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**SUBJECT:** DO/PCS Response to Record Searches - Assassination of Martin Luther King

**REFERENCE:** OGC-LD-1999-50179

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3. Please contact me if you have additional questions or if I can be of further assistance. Thanks Tammy (#75349)

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