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ADEL SIRHAN

SHARIF BISHARA SIRHAN

SAIDALLAH BISHARA SIRHAN

After closely reviewing the above photographs, ARNOT identified the picture of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN as being identical to the individual to whom he had sold the two boxes of .22 caliber, long rifle, high velocity shells to on June 1, 1968. Upon completing his identification of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN, ARNOT affixed his initials and the date of June 16, 1968, on the rear of this picture.

Continuing his review of the remaining four photographs, ARNOT chose the photograph of SHARIF BISHARA SIRHAN from the remaining pictures and advised that he was of the opinion that SHARIF "bears a strong resemblance" to the individual who, while standing next to SIRHAN in the shop on June 1, 1968, ordered and purchased two boxes of .22 caliber, long rifle, Super X bullets. ARNOT stated that he could not make a positive identification of the photograph of SHARIF BISHARA SIRHAN but could be positive if afforded the opportunity of viewing this individual in person.

Regarding the third individual who had entered the store and then had parted from the other two men to view other merchandise, ARNOT stated that he was not confident that he would effect the identification of this person by either photograph or in person viewing.

ARNOT was then displayed Lock Stock 'N Barrel original sales invoice number 2372 which reflects the date June 1, 1968, for a cash transaction of two boxes of CCI .22 caliber ammunition and two boxes of Super X .22 caliber ammunition with tax totaling \$3.99. ARNOT identified the writing upon this invoice as his own and advised that he believes this is the sales slip covering the purchase made by SIRHAN and his associate. After viewing the sales slip, ARNOT affixed his initials to the document as well as the date June 16, 1968.

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At this point in the interview, ARNOT prepared the following voluntary signed statement in his own hand:

"June 16 - 1968
San Gabriel_ California

"I, Larry Kenneth Arnot_ hereby furnish the following signed statement to Norbert R. Linker and B. Bruce Bradford who have identified themselves as Special Agents of the F.B.I.

"I am 36 years of age and reside at 517 Melcanyon Rd._ Duarte_ California. I am employed as a salesman at the Lock Stock 'N Barrel gun shop, 8972 E. Huntington Dr._ San Gabriel_ California.

"During the afternoon of June 1, 1968 3 men entered my employment and walked to the rear of the store where out stock of ammunition is located. Two of the men remained positioned at the counter, their associate parted from them at a distance of about six feet and began to look over the items behind another counter.

"One of two men standing together appeared interested in the ammunition behind the counter. After approaching them to inquire if I could be any help the shorter of the two men responded by stating 'I want two boxes of Mini Mags' or words to that effect. On questioning he added that he wanted the hollow point as opposed to the standard type. I would like to point out at this time that 'Mini Mag' is a brand or type of high velocity .22 caliber ammunition of short, long or long rifle sizes.

"I obtained two boxes of hollow point .22 caliber high velocity, long rifle 'Mini Mags' made by the Cascade Catridge Inc. of Lewiston_ Idaho and placed them on the counter. Each box contained fifty cartridges.

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"After placing the cartridges on the counter the person standing next to the person who had ordered the 'Mini Mags' then asked me to get him two boxes of .22 cal. 'Super X' long rifle bullets. On returning to the counter I placed two boxes of .22 cal. 'Super X' standard long rifle bullets manufactured by Winchester-Western Division of Olin Mathieson Chemical Corp. along side the other two boxes.

"I totaled a sales receipt arriving at a total of \$3.99. I placed the four boxes of ammo. in a paper bag along with the customer yellow copy of the cash sales slip. I cannot recall whether one of both of these men paid me the cash covering the \$3.99 sale.

"I have been shown a photograph of Sirhan Bishara Sirhan by agents Bradford and Linker of the F.B.I. and positively identified this individual as the person to whom I sold the two boxes of .22 cal. high velocity, long rifle, hollow point 'Mini Mags' on 6-1-68.

"I have been shown a photograph of a person identified to me as Sharif Bishara Sirhan by agents Bradford and Linker and believe that he strongly resembles the individual who was with Sirhan Bishara Sirhan and to whom I sold the two boxes of the standard .22 cal., long rifle 'Super X' Western ammunition on the same date.

"I have read this statement, initialed all corrections and find it to be true and correct.

"/s/ Larry Kenneth Arnot
6-16-68

"Witnessed: /s/ Norbert R. Linker, Special Agent,
F.B.I., 6/16/68
/s/ B. Bruce Bradford, S.A., F.B.I.,
L.A., Calif., 6-16-68"

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ARNOT, thereafter, furnished the following description of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Height	5'4"
Weight	130 to 135 pounds
Age	21 to 25 years
Hair	Black or dark brown, bushy, unkempt
Build	Slight
Complexion	Ruddy
Nationality	Appeared to be of Mexican descent; ARNOT stated that he is not familiar with the general characteristics of people with Middle Eastern backgrounds
Eyes	Unrecalled
Scars and Marks	Unrecalled
Teeth	Unrecalled
Facial Conformation	Lean, gaunt, cheeks noticeable but not pronounced, nose normal size and shape, clean shaven,
Clothing	Hatless; white or light colored, long sleeved shirt, neck opened, soiled at the neck and sleeve areas, appeared to have been "slept in"; trousers unrecalled; shoes not known; jewelry not observed

ARNOT then proceeded to describe the individual standing along side SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN and who had purchased the two boxes of standard .22 caliber Super X shells:

Race	White (ARNOT emphasized that if this individual was a member of the Caucasian race, he was extremely dark)
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Sex	Male
Height	5'6"
Weight	145 pounds
Age	20 to 25 years
Build	Slender
Complexion	ARNOT stated that if he was Caucasian, he would be considered to have a very dark complexion
Hair	Black or dark brown, short, kinky texture with either curls or waves
Nationality	Appeared to be either Mexican or American Indian (ARNOT advised that he was not familiar with the physical characteristics of persons from the Middle East area)
Facial Conformation	Nose appeared broad and somewhat flattened; face oval shaped; thin eyebrows; lips appeared to be dark or redder than lips of most Caucasians; width of lips thin
Complexion	Smooth, clean shaven
Eyes	Unrecalled
Scars and Marks	Unrecalled
Clothing	Hatless; dark bluish green or olive green loose fitting long sleeved sport shirt, buttons down the center of the shirt, shirt thought to have overlapped trousers; trousers unrecalled; belt unrecalled; shoes unrecalled

ARNOT stated that he felt confident that he could effect a positive identification of this individual if afforded the opportunity of viewing him in person.

ARNOT, thereafter, furnished the description of the individual who, on arriving in the store, remained

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separated from SIRHAN and his other associate at a distance of approximately six feet throughout the sales transaction:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Height	5'4"
Weight	Unrecalled
Build	Medium
Hair	Black or dark brown, wavy, "unruly"
Complexion	Unrecalled, clean shaven
Age	Unrecalled
Nationality	Possibly Mexican (ARNOT advised that he was not familiar with the character- istics of individuals with Middle Eastern backgrounds)
Contour of Face	Unrecalled
Width of Lips	Unrecalled
Shape of Nose	Unrecalled
Shape of Face	Unrecalled
Clothing	ARNOT stated that he could not recall any items of wearing apparel he was wearing

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The following investigation was conducted by
SA C. KENNETH ARNOLD and SA JAMES H. STANTON:

Mr. BENJAMIN HERRICK, Owner, Lock, Stock 'n Barrel Gun Shop, 8972 Huntington Drive, San Gabriel, California, was contacted on June 18, 1968 and made available for review his records of handgun sales. Mr. HERRICK explained the laws of the State of California require a person purchasing a handgun wait five days after purchase before picking up the gun from the store where it is purchased.

The handgun records were reviewed and it was observed that JEFFREY EWING, 1110 East Claremont, Pasadena, California purchased a handgun on May 25, 1968. ARNOLD GERSON, 11204 La Maida, North Hollywood, California purchased a handgun on May 24, 1968.

The handgun records disclose that there were no purchases of handguns made on June 1, 1968.

Mr. HERRICK also made available his records concerning the sale of rifles. These records indicate Mr. JOE CRNOGORAC, 9730 Paramount Boulevard, Downey, California, was in the store on June 1, 1968 and made a purchase.

The sales receipt books of the gun shop were also reviewed for June 1, 1968. These records did not contain the names of any persons making purchases on that date. Mr. HERRICK reviewed each of the sales tickets in an effort to recall who might have made purchases, but was unable to remember any specific customer in the store on June 1, 1968.

Mr. HERRICK checked his records of credit card sales for the BankAmericard and Master Charge credit card sales. These are the only two credit cards which Mr. HERRICK recognizes. There were no sales made on either of these cards on June 1, 1968.

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Mr. HERRICK said that he could not explain how SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN selected the Lock, Stock 'n Barrel Gun Shop to make his purchase on June 1, 1968. He advised that he does not advertise in any kind of daily, weekly or throw-away newspaper. His only advertisement is a small ad in the Yellow Pages of the San Gabriel Valley section of the telephone book. He also advised he does not cater to any gun clubs, shooting clubs, etc.

Mr. HERRICK advised that he could not recall any deliveries being made to his store on June 1, 1968 other than the regular mail delivery which comes about 2:00 p.m. He pointed out that June 1, 1968 was a Saturday and that most delivery services, which frequent his shop do not make deliveries that day.

Mr. HERRICK stated he has given the matter of identifying customers who might have been in the store at the same time that SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN was there careful consideration. He stated he could not recall any customer being in the store during the pertinent period. He said he would continue to consider this matter and would advise if he could recall anyone who had been in the store at the appropriate time. Mr. HERRICK said he has discussed this matter with his wife and neither of them could recall any customer who might have seen SIRHAN and his associates when they were in the store.

Mrs. BENJAMIN HERRICK (DONA), advised on June 18, 1968 that she could furnish no information other than that already furnished by her husband. She stated she was not at the store on June 1, 1968. She recalled that she was at home on that date. Her mother and stepfather, Mr. and Mrs. RICHARD L. HINELINE, 606 Circle Drive, Solano Beach, California, were visiting her. She recalled that sometime during the day they went to the store to talk to her husband. She did not accompany them. She said she has discussed the possible appearance of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN on June 1, 1968 with them several times within the last

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few days. Both her mother and stepfather have advised Mrs. HERRICK that they do not recall anyone fitting the description of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN and his associates in the store while they were there.

Mr. JEFFREY EWING, 1110 East Claremont, Pasadena, California, advised on June 19, 1968 that he purchased a handgun at the Lock, Stock 'n Barrel Gun Shop on May 25, 1968. He was going to pick the gun up on May 30, 1968. He received an invitation to go camping in the desert and left on May 30, 1968 and did not return to the Pasadena area until the morning of June 2, 1968. He went to the gun shop at noon, June 2, 1968, and met Mr. HERRICK when he came to open the shop for business. He picked up his gun at that time and has not been back to the store since. He stated that he has been in the store on only two occasions, May 25, 1968 and June 2, 1968. He is not a regular customer at the store.

Photographs of SIRHAN SIRHAN, ADEL SIRHAN, MUNIR SIRHAN, SHARIF SIRHAN and SAIDALLAH SIRHAN were displayed to Mr. EWING and he could not identify any of the photographs as someone he has seen before.

Mr. ARNOLD GERSON, 11204 La Maida, North Hollywood, was contacted at his employment, the U. S. Navy Under-Sea Warfare Center, 3202 East Foothill, Pasadena, California. He advised that he purchased a gun at the Lock, Stock and Barrel Gun Shop, on May 24, 1968. He picked up the gun approximately June 7, 1968. Mr. GERSON said he was out of town on business on May 30 and 31, 1968 and was unable to pick up his gun until the following week. He stated he has only been at this shop on two or three occasions and that has always been around 1:00 p.m. on a weekday, while he is on his lunch hour.

Photographs of SIRHAN SIRHAN, ADEL SIRHAN, MUNIR SIRHAN, SHARIF SIRHAN and SAIDALLAH SIRHAN were displayed to Mr. GERSON who advised he was unable to identify any of them as persons he has seen before.

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Mr. JOE CRNOGORAC, 9730 Paramount Boulevard, Downey, California, telephone 928-1908, advised he is a reserve Los Angeles County Deputy Sheriff. He stated he occasionally visits the Lock, Stock 'n' Barrel Gun Shop in San Gabriel, California. He said that he purchased a gun from this store on June 1, 1968. He said he usually goes to the store in the evening hours. He said that he can not recall ever having seen anyone in the store. He said that he usually goes in to see if BEN HERRICK has any guns to trade. He talks to him for only a few minutes and then leaves. Mr. CRNOGORAC said he would not be able to recognize anyone who was in the store when he was there, because he does not pay any attention to other customers who are there.

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MARY SIRHAN (MARY) 1696 East Howard Street, advised that she never observed a gun or ammunition in the possession of her son SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN (SIRHAN).

MARY related that she doubts very seriously if any of her other sons socialized with SIRHAN or were seen in SIRHAN's company during recent months. She explained that SIRHAN was a boy that kept to himself and did not talk to his brothers other than ADEL. She said that SIRHAN has not said more than hello to his brothers SAIDALLAH and SHARIF in over three years, and she is positive that during the last three years SIRHAN did not see either SAIDALLAH or SHARIF away from her residence at 1696 East Howard Street.

MARY related that several months ago SIRHAN and his brother MUNIR had a violent argument and during the last several months were barely on speaking terms.

She said the only brother that SIRHAN was on speaking terms during recent months was ADEL.

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SAIDALLAH BISHARA SIRHAN (SAIDALLAH) was contacted at his residence, Apartment 7, 1659 North Lake Street. SAIDALLAH advised that during the last five years he has not conducted any conversation of significance with his brother, SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN (SIRHAN), other than saying hello. SAIDALLAH noted that on numerous occasions he would visit the family residence at 1696 East Howard Street, at which time he would say hello to SIRHAN and on numerous occasions SIRHAN would not even acknowledge his hello. SAIDALLAH stated that during this period he and SIRHAN never socialized together and he had not seen SIRHAN for approximately one month prior to June 4, 1968.

SAIDALLAH stated that he does not own any firearms and he personally has not frequented a gun shop. SAIDALLAH stated that at no time did he ever frequent the Lock Stock and Barrel Gun Shop at 8977 Huntington Drive, San Gabriel, California, with his brother SIRHAN.

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SHARIF BISHARA SIRHAN (SHARIF) was contacted at Apartment No. 7, 1659 North Lake Street, at which time he advised that he has not talked to his brother SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN (SIRHAN) in approximately three years. During this period the only place he has seen SIRHAN is at the residence of their mother, 1696 East Howard Street, Pasadena, California.

SHARIF said that he frequently eats at the Wooden Shoe Restaurant in Highland Park, California, however, he has not been to that restaurant since June 4, 1968, inasmuch as he has been staying in the Pasadena area since that date.

SHARIF said that at no time has he ever been to the Wooden Shoe Restaurant in the company of SIRHAN and to his knowledge SIRHAN has never been to the Wooden Shoe Restaurant.

SHARIF said he does not know any woman at the Wooden Shoe Restaurant by the name of SHARON or SHERYLL who is described as follows:

Race	White
Age	25 to 30 years
Height	5'5"
Hair	Dark red worn in ponytail

SHARIF related that he does not own any firearms and at no time has he visited a gun shop. SHARIF denied ever visiting the Lock Stock and Barrel Gun Shop 8972 Huntington Drive, San Gabriel, California, in the company of his brother SIRHAN.

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ADEL BISHARA SIRHAN (ADEL) 696 East Howard Street, advised on June 15, 1968, that he has never been to the Wooden Shoe Restaurant in Highland Park, California.

ADEL stated that he doubts very seriously that his brothers SHARIF BISHARA SIRHAN (SHARIF) and SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN (SIRHAN) ever frequented that restaurant together. He noted that SHARIF and SIRHAN had not talked to each other in approximately three years. He doubts very seriously that they have socialized or have been together in any manner during the last three years.

On June 17, 1968, ADEL advised that he had no knowledge that his brother, SIRHAN, ever had a gun in his possession. He added that he personally has never been to a gun shop and stated that at no time did he visit the Lock Stock and Barrel Gun Shop 8972 Huntington Drive, San Gabriel, California, with his brother SIRHAN.

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MUNIR BISHARA SIRHAN (MUNIR) was contacted at his place of employment, FC-Nash and Company 141 East Colorado Boulevard, at which time he advised that he has never been at the Lock Stock and Barrel Gun Shop 8972 Huntington Drive, San Gabriel, California.

MUNIR said he personally has never been to any gun store and as a result he never visited a gun store with his brother SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN.

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INVESTIGATION CONCERNING ALLEGED
STATEMENT MADE BY SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN
IN GOLDEN GARTER BAR, ALHAMBRA, CALIFORNIA,
IN LATE MAY 1968 - "WE WILL WAIT TILL HE
GETS INTO TOWN AND THEN WE WILL GET HIM."

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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Date 6/7/68

On June 7, 1968, Detective B. AHARONIAN, Alhambra Police Department, 220 West Woodward, telephone number CU 3-1231, was interviewed and furnished the following information relating to data they had received from ANDY and CARL MARTIGANI, Golden Garter Bar, 2605 West Valley Boulevard, Alhambra, California, on this date:

Detective AHARONIAN related that last evening, he received information from ANDY and CARL MARTIGANI, mentioned above, to the effect that SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN had visited their bar on a number of occasions in the recent past. On or about the last of May, ANDY MARTIGANI overheard SIRHAN say to "JIM", "We will wait till he gets into town and then we will get him." When they saw ANDY MARTIGANI approach, "JIM" said "Cool it". ANDY MARTIGANI heard nothing further concerning this conversation but noted that SIRHAN SIRHAN was driving a 1957 or 1958 DeSoto. Also, ANDY MARTIGANI stated that a KATHY VENNE, 1145 South Chapel Street, Alhambra, had dated "JIM" in the past. According to Detective AHARONIAN, both ANDY and CARL MARTIGANI had advised that when SIRHAN and "JIM" were in the bar, they were accompanied by a dark complexioned, similar nationality to SIRHAN's, man, who had a mustache and beard which he has recently shaved off. The MARTIGANIs believe that "JIM" works at the Worthington Corporation, Alhambra.

Detective AHARONIAN also advised that ANDY and CARL MARTIGANI had informed the Alhambra Police Department that the following individuals had also reportedly seen SIRHAN in the Golden Garter in the recent past:

DON TRUMBLE, Detective
Alhambra Police Department
(reportedly saw SIRHAN on at least
one occasion and reportedly played
pool with SIRHAN at the Golden Garter
Bar on one occasion)

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HAROLD PITZ
1104 South Marengo Avenue
Apartment E
Alhambra

STEPHEN STUART
12025 East Broadway
Whittier
Telephone 692-4280

Miss CAROL HAINES
1304 Westminster Avenue
Alhambra

ANDY and CARL MARTIGANI advised Detective AHARONIAN that approximately one month ago, "JIM", mentioned above, had come into the Golden Garter Bar and, either on that occasion or another occasion, mentioned that he knew of a girl who would be willing to work in the Golden Garter as a barmaid. He subsequently introduced a girl, using the name DOROTHY MANNING, to ANDY MARTIGANI and she was hired by the MARTIGANI brothers. At the time of employment, she listed her address as 2317 West Main Street, Alhambra, and indicated that she was either presently employed part-time or previously employed at the Purple Bunny, Imperial and Norwalk Boulevards, Norwalk, California, telephone number 868-6672.

Detective AHARONIAN related that in checking public utilities and the Post Office Department, it was determined that a JAMES L. WILSON resided at 2317 West Main Street, Apartment A, Alhambra, and that he had left this address on or about June 1, 1968, no forwarding address given. Post Office information was obtained from Inspector JACK CLIFFORD, United States Post Office, Los Angeles, who had advised Detective AHARONIAN that the mail carrier covering that address had reported a JAMES L. WILSON was receiving mail at that address and the mailman indicated this particular mail appeared "subversive" to him.

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From utility records, Detective AHARONIAN determined that JAMES L. WILSON was last employed by the International Extrusion Corporation (International Aluminum), 1000 South Meridian Avenue, Alhambra.

Inquiry with BETTY CLEVELAND, Personnel Manager of the International Extrusion Company, revealed that JAMES L. WILSON was formerly employed with this concern; had Social Security Number [REDACTED]; date of birth April 24, 1940, 5'9" tall, 174 pounds; was a white male and resided at 2317 West Main Street, Alhambra. According to company records, his employment was terminated on May 9, 1968, and he had Texas driver's license number 6248463.

Detective AHARONIAN also advised that when DOROTHY MANNING was introduced to ANDY MARTIGANI, Golden Garter Bar, for employment, she gave her Social Security Number as [REDACTED]. According to Detective AHARONIAN, this Social Security Number is subscribed to D. D. SANFORD, as of February 1966.

Detective AHARONIAN related that no further investigation has been conducted by his office concerning this matter other than an inquiry at the last known address of DOROTHY MANNING, 2317 West Main Street, Alhambra, and no positive information was obtained from neighbors other than WILSON was reportedly driving a blue Ford. Also, Detective AHARONIAN stated that he is presently awaiting further utility checks and other established checks in an effort to identify "JIM" and also DOROTHY MANNING and their locations.

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ANDREW MARTIGANI, Golden Garter Bar, 2605 West Valley Boulevard, Alhambra, was interviewed and furnished data on an individual he believed to be SIRHAN SIRHAN:

MARTIGANI related that approximately one month ago, an individual came into the bar who identified himself as "JIM". He became a semi-frequent customer of the bar and, during the course of his early visits, indicated that he knew a girl who would be willing to work in the bar as a barmaid. On a later occasion, he came into the bar with a girl who was identified to MARTIGANI as DOROTHY MANNING. DOROTHY MANNING stated she resided at 2317 West Main Street, Alhambra; gave her Social Security Number as [REDACTED] and indicated that she was presently connected with, or was formerly connected with, the Purple Bunny Bar, Imperial and Norwalk Boulevards, Norwalk, California, telephone number 868-6672. ANDREW MARTIGANI described DOROTHY MANNING as a white female, 5'5" tall, 125 pounds, light complexion (rosy cheeks), bleached blonde hair, blue eyes and appeared to be approximately 23 or 24 years old.

ANDREW MARTIGANI advised that on one occasion, "JIM" came into the bar with an individual who appeared to be of Spanish descent and he received the impression that he was the boy friend of DOROTHY MANNING. MARTIGANI added that after two days, he became displeased with the work of DOROTHY MANNING and fired her for personal reasons.

MARTIGANI related that on May 29, 1968, an individual he believed to be SIRHAN SIRHAN was in the bar along with "JIM", mentioned above. During the course of the evening, he happened to be walking by their table and overheard this individual comment to "JIM", "We will wait till he gets into town and then we will get him." When they saw ANDREW approach, "JIM" said, "Cool it." ANDREW heard nothing further concerning this conversation.

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MARTIGANI advised that on the occasions he had seen this individual at the bar, he was driving a 1958 or 1959 De Soto believed to be orange and white in color and it was always parked in the rear of the bar.

MARTIGANI advised that "JIM" was a white male, approximately 28 years old, 5'10" tall, 170 pounds, hazel eyes, sandy, curly hair, medium complexion, appeared to be smiling all the time and had a southern accent. He continued that he had furnished the above information to the Alhambra Police Department and that based on this description they had made up a composite photograph of "JIM". MARTIGANI related that he had seen this individual on one occasion (May 29, 1968) and that his partner, CARL MARTIGANI, had seen him on three previous occasions; Detective DON TRUMBLE, Alhambra Police Department, had observed this individual at the bar on at least one occasion and had played pool with him; and, also, the following customers of the bar had reported seeing the same man at the Golden Garter Bar:

HAROLD PITZ
1104 Wouth Marengo Avenue, Apartment E
Alhambra, California;

STEPHEN STUART
12025 East Broadway
Whittier
Telephone 692-4280;

Miss CAROL HAINES
1304 Westminster Avenue
Alhambra

MARTIGANI stated that most of the above individuals he had mentioned in this interview were frequent customers of Thompson's Bar and Cafe located in Alhambra between Date and Palm Streets, and he believed that they might be able to identify "JIM", mentioned above.

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He added that recently, he had made inquiry at the Purple Bunny in Norwalk and was informed by a STANLEY (Last Name Unknown)(LNU) that DOTTIE was known at that bar as a barmaid. He continued that STANLEY might possibly have background information on this girl, who probably is identical with DOROTHY MANNING.

MARTIGANI advised that he would try to remember further details concerning the above incidents and would gladly furnish this information to the FBI. He stated that his partner, CARL MARTIGANI, was not in the bar at the time but could be interviewed at a later date. He furnished his home address as 22901 Concord Avenue, Alhambra, telephone number 289-1707, and advised that the Golden Garter's telephone number is 282-2457.

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On June 8, 1968, ANDREW MARTIGANI, Proprietor, Golden Garter Bar, 2605 West Valley Boulevard, Alhambra, was reinterviewed and furnished substantially the same information he had furnished to SA DOUGLAS R. LUND on June 7, 1968, with the following exceptions:

MARTIGANI related after viewing a photograph of SIRHAN SIRHAN that he was ninety per cent certain that this was the individual he had observed with "JIM" at the Golden Garter Bar on or about May 29, 1968, wherein he overheard SIRHAN comment to "JIM", "We will wait till he gets into town and then we will get him." In connection with this conversation, he related that "JIM" owed him \$5.00 and this was the purpose in going to speak to "JIM" sitting at the table with SIRHAN on that evening. "JIM" had requested more credit at the bar and MARTIGANI advised that he informed "JIM" in the presence of SIRHAN SIRHAN that he would not extend any more credit and wanted the \$5.00 that was owed to him. He added that "JIM" became somewhat upset; and after a few words, both he and SIRHAN departed the Golden Garter Bar.

MARTIGANI continued that he has not observed "JIM" or SIRHAN since that event.

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On June 8, 1968, CARL M. MARTIGANI, Proprietor, Golden Garter Bar, 2605 West Valley Boulevard, was interviewed and furnished the following information:

MARTIGANI related, on approximately May 13, or 14, 1968, he saw an individual he believed to be SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN come into the Golden Garter Bar. From that date up until the Memorial Day weekend, He saw this man on at least three separate occasions. On one of these occasions he saw this individual with an individual known to him as "JIM"; and on the other two occasions, he observed him with an individual who appeared to be of Mexican descent.

MARTIGANI described "JIM" as follows:

Sex	Male
Race	White
Age	28
Height	5'10"
Weight	170 pounds
Hair	Sandy
Complexion	Medium
Eyes	Hazel
Characteristics	Appeared to have a southern accent and seemed to be smiling at all times

MARTIGANI described the Mexican appearing individual as follows:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Age	24 to 25
Height	5'11" to 6'
Weight	165 pounds
Build	Slender

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Hair	Dark black, combed flat over his head (possibly could be somewhat kinky)
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MARTIGANI added that the above individual of Mexican descent had very, very dark skin but yet appeared to be of Caucasian race.

MARTIGANI related at approximately one and a half months ago, "JIM", while in the Golden Garter, recommended a girl for employment at this bar as a barmaid. At a later date he appeared at the bar with this girl who identified herself to MARTIGANI as DOROTHY MANNING. She filled out the customary employment applications, specifically the W-2 Form, and advised she is presently residing at 2317 West Main Street, Alhambra; that she had been married twice previously; and had three children. She also advised MARTIGANI that she had been arrested in the recent past for a traffic violation; and after failing to appear for a hearing, she received ten days in jail and was released from jail just two days previous. She informed him that she previously worked at the Purple Bunny, Norwalk, California. He contacted the Purple Bunny and inquired concerning DOROTHY MANNING. He was advised by an individual, who identified himself as STANLEY at the Purple Bunny, that they were not acquainted with a DOROTHY MANNING, but they did have a DOTTIE who worked there.

MARTIGANI had observed the individual believed to be SIRHAN SIRHAN and the Mexican looking individual arrive at the bar in an orange and white Desoto (had white strip down center of doors and orange had appeared to be oxidized).

MARTIGANI described DOROTHY MANNING as follows:

Sex	Female
Race	White
Age	21 or 22
Height	5'4"
Weight	125 pounds

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Hair	Bleach blond, worn on top of head in a bun
Complexion	Fair
Eyes	Blue or gray
Characteristics	Sociable in nature; attractive in appearance

MARTIGANI added that absent the bleached hair, and her natural color was probably brunette.

MARTIGANI related that on number of occasions he picked DOROTHY MANNING up in the morning at 2317 West Main Street and brought her to work at the Golden Garter. On one of these occasions, the Mexican looking individual, described above, appeared at the door without his shirt on and indicated DOROTHY would be down shortly. He added that he never did observe "JIM" at this address.

MARTIGANI advised that the employment of DOROTHY MANNING was terminated because it was learned that she was using dope and had been taking money from the cash register. Date of termination, he believed, was May 30, 1968. He added that since that date, he has not seen any of the individuals described above.

MARTIGANI furnished the names of the following individuals, who he believed had observed "JIM", and the individual believed to be SIRHAN SIRHAN, and the Mexican looking man at the Golden Garter Bar:

HAROLD PITZ
1104 South Marengo Avenue
Alhambra, California

CAROL HAINES
1304 Westminster Avenue
Alhambra, California

MARTIGANI noted that HAROLD PITZ reported he had played pool with the individual believed to be SIRHAN SIRHAN on a number of occasions and allegedly had been acquainted with him for six or more months.

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MARTIGANI related that he resides at 90 Monterey Road, Apartment 5, South Pasadena, California, telephone 254-6570. Further, that if he was to observe photographs of the above individuals, he believes he could identify same.

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Miss LINDA STURGEON, 13722 Telegraph Road,
Apartment D, Whittier, California, telephone 941-6425,
advised as follows:

She has been employed at the Golden Garter Bar, 2605 West Valley Boulevard, in Alhambra for the past two months. She advised that she realizes most of the employees and patrons of the bar have been interviewed. She was shown a photograph of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN, and she advised that this man is unknown to her, and to the best of her knowledge has never been a patron of the Golden Garter. She was also shown a photograph of ROBERT RICHARD ANDRESE. She remarked that this man had previously been a customer at the Golden Garter Bar and had been a friend of JAMES WILSON. ANDRESE has not been in the bar in the past three weeks, and prior to that, he had frequented the bar approximately six to eight times, usually in the company of WILSON. These visits to the bar were usually at night, since Miss STURGEON's shift is from 6:00 p.m. to 2:30 a.m.

She related that she could not understand why the big "fuss" was being made about SIRHAN B. SIRHAN. She said he has never been a customer at the bar, and it is apparent to her that the owners of the bar, CARL and ANDY, have mistaken SIRHAN for ANDRESE. She further advised that she did not know how they could furnish information to the FBI, since they are very seldom in the bar. One or the other will usually stop by during the evening for approximately five to ten minutes to check on receipts and handle some business at the bar. She said of anybody connected with the bar, they would be the least aware of who frequents the bar.

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CARL MARTIGANI, co-owner, Golden Garter Bar, 2605 West Valley Boulevard, Alhambra, California was interviewed and furnished the following information:

It is noted that CARL MARTIGANI had previously advised that on three separate occasions, approximately two to three weeks ago, he believes he observed SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN at the Golden Garter Bar and on one occasion believes he observed SIRHAN depart from a parked orange and white 1957 De Soto and enter the Golden Garter Bar.

At the time of interview, CARL MARTIGANI was exhibited a photograph of ROBERT RICHARD ANDRESE and also observed ANDRESE in person. CARL MARTIGANI stated ANDRESE was not the individual he observed at the Golden Garter Bar, as stated in a previous interview and that he could not recall ever seeing ANDRESE before.

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JAMES LLOYD WILSON, JR., 115 South Halladay Street, Apartment 7, Santa Ana, California, was interviewed at his residence and in a Bureau car while enroute to Commerce, California. WILSON was advised by SA ROBERT GEORGE IBBOTT the interview was regarding the assassination of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY and his knowledge and association with SIRHAN SIRHAN. A Waiver of Rights Form was furnished to WILSON and after reading it stated he understood his rights and executed the form.

Photographs of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN were exhibited to WILSON who advised he appears to be identical with an individual he worked with during May, 1968, who he knew as BOB (last name unknown).

WILSON explained he lived in Alhambra, California, for approximately two months at 2317 West Main Street, Apartment A. For the first month he lived by himself, but on May 9, 1968, DOROTHY MANNING and EDDIE NESS moved in with him. A few days thereafter, he helped MANNING obtain a job as a barmaid at the Golden Garter. He, WILSON, had hung around this bar for approximately four months shooting pool and drinking and knew the owners.

During the third week in May, WILSON obtained employment at the Scanbe Manufacturing Corporation, 1161 Monterey Pass Road, Monterey, California, and on the first day of employment met a fellow employee named BOB. They became friendly and BOB agreed to drive WILSON to and from work. Each evening after work at approximately 6:00 p.m., they stopped in the Golden Garter for some drinks, thereafter, they would go to WILSON's apartment for an hour or so. WILSON stated he kept the job at Scanbe for approximately two weeks and on each work day stopped at the bar and apartment with BOB.

WILSON pointed out he did not recall BOB's last name but had it written down in a address book maintained by RHONDA GREEN who resides in Commerce, California.

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He further pointed out that BOB tried to talk about politics all the time, which WILSON was not interested in, therefore, never paid much attention to the conversation. He did recall on one occasion while they were in the bar, BOB was talking about politics and was becoming a little excited so he told him to "cool it". WILSON said the last time he saw BOB was on the evening of May 29, 1968, at the bar where the aforementioned incident occurred.

WILSON furnished the following description and background information regarding BOB:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Age	24 years
Height	5'4" - 5'5"
Weight	130 pounds
Build	Thin
Hair	Black, combed straight back
Characteristics	Spoke with an accent, knew Karate
Complexion	Olive
Relatives	Mother, father and brother

WILSON was driven to Commerce, California, and obtained a page of an address book from RHONDA GREEN which read:

"BOB ANDRESE, 573-0015"

WILSON explained this was the BOB he worked with who frequented the Golden Garter with him.

WILSON furnished the following background information:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Birth Data	April 24, 1940 Chandler, Oklahoma
Height	5'10"
Weight	166 pounds
Hair	Brown, curly
Eyes	Grey

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Complexion	Light
Tattoos	Scorpion - inside lower left arm; Spider with "JIMMY" - upper right arm; "TW" - lower right arm; "LOVE THELMA" - upper left arm
Education	10 years
Arrests	1960, Santa Ana, Forgery, probation
Selective Service No.	35-7-40-79
Drivers License No.	6248463 (Texas)

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JAMES LLOYD WILSON, JR., 115 South Halladay Street, Apartment 7, Santa Ana, California, was reinterviewed in a Bureau car near his residence.

WILSON identified a photograph of BOB ANDRESE as the individual he previously referred to as the BOB who worked with him in Monterey Park, California, and frequented the Golden Garter Bar, Alhambra, California.

WILSON pointed out that he did not see BOB on May 29, 1968, at the Golden Garter Bar as previously advised but feels he last saw him at the bar on the evening of May 28, 1968. He further pointed out he feels sure about this inasmuch as he, WILSON, quit his job at the Scanbe Manufacturing Corporation at noon on May 29, 1968. He left work and went directly to his apartment in Alhambra. He was driving a 1951 to 1953 DeSoto, gray or green in color, which belonged to ANGEL (Last Name Unknown)(LNU), an employee of Scanbe. He stayed at the apartment for approximately one or two hours and then drove to RHONDA GREEN's apartment in Commerce, California. He was accompanied by DOROTHY MANNING and EDDIE NESS. They stayed in Commerce until approximately 8:00 PM and then drove back to Alhambra. GREEN followed them in her automobile.

They all stayed in the apartment most of May 30, 1968. WILSON drove ANGEL's DeSoto back to the company area where he left it sometime during that day.

At approximately 8:00 PM, WILSON, accompanied by his brother, RICHARD, RHONDA GREEN and her two children, drove to RICHARD's apartment in Santa Ana, California, where he has resided since that time.

On June 3, 1968, he does not recall specifically what he did but believes he went to seek employment with his brother.

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On June 4, 1968, he got up at approximately 5:30 AM and went with RICHARD to the Qwik-Serv Employment Agency on Spurgeon Street. They were at the agency from approximately 7:00 AM to 9:00 AM, when they were sent on a job, name and location not recalled. They worked four and one-fourth hours and finished up at approximately 2:00 PM. He was returned to the agency at approximately 3:00 PM and arrived back at the apartment at approximately 3:30 PM. He stayed in the apartment until the bars opened at 8:00 PM, when he and RICHARD walked to a bar on Main Street to cash their employment checks. After they cashed the checks, they took a taxi to Sam's Bar, which is near the apartment. He believes he stayed there until approximately 11:00 PM, when he returned to the apartment and remained there until the morning of June 5, 1968.

At approximately 7:00 or 8:00 AM on June 5, 1968, he went to Anaheim, California, with his brother in an attempt to obtain employment.

WILSON stated that he was in debt to one of the owners of the Golden Garter Bar in the amount of \$5 and recalls that this owner discussed the debt with him one evening a day or two before Memorial Day when he and BOB ANDRESE were sitting at a table in the bar.

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ROBERT RICHARD ANDRESE, 235 East Newmark Avenue, Monterey Park, California, was interviewed and furnished the following information:

ANDRESE related that he is employed at the Scanbe Manufacturing Company, 1161 South Monterey Pass Road, Monterey Park. He stated that he had been employed at this firm for approximately one and one half months in the shop as a fabricator. ANDRESE advised that an individual he knew as JIM WILSON was formerly employed with him at the Scanbe Manufacturing Company, during the month of May 1968, and during this period he would accompany WILSON to the Golden Garter Bar, Alhambra after working hours and on their way home from work. He stated that he visited this bar with WILSON approximately four or five times and it was usually between 6:30 and 7:30 at night. ANDRESE added that on the last occasion he was in this bar with WILSON, which occasion he believes was the Monday before Memorial Day, he recalls sitting at a table with WILSON and having WILSON confronted by one of the owners of the bar over the extension of credit to WILSON for beer. The owner of this bar, name not known, had told JIM WILSON that he would not extend credit to him any longer and after a short discussion, he, ANDRESE, and WILSON left the bar. ANDRESE continued that he has not been in the Golden Garter since that date and has not seen JIM WILSON since May 29, 1968, at approximately 1 PM. when JIM WILSON terminated employment at the Scanbe Manufacturing Company.

At the time of interview ANDRESE furnished the following physical description of himself:

Born	December 9, 1944, Rochester, New York
Height	5'7"
Weight	138 pounds

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Hair	Black (long and straight)
Eyes	Brown
Arrests	Claims no arrests
Military Service	U. S. Army 1966 - 1967, Serial No. US 5649292 (discharged honorably on May 13, 1967)

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Mrs. DOROTHY MANNING, 11820 Mapledale Avenue, Norwalk, California, advised she has a daughter named DOROTHY MANNING and furnished the following background information and description of her:

Race	White
Sex	Female
Age	21
Birth Data	February 23, 1947 Lincoln, Nebraska
Height	5'4"
Weight	Approximately 130 pounds
Hair	Bleached blonde
Marital Status	Married, however separated from her husband.
Husbands	BILLIE SANFORD (1st husband) KEITH ROBERTSON (2nd husband)
Children	[REDACTED], 3 years of age [REDACTED], 2 years of age [REDACTED], 6 months old
Employment	Unemployed
Residence	Unknown
Arrests	Theft, May, 1968 Whittier, California

MANNING advised she has had very little contact with her daughter since January, 1968, when DOROTHY married KEITH ROBERTSON. She further advised DOROTHY only lived with ROBERTSON a few months and then moved in with a cousin, JANET WHITE, in the Whittier area. In May, 1968, DOROTHY was arrested and spent ten days in jail. Immediately following her release

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from jail until the end of May or the first of June, 1968, she had no contact with DOROTHY. She noted she takes care of DOROTHY's two older children and that DOROTHY has the baby with her.

MANNING stated she again saw DOROTHY around the first of June, 1968, and DOROTHY told her mother she was going to get an apartment and a job in the Norwalk area. DOROTHY visits the children on Sundays and occasionally drops by during the week. MANNING stated DOROTHY last visited her on Friday, June 7, 1968.

MANNING advised she did not know a JIM WILSON and that DOROTHY was presently going with an EDDIE NESS.

MANNING denied knowing where DOROTHY was residing or employed, and stated she had no way to get in touch with her. She claimed DOROTHY did not have an automobile but was driving an old Oldsmobile, not further described, when she visited her.

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DOROTHY DIANE MANNING, also known as Dorothy Diane Sanford and Dorothy Diane Robertson, was interviewed in a Bureau car outside the residence of her mother, DOROTHY MANNING, 11820 Mapledale Avenue, Norwalk, California. She furnished the following information:

She was employed as a bar maid at the Golden Garter Bar, Alhambra, California, from May 10, 1968, to May 25 or 26, 1968, when she was discharged from her employment. She obtained this job through a friend named JIM WILSON who was a regular patron of the bar and knew the owners.

Photographs of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN were exhibited to MANNING and she stated she did not know this man but he does resemble a friend of JIM WILSON's whose name is BOB (Last Name Unknown). BOB worked with JIM WILSON at a machine shop in Alhambra during part of May, 1968. He frequently came into the Golden Garter Bar with JIM WILSON during May, 1968.

She described BOB as a white male; age 28 or 29; 5' 8"; 170 pounds; good build with large shoulders; pitch black, curly hair; pockmarked face and swarthy complexion. He claimed to be an Italian.

MANNING was confined to the Los Angeles County Jail for ten days and released on May 9, 1968. Upon her release her girl friend, RHONDA GREEN, invited MANNING and her boy friend, EDWARD NESS, to reside with GREEN and WILSON in Apartment A, 2317 Main Street, Alhambra, California. The four of them resided there until approximately June 1, 1968, when MANNING moved to 11101 Ferina Street, Apartment 4, Norwalk, which is the residence of NESS' sister and brother-in-law, JUNE and CARL HANCOCK.

MANNING described NESS as 18 years of age, 5' 10", 130 - 135 pounds, slender build, brown hair. NESS was arrested on June 8, 1968, on traffic charges and confined to the Los Angeles County Jail with an additional charge of presenting false identification to a police officer.

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EDWIN GERALD NESS, Inmate, Los Angeles County Jail, advised as follows:

During the month of May, 1968, he resided with DOROTHY MANNING, JAMES WILSON, and RHONDA GREEN at an apartment in Alhambra at 2317 Main Street. During that time, he was not employed and DOROTHY, whom he was living with, was employed as a barmaid at the Golden Garter in Alhambra. Also during this time, JAMES WILSON obtained employment at a company in Monterey Park, whose name he could not recall, but he thought it began with "S" and sounded something like "SCRABBLE." He believed that WILSON lasted at this employment approximately one week. WILSON did not own a car, and he was driven to and from work by an individual whom he (NESS) knew only as BOB. He believed BOB drove a 1962 Valiant and on several occasions stopped at the Golden Garter to have a drink with JAMES WILSON.

NESS was shown a photograph of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN, and he said that this photograph resembled the individual whom he knew as BOB, with the exception that BOB combed his hair straight back and had a pockmarked face.

NESS was asked as to what type mail WILSON received during the period they shared the apartment on Main Street. He replied that the only mail WILSON received was "bills." He said that he has known WILSON for the past three years and has resided with him for the past one month, until they split up approximately the first of June, 1968. During that period, WILSON has never made known his political beliefs, and it is the opinion of NESS that he is not interested in politics.

Since their split up on June 1, 1968, NESS has had one contact with WILSON, that being on June 3, 1968, in Santa Ana. NESS said he believes that WILSON is residing in Santa Ana somewhere near Main Street on either First or Fourth Street. WILSON's brother, RICHARD, is the manager of a bar in Santa Ana, California, the "Poor House" or "Pussy Cat."

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WILSON was known to frequent the Golden Garter and to the best of NESS's memory, BOB had accompanied WILSON to the bar on many occasions.

NESS advised that he was being held by the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Office on a charge of furnishing false identification to a police officer.

NESS was asked why DOROTHY was fired as a barmaid from the Golden Garter. He stated that she was fired because one of the owners tried unsuccessfully to have sexual intercourse with her.

The following description of NESS was obtained through interview and observation:

Name	EDWIN GERALD NESS
Birth Date	August 27, 1949
	Highland Park, California
Height	5'11"
Weight	150 pounds
Hair	Brown
Eyes	Brown
Prior Arrest Record	Admitted two arrests - approximately 1962 for Grand Theft Auto
Los Angeles Sheriff's	
Office No.	721-135
Scars and Marks	Tattoo of wolf head left upper arm.

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RHONDA LEE GREEN, 6058 Easton Avenue, Commerce, Los Angeles, was interviewed and advised the following:

GREEN related that on approximately Friday night, May 24, 1968, JIM WILSON, DOROTHY MANNING, EDDY NESS and BOB ADRESE visited with her at 6058 Easton Avenue. She added that during the course of this visit (approximately 8 to 9 PM) BOB ANDRESE played the phonograph and they listened to records. She stated that this was the last time she had seen ANDRESE. RHONDA GREEN advised that she has been friends with JIM WILSON, DOROTHY MANNING and EDDY NESS for some time but the only thing she knew about BOB ANDRESE was that he was employed with the same printing company, name not recalled that JIM WILSON was employed at in Monterey Park. She added that on the occasion mentioned above, ANDRESE furnished her with the following phone number and stated he can be reached at that number after 8:30 PM. (Area code 213-573-0015). During the course of interview photographs of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN were exhibited to GREEN and she advised that the picture resembled BOB except that BOB's hair seemed to be straighter and combed differently.

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RHONDA GREEN was interviewed at 115 South Halladay, Apartment 7, Santa Ana, California. After reviewing a photograph of BOB ANDRESE, she identified him as the individual who visited her in Commerce, California, with JIM WILSON, DOROTHY MANNING and EDDIE NESS.

GREEN furnished the following information as to the activities of JIM WILSON during the end of May and beginning of June 1968:

To her knowledge, JIM WILSON worked in Monterey Park until May 29, 1968, when he quit. He drove to Commerce accompanied by DOROTHY MANNING and EDDIE NESS and he was driving an old two door DeSoto (year not known but believed to be of the early 1950 vintage). WILSON wanted to borrow her car to move from Alhambra to Santa Ana, California. They all left Commerce about 8:00 PM and drove directly to the apartment in Alhambra.

She does not recall specifically what WILSON did from May 31, 1968, through June 3, 1968.

On June 4, 1968, the bars were not opened and JIM and RICHARD WILSON went to look for a job through the Qwik-Serv Employment Agency. They left the apartment at approximately 6:30 AM and did not return until approximately 3:00 PM. They sat around the apartment until 8:00 PM when the bars opened, at which time JIM and RICHARD went to a local bar. They returned at approximately 9:00 PM but JIM left at 10:00 PM and went to Sam's Bar. At approximately 10:30 PM, RHONDA went to Sam's Bar to get JIM and they returned to the apartment approximately 15 minutes later.

GREEN, JIM WILSON, ELAINE WILSON and RICHARD WILSON stayed in the apartment from approximately 10:45 PM, June 4, 1968, watching television until the morning of June 5, 1968.

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On June 5, 1968, JIM and RICHARD WILSON left the apartment at approximately 8:00 AM to seek employment.

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RICHARD LEE WILSON, 115 Halladay Street, Apartment 7, Santa Ana, California, was interviewed in a Bureau car outside his residence since there were a number of people in his apartment at the time. WILSON is described as a male white, born January 1, 1944, in Long Beach, California, 5'10", 260 pounds, brown curly hair, and brown eyes. He is the brother of JAMES L. WILSON, who currently resides with him. He has previously been convicted of forgery and served two and one half years in the penitentiary.

WILSON advised he is currently unemployed but normally works as a machinist. His last employment was for Dodds Company, Beach and Stage Road, Buena Park, California, for whom he worked about one month and quit on May 29, 1968. His longest employment had been for a period of two years in 1962 and 1963 for the Kirkhill Rubber Company, Brea, California.

WILSON advised he had been living at 115 Halladay, Apartment 7, Santa Ana, since April 1968, with his wife, ELAINE WILSON, and their son. His brother, JIM WILSON, visited him at the Santa Ana apartment from time to time while living in Alhambra in April and May 1968. In the afternoon of May 30 or May 31, 1968, JIM WILSON and RHONDA GREEN moved from the Alhambra apartment to the Santa Ana address, along with their two children, and currently reside with the RICHARD WILSON family. WILSON was not certain of the date of the move, but recalled he spent the night of May 29 or May 30, 1968, with JIM and RHONDA at the Alhambra apartment after quitting his job. He said his wife and child remained in Santa Ana.

WILSON advised he had observed the television broadcasts of the assassination of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY and the arrest of the alleged killer, SIRHAN SIRHAN. He did

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not recognize SIRHAN by name or photograph. He did not recognize the name BOB ANDRESE. Regarding BOB ALLEN, WILSON advised he had known him for about seven years and believed ALLEN currently lived in Paramount, California. Prior to May 1968, ALLEN lived with JIM WILSON, but they did not get along too well and split up.

WILSON advised his wife is currently employed as a barmaid at the Pour House Bar on First Street in Santa Ana, around the corner from his residence. She began this employment about June 4, 1968, and works the 5:00 p.m. to 2:00 a.m. shift. WILSON goes over to the bar at 2:00 a.m. to count the money and close the place. He spends about ten or fifteen minutes handling this matter and then returns to his apartment. He said JIM WILSON is generally asleep when he gets home since JIM gets up so early to go to work.

WILSON advised RHONDA GREEN has a 1964 gray Comet sedan, which is sometimes used by JIM WILSON since he does not own a car. The only other vehicle JIM WILSON is known to have driven recently was BOB ALLEN's white Plymouth.

Regarding the move from Alhambra to Santa Ana on May 30 or May 31, 1968, WILSON believed the move had occurred about 6:00 p.m. He said JIM WILSON, RHONDA GREEN, the two children and he drove from Alhambra in RHONDA's Comet and moved into the Santa Ana apartment. All of them got drunk that night, which is a regular occurrence at the house. He said they drink frequently, but it is generally limited to beer. Most of the drinking occurs at home and they have not been frequenting bars in the Santa Ana area. Regarding the Golden Garter Bar in Alhambra, WILSON advised he did not believe he had ever been to that location.

WILSON advised the week end of June 1 and June 2, 1968, involved considerable drinking at the apartment by all of the adult members of the family so that his recollection is hazy about that time. He did recall that on June 4, 1968, which was election day, he and JIM WILSON had worked four hours for Quick Service, located near Second Street in Santa

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Ana, about four blocks from his residence. He recalled they went there at 6:00 a.m., and obtained a job unloading a truck about 9:00 a.m. He and JIM worked until about 2:00 p.m., June 4, 1968, making \$1.65 an hour for their labors. He recalled there were elections that day since they were unable to cash the vouchers for their wages at a bar until 3:00 p.m., since the bars were closed until that time. About 2:00 p.m., or shortly thereafter, he and JIM WILSON returned to the apartment from the employment and stayed around the house the rest of the afternoon. At 3:00 p.m., he and JIM cashed their vouchers at the Spa Bar on South Main Street in Santa Ana. They took a taxi from the Spa Bar about one half mile to the Lasso Bar, where they had a pitcher of beer and walked home. He said the Lasso Bar is near the Pour House Bar and he assumed they got home at 9:30 or 10:00 p.m., but he was not certain. That evening he and JIM watched television, along with RHONDA GREEN and ELAINE WILSON. The children were sleeping at the time. He recalled the election returns were coming in and there was a movie which he watched, although he could not recall the name of it. He recalled seeing Senator ROBERT KENNEDY make his victory speech concerning the California election returns followed by reports of the shooting of Senator KENNEDY. He said he, JIM and the girls were all quite shocked about what happened but recalled no specific conversation about it. He said all of the people went to bed about 4:00 a.m.

WILSON advised he got up at about 8:00 or 9:00 a.m., on June 5, 1968, and observed that the other adults and children were still sleeping. He went back to bed and slept again until 10:00 a.m. or so, when he got up and found JIM WILSON was also up at that time. He recalled that during June 5, 1968, he, JIM and the girls watched television most of the day involving the investigation of the KENNEDY assassination. They were also all drinking quite heavily and he did not believe they left the residence to go anywhere.

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WILSON advised upon further consideration, he believed it was on June 5, 1968, that he and JIM had also looked for some employment. He said JIM WILSON filled out an application for a job in the City of Orange, California, where he had previously worked or was known. He and JIM had driven to that location in RHONDA GREEN's car and were gone several hours before returning to the apartment. WILSON advised he did not enter the company from whom his brother was seeking employment, but rather remained in the car. After they returned to the apartment, he believed they stayed there the balance of the day.

Regarding Monday, June 3, 1968, WILSON advised he now has no particular recollection of what had occurred on that day.

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ELAINE M. WILSON, 115 South Halladay, Apartment 7, Santa Ana, California, advised that she is married to RICHARD WILSON and that JIM WILSON is her brother-in-law. She further advised that on May 30, 1968, JIM WILSON, RHONDA GREEN and her children moved into the apartment.

WILSON furnished the following information regarding JIM WILSON's activities from June 3 - 5, 1968:

On 6/3/68, JIM and RICHARD WILSON left the apartment at approximately 9:00 AM to seek employment and returned at approximately 11:30 AM. They stayed in the apartment the rest of the day drinking and talking.

On June 4, 1968, JIM and RICHARD WILSON got up about 6:00 AM and left the apartment to seek employment through the Qwik-Serv Employment Agency and were gone until approximately 3:15 PM. JIM stayed in the apartment until approximately 8:00 PM when the bars opened and, at that time, he and RICHARD went to the Spa Bar on Main Street to draw money for their employment. They returned at approximately 9:30 PM. JIM left at 10:00 PM to go to Sam's Bar and at approximately 10:30 PM, RHONDA went to the bar to get him and they returned approximately 20 minutes later. They all stayed in the apartment watching television until the early morning of June 5, 1968.

On June 5, 1968, JIM and RICHARD left the apartment at approximately 8:00 or 9:00 AM to seek employment and were gone for approximately two hours when they returned. During the early afternoon, they again left the apartment for job interviews and returned at approximately 3:00 PM, where they remained for the rest of the day.

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KAREN HAINES, 2514 South Grand, advised as follows:

She is a frequent customer of the Golden Garter Bar in Alhambra, California. She was shown photographs of JAMES LLOYD WILSON, SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN and ROBERT ANDRESE. After viewing these photographs she stated that the only individuals she knows in this group is JAMES LLOYD WILSON. She advised that SIRHAN looks like an individual who came to the bar on two or three occasions with WILSON. The photograph of SIRHAN was again viewed by her and she stated that this individual is not known to her.

She advised that there is a customer of the bar whom she knows only as "WALKING BILL". She stated she was present at the bar one evening when WILSON introduced "WALKING BILL" to his friend and she heard through the owners CARL and ANDY MARTIGANI, that his name was SIRHAN B. SIRHAN. She was asked to further identify "WALKING BILL" and she stated that the only thing she knew about him was that he was employed by Royal Industries in Alhambra.

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