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FOLLOWING CALL MADE FROM A COIN TELEPHONE LOCATED AT SANDERSON,  
TEXAS:

DEC. SIXTEEN LAST, TWELVE FORTYFOUR PM, NINE FOUR FIVE - FOUR  
ONE TWO FOUR, CALALLEN, TEXAS. ✓

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SAN ANTONIO DIVISION.

FOLLOWING CALLS MADE FROM COIN TELEPHONES LACATED AT ALPINE  
TEXAS:

DEC. FIFTEEN LAST, TWELVE SEVENTEEN AM, TWO TWO FIVE - THREE  
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DEC. SEVENTEEN LAST, NINE ELEVEN PM, THREE FOUR FOUR - SEVEN  
ZERO FIVE TWO, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS;

DEC. FIFTEEN LAST, SIX FORTYSIX PM, FOUR FIVE THREE - SEVEN  
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NINE TWO FOUR, BABCOCK, TEXAS;

DEC. SEVENTEEN LAST, TWELVE THIRTYTWO AM, SIX NINE SIX - TWO  
NINE TWO FOUR , BABCOCK, TEXAS;

DEC. SEVENTEEN LAST, TWO FORTYSEVEN PM, CALLED FOLLOWING NOS.:  
SVEN FOUR FOUR - ONE ZERO ZERO TWO AND SIX NINE ONE -  
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MEMPHIS ADVISED AM.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS. . P

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109PM URGENT 5-3-68 LMB

TO DIRECTOR (44-38861) AND HOUSTON AND SAN ANTONIO (44-1242)  
FROM DALLAS (44-2649) 3P

MURKIN.

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

RE DALLAS TELS APRIL THIRTY AND MAY ONE LAST.

THE FOLLOWING ADDITIONAL TELEPHONE CALLS HAVE BEEN DETERMINED  
AND SHOULD BE HANDLED AS PREVIOUSLY INSTRUCTED:

HOUSTON DIVISION.

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THREE FIVE NINE, PORT LAVACA, TEXAS;

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SEVEN SIX SEVEN, HOUSTON, TEXAS;

DEC. FIFTEEN LAST, NINE FORTYEIGHT PM, SIX SIX SEVEN - ONE  
TWO NINE SEVEN, HOUSTON, TEXAS.

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*Memorandum*

TO : FILE (44-1509)

FROM : SA FRANK CHIDICHIMO

SUBJECT: MURKIN

DATE: 5/3/68

Subscriber to telephone 945-4124 is RAY SPIESS, 11559 Upriver Road, Calallen, Texas. Mrs. SPIESS stated call received from Sanderson, Texas, on 12/16/67 was made by her daughter, Mrs. RAYMOND WILKINSON, San Antonio, Texas, who was en route to California but because of bad storm had to return to San Antonio.

Subscriber to telephone 524-3788 is Mr. A. W. GAGE, 113 Bonham, Port Lavaca, Texas. Mrs. GAGE stated phone call received from Alpine, Texas, on 12/16/67 was made by her father, ANDY TURMAN, Box 191, Holtsville, Calif., who at the time was en route to Port Lavaca but because of bad weather was held up in Alpine.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)  
 FROM: SAC, EL PASO (157-186) (P)  
 SUBJECT: MURKIN

TELEPHONE CALLS BY SUBJECT RAY ENROUTE  
 FROM LOS ANGELES TO NEW ORLEANS

Re Bureau tel to EP, HO, and SA, 4/25/68.

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EP 157-186

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#### ALL OFFICES

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CLASS	CODE	FROM	PLACE CALLED	TELEPHONE NUMBER		DATE	MIN.	AMOUNT
				AREA	NUMBER			
ation Day	6 K	0070 05	EL PASO TEX	915	565 1483	12 08	1	70
ation Night	6 B	0065 05	BURNS FLATOKLA	405	562 3648	12 08	3	65
ation	6 B	0080 10	DALLAS TEX	214	321 5037	12 08	3	80
ate Night	6 B	0060 05	PLAINVIEW TEX	806	223 2940	12 09	8	60
ason - Day	6 K	0060 05	PECOS TEX	915	445 8402	12 11	3	60
ason - Night	6 B	0085 10	MIAMI FLA	305	866 0871	12 11	3	85
ason	6 K	0080 10	ODESSA TEX	915	366 4842	12 12	1	80
ate Night	6 B	0065 05	LOSANGELESCAL	213	654 3966	12 12	3	65
	6 B	0035 10	BKLYN NYC NY	212	386 0097	12 13	3	85
	6 B	0150 15	VENTURA CAL	805	642 4605	12 14	7	150
	6 K	LA 0140 15	SANTA ANA CAL	714	531 5933	12 15	4	140
	6 K	0070 05	EL PASO TEX	915	751 5472	12 15	3	70
	6 B	PX 0065 05	TUCSON ARIZ	602	296 0824	12 16	2	65
	6 B	DL 0080 10	DIBOLL TEX	713	829 5382	12 17	2	80

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# LONG DISTANCE CALLS

CLASS	CODE	FROM	PLACE CALLED	TELEPHONE NUMBER		DATE	MIN.	AMOUNT
				AREA	NUMBER			
ation Day	6 B	0050 05	EL PASO TEX	915	532 8697	12 17	2	50
ation Night	6 S	0105 10	DALLAS TEX	214	381 6121	12 18	2	105
ation	6 L	0100 10	ALPINE TEX	915	837 2764	12 18	3	100
ate Night	6 B	0070 05	SANFERNANDCAL	213	892 7880	12 19	3	70
ason - Day	6 B	0080 10	MINERALWLTTEX	817	325 2602	12 20	4	80
ason - Night	6 B	0125 15	LAWTON OKLA	405	353 3754	12 23	6	125
ason	6 S	0050 05	EL PASO TEX	915	598 6712	12 27	2	50
ate Night	6 B	0065 05	SCOTTSDALEARIZ	602	959 5504	12 28	2	65
	6 L	0220 20	LAS VEGAS NEV	702	735 5111	12 29	2	220
	6 B	0080 10	SANANTONIOTEX	512	225 3361	12 29	3	80
	6 B	0065 05	YUMA ARIZ	602	783 3515	12 30	3	65

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				AREA	NUMBER			
ation Day	6 K	0105 10	SANTA FE NMEX	505	983 381	12 14	2	105
ation Night	6 K	PX 0120 10	PHOENIX ARIZ	602	275 4157	12 15	1	120
ation	6 B	SD 0160 15	HOLTVILLE CAL	714	356 2395	12 16	5	160
ate Night	6 B	BATEL 0075 10	DALTON GA	404	259 3027	12 17	2	75
ason - Day	6 B	PX 0105 10	PHOENIX ARIZ	602	253 6053	12 17	5	105
ason - Night	6 B	PX 0060 05	SAFFORD ARIZ	602	428 3369	12 17	3	60
ason	6 B	SC 0175 20	SACRAMENTOCAL	916	422 5789	12 17	8	175
ate Night	6 B	DL 0055 05	MIDLAND TEX	915	682 5042	12 17	2	55
	6 B	DL 0240 25	DALLAS TEX	214	339 1752	12 17	9	240
	6 B	HO 0135 15	VICTORIA TEX	512	578 2986	12 17	5	135
	6 B	0050 05	EL PASO TEX	915	859 7338	12 17	2	50
	6 B	0100 10	MEMPHIS TENN	901	276 8200	12 18	8	100
	6 S	0210 20	ROUSTOWN TEX	512	387 5442	12 18	6	210
	6 S	0070 05	ODESSA TEX	915	332 3033	12 18	3	70

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : SAC (44-1509)

DATE: 5/2/68

FROM : SPC Tisdale

SUBJECT: MURKIN

A call was received this date at 10:30 p.m. from Mrs. W. A. EDWARDS, of Galveston, Texas, telephone number SH 4-5948. Mrs. EDWARDS stated she now has a man living in one of her apartments who she described as looking exactly like James Earl Ray. She stated this man moved in on about the 15th of March and was there continually until the 2nd of April when he left and stayed gone a few days. He returned about a week later and has been there since. This man is using the name Marvin D. Hagedorn and drives a white '65 Ford.

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AIR MAIL

WFW  
EWS  
TO: SAC, SAN ANTONIO

FROM: SAC, HOUSTON (44-1509)

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Reurtel, 5/3/68.

On 5/4/68, Mrs. G. L. DIXON, 7214 Roswell, Houston, subscriber to phone 695-0588, stated she recalls December, 1967, last, receiving phone call from her relatives at Knippa, Texas. They own Ede's Cafe, U. S. Hwy 90, Knippa, Texas, and advised during phone call that they would be in Houston over the Christmas holidays. Mrs. DIXON has seen the photograph of subject JAMES EARL RAY, but knows no one who would be similar to this person.

No further investigation.

2 - San Antonio

1 - Houston

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TO HOUSTON

FROM SAN ANTONIO (44-1242)

MURKIN

RE: TELCALLS MADE BY SUBJECT RAY EN ROUTE CALIFORNIA  
TO NEW ORLEANS.

RECORDS, KNIPPA TELEPHONE CO., KNIPPA, TEXAS, REFLECT  
*Dec - 17*  
ON DECEMBER SEVENTEEN LAST TELEPHONE CALL FROM EDE'S CAFE,  
U. S. HIGHWAY NINETY, KNIPPA, TEXAS, TELEPHONE NO. FIVE ONE  
TWO DASH NINE THREE FOUR DASH SEVEN ONE ONE SIX, MADE TO  
HOUSTON TELEPHONE NO. *6 9 5 - 0 5 8*  
*8* EIGHT. HOUSTON HANDLE.

AIRMAIL COPY MEMPHIS.

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AIR MAIL

*W. E. ...*  
TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, HOUSTON (44-1509)

MURKIN  
CR

Re: SUSPECT GRAHAM ROBERT SMITH

ReMiami airtel 4/29/68.

Enclosed for San Antonio are four photographs of  
suspect SMITH for display to Sheriff GAULT for elimination  
purposes.

- 4 - Bureau
  - (1 - Legat, Mexico)
- 2 - San Antonio *(ENC 4)*
- 1 - Memphis *(INfo)*
- 1 - Houston

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- 2 - El Paso
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- 2 - Jacksonville
- 2 - Las Vegas
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<u>DATE</u>	<u>CALLING NUMBER</u>	<u>CALLED NUMBER</u>	<u>PLACE</u>
<u>ATLANTA:</u>			
12/17/67	835-8273 (Beaumont, Texas)	404-876-5551	Atlanta
<u>ALBUQUERQUE:</u>			
12/17/67	682-9177 (Houston, Texas)	505-243-1331	Albuquerque
12/15/67	468-9836 (Houston)	505-864-8204	Belen, N.M.
<u>BOSTON:</u>			
12/16/67	468-9009 (Houston)	617-944-1569	Reading, Mass.
12/16/68	835-9546 (Beaumont, Texas)	401-723-1085	Pawtucket, R. I.
<u>CHARLOTTE:</u>			
12/15/67	673-9255 (Houston)	919-599-9083	Roxboro, N.C.
12/15/67	886-9976 (Orange, Texas)	704-667-4670	Enka, Candler, N. C.
<u>CHICAGO:</u>			
12/15/67	769-9108 (Vidor, Texas)	312-832-4895	Elmhurst, Ill.
12/17/67	835-8273 Beaumont, Texas	309-786-1824	Rock Island, Ill.
<u>CINCINNATI:</u>			
12/17/67	892-9963 (Beaumont, Texas)	513-681-2839	Cincinnati
12/16/67	453-9015 (Houston, Texas)	614-551-2363	Bartlett, Ohio
12/17/67	468-9844 (Houston, Texas)	513-653-6666	Urbana, Ohio

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<u>DATE</u>	<u>CALLING NUMBER</u>	<u>CALLED NUMBER</u>	<u>PLACE</u>
<u>CLEVELAND:</u>			
12/17/67	468-9727 (Houston, Texas)	614-389-3058	Marion, Ohio
12/17/67	468-9727 (Houston, Texas)	614-389-3058	Marion, Ohio
12/15/67	682-9317 (Houston, Texas)	216-641-1461	Cleveland
<u>DETROIT:</u>			
12/17/68	673-9872 (Houston, Texas)	616-861-2456	Shelby, Mich.
<u>EL PASO:</u>			
12/16/67	673-9501 (Houston, Texas)	915-532-9146	El Paso
12/16/67	682-9348 (Houston, Texas)	915-362-4789	Odessa, Texas
12/17/67	468-9878 (Houston, Texas)	915-682-3697	Midland, Texas
<u>JACKSON:</u>			
12/15/67	453-9611 (Houston, Texas)	601-582-3734	Hattiesburg, Miss.
12/16/67	453-9015 (Houston, Texas)	601-372-3537	Jackson
12/15/67	453-9611 (Houston, Texas)	601-722-4497	Seminary, Miss.
12/16/67	886-9011 (Orange, Texas)	801-684-6794	McComb, Miss.
12/17/67	468-9731 (Houston, Texas)	601-428-8829	Laurel, Miss.
12/17/67	835-9023 (Beaumont, Texas)	601-625-8547	Forest, Miss.



HO 44-1509

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<u>JACKSONVILLE:</u>			
12/15/67	673-9050 (Houston, Texas)	904-623-2008	Milton, Fla.
12/15/67	673-9419 (Houston, Texas)	904-675-4970	Jay, Fla.
<u>LAS VEGAS:</u>			
12/17/67	835-9587 (Beaumont, Texas)	702-384-7271	Las Vegas

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<u>ATLANTA:</u>			
12/17/67	835-8273 (Beaumont, Texas)	404-876-5551	Atlanta
<u>ALBUQUERQUE:</u>			
12/17/67	682-9177 (Houston, Texas)	505-243-1331	Albuquerque
12/15/67	468-9836 (Houston)	505-864-8204	Belen, N.M.
<u>BOSTON:</u>			
12/16/67	468-9009 (Houston)	617-944-1569	Reading, Mass.
12/16/68	835-9546 (Beaumont, Texas)	401-723-1085	Pawtucket, R. I.
<u>CHARLOTTE:</u>			
12/15/67	673-9255 (Houston)	919-599-9083	Roxboro, N.C.
12/15/67	886-9976 (Orange, Texas)	704-667-4670	Enka, Candler, N. C.
<u>CHICAGO:</u>			
12/15/67	769-9108 (Vidor, Texas)	312-832-4895	Elmhurst, Ill.
12/17/67	835-8273 Beaumont, Texas	309-786-1824	Rock Island, Ill.
<u>CINCINNATI:</u>			
12/17/67	892-9963 (Beaumont, Texas)	513-681-2839	Cincinnati
12/16/67	453-9015 (Houston, Texas)	614-551-2363	Bartlett, Ohio
12/17/67	468-9844 (Houston, Texas)	513-653-6666	Urbana, Ohio



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12/17/67	468-9727 (Houston, Texas)	614-389-3058	Marion, Ohio
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12/15/67	682-9317 (Houston, Texas)	216-641-1461	Cleveland
<u>DETROIT:</u>			
12/17/68	673-9872 (Houston, Texas)	616-861-2456	Shelby, Mich.
<u>EL PASO:</u>			
12/16/67	673-9501 (Houston, Texas)	915-532-9146	El Paso
12/16/67	682-9348 (Houston, Texas)	915-362-4789	Odessa, Texas
12/17/67	468-9878 (Houston, Texas)	915-682-3697	Midland, Texas
<u>JACKSON:</u>			
12/15/67	453-9611 (Houston, Texas)	601-582-3734	Hattiesburg, Miss.
12/16/67	453-9015 (Houston, Texas)	601-372-3537	Jackson
12/15/67	453-9611 (Houston, Texas)	601-722-4497	Seminary, Miss.
12/16/67	886-9011 (Orange, Texas)	801-684-6794	McComb, Miss.
12/17/67	468-9731 (Houston, Texas)	601-428-8829	Laurel, Miss.
12/17/67	835-9023 (Beaumont, Texas)	601-625-8547	Forest, Miss.

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12/15/67	673-9419 (Houston, Texas)	904-675-4970	Jay, Fla.
<u>LAS VEGAS:</u>			
12/17/67	835-9587 (Beaumont, Texas)	702-384-7271	Las Vegas

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<u>DENVER:</u>			
12/16/67	835-9495 (Beaumont, Texas)	303-636-1773	Colorado Springs, Colo.
<u>LOUISVILLE:</u>			
12/17/67	835-9074 (Beaumont, Texas)	502-798-9309	Ft. Campbell, Ky.
<u>MEMPHIS:</u>			
12/16/67	468-9078 (Houston, Texas)	615-293-4542	Cornersville, Tenn.
12/16/67	468-9078 (Houston, Texas)	615-293-4542	Cornersville, Tenn.
12/15/67	468-9081 (Houston, Texas)	615-293-4542	Cornersville, Tenn.
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<u>MIAMI:</u>			
12/15/67	769-9108 (Vidor, Texas)	813-657-3181	Immokalee, Fla.
<u>NEW YORK CITY:</u>			
12/15/67	673-9289 (Houston, Texas)	212-748-7417	Brooklyn
12/15/67	673-9236 (Houston, Texas)	212-254-2288	New York City
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12/15/67	835-9546 (Beaumont, Texas)	712-375-4191	Pierson, Iowa
<u>PHILADELPHIA:</u>			
12/17/67	835-9318 (Beaumont, Texas)	717-637-8759	Hanover, Pa.
12/12/67	835-8273 (Beaumont, Texas)	215-433-9403	Allentown, Pa.
<u>SACRAMENTO:</u>			
12/15/67	468-9850 (Houston, Texas)	209-464-8050	Stockton, Calif.
<u>SEATTLE:</u>			
12/15/67	468-9868 (Houston, Texas)	206-622-4911	Seattle, Wash.
<u>SPRINGFIELD:</u>			
12/16/67	835-9435 (Beaumont, Texas)	309-452-4852	Normal, Ill.
12/15/67	835-9419 (Beaumont, Texas)	217-528-2815	Springfield, Ill.
12/17/67	835-8273 (Beaumont, Texas)	618-932-2403	West Frankfort, Ill.
<u>ST. LOUIS:</u>			
12/16/67	682-9361 (Houston, Texas)	314-664-3747	St. Louis, Mo.
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12/16/67	835-9040 (Beaumont, Texas)	317-872-4551	Mexico, Indiana
<u>KANSAS CITY:</u>			
12/17/67	835-9443 (Beaumont, Texas)	913-989-4468	Wathena, Kansas
<u>LITTLE ROCK:</u>			
12/17/67	673-9950 (Houston, Texas)	501-753-7404	Little Rock
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12/15/67	468-9818 (Houston, Texas)	501-623-2692	Hot Springs, Ark.
12/15/67	682-9114 (Houston, Texas)	501-535-1373	Pine Bluff, Ark.
12/15/67	682-9333 (Houston, Texas)	501-729-3283	Judsonia, Ark.
<u>LOS ANGELES:</u>			
12/16/67	892-9993 (Beaumont, Texas)	213-399-9676	Santa Monica, Calif.
12/17/67	452-9133 (Houston, Texas)	213-830-0453	San Pedro, Calif.
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12/16/67	673-9395 (Houston, Texas)	213-927-3989	Downey, Calif.
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12/16/67	886-9976 (Orange, Texas)	805-256-2296	Rosamond, Calif.
12/16/67	682-9120 (Houston, Texas)	805-323-2660	Bakersfield, Calif.
12/16/67	682-9248 (Houston, Texas)	415-841-0501	Berkeley, Calif.
<u>MOBILE:</u>			
12/15/67	453-9577 (Houston, Texas)	205-479-7378	Mobile, Ala.
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12/17/67	682-9322 (Houston, Texas)	205-342-1435	Mobile, Ala.
<u>OKLAHOMA CITY:</u>			
12/15/67	453-9646 (Houston, Texas)	918-446-6041	Tulsa, Okla.
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12/17/67	468-9150 (Houston, Texas)	405-842-5325	Britton, Okla.
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12/17/67	673-9996 (Houston, Texas)	405-424-4153	Oklahoma City
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12/17/67	468-9887 (Houston, Texas)	918-446-5042	Tulsa, Okla.
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12/16/67	835-9439 (Beaumont, Texas)	415-538-1726	Hayward, Calif.



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12/16/67	673-9501 (Houston, Texas)	408-372-9730	Monterey, Calif.
<u>SAN DEIGO:</u>			
12/17/67	468-9844 (Houston, Texas)	714-469-6604	La Mesa, Calif.
12/17/67	468-9887 (Houston, Texas)	714-745-1548	Escondido, Calif.
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

FROM: SAC, HOUSTON (44-1509) (P)

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ReNOTel 5/2/68.

Re: Call made from coin telephone,  
Alpine, Texas, on December 16, 1967,  
to 938-5638, Greenwood, Louisiana.

The following investigation was conducted by  
SAs DAVID W. HEDGECOCK and THOMAS A. STEPHEN-HASSARD on  
5/3/68, at Baytown, Texas:

EDWARD L. HUNSUCKER, 1901 Florida Street, advised  
that he may have made a long distance telephone call from  
a telephone booth on Interstate Highway 10 in East Texas  
on 12/16/68. He explained that during mid-December, 1967,  
his nephew, A.L. HAMMETT, Greenwood, Louisiana, was seriously  
ill, and therefore, he, HUNSUCKER, made several long  
distance calls to the HAMMETT residence.

HUNSUCKER advised that he is a truck driver and  
travels throughout the country, often making telephone

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TO : SAC (44-1509)

DATE: 5/3/68

FROM : SA DAVID W. HEDGECOCK

SUBJECT: MURKIN

The following investigation was conducted by SAs  
DAVID W. HEDGECOCK and THOMAS A. STEPHEN-HASSARD on 5/3/68  
at Baytown, Texas:

EDWARD L. HUNSUCKER, 1901 Florida Street, advised that  
he may have made a long distance telephone call from a  
telephone booth on Interstate Highway 10 in east Texas on  
12/16/68. He explained that during mid December, 1967 his  
nephew, A.L. HAMMETT, Greenwood, Louisiana was seriously ill  
and therefore he, HUNSUCKER, made several long distance calls  
to the HAMMETT residence.

HUNSUCKER advised that he is a truck driver and travels  
throughout the country, after making telephone calls from  
road side telephone booths. He advised that JAMES EARL RAY  
was unknown to him by name, alias and photograph.

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FROM SAN ANTONIO (44-1242)

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TO : SAC (44-1509) (P)

DATE: 5/3/68

FROM : SA, Carlos L. Kirby Jr.

SUBJECT: MURKIN

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On the night of 5/2/68 MRS. W.A.

EDWARDS, Galveston, Texas telephone number SH 4-5948, telephonically contact the Houston Office and stated photograph of JAMES EARL RAY, which she observed on TV, bore slight resemblance to MARVIN HAGEDORN who occupies a rented room at her residence.

The following investigation was conducted by SA Carlos L. Kirby Jr. and SA B. Perkowski, Jr. at Galveston, Texas on 5/3/68:

Efforts were made to contact some-one at SH 4-5948 with negative results. The Galveston Criss-Cross, telephone and city directories listed no W.A. WDWARDS or SH 4-5948.

J.W. WILSON, Manager, Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. (PROTECT IDENTITY) advised SH 4-5948 listed to WILLIAM A. EDWARDS, 1702 - 64th. St., Galveston, who is employed as a geologist at U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Galveston.

MR. WILLIAM A. EDWARDS, 1702 - 64th. Street, advised MARVIN HAGEDORN has occupied a room at their residence since about February, 1968. He stated HAGEDORN is employed as a engineer by General Management Corporation, 61st. and Broadway, Galveston. He stated his wife was suspicious of HAGEDORN. He stated in his opinion there is no resemblance between JAMES EARL RAY and HAGEDORN.

MRS. WILLIAM A. EDWARDS, 1702 - 64th. Street, was exhibited a photograph of JAMES EARL RAY and she stated RAY is definitely not identieal to MARVIN HAGEDORN.

SAM PUCKETT, Superintendent, General Management Corporation, 61st. and Broadway, advised MARVIN HAGEDORN has been employed as an engineer here since the latter part of February, 1968, and from latter part of February, 1968 to present date with exception ~~XX~~ from 4/11/68 to 4/24/68 HAGEDORN has been on the job here six days a week, Monday through Saturday. He stated HAGEDORN was working on the job here on 4/4/68. He stated HAGEDORN is from Iowa and prior to his employment here was engaged in the contracting business in Iowa. PUCKETT was exhibited a photograph of JAMES EARL RAY and he stated HAGEDORN is definitely not identical to RAY.



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HENRY S. GILBERT, Office Manager, General Management Corporation, 61st. and Broadway, advised he started to work here on the Galveston, Texas job on 4/2/68 and when he arrived here MARVIN HAGEDORN was employed here on the job, and on 4/2, 4/3, 4/4, 4/5 and 4/6/68 he and HAGEDORN worked together here. He stated the only time HAGEDORN has been away from the job here since his employment here in February, 1968 was from 4/11/68 to 4/24/68 at which time HAGEDORN was at the home office of the General Management Corporation at 1055 - 6th. Street, Des Moines, Iowa.

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FROM: SAC, DALLAS (44-2649) (P)  
SUBJECT: MURKIN  
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RUBY DENN, cashier

Each was on duty at Noon on 4/22/68, and could not recall having seen anyone resembling subject RAY. Each recalled having seen RAY's photograph on television and in the newspapers recently.

Accordingly no further investigation is being conducted in this regard.

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