

October 8, 1968

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To: SAC, Memphis (44-1987)
From: Director (44-38861) *5232*
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Rerep of SA Rene J. Dunsine dated 10-2-68, at Chicago.

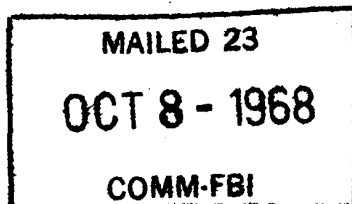
You should disseminate a copy of referenced report to Mr. Phil M. Canale, Jr., State Attorney General, Shelby County, Memphis, Tennessee.

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(4) *jms*

NOTE:

We transmitted to the Department the Chicago report which sets forth investigation concerning James Earl Ray's employment at a restaurant in Winnetka, Illinois, during parts of May and June, 1967. The Department by memorandum requests that we furnish a copy of this report to Mr. Canale, who is handling the state's prosecution, and Memphis being so instructed.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Memorandum

TO : Director,
Federal Bureau of Investigation

DATE: October 8, 1968

SJP
FROM : Stephen J. Pollak
Assistant Attorney General
Civil Rights Division

SJP:DRO:stj

SUBJECT: Assassination of Martin Luther King, Jr.

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We have received today the report of Special Agent Rene J. Dumaine, dated October 2, 1968, of your Chicago office in the above matter.

Please furnish a copy of this report forthwith to Mr. Phil Canale, Attorney General, ~~Shelby~~ County, in Memphis, Tennessee.

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TO DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM SAC, NEW YORK (100-100000)
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RE: [illegible]

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545PM 10-7-68 URGENT MEN

TO DIRECTOR 44-38861, AND LOS ANGELES
FROM MEMPHIS 44-1987

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DISTRICT ATTORNEY GENERAL PHIL M. CANALE ADVISED HIS
DATE THAT IN ACCORDANCE WITH PREVIOUS DISCUSSION REPRESENTATIVES
OF HIS OFFICE WILL BE IN FBI OFFICE, LOS ANGELES, A.M., WEDNESDAY,
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INVESTIGATOR JOHN CARLISLE (NA). WITNESSES OF INTEREST TO AG'S
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ESTHER NIETO, EIGHT ZERO ONE WEST TWENTYTHIRD STREET,
APT. ONE ZERO FOUR, LOS ANGELES, RAN LAUNDRY MARKER BETWEEN MARCH
FOUR AND MARCH EIGHTEEN.

LUCY PINELA, FIVE TWO EIGHT ZERO HOLLYWOOD BLVD., MANAGER,
HOME SERVICE LAUNDRY AND CLEANERS.

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JEROME WALLIS VERNON, ONE TWO FOUR SIX WOODBURY COURT,
APT. B, OWNER LAUNDRY GALT REGULAR CUSTOMER.

HYMAN BECKMAN, ONE FIVE ZERO SIX N. NORMANDIE AVE., LOS
ANGELES, SERVICED MUSTANG.

BUDD COOK, JR., FOUR FIVE THREE ONE HOLLYWOOD BLVD., SERVICE
SALESMAN, CORT FOX FORD.

VERA BERNHARDT, ONE FIVE THREE NINE N. SERRANO AVE., LOS
ANGELES, SAW DEFENDANT DURING JANUARY.

DALE LEROY DYKEMA, EIGHT ZERO SIX SIX RING, LONG BEACH,
CALIF., COLLECTED RENT FROM GALT NOV. AND DEC.

MRS. MARGARITA (FRANK) POWERS, SIX FOUR TWO ONE WESTERN
AVE., BUENA PARK, CALIFORNIA, RENTED APT. TO AGALT IN NOV. SIXTYSEVEN

ASST. POSTMASTER W. C. BAKER, LOS FELIZ BRANCH, U. S. P. O.,
FOUR SIX THREE THREE HOLLYWOOD BLVD., FURNISHED CHANGE OF ADDRESS
CARD ON GALT.

ALLAN O. THOMPSON, MGR., ST. FRANCIS, FIVE FIVE THREE THREE
HOLLYWOOD BLVD.

OPERATIONS OFFICER SECURITY FIRST NATIONAL BANK, LOS
ANGELES, CHECK FOR TWENTYEIGHT DOLLARS SIXTYFIVE CENTS ENDORSED
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ERIC GALT.

ROBERT KEELEY, ROOM FOUR ZERO NINE ST. FRANCIS HOTEL,
RECEIVED CHECK ABOVE FROM GALT.

PACIFIC TEL. AND TELEG., ONE ONE FOUR NINE NO. GOWER ST.,
LOS ANGELES, TELEPHONE TO GALT AT ONE FIVE THREE FIVE NO.
SERRANO, APT. SIX.

PATRICIA ANDERSON, TWO EIGHT ZERO ZERO GLENVIEW AVE., LA.

DONALD M. MURPHY, ONE SEVEN TWO NINE HUNTLEY DR.

PAT THEODORA, MGR. HOLLYWOOD STATION P. T. & T., RECORD
OF CALLS AND CHECK FOR TWENTYEIGHT DOLLARS SIXTYFIVE CENTS SENT
GALT.

MRS. RONALD G. MC INTIRE, ONE TWO TWO ONE NINE DARLINGTON,
SOLD TV IN NOV. FOR NINETY DOLLARS TO MAN WHITE MUSTANG, RED
INTERIOR.

RODNEY ARVIDSON, TWO ZERO TWO SIX PACIFIC AVE., LONG BEACH,
OWNER NATIONAL DANCE STUDIO, GALT LESSONS DEC. TO FEB. TWELVE.

CATHRYN NORTON, TWO ZERO TWO SIX PCIFIC, DANCE INSTRUCTOR.

THOMAS LAU, TWO ONE TWO FIVE SUNSET BLVD., INTERNATIONAL
SCHOOL OF BARTENDING.

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DONALD J JACOBS, THREE TWO ZERO NORTH ARDMORE, APT. THREE ONE ZERO, LOS ANGELES, KNEW GALT AT BARTENDING SCHOOL.

CHARLES J. STEIN, FIVE SIX SIX SIX FRANKLIN AVE., LOS ANGELES.

RITA STEIN, FIVE SIX SIX SIX FRANKLIN AVENUE.

MARIE MARTIN, ST. FRANCIS HOTEL, TWO ZERO ONE, TRADED TV'S.

JOE PETERS, BR SULTON ROOM, FIVE FIVE THREE THREE AND ONE-HALT HOLLYWOOD BLVD.

JAMES E MORRISON, BAR INN RABBIT FOOT'S CLUB, FIVE SIX TWO THREE HOLLY BLVD.

BO DEL MONTE, BAR INN RABBITT'S FOOT CLUB, SAME ADDRESS.

FAY BERNARD, AVALON CLEANERS, FIVE SIX SIX TWO HOLLYWOOD BLVD.

DR MARK O. FREEMON, TWO TWO SEVEN S. BEDFORD DR., BEVERLY HILLS.

AT PRESENT TIME, DWYER HAS ADVISED HE IS NOT CERTAIN THAT ANY AGENTS WILL BE NECESSARY FOR TESTIMONY FROM LOS ANGELES OFFICE. HE WILL MAKE FINAL DECISION AFTER COMPLETING INTERVIEWS IN L. A.

FOR INFO LA, WHO DID NOT RECEIVE COMMUNICATION, BUREAU BY
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TELETYPE SEPTEMBER TWENTY LAST ADVISED AS FOLLOWS:

"YOU SHOULD IMMEDIATELY CONTACT MR. PHIL M. CANALE, JR., STATE ATTORNEY GENERAL, SHELBY COUNTY, MEMPHIS, AND ADVISE HIM HE AND/OR HIS REPRESENTATIVES MAY PROCEED TO OUR LABORATORY IN WASHINGTON, D. C. FOR REVIEW OF EVIDENCE IN BUREAU'S POSSESSION. HE SHOULD PROVIDE US WITH SUFFICIENT NOTIFICATION AS TO HIS DATE OF ARRIVAL. YOU SHOULD ADVISE THE BUREAU AS TO THE IDENTIFY OF THE RESPECTIVE FIELD OFFICES THAT MR. CANALE PLANS TO HOLD PRETRIAL CONFERENCES WITH AGENTS AND WITNESSES IN ORDER THAT SACS WILL HAVE SUFFICIENT NOTICE TO ARRANGE THEIR PERSONAL ATTENDANCE IN ORDER TO PROTECT THE BUREAU'S INTEREST."

FOLLOWING INTERVIEWS AND COMPLETION OF WORK IN LOS ANGELES, IT IS INTENTION OF DWYER AND HIS STAFF TO DEPART FROM LOS ANGELES FOR MEXICO CITY. HE HAS BEEN INSTRUCTED TO MAKE CONTACT AT AMERICAN EMBASSY WITH OFFICE OF LEGAL ATTACHE. HE HAS BEEN FURNISHED IDENTITY LEGAL ATTACHE. WHILE IN MEXICO, DWYER AND HIS REPRESENTATIVES WOULD LIKE OPPORTUNITY TO TALK WITH FOLLOWING WITNESSES:

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EDUARDO MARROQUI, OWNER HOTEL RIO, MARVELOSO EIGHT SIX, PUERTO VALLARTA, JALISCO. GALT GUEST IN HOTEL FROM OCT. NINETEEN THROUGH NOV. FIVE, SIXTYSEVEN.

ROBERTO WONG, CLERK, HOTEL RIO, FURNISHED REGISTRATION CARD ON GALT AND IDENTIFIES PHOTO.

LUIS GARCIA, BARTENDER HOTEL OLEANA AT PUERTA VALLARTA, JALISCO, MEXICO. PAL OF GALT, DESCRIBES CAR AND IDENTIFIED PHOTO OF RAY MAY NINE.

ROMIR BISCARA, BARTENDER CASA SUSANA, NEGOTIATED WITH GALT FOR CAR AND ACCOMPANIED GALT AND IRMA TO BEACH.

ELENO GUZMAN GARCIA, BOCA DE MISMALOYA, ON MAY THREE IDENTIFIED RAY AS COMING TO HIS BEACH CAFE WITH IRMA AND BARTENDER.

ELISA ARELLANO TORRES, APENINOS ONE SEVEN SIX FOUR, COLONIA INDEPENDENCIO, GUADALANJARA, JALISCO, MEXICO. PROSTITUTE WHO ASSOCIATED WITH GALT NOV. SIXTYSEVEN, DESCRIBES CAR AND IDENTIFIED PHOTO ON JUNE SIX.

MANUELA AGUIRRE MEDRANO, AKA. IRMA MORALES, ATOTONILCA, JALISCO, MEXICO, PROSTITUTE WHO SPENT TIME WITH GALT, DIDN'T SMOKE COULDN'T DANCE, PROVIDED SOURCE WITH PHOTO.

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LEPOLDO CISNEROS, ASST. MGR., DAIRY QUEEN SHOP, MAIN PLAZA, PUERTO VALLARTO, JALISCO, MEXICO. ON APRIL TWENTYFOUR RECOGNIZED PHOTO OF RAY AS SUBJECT WHO CAME IN DAILY FOR THREE OR FOUR WEEKS TO GET HAMBURGER AND PEPSI, DROVE WHITE MUSTANG.

BUREAU REQUESTED FORWARD THIS INFORMATION TO LEGAL ATTACHE, MEXICO CITY. DWYER HAS STATED HE WILL MAKE RESERVATIONS IN LA FOR DIRECT FLIGHT TO MEXICO CITY WHEN HE HAS COMPLETED INTERVIEWS IN LA. SUGGEST THAT WHEN INTERVIEWS COMPLETED LA OFFICE ADVISE BUREAU SO THAT LEGAT, MEXICO CAN BE INFORMED OF PENDING ARRIVAL DWYER, BEASLEY, AND CARLISLE.

RESERVATIONS MADE AMERICAN AIRLINES FLIGHT TWO NINE NINE BY DWYER. DEPART MEMPHIS SEVEN THIRTY PM AND ARRIVE LOS ANGELES TEN EIGHTEEN PM OCTOBER EIGHT NEXT. P END
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FROM: MEMPHIS (44-1987) (1P)

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RE MEMPHIS TELETYPE TO BUREAU AND LOS ANGELES, OCT. SEVEN,
NINETEEN SIXTY EIGHT.

WHILE IN CONTACT WITH ROBERT K. DWYER, FIRST ASST. TO
DISTRICT ATTORNEY GENERAL PHIL M. CANALE, MEMPHIS, TENN., AM,
OCT. EIGHT INSTANT, AGENT THIS OFFICE INFORMED THAT ATTORNEYS
DESCRIBED IN REFERENCED TELETYPE WILL PROCEED TO LOS ANGELES
ACCORDING TO SCHEDULE, HOWEVER, TRIP TO MEXICO HAS BEEN CANCELED.

MR. DWYER STATED THAT ON HIS RETURN FROM LOS ANGELES, HE
WILL REVIEW RESULTS INVESTIGATION IN MEXICO AND WILL MAKE FURTHER
REQUEST FOR FBI TO HANDLE THROUGH LEGAT, MEXICO CITY.

JUST AS SOON AS THIS REQUEST IS RECEIVED, BUREAU WILL BE
IN FORMED. P.

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LOS ANGELES WILL BE ADVISED

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Date: 10/9/68

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(Priority)TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861) ATTN: ADMINISTRATIVE DIVISION

FROM: SAC, MEMPHIS (44-1987) (P)

MURKIN - COST DATA

Re Bureau teletype to Memphis 4/17/68; Memphis airtel to Bureau 5/13/68, 6/5/68, 7/3/68, 7/8/68, 8/7/68, 9/12/68; Bureau routing slip to Memphis 6/13/68, captioned as above, Bureau airtel to Memphis 7/9/68.

The information set out hereafter are cumulative totals concerning cost data of captioned matter as furnished by all Bureau Offices for the period 4/4/68 to 9/30/68:

	<u>Regular Hours</u>	<u>Overtime Hours</u>	<u>Cumulative Total</u>
1. A. Special Agents	96,090	27,171	123,261
B. Clerks	<u>19,960</u>	<u>1,742</u>	<u>21,702</u>
	116,050	28,913	144,963
2. Mileage traveled by Bucars on this matter:			473,321
3. Unusual or out of ordinary costs:			
A. Per Diem -----			\$6,698.00
B. Communications -----			4,087.03
C. Photography -----			1,884.68
D. Hotel Room Expense -----			59.48
E. Plane Fares -----			837.00

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E* BUREAU EXPENSE ----- 231.00
D* HOTEL ROOM EXPENSE ----- 22.48
C* BUREAU EXPENSE ----- 1,224.98
B* COMMUNICATIONS ----- 4,081.03
V* BEL DIEM ----- 28,888.00
3* SUMMARY OF OUT OF ORIGINAL COSTS:

3* SUMMARY PROVIDED BY BUREAU ON THIS MATTER: 413,251

	116,020	52,813	144,203
B* CLEVELAND	12,280	1,145	51,105
I* V* SPECIAL AGENTS	28,080	51,111	153,581
	HOURS	HOURS	TOTAL
	REGULAR	OVERTIME	COMPUTATIVE

BY ALL BUREAU OFFICES FOR THE PERIOD 4/4/68 TO 8/30/68:
TOTALS CONCERNING COST DATA OF CAPTIONED MATTER AS FURNISHED
THE INFORMATION SET OUT HEREIN ARE COMPUTATIVE

AS ABOVE, BUREAU ATTACHED TO MEMBERS 1/8/68.
8/13/68: BUREAU LONGING ATTACHED TO MEMBERS 8/13/68, CAPTIONED
ATTACHED TO BUREAU 2/13/68, 8/2/68, 1/3/68, 1/8/68, 2/1/68,
RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO MEMBERS 4/11/68: MEMBERS

WORKING - COST DATA

FROM: SAC, MEMPHIS (44-1981) (P)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861) ATTN: ADMINISTRATIVE DIVISION

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F. Miscellaneous:

Xeroxing -----	\$330.94
Xerox paper & supplies ----	14.25
Mailing Wanted flyers to laundries in U.S. -----	287.00
Miscellaneous supplies ----	65.77
Confidential item -----	<u>19.50</u>

Total miscellaneous ----- 717.46

Total Unusual or out of ordinary costs ----- \$14,283.65

4. Peak number of Special Agents on this case: 3,075 Agents

It is to be noted the above figures constitute only those costs known to the Memphis Division as reported through the Bureau's Field Divisions.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Director, FBI

DATE: 10/11/68

FROM: *RHJ* SAC, Memphis (44-1987) (P)

SUBJECT: MURKIN

Enclosed are two Xerox copies of a letter and envelope addressed by subject JAMES EARL RAY to Mr. ARTHUR HANES, SR., Attorney, 617 Frank Nelson Bldg., Birmingham, Ala. This letter was written by RAY, 10/3/68, while incarcerated in Shelby County Jail, Memphis, Tenn.

Copies of this letter are furnished to the Bureau for information only.

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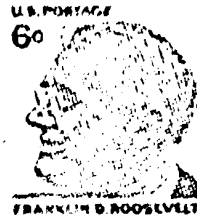
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J. RAY
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To Mr. Arthur Hones Sr. Attorney.
617 - Frank Nelson Bldg,
Birmingham, Alabama

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10-3-68

Dear Mr. Hones;

I'll just write a short letter to let
you know everything is alright, am still
gaining weight and sleeping $8\frac{1}{2}$ hrs a day.
Lery is coming down shortly but am going
to have him wait until I see you again,
since I want to give him the papers
also if you have one of these black
power of attorney I want him to have one
of them. I will close for now.

Sincerely,
James Earl Ray

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TO : Mr. DeLoach *PD*

DATE: October 10, 1968

FROM : A. Rosen *AR*

1 - Mr. DeLoach
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1 - Mr. McGowan
1 - Mr. Long
1 - W. C. Sullivan *WCS*

SUBJECT: MURKIN

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

Dr. Bertram D. ~~Sarason~~ *I*, professor of English, Southern Connecticut College, New Haven, Connecticut, advised us that he recently was at a small gathering of four individuals and one of these individuals was employed at McCalls Publications. *AR*

During the course of the conversation a "McCalls" employee mentioned that "Look" magazine beginning with the issue of October 29, 1968, will run a series on James Earl Ray. In this series of articles Ray reportedly will state that the Ku Klux Klan hired him to assassinate Martin Luther King, Jr.

Dr. Sarason requested that his identity be protected and he declined to furnish the name of the "McCalls" employee since he feared if it became known the employee might lose his job.

We previously had information that William Bradford Huie, author, who allegedly entered into a contract with James Earl Ray to write his life story, has been in contact with restaurant owners in Winnetka, Illinois. Based upon information furnished by Ray, Mr. Huie interviewed these people, as they employed Ray at their restaurant during May and June of 1967, and he promised to furnish them "proofs" of an article to appear in "Look" magazine on November 10, 1968. To date Huie has not furnished the proofs to the restaurant owners. *9*

We have run out similar allegations of Ray having been involved in an assassination plot financed by the Ku Klux Klan with negative findings. *EC-41/4-2571-2536*

Bureau files contain no derogatory information concerning Dr. Sarason.

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For your information. Department being advised.

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Enclosed for the Bureau are 5 copies; for Memphis two copies and for New York one copy of an LHM captioned JAMES EARL RAY, which is self-explanatory. A copy of this communication and the LHM is being designated for the New York Office for information since Mc Call's and Look Magazines both have their headquarters in New York City.

NH T-1 is Dr. BERTRAM D. SARASON, professor of English, Southern Connecticut State College, New Haven, Conn., whose identity is protected at his request. He declined to furnish the name of the Mc Call's employee since he feared if it became known the employee might lose his job.

Professor SARASON was concerned that the U.S. District Attorney prosecuting the case might be caught by surprise by the revelation that the Ku Klux Klan hired RAY to assassinate Reverend MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. and that the resulting publicity might cause difficulty in selecting an unbiased jury.

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Professor SARASON was under the impression that both Mc Call's and Look Magazines were jointly owned by one corporation.

The above is being submitted for the information of the Bureau and the Memphis Office.

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In Reply, Please Refer to
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New Haven, Connecticut 06510

October 7, 1968

JAMES EARL RAY

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-36861)

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (44-1574)

SUBJECT: MURKIN

Re Los Angeles tel dated 10/1/68.

Enclosed for the Bureau and other receiving offices are two copies of an FD-302 reflecting an interview with Dr. RUSSELL BRADLEY, who performed nose surgery on JAMES EARL RAY.

Dr. RUSSELL BRADLEY, 7060 Hollywood Boulevard, was interviewed on 10/2/68 and furnished the following information:

On 9/25/68 WILLIAM BRADFORD HUIE made an appointment with Dr. BRADLEY for professional services. He furnished his residence as 411 Day Street, Hartsville, Alabama and his employment as real estate broker and investor. He furnished his local address as the Bel-Air Hotel, Beverly Hills, California.

During this appointment HUIE advised Dr. BRADLEY that he was actually present to obtain information from BRADLEY concerning surgery he had performed on the nose of JAMES EARL RAY, known to Dr. BRADLEY as ERIC S. GALT. Dr. BRADLEY stated he could furnish no information from his records without first having the written consent of the patient.

HUIE advised BRADLEY that he would obtain RAY's consent.

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HUIE reappeared at Dr. BRADLEY's office on 9/27/68 with a handwritten medical release from RAY witnessed by RAY's attorney ARTHUR HAYNES. With approval of his personal attorney Dr. BRADLEY then furnished HUIE information concerning ERIC S. GALT from his files.

This information consisted of the facts that BRADLEY had a first appointment with GALT on 2/19/68 for consultation. On 3/5/68 BRADLEY performed a nasal tip reconstruction for an elongated nasal tip on GALT in his office. On 3/7/68 packs were removed from GALT's nose and on 3/11/68 sutures were removed. GALT was scheduled to return in six weeks for a postoperative checkup but failed to keep the appointment.

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Dr. RUSSELL BRADLEY, 7080 Hollywood Boulevard, was interviewed and furnished the following information:

Dr. BRADLEY stated that the information he would furnish concerns a patient and therefore he considers it of a confidential nature. He stated that prior to making this information public or prior to his testifying to it he first would need a release from the patient.

JAMES EARL RAY utilizing the name of ERIC S. GALT appeared at Dr. BRADLEY's office on February 19, 1968 at 11:30 a.m. for consultation. He furnished his address as 5533 Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, telephone 464-1131 and date of birth as [REDACTED]. He listed his nearest relative as CARL L. GALT, 2608 Highland Avenue, Birmingham, Alabama. GALT stated he had been referred to Dr. BRADLEY by the Los Angeles County Medical Association.

Dr. BRADLEY stated he performed a nasal tip reconstruction for an elongated nasal tip on GALT in his office on March 5, 1968. A local anesthetic was used. On March 7, 1968 GALT returned to Dr. BRADLEY's office to have packs removed from his nose. On March 11, 1968 he again returned and the sutures were removed from his nose by Dr. BRADLEY.

GALT was scheduled to return in six weeks for a final postoperative checkup but failed to keep the appointment.

Dr. BRADLEY stated he personally saw GALT on each visit. He continued that GALT was quiet and pleasing in manner, unassuming and composed. Dr. BRADLEY stated that GALT paid \$200 in cash for the surgery on the date of the operation, March 5, 1968. Dr. BRADLEY stated that the surgery he performed on GALT did not alter his appearance to any degree.

On 10/2/68 at Los Angeles, California File # Los Angeles 44-1574

by SA JAMES R. PACE and
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- 1 - Mr. Rosen
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ELECTRONIC SURVEILLANCES

O'MAR

Reference is made to my memorandum dated June 4, 1968, captioned as above, pointing out that your decisions were urgently needed concerning requests for electronic surveillances on the individuals and organizations listed in my memorandum of May 20, 1968. Subsequent to the memorandum of May 20, 1968, a request for electronic surveillance was submitted to you on May 31, 1968, concerning the National Headquarters of the Students for a Democratic Society, Chicago, Illinois. ~~(S)~~ ✓ U

As you were previously advised, this Bureau is greatly concerned about the delays involved regarding the requests for electronic surveillances which have been submitted to you. While we are making every feasible effort to obtain essential intelligence data in the internal security field, we cannot hope to fulfill our responsibilities in the intelligence field unless the requested investigative techniques are made available. It is absolutely essential that in critical cases full coverage be given in areas of foreign intelligence, counterespionage, domestic subversion, and insurrection. The requests which are pending are in critical cases and in view of the developments during the past several weeks, particularly concerning activities of subversive organizations, civil rights groups, and organizations affiliated with the New Left, this Bureau must have consideration of the coverage requested of you. ~~(S)~~ u

I again find it necessary to bring to your attention that your delays involving requests for electronic surveillances are causing a loss of invaluable intelligence information. It is again requested that you furnish your decision as soon as possible concerning the requests which have been made. ~~(S)~~ u

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Mr. Attorney General

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For your information, inasmuch as James Earl Ray has been apprehended, the request for electronic surveillances outlined in my memorandum dated May 13, 1968, captioned "Assassination of Martin Luther King, Jr." is hereby withdrawn.

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NOTE:

See memorandum C.D. Brennan to Mr. W.C. Sullivan, same caption, dated 6/10/68, prepared by MJA:sss.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)
 FROM: SAC, BIRMINGHAM (44-1740) (P)
 SUBJECT: MURKIN

Re Memphis teletype to Bureau, 9/30/68.

The three state prosecutors from Memphis, ROBERT DWYER, JAMES BEASLEY, and JOHN CARLISLE, spent the entire day and early evening in Birmingham on 10/3/68 and were afforded courtesies of the Birmingham Office in arranging interviews, etc., with prospective witnesses. They appeared to be satisfied with responses obtained. They also gave the impression of being extremely dedicated toward the prosecution of this case.

For consideration of the Bureau, it appears advisable at this time for the physical evidence which was personally delivered to the FBI Laboratory immediately after being located to be returned to Birmingham in order that the items may be available for witnesses at Birmingham to produce in response to subpoenas duces tecum. These items include the Aeromarine Supply Company Sales Invoice #2251A, 3/29/68, under the name HARVEY TOWMEYER and the rental agreement, plus related papers, for Safe Deposit Box #5517 at Birmingham Trust National Bank dated 8/28/67 under the name ERIC S. GALT.

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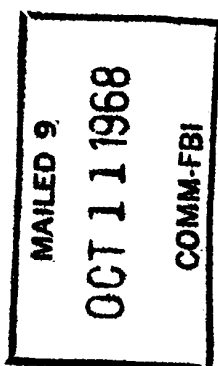
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Re Birmingham airtel to Bureau dated 10/8/68.

Department is handling the evidence in this matter, and you will be advised accordingly.

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Enclosed for the Bureau are nine copies of an LHM reflecting interview with DONALD LEE MITCHELL, an inmate of the Collier County Jail, Naples, Florida. Two copies of the LHM are being forwarded to Memphis and Kansas City for assistance in their investigation.

The Miami Division is not in a position to evaluate the information furnished by MITCHELL.

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Will evaluate the information furnished by MITCHELL with known information concerning RAY's activities during the period of 1966 referred to by MITCHELL.

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