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DIRECTOR (44-38861) ATLANTA, BIRMINGHAM

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MEMPHIS (44-1987) 2P

MURKIN.

REFERENCE IS MADE TO LOS ANGELES TEL TO THE BUREAU SIX THIRTY FOUR P.M. APRIL TWENTY TWO LAST AND CHICAGO TELEPHONE CALL TO MEMPHIS THAT DATE REGARDING CIRCULARIZATION OF KNOWN LAUNDRY MARKS BY AMERICAN LAUNDRY DIGEST AND AMERICAN DRY CLEANER DIGEST WHICH COMPANIES HAVE HEADQUARTERS AT CHICAGO. MEMPHIS AGREES THAT SUBJECT RAY MAY HAVE IN HIS POSSESSION CLOTHES BEARING THESE LAUNDRY MARKS AND RECOMMENDS SUCH CIRCULARIZATION. MEMPHIS HAS PREVIOUSLY REQUESTED ALL OFFICES TO DISCONTINUE CANVASS OF LAUNDRIES FOR ADDITIONAL LAUNDRY MARK INFORMATION.

IN VIEW OF THE NEWS MEDIA'S PROPENSITY FOR EXPANDINGHON TRIVIA AND SINCE NEWS MEDIA MAY HAVE LEARNED OF THE FOLLOWING INCIDENT, THIS INFORMATION IS BEING SET FORTH:

DURING FEBRUARY NINETEEN SIXTY EIGHT, MR. HENRY O'NEILL' AND MR. ROBERT ROULSTON / BOTH EMPLOYEES OF AMERICAN AIRLINES. WERE ATTENDING AAL CONFERENCE AT TULSA, OKLAHOMA. A DISCUSSION OF THE RACIAL SITUATION TOOK PLACE, AND MR. O'NEILL DENDICATED

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HE FELT IT WAS ALMOST CERTAIN THAT CHICAGO WOULD HAVE FURTHER
DIFFICULTY WHEN SUMMER CAME. ANOTHER PERSON TOOK EXCEPTION TO
O'NEILL'S REMARKS, AND A FIVE DOLLAR WAGER WAS MADE WITH O'NEILL
TAKING THE POSITION THAT CHICAGO WOULD BE BOTHERED BY RIOTS
DURING THE COMING SUMMER. LATER THAN EVENING, ROULSTON INDICATED HE FELT THE RACIAL SITUATION WAS DETERIORATING AND
STATED MARTIN LUTHER KING WOULD BE KILLED BEFORE MAY ONE NEXT.
O'NEILL TOOK EXCEPTION TO THIS REMARK AND BET ONE HUNDRED
DOLLARS THAT KING WOULD NOT BE KILLED BEFORE MAY ONE NEXT.

UPON HEARING OF KING'S DEATH, O'NEILL AT NASHVILLE,
TENN., SENT A HUNDRED DOLLAR CHECK TO ROULSTON AT WASHINGTON,
D. C. ROULSTON TORE UP THE CHECK AND NOTIFIED O'NEILL THAT HE
FELT IT WAS A "BAD BET" AND HE FELT BADLY ABOUT HAVING SUGGESTED
SUCH A WAGER. O'NEILL INTERVIEWED AT NASHVILLE, TENN., AND
INDICATED NEITHER HE NOR ROULSTON HAS ANY INFORMATION REGARDING
SUBJECT OR THE MURDER OF KING.

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TO DIRECTOR /44-33851/ MEMPHIS /44-1957/
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TO DIRECTOR, SEPTEMBER TWENTY TWO LAST, CAPTIONED, "REPORTED THREAT TO THE LIFE OF SENATOR EVERETT DIRKSEN, VICE PRESIDENT MUBERT HUMPRHEY, AND SENATORIAL CANDIDATE CHARLES H. PERCY. INFORMATION CONCERNING," AND CHICAGO AIRTEL TO DIRECTOR, SEPTEMBER
TWENTY SEVEN LAST, CAPTIONED, "MELLY WILLIAMS. INFORMATION CONCERNING."

INVESTIGATION, CHICAGO, DETERMINED SOURCE OF STORY ABOUT KING'S CHAUFFEUR WAS HAROLD E. RAINVILLE, ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT TO SENATOR DIRKSEN WHO RELATED STORY IN PRESENCE OF SENATOR WALLBOX SENATOR DIRKSEN TO UTAH AF RECEPTION HOLD FOR SENATOR DEMNETT IN CHICAGO APRIL FOUR LAST.

RAINVILLE ADVISED HE ORIGINALLY REARD STORY FROM DR. RALPH MUNISTADTER, NIX HUNDRED NORTH MICHIGAN, CHICAGO. DR. MUNISTADTER, HAD ADVISED THAT KELLY WILLIAMS, AN ELDERLY COLORED MALE, FORMERLY CHAUFFEURED FOR HIM, BUT HAS LET GO ABOUT A YEAR AND A HALF A 10 BECAUSE OF PHYSICAL CONDITION. A YEAR LATER WILLIAMS WORKED FOR END PAGE ONE

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KIND AS CHAUFFIUR, BUT RECALLED MOTHING ABOUT WILLIAMS CARRYING A BAC WITH LARGE BUNS OF MOMEY IN IT FOR KING. DR. MUNSTADTER RECALLED WILLIAMS HAD A DISEASE AFFECTING HIS BRAIN, AND THOUGHT WILLIAMS WAS PROPABLY DEAD BY NOW.

INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED BY CHICAGO IN MINITEEN SIXTYPIX

CAPTIONED, "MELLY WILLIAMS. IMPORTATION CONCERNING", REFLECTS

JILLIAMS HAD APPARENT MENTAL PROBLEMS AND OTHER REASONS TO COURT

HIS VERACITY. AT THAT TIME IT WAS ALSO DETERMINED THAT MEITHER

CHICAGO NOR ATLANTA OFFICE HAD ANY INFORMATION INDICATING KING OR

ASSOCIATES HAD EVER UTILIZED PROFESSIONAL CHAUFFEURS IN THEIR TRAVELS.

NO FURTHER INJURY SELMS MADE CONCERNING THIS MATTER.
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TO DIRECTOR (44-38861) MEMPHIS AND ST. LOUIS

FROM KANSAS CITY (44-760) 3P

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LEO HOLDEN PARKER. MSP. RECEIVED APRIL NINETEEN, SIXTY-EIGHT, TO SERVE FIFTEEN YEARS. ARMED HOBBERY FIRST, SAID HE WAS RELEASED ON PAROLE TO DISMAS HOUSE, ST. LOUIS, JUNE ONE, SIXTY-SEVEN, AFTER SERVING THIRTEEN YEARS FOR MURDER IN ILLINOIS. VAS ARRESTED JULY EIGHTEEN. SIXTY-SEVEN. FOR HAVING KIDNAPED AND ROBBED NINETEEN YEAR OLD COUPLE, RITA BROCKELMAN, ONE FIVE ZERO TWO A MONTGOMERY, AND GEORGE MC QUADE, JR., FOUR SEVEN ZERO EIGHT PLOVER, ST. LOUIS, MO. CASE INVESTIGATED BY DETECTIVES JOHN LEPPING AND EDWARD ALLERS. FIFTH DISTRICT, ST. LOUIS PD. PARKER CLAIMS INNOCENT OF CRIME AND IDENTIFICATION MADE ON TOUCHED PHOTO. STATES NEWSPAPER ARTICLE JULY TWELVE, SIXTY-SEVEN, ST. CHARLES, MO. DAILY BANNER, REFLECTS CONFLICTING STATEMENTS BY VICTIMS WITH HIS IDENTIFICATION. STATES WAS IN ST. LOUIS JAIL FOR TEN MONTHS ON FOURTH FLOOR UNTIL DECEMBER SIXTY-SEVEN, AND THEREAFTER ON FIRST FLOOR. VICTIMS CLAIM PERSON WHO KIDNAPED AND ROBBED THEM STATED HAD BROKEN OUT OF PRISON AND AEEDED A CAR. PARKER INTERVIEWED EVERYBODY HE COULD IN JAIL

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FIND OUT WHO WAS OUT OF PRISON AND AMONG PERSONS HE FOUND OUT HAD ESCAPED WAS JAMES RAY. WAS TOLD BY ONE UNRECALLED INMATE THAT AS LATE AS SEPTEMBER, SIXTY-SEVEN, RAY WAS IN ST. LOUIS AND LIVING AND COCKING IN GARAGE, HAD A CAR, WAS PUSHING OR USING NARCOTICS AND MAKING MONEY BY STICK-UPS. REQUESTED ATTORNEY TO GET PHOTOS OF RAY BUT THIS WAS NOT DONE. PARKER SAID THIS WEEK HE OBSERVED VARIOUS PHOTOS OF RAY IN NEWSPAPERS AND NOTED HIS DESCRIPTION IS IDENTICAL TO PARKER'S EXCEPT HE, PARKER, HAS TATTOOS AND BROWN EYES, WHEREAS VICTIMS CLAIM PERSON WHO KIDNAPPED THEM HAD BLUE EYES. PHOTO OF PARKER OBTAINED AND GENERAL APPEARANCE OF RAY AND PARKER IS SAME.

ST. LOUIS, AT ST. CHARLES, MO., AND ST. LOUIS, MO., WILL CONTACT INVESTIGATING OFFICERS AND WITNESSES IN PARKER CASE AND CONDUCT OTHER LOGICAL INVESTIGATION TO DETERMINE IF RAY COULD HAVE BEEN ACTUAL SUBJECT IN PARKER MATTER AND ATTEMPT TO ESTABLISH THROUGH CI'S OR PCI'S WHETHER RAY WAS IN ST. LOUIS AREA HIDING OUT IN GARAGE. IN THIS CONNECTION IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT INVESTIGATION INDICATES THAT END PAGE TWO

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JOHN RAY, BROTHER OF SUBJECT, POSSIBLY COULD HAVE AIDED IN ESCAPE OF RAY FROM MSP. ST. LOUIS IMMEDIATELY ADVISE IF PHOTOS OF PARKER AVAILABLE.

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FBI DALLAS

650PM URGENT 4/26/68 JDP

TO DIRECTOR (44-38861), MEMPHIS (44-1987) AND KANSAS CITY FROM DALLAS (44-2649) 2P

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RE KANSAS CITY TEL APRIL TWENTYFOUR LAST AND HOUSTON TEL APRIL TWENTYFIVE LAST CONCERNING NEAL EDGAR AEBY, REPORTED ASSOCIATE OF RAY IN MISSOURI STATE PEN.

U. S. PROBATION OFFICE, DALLAS, REPORTS AUBREY AEBY,
CURRENTLY INMATE USP, LEAVENWORTH. KANSAS CITY INTERVIEW HIM
CONCERNING ANY POSSIBLE ACQUAINTANCE OF RAY THROUGH ASSOCIATION
OF BROTHERS WITH RAY.

JAMES AÈBY, DALLAS, ADVISES RAY COMPLETELY UNKNOWN TO HIM AND HE HAS NOT ASSOCATED WITH HIS THREE BROTHERS FOR MANY YEARS.

JAMES AÈBY IS APPARENTLY LEGITIMATE BUSINESSMAN AND CONFIRMED

LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES, DALLAS.

BILLY BROWN AEBY, FORMER INMATE MISSOURI STATE PEN, IS CURRENTLY IN DALLAS AREA ON BOND IN CONNECTION WITH THREE NARCOTIC CHARGES. IS REPORTED HERION USER AND PUSHER. EFFORT BEING MADE TO LOCATE THIS MAN THROUGH BONDSMAN AND ATTORNEY, 1977

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WHO APPARENTLY ARE COOPERATIVE TO EFFECT INTERVIEW UNDER

MOST FAVORABLE CIRCUMSTANCES. -P-

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FROM OMAHA 44-310 1P DRY CLEANER UTILIZING THERMO-SERL TAPES IN OPERATION, CEDAR RAPIDS, ID -, REMARKED THE LETTER R IN CODE NUMBER "IND ZERO R DASH THAE ", 1881 DE ABLY REFERS TO FIRST INITIAL OF CUSTOMER'S LAST NAME, HICH IS COM ON CODING PRACTICE IN USING THERMO-SEAL TAPING. ABOVE FURNISHED FOR INFORMATIO. . ARMED AND DANGEROUS. SERIALIZED, A. FILED APR 2 6 1968 2025 RELEASE UNDER E.O. 14176

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7:27 PM URGENT 4/26/68 CMH

TO: DIRECTOR. BOSTON, MEMPHIS AND SEATTLE

FROM: MINNEAPOLIS (157-450) (P)

MURKIN

MRS. RICHARD BUSHE, PROPRIETOR, MODERN FRONTIER
MOTEL, HIGHWAY TEN, MANDAN, NORTH DAKOTA, ADVISED THIS
DATE THAT ROY O. WALTER, WARRANT OFFICER, NORTH DAKOTA
NATIONAL GUARD, A GUEST, REPORTED THAT THE PEOPLE IN UNIT
THREE WERE ACTING VERY ODD. HE WAS AWAKENED AT APPROXIMATELY
SIX A.M. BY A NOISE, A SLAMMING OF DOORS NEXT DOOR. HE
WENT TO THE WINDOW AND OBSERVED A MAN AND A BLOND WOMAN
WHO HAD THEIR CAMPER TRAILER PARKED IN FRONT OF THE UNIT
WHICH THEY OCCUPIED, CARRYING OUT ITEMS AND OBSERVED THEM
TAKING FOOD OUT OF THE CAMPER AND TAKING IT BACK INTO THE
MOTEL, APPARENTLY TO EAT BREAKFAST. THEY DEPARTED FROM THE
MOTEL AT APPROXIMATELY SIX FORTY A.M. HE STATED THAT THE
BLOND MIGHT BE IDENTICAL WITH THE BLOND WOMAN THE FBI IS
LOOKING FOR IN CONNECTION WITH THE KING KILLING. HE READ
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THIS ITEM IN AN APRIL TWENTY FIVE LAST ISSUE OF THE MINOT DAILY NEWS.

RECORDS SHOW A MR. AND MRS. GORDON ANDERSON OF SEVEN
THREE ONE FOUR ONE HUNDRED FORTY SIXTH STREET SOUTHWEST,
TACOMA, WASHINGTON, OCCUPIED UNIT THREE. THEY REGISTERED IN
AT THE MOTEL AT APPROXIMATELY SIX THIRTY P.M. APRIL TWENTY
FIVE LAST AND PAID IN ADVANCE. THE REGISTRATION CARD SHOWS
STATE OF MAINE VEHICLE LICENSE NUMBER THREE SIX DASH SEVEN
THREE SIX WHICH WAS PUT ON THE REGISTRATION CARD BY ANDERSON.
HOWEVER, THIS LICENSE NUMBER WAS NOT VERIFIED BY THE MOTEL.

MALE DESCRIBED AS , WHITE THIRTY FIVE,

FIVE FEET ELEVEN INCHES, ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY POUNDS, DARK

HAIR, SUNTAN COMPLEXION. THE FEMALE DESCRIBED AS WHITE,

APPROSIMATELY TWENTY FIVE OR TWENTY SIX, FIVE FEET FIVE INCHES,

BLOND HAIR.

MRS. BUSHEE VIEWED PHOTOGRAPH OF SUBJECT RAY AND STATED THERE IS A SIMILARITY OF LOOK ALIKE IN APPEARANCE BUT DID NOT MAKE A POSITIVE IDENTIFICATION.

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BOSTON INQUIRE RE MAINE REGISTRATION

RECORDS OF LICENSE NUMBER THREE SIX DASH SEVEN THREE SIX.

SEATTLE WILL ATTEMPT TO IDENTIFY A MR. AND MRS. GORDON ANDERSON WHO SUPPOSEDLY RESIDE AT SEVEN THREE ONE FOUR, ONE HUNDRED FORTY SIXTH STREET SOUTH WEST, TACOMA, WASHINGTON.

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PROFIDERECTOR 44-35561 1P

MURKIT.

THE MAIN FILE ON KING MAS SEEN REVIEWED AT THE BURYAU AND LEADS ARE BEING SENT OUT CONCARNING PERSONS INVOLVED IN FRIOR THREATS AGAINST KING. THESE LEADS AS WELL AS LEADS CONCERNING, ANY OTHER SUSPECTS DEVELOPED FROM ANY SOURCE.

YEST SE GIVEN IMMEDIATE AND THOROUGH HANDLING ON A TOP PRIORITY BASIS. PROCESS HAS BEEN OBTAINED AGAINST JAMES EARL RAY AND EXTENSIVE INVESTIGATION IS CONTINUING TO LOCATE RAY AND TO TOTABLISH NOTIVE OF CRIME. YOU MAVE REEN AND WILL BE THANKS THE INFORMATION RELATING TO OTHER POSSIBLE COMPRISATORS.

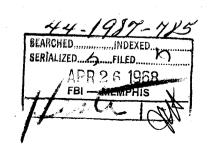
THESE BUST ALL BE THOROUGHLY RESOLVED NO MATTER HOW REMOTE.

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TO SURFAU, ASAPHIS AND MARSAS CITY -

FRUM ST. LOUIS (44-775)

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RE MBP. INMAŤE LED MOLDEN PARKER.

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3:35PM URGENT 4-26-68 PJL

TO DIRECTOR, HOUSTON, AND MEMPHIS (44-1987)

FROM MIAMI (44-1854)

MURKIN.

RE METEL PM, INSTANT TO DIRECTOR, MIAMI AND HOUSTON REINFO RECEIVED FROM PAUL ALVIN LAIL.

LAIL REINTERVIED THIS DATE AND ADVISED ONLY REASON FOR PICKING HOUSTON WAS SIZE OF CITY AND HIS FAMILIARITY WITH IT.

NO INFORMATION AVAILABLE AS TO ABEY'S WHEREABOUTS.

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FROM MIAMI (44-1854)

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RE PITTSBURGH TEL TO DIRECTOR, CHICAGO, AND MEMPRIS, FOUR THOMTYSIC, INSTANT.

RE THREATS TO MARTIN LUTHER KINS, JR.

FOR INFO SAM DIEGO, RE TELETYPE REFLECTED:

MARRY P. STEWARD, U.S. SECRET SERVICE, REPORTED HIS MEPHEW, STEWARD LINDH, 700 TWO ZERO SIX, SAM FRANCISCO, CALIF., CLAIMED HE AND TWO OTHERS THROUGH NEWSPAFER AD OSTAINED RIDE WITH DIGHT. AT KAUSAS CITY, NO., STOUT DISAPPEARED WITH THEIR OFFECTS. SEFCRE STOUT DISAPPEARED, HE TOLD THEM HE WAS SCING TO SHOOT KING.

ON FOUR TRENTYSIA, INSTAUT, RAYMOND ZACKOVICH, SECRET SERVICE ASERT, PITTS SURCH, ADVISED HARRY P. STEWART, FORMER DECRET SERVICE ASERT, METIRED ONE YEAR AGO. STEWART NOW RESIDING AT ROUTE DAY, BOY THREE EIGHT EIGHT, SERASTIAN, FLA.

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HARRY P. STEWART, AT ASOVE-ADDRESS, SESASTIAN, FLA., ADVISED PROVE INCIDENT OCCURED TWO ON THREE YEARS AGO, WHEN MERHED STEWARD LINDS HITCH-HIKING FROM SAN FRANCISCO TO VERMONT. STEWART DOTO NOT RESIDED AND FRANCISCO TO VERMONT. STEWART DOTO NOT RESIDED FOUR ZERO ONE CERO AND ONE-HALF, VAN DYKE, SAN DIEGO, CALIF., AND ATTENDING UNKNOWN COLLEGE IN SAN DIEGO.

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9-15 PM URGENT 4-26-68 REF
TO EL PASO (157-186) AND MEMPHIS

FROM LOS ANGELES (44-1574) 1P

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REURTEL TODAY.

STEIN HAS BEEN INTERVIEWED AT LENGTH AND RECALLS THAT ON APPROXIMATELY SIX OCCASIONS RAY ATTEMPTED TO UTILIZE TELEPHONE, AND THIS OCCURRED WHILE CROSSING TEXAS. ONLY FACTUAL DATA HE COULD RECALL WAS A THIRTY MINUTE STOP DECEMBER SIXTEEN, SIXTY SEVEN, NEAR HOUSTON. STEIN IS PRESENTLY WITH LOUIS LOMAX, CONTROVERSIAL NEWS PERSONALITY, AND SPENT APRIL TWENTY FIVE IN HOUSTON ARE ATTEMPTING TO LOCATE ANY TELEPHONE BOOTH UTILIZED. HOUSTON ADVISES NO SUCCESS ON PART OF LOMAX AND STEIN.

STEIN NOT AVAILABLE FOR REINTERVIEW.

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322PM URGENT 4-26-68 SVW FROM WASHINGTON FIELD 44-705 TE ATLANTA TEL TO URE AU, MPHIS, MNOXVILLE, RICHO D, AND WFO, APRIL TWENTY-FIVE, MINETEEN SIXTY-EIGHT, AND WED AIRT L TO SURFAU APRIL TWENTY-FIVE, MINETEEN SIMIY-EIGHT. ON APRIL TWENTY-SIM, NIMETERN SIXTY-RIGHT, HAMMAN FORD, SUPERVISOR, PAN AMÉRICAN AIRLINES, WASHINGTON, D.C., ADVISÉD THAT PAN AMERICAN AIRLINES, WASHINGTON, D.C., ADVISED THAT PAN AMERICAN HOS NO INFORMATION COMERNING THE WAVES NORMA FERRY, KORM PERRY, N. PERRY OR PERRY ON FLIGHT ONE, ZERO, SIM, APRIL SIX, MINETEEN SIXTY-EIGHT. SHE SAID THAT IF PERRY HA BOOKED PASSAGE THROUGH DELTA AIRLINES, ONLY DELTA, AT ATLANTA, WOULD HAVE THE BACKGROUND INFORMATION. MISS FORD ADVISED THAT SHE WOULD CHECK ON PASSENGER J.C. VAUGA, WASH. D.C., FLIGHT NUMBER ONE ZERO SIX FROM SERIALIZED FILED APR 2 6 1968

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ATLANTA TO LONDON, ON APRIL FIVE, NINETEEN SIXTY-EIGHT, AND SHE WOULD HAVE THE INFORMATION ON APRIL TWENTY-NINE, NIMETERN SIXTY-TIGHT. .FO IS CHECKING TELEPHONE MUMBERS RELATED TO VAUGH. ATLANTA CONTACT DELTA AIRLINES, ATLANTA, FOR INFO CONCERNI E NORMA PERRY. P. 2025 RELEASE UNDER E.O. 14176

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0-31 PM URGENT 4-26-68 REF

TO DIRECTOR (44-38861), MEMPHIS (44-1987), BIRMINGHAM (44-1740),

ATLANTA (44-2386), NEW ORLEANS, ST. LOUIS, SAN ANTONIO,

1 PASO (157-136) AND KANSAS CITY

FROM LOS ANGELES (44-1574) EP

MURKIT

JAMES BARL RAY RESIDED IN HOLLYWOOD WEEN LOS AWGELES FROM
NOVEMBER MINETEEN, SIXTY SEVEN, THROUGH MARCH SEVENTEEN, SIXTY
EIGHT APPROXIMATELY. NOVE BER MINETEEN UNTIL APPROXIMATELY
JAMUARY TWENTY RESIDED NEAR ST. FRANCIS HOTEL AND JANUARY TWENTY
ONE TO MARCH SEVENTEEN RESIDED THERE. TOLL NUMBERS FROM
TELEPHONE BOOTHS AT THE HOTEL ARE BEING ANALYZED FOR ANY
POSSIBLE CALLS BY SUBJECT WHILE IN LOS ANGELES AREA. FOLLOWING
NUMBERS HAVE BEEN DETERMINED TO DATE.

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DESEMBER THIRTY ONE, SIXTY SEVEN, DALLAS, SIX NINETEEN PA,

DECEMBER INENTY SEVEN, SIXTY SEVEN, HENDERSON, ZIGHT TWENTY FIVE PM, SIX FIVE SEVEN DASH TWO SIX FIVE THREE.

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PAGE TWO LA 44-1574 JANUARY NINE, SIXTY EIGHT, EL PASO, SEVEN TWENTY SIX PM, ST. LOUIS -JANUARY TWENTY, SIXTY EIGHT, ST. LOUIS, THREE FIFTY SEVEN PM, THREE SIX ONE DASH NINE SIX ZERO ONE. JANUARY TWO, SIXTY EIGHT, GVERLAND, NINE FORTY SEVEN PM, FOUR TWO THREE DASH TWO THREE FOUR FIGHT. NEW ORLEANS -DECEMBER TWENTY TWO, SIXTY SEVEN, NEW ORLEANS, SEVEN FORTY EIGHT PM, FIVE TWO THREE DASH ZERO NINE THREE ZERO. SAN ANTONIO -FEBRUARY TWENTY NINE, SIXTY EIGHT, SAN ANTONIO, TWELVE TWENTY SEVEN PM, TWO TWO SEVEN DASH EIGHT ZERO SEVEN EIGHT. TICKET REFLECTS CALLER RUSSELL JOHNSON. IDENTITY OF CALLER AND ANY INFORMATION THAT MIGHT BE GAINED CONCERNING RAY IF HE MADE ANY OF THESE CALLS. 2025 RELEASE UNDER E.O. 14176

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Suder handerfold TO DIFFCIOR, MINPHIS, BIRMINGHAM, LOS ANCELES, SPRINGFIELD

FROM ATLANTA (44-23-6) 3P

SUMMARY OF INVESTIGATION, APRIL TURNTYSIX, SIXTYEIGHT: ON APRIL TWENTYFOUR LAST, U. S. POSTAL INSPECTOR, ATLANTA, ADVISED AN ENVELOPE TYPE PACKAGE HAD BEEN RECIVED AT POST OFFICE GENERAL DELIVERY SECTION ADDRESSED TO ERIC S. GALT. FIVE FIVE THREE THREE HOLLYWOOD BOULEVARD, HOLLYWOOD, CALIFORNIA. PACKAGE SENT FROM INTERNATIONAL POLICE FOUIPMENT COMPANY, EIGHT ZERO SIX SOUTH ROBERTSON BOULEVARD, LOS ANGERES, AND CONTAINED O'E PAIR OF JAPANESE CHROME HANDCUFFS WITH THO KEYS. ALSO ENCLOSED A "CONFIDERTIAL CATALOG", "POLICE AND INVESTIGATION EQUIPMENT." STANPED ON FRONT OF THE PACKAGE IS MARKED THAT FOLLOWING ITEMS WHICH VERE LISTED BY CATALOG MULLER ERF AGENCIES BY OFFICIAL PURCHASE ORDERS. LOS ANGELES TELEPRO I-CALLY ADVISED OF ABOVE, APRIL THENTYFOUR LAST. LOS ANGELES

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AT 44-3336 ADVISED THAT OWNER OF INTERNATIONAL POLICE ENDIPMENT COMPANY. ONE ZERO ZERO FOUR ALFRED. LOS ANGELES. ADVISED BASED ON INFON-TION THEN AVAILABLE, HAS ONLY STOCKED JAPANESE HANDOUFFS MINETY OR ONE HUNDRED TWENTY DAYS. DOES NOT ADVERTISE HANDGUFFS IN REGULAR MAGAZINE ADS WHICH APPEAR IN "TRASH" TYPE DETECTIVE MAGAZINES. THEREFORE BELIEVES INSTANT ORDER MUST HAVE BELN "REDROERED.". OWNER WILL BE ABLE TO FURNISH ORIGINAL ORDER FOR HANDOUFFS SHIPPED TO GALT THIS DATE. JIMMIE DELTON GARNER REINTERVIEWED WITH NO POSITIVE RESULTS. ' CONCERNING BILLY JOE FAILKNES, INVESTIGATION ELIMINATES HIS BEING IN ATLANTA DURING THE PERIOD RAY RESIDED ON FOURTEENTH STREET; HOWEVER, A BILLY FAULKNER WAS REGISTERED AS BEING AT ONE ZERO SEVEN FOURTEENTH STREET, APRIL TWO THROUGH NINE LAST. ALSO, A WILLIAM EARNEST HARPER RESIDED THERE AT THE SAME TIME AND IN THE SARE ROOM. HARPER DESCRIBED AS ABOUT FIFTY YEARS OF AGE AND DILLY FAULKNER AS AROUT TWENTY YEARS OLD. IDENTITY OF SILLY

PASE THESE AT- 44-2335 AND EFFORTS BEING MADE TO LOCATE HARPER WHO RESIDES COLU BUS, LORGIA. FAULKNER IS ON CAMPINE TRIP AND VILL RETURN COLUMBUS APRIL TWENTYEIGHT OR TWENTYMINE MEXT. SEVERAL TELEPHONE LOOK-ALIKE COMPLAIMTS HAVE BEEN RECEIVED IN ATLANTA AND HAVE BEEN ELIMINATED. CONTACT OF INDIVIDUALS ADVERTISING AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE THROUGH NEWSPAPERS CONTINUING AND NEGATIVE TO DATE. BOUND FLIGHTS FROM ATLANTA, APRIL FIVE LAST CONTINUING AND WESATIVE TO DATE. INVESTIGATION IS CONTINUING CONCERNING THE POSSIBILITY NO POSITIVE RESULTS SO FAR. RAY AND ANY INFORMATION THERE MAY HAVE BEET A BOUNTY PLACED DI THE LIFE OF KING. ARMED AND DANGEROUS. END . 2025 RELEASE UNDER E.O. 14176

FBI ST LOUIS

1022PM URGENT 4-25-68 JLS

TO BUREAU, MEMPHIS, CHICAGO AND SPRINGFIELD

FROM ST. LOUIS (44-775)

MURKIN - SUMMARY

JOHN LARRY RAY, BROTHER OF SUBJECT, REINTERVIEWED. MORE COOPERATIVE. ADMITTED VISITNG SUBJECT TWO OR THREE TIMES MSP. WAS IMPRISONED IN ILLINOIS PERIOD OF YEARS PRIOR TO SUBJECTS NINETEEN FIFTY NINE ARMED ROBBERY AND DENIED KNOWLEDGE OF SUBJECTS ACTIVITIES DURING SAME. AGAIN DENIED CONTACT WITH SUBJECT SINCE ESCAPE OR KNOWLEDGE OF HIS WHEREABOUTS.

BANK ACCOUNTS OF CAROL PEPPER LOCATED. EFFORTS DIRECTED
TOWARD DEVELOPING LIQUOR PERMIT VIOLATION TO SERVE AS LEVER TO
FORCE COOPERATION. SUPPLIERS OF GRAPEVINE TAVERN STATE DELIVERIES ARE COD AND PAID IN CASH BY WHO EVER IS ON DUTY. PUBLIC
UTILITIES STATE BILLS PAID BY CASH OR MONEY ORDERS, NAME OF REMITTERS NOT YET KNOWN. GMAC RECORDS SHOW JOHN RAY EXECUTED
CHATTEL MORTGAGE FOR BEER COOLER WITH CAROL AS CO-SIGNER ON NOTE.

AUVJWXR'S EMPLOYMENT ONE DAY MAY TWENTY EIGHT FIFTY EIGHT GLEN ECHO COUNTRY CLUB VERIFIED. SUED SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER

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COMMERICAL BAKERIES UNALBE TO LOCATE RAY EMPLOYMENT TO DATE.
HIPPIE NEIGHBORHOODS NEGATIVE.

MOBERLY MO STATE TRAINING SCHOOL FOR MEN INMATE DONALD DEAN DRIGGER STATED WHEN HE WAS AT MSP RAY INDICATED INTEREST IN LETTERS DRIGGER RECEIVED FROM MEXICO AND QUESTIONED REGARDING MEXICAN ECONOMY AND ARMY STRUCTURE.

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TO:

DIRECTOR, POI (44-38861) AND SAC, BIRMINGHAM

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SAC. BETROIT (44-989)

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RE BIRNINGHAM TRIBITIPE TO BUREAU APRIL SEVENTREN LAST.

RE SIXTY SIX VERYX SUSTANG RIGHT CYLINDER HARDTOP.

LOU ECHLIN, SECURITY DEPT., PORD MOTOR CO., ABVISED

HIS DEPT. REVIEWED ONE MILLION FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND VARRANTY

CARDS INDICATING ALL VARRANTY WORM PERFORMED SINCE

AUGUST THIRTY, NUMETERS SIXTY SEVEN. NO VARRANTY SERVICE

PERFORMED SINCE THAT DATE ON A SIXTY SIX MUSTANG, VIN

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AIR MAIL COPIES SENT ATLANTA, MEMPHIS, AND KANSAS CITY.

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RE CV TEL TO IP, APRIL TWENTYPIVE INSTANT AND SI TEL TO CV, APRIL TWENTYPIVE INSTANT.

WILLIAM JOSEPH KRAMZAR SERVING SENTENCES FOR WSTA, ITSMY, AT U. S. PENITENTIARY, TERRE HAUTE, IND. ADVISED TODAY WAS NEVER COMPINED STATE PENITENTIARY, JEFFERSON CITY, MISSOURI. KRAMZAR STATED RAY AND RIFE UNKNOWN TO HIM BY NAMES, ALIASES, PHOTOS. KRAMZAR STATES WAS CONFINED COUNTY JAIL, CARTHAGE, MISSOURI FROM OCT. SIXTIFOUR TO FEB. SIXTIFIVE, AWAITING ITSMY TRIAL. KRAMZAR SAID WAS ARRESTED SIXTIFOUR, SELMA, ALA. WITH JESSE RAY CARSON, WHO USED ALIAS JESSE RAY. STATES CARSON DEFINITELY NOT IDENTICAL TO JAMES EARL RAY.

RRAMZAR'S FILE REVIEWED, SHOWED NOTHING INDICATING WAS EVER COMPINED JEFFERSON CITY, MISSORKI.

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TO DIRECTOR (44-38861), MEMPHIS, BIRMINGHAM, ATLANTA, NEW ORLEANS,
KANS AS CITY, MILWAUKEE, HOUSTON AND SAN ANTONIO

FROM LOS ANGELES (44-1574) 7P

WRKIN

RE PURCHASE OF HANDCUFFS BY SUBJECT:

HERSERT F. GREENBERG, OWNER, INTERNATIONAL POLICE EQUIPMENT CO., LOS ANGELES CONTACTED APRIL TWO SIX, INSTANT. HE MADE AVAILABLE TYPEWRITTEN LETTER AND ENVELOPE FROM ERIC S. GALT, TVE FIVE THREE HOLLYWOOD BLVD., HOLLYWOOD ADDRESSED TO TIFFANY ESTERPRÍSES, EIGHT FIVE ONE TWO WHITWORTH DIVE, LOS ANGELES.

ENVELOPE POSTMARKED PM, FEBRUARY TWO EIGHT, NINETEEN SIXTY BIGHT AND LETTER DATED SAME. TYPED SIGNATURE OF ERIC S. GALT APPEARS ON LETTER, AS DOES WRITTEN NAME. DIMER WRITING ON LETTER DONE SY GREENBERG AT TIME ORDER FILLED. LETTER AND ENVELOPE BEING FURNISHED FOR LASORATORY.

TO TIFFANY ENTERPRISES ON FEBRUARY TWO SIX LAST. TIFFANY

BISTRIBUTES TO THEIR CUSTOMERS, OR SOMEONE ON THEIR MAILING LISTS,

BROCHURES OF GREENDERS'S WHICH CONTAINS AD FOR HANDGUPSS.

GREENBERG ADVISED SECRETARY FOR TIFFANY TOLD HIM APRIL TWO FIVE,

LAST, SHE NOW REMEMBERS ORDER. SHE ADVISED GREENBERG THERE WAS

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. 14 m PAGE TYJ LA 44-1574 DELAY IN FILLING SUBJECT'S ORDER, AND SALT CALLED HER ON PHONE INSTRUCTING MER TO SEND HAMDCUFFS IMMEDIATELY. SHE CALLED GREENBERG SAME DAY, GAVE HIM ORDER OVER PHONE. GREENGERG SENT MANOCUFFS FOLLOWING DAY, MARCH BIRTELN LAST. SUBJECT PAID FOR FURCHASE BY MONEY ORDER IN AMOUNT OF NINE DOLLARS MINETY SIGHT DIN'S. (PREVIOUS INDUIRY AS COMDUCTED AT TIFFARY TO LOCATE REASON FOR THIS MONEY ORDER WHICH SUBJECT PURCHASED AT BANK OF AMERICA.) RE RITA AND CHARLES STEIN: REVIEW OF CALLS LADE LAST "INETY DAYS REFLECTS CALLS AS FROM NEW ORLEANS OR TO NEW OWLEAS BY STEING. MARCH INELVE, NINE FOUR SEVEN DASH ZERO NINE THREE ZERO. COLLECT FROM NEW ORLEANS. MARCH IMENTY ONE AND THENTY THREE, HIME FOUR FIVE DASH SEVEN THREE ONE TWO, COLLECT FROM NEW ORLEANS. APRIL FOUR, MIDE FOUR FIVE DASH SEVEN THREE ONE TWO. CALLED FROM LOS ANGELES. FOR NO INFORMATION, STEIN PHONE AT LOS ANGELES IS TWO DAE THREE DASH FOUR SIX THREE DASH NIME FOUR FOUR NIME LISTED IN NAME RITA RODE, FIVE SIX SIX FRANKLIN AVENUE, LOS ANGELES. 2025 RELEASE UNDER E.O. 14176

1, LA 44-1574 LOS ANGELES POLICE DEPARTMENT ADVISED TODAY THEY ARE IN RECEIPT OF CALL FROM CARMEN RUBIO, NEW ORLEANS, FIVE TWO TWO DASH ONE TWO ONE TWO, THE GRANDMOTHER OF FOUR CHILDREN OF RITA . ROSA (STEIN), AND SHE ADVISED SHE WAS AWARDED CUSTODY OF THEM AND IS TRYING TO GET THEM BACK. LOS ANGELES SHERIFF'S OFFICE (LASO) SHOWS ARREST RECORD FOR RITA (NMN) ROSAS, AKA STEIN. LASO PHOTO IDENTICAL TO RITA STEIN THIS CASE. ARREST MADE BY LAPD ON MAY EIGHTEEN, SIXTY SEVEN ON CHARGE OF PERMITTING GAMBLING. DESCRIPTION: WHITE FEMALE, DOB POB NEW ORLEANS, LA., FIVE FEET THREE INCHES, ONE TWENTY TWO POUNDS, BLACK HAIR, BROWN EYES, RESIDENCE THIRTY THREE FORTY FLOYD TERRACE, HOLLYWOOD, BROTHER CHARLES STEI . SAME ADDRÉSS, OCCUPATION BARMAID AT "THE ORBIT", FOUR FOUR ZERO FOUR MELROSE, LOS ANGELES, SCAR ON RIGHT ARM AND LEFT CHEEK. BAIL SET AT TWO HUNDRED SEVENTY SIX DOLLARS. NO DISPOSTION SET FORTH. CALIFORNIA CRIMINAL IDENTIFICATION AND INVESTIGATION NUMBER THREE DASH TWO SEVEN NINE DASH EIGHT SEVEN SEVEN. FINGERPRINT CLASSIFICATION FOURTEEN WONE U DIL EIGHT OVER M TWO U DIM NIME. RE LOUIS LOMAX AND CHARLES STEIN: LOS ANGELES HERALD EXAMINER APRIL TWENTY SIX INSTANT CARRIED 2025 RELEASE UNDER E.O. 14176

W. Come LA 44-1574 EXCLUSIVE ARTICLE BY LOMAX RE TRIP BY LOMAX AND STEIN RETRACING TRIP TAKEN BY SUBJECT AND STEIN, LOS ANGELES TO NEW ORLEANS AND RETURN DURING DECEMBER SIXTY SEVEN. LOMAX ATTEMPTING TO LOCATE PHONE BOOTH FROM WHICH SUBJECT MADE PHONE CALLS AND SEARCH INVOLVES STRETCH OF HIGHWAY BETWEEN SAN ANTONIO AND HOUSTON. ARTICLE REPORTS SUBJECT MADE CONTACT WITH "TOWMY" LNU AT NEW ORLEANS TRADE MART, DECEMBER SEVENTEEN SIXTY SEVEN. RE THREATS TO KING: RE GILBERT: KEITH DWAYNE GILBERT WAS SENTENCED IN NINETEN SIXTY SIX TO ONE TO TEN YEARS IN STATE PENITENTIARY FOR RECEIVING STOLEN DYNAMITE STOLEN FROM AN EXPLOSIVE FIRM. GILBERT IS NOV SERVING HIS TIME AT SAN QUENTIN PRISON IN CALIFORNIA. WILLARD: MR. HOWARD WILLARD, FATHER OF GEORGE WILLARD, WAS CONTACTED THIS DATE AND HE ADVISED THAT HIS SON HAS OVERCOME HIS PSYCHIATRIC PROBLEMS AND IS NO LONGER ASSOCIATING WITH JOHN BIRCH MEMBERS. HIS SON IS PRESENTLY ATTENDING VALLEY STATE COLLEGE AS A LAW STUDENT AND IN ADDITION IS WORKING FULL TIME AT A STANDARD OIL 2025 RELEASE UNDER E.O. 14176

LA 44-1574 STATION IN PANORAMA CITY, CALIFORNIA. MR. WILLARD STATED THAT OTHER ENDEAVORS . JAMISON: WILLIAM HOWARD JAMISON ON SEPTEMBER ONE NINETEEN SIXTY FIVE COCKTAILS THROUGH WINDOW OF BOOKSTORE IN LOS ANGELS IN MARCH. NINETEEN SIXTY FIVE. HE WAS SENTENCED TO SERVE NINE WONTHS IN JAIL AND DENIED PROBATION. THE RECORDS OF THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY PROBATION DEPARTMENT REVEAL THAT JAMISON MOVED TO FOUR SEVEN FIVE ONE WINDSOR STREET, SHAWNEE-MISSION, KANSAS AFTER HIS RELEASE. JAMISON IS DESCRIBED AS MALE, CAUCASIAN, BORN JUNE EIGHTEEN NINETEEN THIRTY EAGHT, KANSAS OR MISSOURI, HIS WIFE BEING FRANCES STOKER JAMISON, WHO RESIDES WITH HIM IN KANSAS. HIS FATHER WAS LISTED AS HAROLD JAMISON, FIVE TWO THREE THREE NALL STREET, MISSION, KANSAS. RE DYRELL DENNIS: PHOTO'S OF DENNIS OBTAINED AND SHOWN. JOE PETERS, BARTENDER, SULTAN ROOM. FIVE FIVE THREE THREE AND ONE HALF HOLLYWOOD BLVD. LOS ANGELES IDENTIFIED PHOTO AS THAT OF FEMALE "LUSH" WHO FREQUENTED SULTAN ROOM DURING TIME RAY REGISTERED IN BUILDING AT ST FRANCIS HOTEL. STATED ONLY ASSOCIATION HE EVER OBSERVED BETWE RAY AND DENNIS WAS WHEN ONE DAY EXACT TIME NOT RECALLED RAY TALKED WITH DENNIS AT JUKE BOX IN SULTAN ROOM AND DENNIS APPEARED 2025 RELEASE UNDER E.O. 14176

PAGE SIX LA 44-1574 TO KEEP SHAKING HER HEAD IN A NEGATIVE MANNER. ADVISED HE HAS IDENTIFICATION. ALLEM THOMPSON, ST. FRANCIS HOTEL, FIVE FIVE THREE THREE HOLLYWOOD BLVD., LOS ANGELES, ADVISED HE HAS NEVER SEEN DENNIS ASSOCIATED WITH RAY. JIM MORRISON, RABBITS FOOT CLUB, FIVE SIX TWO THREE HOLLYWOOD BLVD., LOS ANGELES, ADVISED HE HAS SEEN DENNIS IN HIS CLUB BUT HE HAS NEVER OBSERVED HER WITH A MAN OR ANY PERSON THAT HE IS ABLE TO IDENTIFY OR RECALL. REVIEW OF STATE NARCOTIC BUREAU FILE ON DENNIS REFLECTS DENNIS TO BE AN ADDICT WHO DRINKS TO EXCESS AND RESORTS TO PROSTITUTION. DENNIS HAS FBI NUMBER THREE EIGHT SIX DASH TWO SEVEN ONE D. SHE WAS EMPLOYED AS A SWITCHBOARD OPERATOR IN BEVERLY HILLS FROM ONE SIXTEEN SIXTY EIGHT TO TWO THIRTEEN SIXTY EIGHT WHEN SHE LEFT UPON LEARNING ALL EMPLOYEES MUST BE RINGERPRINTED.

RE SCOTT NORDAL (KOOK ALIKE - NEW ORLEANS) :

MRS. HELEN VAN WAGNER, ZLERK PARAMOUNT HIGH SCHOOL, PARAMOUNT. CALIFORNIA; AND MRS. VIDATCRUNK, CLERK, COMPTON CITY SCHOOLS, COMPTON, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED ON APRIL TWENTY FIFTH LAST AND APRIL TWENTY SIXTH RESPECTIVELY, THAT A SEARCH OF SCHOOL RECORDS FAILED TO REVEAL ANY INDICATION NORDAL HAD ATTENDED EITHER PARAMOUNT HIGH SCHOOL OR COMPTON CITY SCHOOLS ..

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PAGE SEVEN Lá 44-1574 LE ADS: MEW ORLEANS: IF NOT ALREADY DONE, CONSIDER INTERVIEW OF CARMEN RUBIO FOR BACKGROUND OF RITA AND CHARLES STEIN. ANSAG CITY: BUREAU HAS REQUESTED THAT EVEN THOUGH JAMES EARL RAY HAS SEN IDENTIFIED AS THE ASSAILANT, INVESTIGATION SHOULD BE CONDUCTED TO DETERMINE IF JAMISON MIGHT BE IMPLICATED AS A CONSPIRATOR. JAMISON, A FORMER JOHN BIRCH MEMBER ALLEGEDLY SAID "I IN SOINT TO DET WART IN LUTHER KING, HE IS MINE." DELNIS AT LEAST ON ONE OCCUPION WAS DESERVED INLAING TO RAY. THEIR TERRITORY. INVESTIGATION CONTINUES AT LOS ANGELES. ARMED AND DANGEROUS. 2025 RELEASE UNDER E.O. 14176

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TO DIRECTOR 44-35861, FIPHIS, CHICAGO AND ST. LOUIS

FROM KANSAS CITY 44-760

MURKIN

WE KANSAS CITY TEL APRIL TWENTYSIX LAST.

REVEALS BREAD TRUCK HE WAS DRIVING ON APRIL TWENTYTHREE SIXTYSEVE IN WHICH BUBLECT REPORTEDLY HIDING LEING DRIVEN TO MISSOURI STATE PRISON FARM ATTACHED TO PENITENTIARY CALLED THE RENZ FARM, NOT THE CHURCH FARM, AS REPORTED BY PENITENTIARY RECORDS. THIS FARM IS LOCATED APPROXIMATELY FIVE MILES NORTH OF MAIN PENITENTIARY.

COMMUNICATION AND IN SUMMARY AIRTEL TO DIRECTOR AND MEMPHIS DATED

APRIL I. TYSIX LAST, DESCRIED THIS PRIOSN FAR AS CHURCH FAR.

IT HAS NOW BEEN DETERMINED THAT IT IS THE RENZ FARM. COMPLETE

DETAILS OF INTERVIEW WITH BURKHARDT BEING SUBMITTED THIS DATE

BY AIRTEL.

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URGENT 4-27-68 PJB 12:05 PM TO DIRECTOR. MEMPHIS. SEATTLE AND MIRRO APOLIS (157-450) FRUM BOSTON (157-644) RE MINNEAPOLIS TEL APRIL TWENTY SIX LAST. LIONEL E. PELLETIER, WE MIDDLE STREET, TOPSHA WAINE, ADVISED THAT HE HAS NIMETEEN SIXTY FIGHT MAINE AUTO REGISTRATION THREE SIX - SEVEN SIX THREE, ASSIGNED TO HIS MINETEEN SIXTY FOUR BLACK FOUR DOOR FORD FALCON. AND INTERVIEWING AGENT VERIFIED SAME. HE STATED THAT HE HAS NEVER BEEN IN AINHEAPOLIS. HE STATED THAT THE WAME GORDON ANDERSON AND THE DESCRIPTIONS OF WR. AND MRS. ANDERSON ARE NOT FAMILIAR TO HIM

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RAI CLEVELAND 144PM URGENT 4/27/65 NWS

TO DIRECTOR (MAIL) (44-38861), MEMPHIS (44-1987) AND CHICAGO (44-1114)

FROM CLEVELAND (44-565)5P

MURKIN.

RE: THREATS TO MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

RE CHICAGO TEL TO BUREAU, MEMPHIS AND CLEVELAND, APRIL TWENTYSIX LAST.

DONALD L. CRAMER AND HIS WIFE, ELAINE, INTERVIEWED TODAY AT
TWO THREE FOUR N. PROSPECT ST., FREMONT, OHIO. THOMAS E. CRAMER,
BROTHER OF DONALD, LEFT FREMONT AREA TWO TO THREE YEARS AGO AND
HAS NOT BEEN IN CONTACT WITH DONALD. DONALD OF OPINION THOMAS
SEPERATED FROM GLINDA, AKA., DINK, WHO CAN BE LOCATED AS
BEAUTICIAN AT HOUSE OF SALLY, THREE FOUR ZERO ZERO BLOCK,
BROADWAY, CHICAGO. GLINDA'S MOTHER IS INNA WADDLE, ONE NINE
THREE FOUR N. DRAKE, CHICAGO, TELEPHONE THREE EIGHT FOUR DASH
EIGHT FIVE FIVE THERE.

THOMAS HAS HALF BROTHER, ROBERT SHANAHAN, ADDRESS UNKOWN,

EMPLOYED STEWART-WARNER CO., CHICAGO, AND HAS FRIEND BILL

SEARCHED...

BUCHANAN, POSSIBLE STEWART-WARNER EMPLOYEE, LIVING IN THE DAM GERMANIZED...

AND DEVERSEY AREA, CHICAGO.

0/ 44-585 DOMALD TELEPHONICALLY CONTACTED HIS MOTHER AT FINDLAY. THIS TODAY WHO ADVISED THAT INDIAS HAS LEFT GLINDA, DATE THEOWN. AND WYEREASOUTS UNDOWN. WEITHER MRS. CRAMER NOR DONALD KNOW GLINDA'S HOME ADDRESS IN CHICAGO ALTHOUGH FORMER ADDRESS WAS ECHOOL STREET AS NOTED IN RETEL. BOTH OF OPINION THOMAS IS IN CHICAGO AREA, HOWEVER. REGULARLY. HE RECALLS HEARING FROM UNKNOWN PERSONS THAT IND SAID HE WAS GOING TO KILL PARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. ACTUALLY, HE WAS DOING THIS SECAUSE HE WAS ANGRY AT SOME NEGACES AT. STEWART - WARNER CO. CALLED THE POLICE. DONALE TALKED TO POLICE BY TELEPHONE AT THOMAS HORE WHO STATED GLINDA WAS NOT INJURED AND THAT THOMAS WAS APPARENTLY DRUNK. DOWALD CLAIMS THOMAS HAS LONG HISTORY OF MAKING UP SUCH STORIES.

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W 44-565 DONALD WILL CONTACT FB: SHOULD HE LEMAN OF THOMAS' WHERE AROUTS IN THE IMMEDIATE FUTURE. LEAD: IT IS SUGGESTED THAT IF THOMAS . CRAMER NOT LOCATED THROUGH ABOVE INFO, CHICAGO PLACE STOP WITH FBI IDENTIFICATION DIVISION. END . 2025 RELEASE UNDER E.O. 14176

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220PM-URGENT 4-27-68 XOB

TO DIRECTOR, ATLANTA, BIRMINGHAM, MEMPHIS, NEW ORLEANS,
LOS ANGELES, AND SAN ANTONIO
FROM HOUSTON (44-1509)

MURKIN: CR.

RE HOUSTON TEL, APRIL TWENTY SIX, LAST.
RE LOUIS LOMAX - CHARLES STEIN.

HOUSTON CHRONICLE REPORTER ON APRIL TWENTY SIX, LAST ACCOMPANIED LOMAX AND STEIN ON AUTO TRIP FROM HOUSTON TO SAN ANTONIO ATTEMPTING TO LOCATE TELEPHONE BOOTH ALLEGEDLY USED BY RAY. TELEPHONE BOOTH NOT LOCATED.

CHRONICLE REPORTER, DON MICHAELS, ADVISED THAT HE LEFT
LOMAX AND STEIN IN SAN ANTONIO AT FOUR THIRTY PM, APRIL
TWENTY SIX, LAST. STATED LOMAX AND STEIN RENTED AUTOMOBILE
FROM SAN ANTONIO AVIS CAR RENTAL, COWNTOWN OFFICE, AND
INDICATED THEY INTENDED TO SEARCH FOR TELEPHONE BOOTH WEST
OF SAN ANTONIO. MICHAELS ADVISED IT WAS HIS OPINION THAT
STEIN WAS TAXING LOMAX "FOR A RIDE" AND BOTH APPEARED TO BE
COMPLETELY LOST AS FAR AS LOCATION OF TELEPHONE BOOTH.
MICHAELS ALSO STATED THAT STEIN HAD INDICATED THAT HE HAD
SLEPT MOST OF THE TRIP FROM CALIFORNIA TO NEW ORLEANS WITH RAY.

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3:02PM URGENT 4-27-68 JLL

TO DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861), MEMPHIS (44-1987) KANSAS CITY (44-760), ST. LOUIS (44-775), SPRINGFIELD.

FROM LITTLE ROCK (157-1215)

MURKIN CR

RE ST. LOUIS TEL TO DIRECTOR APRIL TWENTY SIX LAST.

BENNY KALEB PINKSTON, LOCATED THIS DATE AT COUNTY JAIL,

FORREST CITY, ARK. WHERE HE IS SERVING THIRTY DAY SENTENCE FOR DRUNK

AND DISTRUBING PEACE. PINKSTON ADVISED THAT HE WAS IN NO WAY INVOLVED

IN MURDER OF DR. KING AND WAS IN JAIL AT FORREST CITY, ARK. WHEN

MURDER OCCURED. STATED DID NOT RECALL EVER THREATENING DR. KING'S LIFE,

HOWEVER. DID NOT BELIEVE HIS OBJECTIVES OF RACIAL MIXING.

PINKSTON ADVISED THAT WHEN HE WAS RELEASED FROM JAIL IN ST.

LOUIS, MARCH THIRTEEN LAST. HE PROCEEDED TO CAIRO, ILL. AND CONTACTED

HIS ATTORENY DAVID LANSDEND. HE TRAVELED FROM CAIRO TO FORREST CITY

WHERE HE ARRIVED ABOUT APRIL ONE LAST AND WHERE HE HAS RESIDED SINCE

PINKSTON STATED THAT HE HAS BEEN CONFINED TO SEVERAL MENTAL INSTITUTIONS INCLUDING ILLINOIS STATE HOSPITAL, VANDALIA, ILL., IN SIXTY THREE AND ADVISED HE IS A DISABLED VETERAL AND HAS HAD MENTAL END PAGE ONE

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PROBELMS SINCE HE CAME OUT OF THE U. S. ARMY FORTY SEVEN.

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DELMAR CAMPBELL, ASSISTANT CHIEF OF POLICE, FORREST CITY, ARK., ADVISED THIS DATE PINKSTON WAS ARRESTED APRIL THREE SIXTY EIGHT FOR DRUNK AND DISTRUBING PEACE, FINED ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS AND SENTENCED THIRTY DAYS IN JAIL. STATED PINKSTON IS MENTALLY INCOMPETENT BUT HARMLESS.

NO FURTHER INVESTIGATION BEING CONDUCTED REGARDING PINKSTON.

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FROM KNOXVILLE 44-598 RE NEWARK TELETYPE TODAY. FOR INFORMATION CHICAGO, THERE IS TWO WHITESBURG TO INDITIFY IN-LAWS OF JERRY RAY REFERRED TO IN REFERENCED TELETYPE. CONCERNING NAMES OF IN-LAWS REFERRED TO WITH ANY SPECIFIC MAY BE ABLE TO CONDUCT REQUESTES INVESTIGATION. A AND D. 2025 RELEASE UNDER E.O. 14176

SIGRM BEFERRED 4-27-58 NEP TO DIRECTOR (44-33861), MEMPHIS (44-1987), ATLANTA TROM BERMINSHAM (44-1740) 12 RE OKLAHOMA CITY AIRTEL TO BUREAU, APRIL INENTYFOUR LAST. BUREAU AGENTS ATTEMPTED TO INTERVIEW DONALD -EUGENE SPARKS, FBI NUMBER SEVEN ONE SIX EIGHTEEN A. FORMER TOP TEN SUBJECT. AT DE KALB COUNTY JAIL, FORT PAYNE, ALABAMA, THIS DATE. SPARKS REFUSED TO BE INTERVIEWED OR TO DISCUSS ANYTHING WITH AGENTS AND WAS EXTREMELY UNCOOPERATIVE. AIR MAIL COPIES JACKSON, TAMPA, OKLAHOMA CITY. ARMED AND DANGEROUS. APR 27 196 2025 RELEASE UNDER E.O. 14176

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