Identification Division files for Charles Bruner. ✓**

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TELETYPE

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI  
FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (44-1609)

MURKIN, CR. (OO: MEMPHIS)

RE CHARLES BRUNNER

CHARLES BRUNNER, DOB

WHITE MALE, ADDRESS TWENTY EIGHT KIME AVENUE, BABYLON,  
NEW YORK, IS BEING SOUGHT BY BABYLON PD ON CHARGE OF  
HARRASSMENT. BRUNNER HAS BEEN IN ATLANTA, GEORGIA, IN THE  
RECENT PAST.

THE BUREAU REQUESTED TO CONDUCT NAME CHECK OF IDENTIFI-  
CATION DIVISION INDICES FOR FINGERPRINTS OF CHARLES BRUNNER  
AND COMPARE WITH UNSUBS.

UNSUB SHOULD BE CONSIDERED ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

1-Memphis (AM)

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1-ADIC MALONE  
1-Supv. #23

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**AIRTEL**

**TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)**  
**FROM: SAC, MIAMI (44-1984) (P)**  
**SUBJECT: MURKIN**  
**CR**

**(OO: Memphis)**

Re Miami teletype to Omaha dated 4/18/68, and  
Omaha teletype to Miami dated 4/18/68.

**RE IOWA LICENSE NUMBER S/O-3681**

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Owner of vehicle bearing above captioned license  
tag located in Miami, Florida, and has been eliminated as  
a suspect in this matter.

**ARMED AND DANGEROUS.**

- 1 - Bureau
- 1 - Memphis (44-1987)
- 1 - Birmingham (44-2746)
- 1 - Miami
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TELETYPE

URGENT

TO: MIAMI (44-1984)

FROM: OMAHA (44-510)

MURKIN: RE MIAMI TEL TO OMAHA TODAY:

DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLES, DES MOINES, IOWA, ADVISED  
URGENT DATE THAT SIXTY SEVEN IOWA LICENSES BEING MARK  
THESE ALL BEING ONE REGISTRATION REGISTERED TO RONALD DEAN  
MORAN, STOCKPORT, IOWA, FOR SIXTY SEVEN FORD V8 NUMBER  
SEVEN F NINE ONE T ONE FIVE FOUR ONE EIGHT SEVEN, THESE  
LICENSES FURTHER INDICATE THIS VEHICLE SUBSEQUENTLY REPOSSESSED  
FROM MORTGAGE BY UNIVERSAL CITY CREDIT, IOWA, DECEMBER TWENTY  
NINE, NINETEEN SIXTY SEVEN.

IT IS NOTED FOR INFORMATION MIAMI NINETEEN SIXTY EIGHT  
IOWA LICENSES BEING MARK THESE SIX EIGHT ONE REGISTERED  
TO A SIXTY SIX BUICK.

MR. CARL DICKMAN, LOAN MANAGER, UNIVERSAL CITY CREDIT  
COMPANY, FOUR ONE NINE CHURCH STREET, STOCKPORT, IOWA, ADVISED  
URGENT DATE THAT SIXTY SEVEN FORD TWO DOOR HARDTOP V8  
SEVEN F NINE ONE T ONE FIVE FOUR ONE EIGHT SEVEN, BEARING  
SIXTY SEVEN IOWA LICENSE EIGHT SEVEN FOUR ONE EIGHT ONE  
WAS REPOSSESSED BY UNIVERSAL CITY ON DECEMBER TWENTY NINE,

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① - Memphis (AIRMAIL)  
LURIA (3)

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NUMBER SIXTY SEVEN FROM STAFF SERGEANT DONALD DEAN SCHULTZ,  
SERIALS U.S. AIR FORCE SERIAL NUMBER [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] AT THIS TIME ASSIGNED TO  
DOWNEYD AIR FORCE BASE, MIAMI, FLORIDA, VEHICLE REPORTED  
FOR FAILURE TO MAINTAIN PATENTS; HOME ADDRESS OF SCHULTZ  
IS STOCKPORT, IOWA.

SCHULTZ ADVISED UNIVERSAL CIT FOUR EIGHT FIVE NORTHEAST  
FOURTH STREET AVENUE, MIAMI, FLORIDA, ACTUALLY HANDLED  
REGISTRATION. SCHULTZ'S RECORDS REFLECT CIT MIAMI SUBSEQUENTLY  
ISSUED ABOVE DESCRIBED VEHICLE ON JANUARY TWENTY TWO, SIXTY EIGHT  
TO L.E. CASKEY MOTOR COMPANY, NORTHEAST THIRTY SIXTH STREET,  
MIAMI, FLORIDA.

SCHULTZ'S RECORDS DO NOT REFLECT PRESENT OWNER OF  
VEHICLE IF OTHER THAN L.E. CASKEY MOTOR COMPANY.

MIAMI WILL CONTACT UNIVERSAL CIT, MIAMI, FLORIDA, FOR  
FURTHER DETAILS AND WILL CONTACT L.E. CASKEY MOTOR COMPANY,  
MIAMI TO ASCERTAIN PRESENT OWNER INSTANT VEHICLE.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : SAC(44-1987)

FROM : SA MAHLON J. PRICE

SUBJECT: MURKIN

DATE: 4/18/68

On the above date a man phoned the Memphis Office and declined to furnish his name or address. He stated that evening he and his wife went to the Handy Pantry at Whitehaven, Tennessee. His wife saw a man enter a white Mustang, Tennessee plates BF 1498, who looked like the photo of Eric Starvo Galt.

For information.

MJP/rd

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