

## SHOTS 3040

Form 10.1 (Rev. Feb. 1962)

SHOTS FIRED

Los Angeles Police Department PROPERTY REPORT		CHECK ONE TYPE ONLY	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Evidence	<input type="checkbox"/> Found Evidence	<input type="checkbox"/> Found Property	<input type="checkbox"/> Safekeeping	DR
RESIDENCE ADDRESS			PERSON PROPERTY BOOKED TO CLASSIFICATION		RES. PHONE		BUS. PHONE
1. 696 E. Howard St., Pasadena			1. Sirhan, Sirhan B.		CHARGE		BKG. NO.
RESIDENCE ADDRESS			ARRESTEE'S NAME		RES. PHONE		BUS. PHONE
2. Same			2. Same		187 P.C.		195139
RESIDENCE ADDRESS			VICTIM OR OWNER'S NAME		RES. PHONE		BUS. PHONE
3. Deceased			3. Kennedy, Robert F.		RES. PHONE		BUS. PHONE
RESIDENCE ADDRESS			PERSON REPORTING TO POLICE DEPT. (Last, First, Middle)		RES. PHONE		BUS. PHONE
4. FBI, Los Angeles office			4. LaJeunesse, Roger J., Jr.		RES. PHONE		BUS. PHONE
DATE & TIME THIS REPORT			DATE & TIME PROPERTY TAKEN INTO POLICE CUSTODY - LOCATION - CITY OR REPORTING DIST.		TYPE OF PREMISES		DIV. APIC.
10-31-68 3:00 pm			10-31-68 2:00 pm		150 N. Los Angeles St.		100
PROP. BKG. AT			TYPE OF PROPERTY		Police Bldg.		Letter & dress
INV. DIV.			DIV. OR CITY & DATE CRIME OCCURRED		LIST ANY CONNECTING REPORTS BY TYPE & DR.		SUS
Evidences: BOOK TO ARRESTEE, IF A.O.A.; BOOK TO VICTIM.			Evid. arrest crime		IS THIS STOLEN PROPERTY?		187 P.C.
Found Evidence: BOOK TO OFFICER IF NO ARRESTEE OR VICTIM.			Probable Crime		Prints - Photo - S.I.D. - Other		
Safekeeping: BOOK TO DEPOSITOR, OWNER OR PERSON IN LAWFUL POSSESSION.			Probable Crime		Prints - Photo - S.I.D. - Other		
(Separate reports are required for each different classification of property)			Probable Crime		Prints - Photo - S.I.D. - Other		
(1) IF STOLEN IN CITY OF LOS ANGELES EACH CASE MUST BE COVERED BY CRIME AND FOLLOW-UP REPORTS (2) DESCRIBE CIRCUMSTANCES RESULTING IN BOOKING OF THIS PROPERTY (3) GIVE ADDRESS, TIME AND OR PHONE NUMBER WHERE CONCERNED PERSON(S) MAY BE CONTACTED BY DAY INVESTIGATORS IF NOT LISTED, OR OTHER THAN ABOVE (4) ITEMIZE AND DESCRIBE ALL PROPERTY, GIVE ALL SERIAL NUMBERS AND OTHER MARKS OF IDENTIFICATION. LIST ONLY ONE ARTICLE ON A LINE.			Probable Crime		Prints - Photo - S.I.D. - Other		
ITEM NO.	QUANTITY	SERIAL NUMBER(S) AND ENGRAVING					
		On 10-31-68 Special Agent of the FBI brought to this department a polk-a-dot dress & letter. This garment and letter was received from special agent in charge Robert Grubb, U. S. Secret Service, Salt Lake City, Utah. P/R Grubb made it available to the FBI Division in Salt Lake City on 10-21-68. He explained it undoubtedly originated with Viola Dehon, 237 S. Seventh East, Salt Lake City; or her daughter, Joy Dehon, 268 S. Seventh East, Salt Lake City, Utah. Both are mental patients that have sent numerous items of mail to the Salt Lake City office of the FBI & U. S. Secret Service.					
		Booked evidence SUS property.					
152 1		Bag, brn. paper containing a blk & white polk-a-dot dress and 5-page unsigned letter.					
If additional space is required, use Continuation Sheet, Form 359							
SUPERVISOR APPROVING		SERIAL NO.	REPORTING OFFICER(S) - SER. NO. - DIV. - DET.		PERSON REPORTING (Signature)		
Sgt. M. Nielson		7945	T. J. Miller 1152 SUS		X		
DATE & TIME REPRODUCED - DIVISION - CLERK				INDEXED		CHECKED	

Form 30.2 (Rev. Feb. 1963)

PROPERTY REPORT

Los Angeles Police Department  
PROPERTY REPORT

**CHECK ONE  
TYPE ONLY**

<input type="checkbox"/> Evidence	<input type="checkbox"/> Found Evidence	<input type="checkbox"/> Found Property	<input type="checkbox"/> Safekeeping
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DR 68-521 L66

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Form 10-1 (Rev. 1-10-1963)

## PROPERTY REPORT

**ANALYZED EVIDENCE AND SURVEY REPORTS**

Los Angeles Police Department  
EMPLOYEE'S REPORT

DR 68-521 466

Kennedy - 187 P.C.		
DATE & TIME OCCURRED	LOCATION OF OCCURRENCE	DIVISION OF OCCURRENCE
6-5-68	Ambassador Hotel	Rampart Division
REPORT MADE BY (Name, Assignment, I.D. No.)		DATE & TIME REPORTED
Lt. D.W. Mann, O-I-C, Criminalistics Section, S.I.D.		7-8-68

## DETAILS:

The weapon used in this case was an Iver Johnson, Cadet Model .22 caliber, 8 shot revolver (2½" barrel). This weapon had eight expended shell casings in the cylinder at the time of recovery from the suspect. A trajectory study was made of the physical evidence which indicated that eight shots were fired as follows:

- #1 - Bullet entered Senator Kennedy's head behind the right ear and was later recovered from the victim's head and booked as evidence.
- #2 - Bullet passed through the right shoulder pad of Senator Kennedy's suit coat (never entered his body) and traveled upward striking victim Schrade in the center of his forehead. The bullet was recovered from his head and booked as evidence.
- #3 - Bullet entered Senator Kennedy's right rear shoulder approximately seven inches below the top of the shoulder. This bullet was recovered by the Coroner from the 6th cervical vertebrae and booked as evidence.
- #4 - Bullet entered Senator Kennedy's right rear back approximately one inch to the right of bullet #3. This bullet traveled upward and forward and exited the victim's body in the right front chest. The bullet passed through the ceiling tile, striking the second plastered ceiling and was lost somewhere in the ceiling interspace.
- #5 - Bullet struck victim Goldstein in the left rear buttock. This bullet was recovered from the victim and booked as evidence.
- #6 - Bullet passed through victim Goldstein's left pants leg (never entering his body) and struck the cement floor and entered victim Stroll's left leg. The bullet was later recovered and booked as evidence.
- #7 - Bullet struck victim Weisel in the left abdomen and was recovered and booked.
- #8 - Bullet struck the plaster ceiling and then struck victim Evans in the head. This bullet was recovered from the victim's head and booked as evidence.

A Walker's H-acid test was conducted on Senator Kennedy's suit coat in the area of the entrance wounds. This test indicated that the muzzle of the weapon was held at a distance of between one to six inches from the coat at the time of all firings.

DATE & TIME TYPED	DIVISION	CLERK	EMPLOYEE'S REPORTING	SEQ. NO.	DIV.
7-8-68 10 a.m.	S.I.D.	MM			
SUPERVISOR APPROVING		SERIAL NO.			
Lt. D. W. Mann		2445	Officer DeWayne A. Wolfer #6727 S.I.D.		

## CONTINUATION SHEET

ITEM No.	QUAL.	PAGE No.	TYPE OF REPORT	BOOKING NUMBER	CR No.	SERIAL NUMBERS
		2	15.7		68-521-466	
<p>Powder pattern on Senator Kennedy's ear indicates that the weapon's muzzle was approximately one inch from the ear at the time it was discharged.</p> <p>The bullet recovered from Senator Kennedy's 6th cervical vertebrae was identified as having been fired from the Iver Johnson revolver recovered from the suspect.</p> <p>The bullet recovered from Senator Kennedy's head was too badly damaged for comparison purposes.</p> <p>Sound tests were conducted at the Ambassador Hotel to determine if a weapon fired in the kitchen area could be heard on the east fire escape of the Embassy Ballroom. Sound level meter reading of approximately 1/2 decibels change indicated that a person would not be able to hear a weapon fired in the kitchen area.</p>						

ANALYZED EVIDENCE REPORT

Dz 68-521 466

DATE 6-5-68	TYPE OF INVESTIGATION 187 P.C.	ANALYST ASSIGNED	FIELD CALL <input type="checkbox"/>
ARRESTEE	VICTIM Kennedy, Robert F.	OFFICER REQUESTING Melendrez	SER. NO. Ramp. Dets.
LOCATION OF OCCURRENCE Ambassador Hotel, 3400 Wilshire	DIV. Rampart	DATE & TIME OCCURRED 6-5-68	
ANALYSIS REQUESTED Trace Bullet Trajectories and search for physical evidence.			
LOCATION OF PROPERTY		PROPERTY BOOKED TO <input type="checkbox"/> ARRESTEE <input type="checkbox"/> VICTIM <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER:	
<p>The undersigned is prepared to testify that he is a <u>Criminalist</u> employed by the Los Angeles Police Department, that he did on the <u>5th</u> day of <u>June</u> 19<u>68</u> obtain from <u>Embassy Room kitchen area</u> evidence consisting of:</p> <p>#1 <u>2 - Ceiling Panels</u></p> <p>#2 <u>2 - Boards from door frame</u></p> <p>#3 <u>Beads</u></p> <p>That he did make an examination and analysis of this evidence and in his opinion:</p> <p><u>All items booked evidence and photos taken at scene for bullet trajectory. Above items were booked as Items #117 and #118.</u></p>			
DATE ANALYSIS COMPLETED 6-28-68	DISPOSITION OF EVIDENCE Released to T. L. Miller #11152		
SUPERVISOR APPROVING Lt. Donald W. Mann #2445	ANALYST (Signature and Serial No.) Off. DeWayne A. Wolfer #6727		

## ANALYZED EVIDENCE REPORT

OR 68-521 466

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ANALYZED EVIDENCE REPORT

DR 68-521 466

DATE <b>6-11-68</b>	TYPE OF INVESTIGATION <b>187 P.C.</b>	ANALYST ASSIGNED	FIELD CALL <input type="checkbox"/>
ARRESTEE <b>Sirhan, Sirhan B.</b>	VICTIM <b>Kennedy, Robert F.</b>	OFFICER REQUESTING <b>S.U.S.</b>	SER. NO. DIV.
LOCATION OF OCCURRENCE <b>Ambassador Hotel</b>	DIV. <b>Rampart</b>	DATE & TIME OCCURRED <b>6-5-68</b>	
ANALYSIS REQUESTED <b>Powder Residue Patterns</b>			
LOCATION OF PROPERTY		PROPERTY BOOKED TO <input type="checkbox"/> ARRESTEE <input type="checkbox"/> VICTIM <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER	
<p>The undersigned is prepared to testify that he is a <u>Criminalist</u> employed by the Los Angeles Police Department; that he did on the <u>11th</u> day of <u>June</u> 19<u>68</u> obtain from <u>Coroner's Office, etc.</u> evidence consisting of:</p> <p>#1 <u>Coroner's photos and X-Rays of Kennedy's wounds.</u></p> <p>#2 <u>Iver Johnson - Cadet, Model 22 caliber Revolver #h 18602</u></p> <p>#3 <u>CCI - 22 caliber ammunition</u></p> <p>That he did make an examination and analysis of this evidence and in his opinion:</p> <p><u>Tests indicate that the powder residue pattern on the right ear of Senator Kennedy was caused at a muzzle distance of approximately one inch.</u></p>			
DATE ANALYSIS COMPLETED <b>6-11-68</b>	DISPOSITION OF EVIDENCE <b>Held in lab, S.I.D.</b>		
SUPERVISOR APPROVING <b>Lt. D.W. Mann #2445</b>	ANALYST (Signature and Serial No.) <b>Officer DeWayne Wolfer #6727</b>		

ANALYZED EVIDENCE REPORT

DR 68-521 466

DATE 6-7-68	TYPE OF INVESTIGATION 187 P.C.	ANALYST ASSIGNED	FIELD CALL <input type="checkbox"/>
ARRESTEE Sirhan, Sirhan B.	VICTIM Kennedy, Robert F.	OFFICER REQUESTING D.A.'s Office	SER. NO. <input type="checkbox"/> DIV. <input type="checkbox"/>
LOCATION OF OCCURRENCE Ambassador Hotel	DIV. Rampart	DATE & TIME OCCURRED 6-5-68	
ANALYSIS REQUESTED Walker's H-Acid on coat			
LOCATION OF PROPERTY Central Property		PROPERTY BOOKED TO <input type="checkbox"/> ARRESTEE <input type="checkbox"/> VICTIM <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER:	
<p>The undersigned is prepared to testify that he is a <u>Criminalist</u> employed by the Los Angeles Police Department; that he did on the <u>7th</u> day of <u>June</u> 19<u>68</u> obtain from <u>Central Property</u> evidence consisting of:</p> <p><u>Item #13 - Suit man's (Kennedy)</u></p> <p><u>Item #14 - Shorts man's</u></p> <p><u>Item #15 - Shirt man's</u></p> <p><u>Item #16 - Belt man's</u></p> <p><u>Item #17 - Tie man's</u></p> <p><u>Item #18 - Socks man's</u></p> <p>That he did make an examination and analysis of this evidence and in his opinion:</p> <p><u>The Walker's H-Acid test was conducted on the five holes in the area of the right shoulder of the man's coat (Item #13).</u></p> <p><u>No nitrite pattern was found around the hole in the right front shoulder.</u></p> <p><u>This hole is an exit hole.</u></p> <p><u>No nitrite pattern was found around the hole in the right front shoulder.</u></p> <p><u>This hole is an exit hole.</u></p> <p><u>No nitrite pattern was found around the hole located 3/4 of an inch to the rear of the right should seam. This hole is also an exit hole.</u></p> <p><u>The hole in the rear of the right sleeve seam and 2" below the shoulder seam gave a positive nitrite pattern. The pattern was approximately 2" in diameter. The two holes in the rear right sleeve, approximately 7" below the shoulder seam, gave a positive nitrite pattern. The two patterns together measured approximately 1-1/4" in diameter.</u></p> <p><u>Photos taken of results.</u></p>			
DATE ANALYSIS COMPLETED 6-7-68	DISPOSITION OF EVIDENCE Held in lab, S.I.D.		
SUPERVISOR APPROVING Lt. D. W. Mann #2445	ANALYST (Signature and Serial No.) Officer DeWayne A. Koller #6727		

ANALYZED EVIDENCE REPORT

OR 68-521 466

DATE <b>June 5, 1968</b>	TYPE OF INVESTIGATION <b>Poss. Murder</b>	ANALYST ASSIGNED <b>Mann</b>	FIELD CALL <input type="checkbox"/>
ARRESTEE <b>Sirhan, Sirhan</b>	VICTIM <b>Kennedy, Robert</b>	OFFICER REQUESTING <b>Melendres</b>	SER. NO. <b>Dets</b>
LOCATION OF OCCURRENCE <b>Ambassador Hotel</b>	DIV. <b>Rampart</b>	DATE & TIME OCCURRED <b>6-5-68 12:15 AM</b>	
ANALYSIS REQUESTED <b>Check clothing for identifying marks to I.D. wearer</b>			
LOCATION OF PROPERTY		PROPERTY BOOKED TO <input type="checkbox"/> ARRESTEE <input type="checkbox"/> VICTIM <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER: <b>Received from Jordan</b>	
<p>The undersigned is prepared to testify that he is a <u>Criminalist</u> employed by the Los Angeles Police Department, that he did on the <u>5th</u> day of <u>June</u> 19<u>68</u> obtain from <u>Sgt. W.C. Jordan 17167</u> evidence consisting of:</p> <p><u>Bundle of clothing containing:</u></p> <p><u>T-Shirt (Towncraft)</u></p> <p><u>Shoes &amp; Socks</u></p> <p><u>Blue Shirt - (Don Loper)</u></p> <p><u>Blue Shirt - (Towncraft Prep)</u></p> <p><u>Blue Pants - (Ranch Craft)</u></p>			
<p>That he did make an examination and analysis of this evidence and in his opinion <u>Package was opened at 3:10 a.m.</u></p> <p><u>T-Shirt - Wrong side out - Considerable amount of what appears to be short hair on T-Shirt - Red spot on shoulder of T-Shirt gave positive benzidine test.</u></p> <p><u>Shoes &amp; Socks - Appears to be whip cream or cake frosting on left shoe heel.</u></p> <p><u>Blue Shirt (Don Loper) - Difficult to see stains because of nature of cloth - Right elbow area gave a positive benzidine test - Reddish places on front of shirt do not react to benzidine.</u></p> <p><u>Blue Shirt (Towncraft) - Spots on collar do not react to benzidine. Nothing in shirt pocket unless microscopic.</u></p> <p><u>Blue Pants- Zipper type - Red spots on pant legs do not react to benzidine. Red spots on seat of trousers react to benzidine reagent. Nothing in pockets unless microscopic. This preliminary examination concluded and report given to Lt. Hughes at Rampart Detectives 4/AM, 6-5-68. Evidence stored in crime laboratory.</u></p>			
DATE ANALYSIS COMPLETED <b>6-5-68</b>	DISPOSITION OF EVIDENCE <b>To Sgt. Jordan at 4:30 p.m., 6-7-68.</b>		
SUPERVISOR APPROVING <b>D.A. Martin 1514</b>	ANALYST SIGNATURE AND SERIAL NO. <b>D. W. Mann #2445</b>		

ANALYZED EVIDENCE REPORT

DR 68-521 466

DATE 6-6-68	TYPE OF INVESTIGATION HOMI	ANALYST ASSIGNED	FIELD CALL <input type="checkbox"/>
ARRESTEE	VICTIM Sen. Kennedy	OFFICER REQUESTING Claborn	SER. NO. 6023 DIV. SID
LOCATION OF OCCURRENCE Papers from Vehicle on New Hampshire & Wilshire Blvd.		DIV. Rampart	DATE & TIME OCCURRED 6-6-68 12:30 a.m.
ANALYSIS REQUESTED (requested by Lt. Hegge - Rampart Dets.) Process papers for prints. Newspapers, pictures, and cards			
LOCATION OF PROPERTY		PROPERTY BOUGHT TO <input type="checkbox"/> ARRESTEE <input type="checkbox"/> VICTIM <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER	
<p>The undersigned is prepared to testify that he is a _____ employed by the Los Angeles Police Department; that he did on the _____ day of _____ 19____ obtain from _____ evidence consisting of:</p>			
<p>I.D. photos of receipts etc. 6-6-68 JW Photos Magna-Gray Tracer dusted by That he did make an examination and analysis of this evidence and in his opinion: Maxwell. Lp photo'd by JW 6-6-68 JW</p>			
<p>Part of papers treated with ninhydrin 6-6-68 DM</p>			
<p>Selected papers &amp; cartridge box (by Maxwell) photo'd for ninhydrin reaction 6-6-68 JW (7 areas)</p>			
<p>(23) areas of ninhydrin reaction on newspapers 6-10-68JW</p>			
<p>1 area of cartridge box (nin) 1 area of red parking receipt, 1 area on sales receipt for cartridges, (22 cal) - 1 area back of "Allied Auto Supply" slip- 2 areas on small paper sack - all rephoto'd for improved ninhydrin reaction 6-10-68 JW</p>			
<p>Treated with silver nitrate 6-12-68 DM Mann</p>			
<p>Area on back of sales Receipt #2372 for silver nitrate reaction as per Maxwell LB 6-13-68 JW</p>			
<p>(10) areas (2 papers) silver nitrate reaction photo'd. 6-14-68 JW</p>			
<p>(4) on Christian Science Monitor 6-1-68 &amp; (6) in Independent Star News</p>			
<p>6 areas of ninhydrin reaction on Christian Science Monitor (Editorial page) (6-1-68 edition) photo'd 6-24-68 JW</p>			
DATE ANALYSIS COMPLETED 6-24-68		DISPOSITION OF EVIDENCE Returned T.J. Miller 11152 SUS	
SUPERVISOR APPROVING Lt. DM Mann		ANALYST (Signature and Serial No.) James Watson 9067	

EXEMPLAR WRITING:

One time card "Organic Pasadena"	(9/17/67)
One payroll check #174775 (endorsement)	(4/12/68)
One education record	(7/24/68)
One accident report	(Aug.)
Two inventory sheets	(12/31/67)
One P.C.C. information card from H. Benson	
One signature--Corona Community Hospital Medical record.	(10/8/66)
One signature--Note relieving Public Defender as attorney.	(6/12/68)

QUESTIONED WRITING:

Item #29: One green Pasadena City College notebook pages one through seventy-six and two cardboard covers. Two tan notebooks pages one through one hundred eighty six and pages A through G.

Item #71: One envelope "Argonaut Insurance Co.". Two 3" X 5" notebook pages. One Johnson Cadet Ser.#53725 tag.

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO: GEORGE R. STONER, Chief,  
Bureau of Investigation

FROM: LAWRENCE W. SLOAN  
Questioned Documents Examiner

SUBJECT: File NO. 100-272; SIRHAN B. SIRHAN

DATE: SEPTEMBER 20, 1968

I have completed a lengthy and detailed examination and comparison of the handwriting contained in the two spiral notebooks and other related papers in the SIRHAN matter with and against the accumulated exemplar writings of SIRHAN SIRHAN.

At the time of my preliminary report, August 22, 1968, it was anticipated that additional exemplar writings of SIRHAN would be located and identifiable, but none has been found. Thus, the complete examination and comparison has been carried out with the same exemplar materials but with considerable additional time being spent upon it.

My original opinion concerning the signature of SIRHAN SIRHAN in the "sign in" sheet, at the SAN GABRIEL RIFLE RANGE, dated June 4, 1968, has been strengthened considerably by the additional time spent in the overall examination. Too, the lengthy inter-comparison of writing in the spiral notebooks has been of great value and a much firmer opinion concerning that writing has been reached.

Therefore, at this time, I wish to state my opinion concerning all the writings and the examination thereof.

It is my specific and unqualified opinion that SIRHAN SIRHAN is the person responsible for the writing of his name on the "sign in" sheet at the SAN GABRIEL RIFLE RANGE. It is also my specific and unqualified opinion that he is the person responsible for more than 90% of the writings found in the two spiral notebooks.

To explain the 90% opinion, the remaining 10% of the writing relates to obscure words and phrases that have been written in a manner unlike that found in the identifiable exemplar writing. Observation and evaluation of the notebook writing as a whole indicates a writer who apparently "experiments" with his writing construction from time to time.

Further, it is my specific and unqualified opinion that he, in particular, wrote the words on pages 15, 19, 21, 26, 35, 39, 47, in the Pasadena City College notebook and pages 123, 124, 125, and 126 of the larger notebook.

Such would be my testimony in court.

MEMORANDUM

TO: GEORGE R. STONER, Chief, Bureau of Investigation  
FROM: LAURENCE W. SLOAN, Questioned Document Examiner  
SUBJECT: FILE #100-272 SIRHAN B. SIRHAN  
DATE: FEBRUARY 18, 1969

I wish to report the results of my examinations and comparisons of four (4) items in the Sirhan matter not covered in my reports of August 22, 1968, and September 20, 1968.

These items are identified as follows:

1. A check, drawn on the Altfillisch Construction Co., Route 1, Box 159B, Corona, California, #3816, in the amount of \$81.57 dated 11-14-66, endorsed Sirhan Sirhan, 1906 Owens, Narco.
2. A brown envelope, legal size with a U.S. Treasury return address bearing the printing, "R.F.K. must be disposed of like his brother was."
3. A piece of paper with hand written direction instructions.
4. A Corona Police Pistol Range Work Sheet dated month of June with an entry on 6-1 in the name of Sirhan Sirhan.

As a result of my examination and comparison of the four (4) items listed, it is my specific and unqualified opinion that:

1. The check in item #1 was not endorsed by Sirhan Sirhan.
2. The writing on the Treasury Department envelope was written by Sirhan Sirhan.
3. The writing of the name of Sirhan Sirhan on the Corona Police Pistol Range Work Sheet was done by Sirhan Sirhan.

In regard to the piece of paper with the handwritten direction instructions in item #3 I have a qualified opinion that in all probability Sirhan Sirhan is the person responsible for that writing.

Such would be my testimony in Court.

LWS:wi

The documents set forth were consigned to me on July 15, 1968. I perused them on six consecutive days for a total of twenty two hours, to resolve the following:

- (1) Was all the questioned writing written by one person ?
- (2) Was the questioned writing written by the person who wrote the exemplar writing ?

After having made a close and critical examination of all the documents involved I have arrived at the Inconclusive Opinion:

(1) In all probability one person wrote all of the questioned writing, specifically that writing enclosed within and without the dotted lines, as indicated by the circumscribed arrows, on the photocopy of said documents. My opinion is qualified due to the time lapse between execution of the writings involved and the varying quality of the writing itself. There is a possibility that another person(s) wrote portion(s) of the questioned writing; however, I can find nothing to substantiate this possibility. There are some indications that the questioned writing was conceivably written by a left-handed writer; however, the latter are merely indications and could not be attested to. This opinion only pertains to that writing written in English. I have no opinion concerning the two foreign styles of handwriting contained in the questioned writing.

(2) Whoever wrote the exemplar handwriting probably wrote the questioned writing. This is based on evidence strong enough to establish presumption but not proof. I can find nothing which definitely indicates different writers are concerned; however, due to the lack of exemplar writing, the lack in number

and uniqueness of the handwriting characteristics, I am unable to reach a definite opinion. There is insufficient evidence to prove that both writings are the work of one person, although they have in common a number of deviations from copybook form consistent with their being by the same person.

Examination under ultraviolet illumination, both short wave and long wave, also infrared illumination to determine the presence of any latent or eradicated writing yielded negative results.

If handwriting testimony is contemplated these documents should be photographed and a suitable exhibit made to support the aforementioned opinions.

Frankie E. Franck 10660

Questioned Document Section  
Scientific Investigation Division  
Los Angeles Police Department  
July 25, 1968

June 28, 1968

TO:            Commander: Special Unit Senator  
FROM:        S.I.D. Latent Prints  
SUBJECT: DR# 68-521 466

The following is a list of latent prints obtained, to date, in the investigation of the homicide under DR# 68-521 466.

Eleven lifts from a 58 Chrysler-California JPT 343, Alexandria and Wilshire. Unidentified.

Five latent prints obtained from the items found in the alley at the rear of 1829 Crescent Heights Boulevard.  
Unidentified.

One lift from the mirror at the rear entrance to the kitchen area of the Ambassador Hotel.  
Unidentified.

1956 DeSoto-California JWS 093, New Hampshire and Wilshire.

The following latent prints obtained from this vehicle identified as belonging to Sirhan Sirhan.

Left middle and left ring from inside window drivers side.

Left thumb (two times) from metal portion of right door panel.

Right middle and right ring from outside glove box door.

Right thumb from face of rear view mirror.

Left middle from inside left door glass.

The following latent prints obtained from items removed from 1956 DeSoto and identified as belonging to Sirhan Sirhan.

Left middle from front and left middle and left ring from back of sales receipt #2372 from Lock, Stock & Barrel.

Left index from Allied Auto Supply receipt # 157794.

Left thumb from picture of flock of sheep.

Left thumb (two times), right index (two times), right middle, right little, right palm and left little from Christian Science Monitor newspapers.

Right index from Independent Star news dated June 2, 1968.

The following latents obtained from items removed from 1956 DeSoto are Unidentified.

Three latent prints from Christian Science Newspaper.

One latent print from picture of rider on a horse.

Two latent prints from quiz paper.

All unidentified latent prints were checked against the following:

Sirhan B. Sirhan

Saidallah B. Sirhan (Fingers only, no palm card in file).

Nabil Khoury

Barbara A. Khoury

Beverly L. Corey

Cheryl Wessels

Sergeant Riley W. Maxwell #6072

# LATENT PRINTS

Voss #5549

6-8-68 12 noon

DR 68 521 466

KENNEDY

## LOCATION

## ELIMINATION

1956 De Soto

7 lifts from various parts

Suspect made on all identifiable.

1 unidentifiable

3 photos found in suspect's vehicle

Numerous prints  
1 unidentified

Suspect made on all but one.

Sales slip from Lock, Stock & Barrel for box of ammunition.

1 lift

Suspect made

No lift from gun or ammunition

Ammunition box  
22 caliber

1 lift not good enough for court

Suspect made

Slip of paper from a supply house for auto parts

1 lift

Suspect made

Newspapers and miscellaneous papers from car not processed completely yet.

Mirror at rear of Ambassador

2 lifts

Suspect eliminated

1. One 22 caliber Iver Johnson cadet revolver blue steel Model 55-SA serial H53725 with eight expended 22 caliber brass shells. Gun and brass booked at Central Property by "Calkins", Homicide Division. Checked out by Moser - took to Photographic Laboratory by "Watson" where gun and empty brass was examined for fingerprints by Moser and Watson.

Also examined was one pair black horn rimmed eyeglasses with probable blood on them.

Gun and brass returned to Central Property by Moser 6-5-68 10:15 a.m. Results - no fingerprints obtained on above items.

2. 6-5-68 1:10 a.m. (Page 106 Book 109)

Homicide call - Rampart Station 1:25 a.m. - 1:45 a.m. by Claborn.

Results - not needed at that time.

6-5-68 2:05 a.m. (Page 106 Book 109)

Homicide call - Los Angeles County Sheriffs Office records 2:10 a.m. - 2:25 a.m. by Claborn.

Results - print transportation.

3. 6-5-68 8:20 a.m. (Page 108 Book 109)

1958 Chrysler JPT343 California at Alexandria between Sixth and Wilshire.

8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. Processed by Hocking and Sergeant Smith.

Results - 11 lifts taken from vehicle not eliminated or identified yet. (6-10-68)

4. 6-5-68 4:50 p.m. (Page 110 Book 109)

1956 DeSoto JWS 093 California at New Hampshire and Wilshire.

5:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. By Isenhardt, Sergeant Marz, Knott.

Results - unable to process at that time at request of detectives.

5. 6-6-68 11:30 p.m. 6-5-68 (Page 110 Book 109 and page 142-3)

1956 DeSoto JWS 093 California 100 feet south of Wilshire on east side of New Hampshire. 11:50 p.m. - 1:10 a.m. by Claborn.

Below listed items brought to Room 213 Parker Center from vehicle from processing.

Results - 7 lifts from vehicle - 6 identifiable to Sirhan, one unidentifiable.

A. One sales receipt from Lock, Stock and Barrel #2372, address 8972 East Huntington Drive, San Gabriel, dated 6-1-68.

Listing - 2 boxes CCI 22 caliber  
2 boxes SX 22 caliber

Results - two fingerprints identifiable to defendant Sirhan (photographs) second run - one print front side identifiable to Sirhan.

B. One empty ammunition box.

22 caliber CCI, L.R., H.P.

Results - One print identifiable to "Sirhan" insufficient points of identification for positive identification (photographed).

C. One Allied Auto Supply receipt #157794.

Results - One print on back of receipt identifiable to Sirhan.

D. One ticket \$.50 donation - Saint Elizabeth's Western Fiesta #37583.

Results - negative.

E. Three sheets of Blue Chip Stamps.

Results - negative.

F. Two half ticket stubs - #114147 and 114148.

Results - negative.

G. One red auto parking ticket - Hollywood Park #59600.

Results - First run, negative; second run 1 n.g. print possibly Sirhan.

H. Unknown type receipt for \$9.45 showing phone #SY 77302.

Results - negative.

I. One white paper bag (Jack-In-The-Box) and one plain brown paper bag.

Results - Both bags negative.

J. One carbon and hard copy Richfield Credit Card receipt

#F 342060, with credit card owners No. #00377 made on

5-20-68 with License No. JWS 093 at service station

C or G Ayer #248, Baldwin Park, Calif. # [REDACTED]

Results - negative.

K. Newspapers - Los Angeles Times dated 5 June and 4 June.  
Independent Star News dated 2 June.

(2) Christian Science Monitors dated 1 June  
and 3 June

San Gabriel Independent dated 4 June.

Results on first run - 11 June - Following prints belong  
to Sirhan Sirhan.

Christian Science Monitor #159 - 2 prints left thumb -  
one right index, one left little.

Christian Science Monitor #160 - Right thumb and right  
little.

Independent Star News - 6-2-68 - Right index.

(Christian Science Monitor #159 - One photograph of  
latent not identifiable.)

Other photographs of latents not identifiable.

Processing continues.

L. One small book approximately 2½" x 3½" with possible  
Arabic writing.

Results -

M. Three small glossy snapshot photographs - two with  
horse and rider, one with sheep in pasture.

Results - all identifiable (or unidentifiable), except  
one, to "Sirhan".

6. 6-6-68 7:40 p.m. (Page 114 and 141 Book 109)

Shoes and purse and contents - Rampart Station - Received  
by "Knott" and Butler.

9:30 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. (from alley, rear of, 1829 South  
Crescent Heights Boulevard). Above items taken to "Watson",

photo laboratory by Moser on 6-7-68 8:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.  
and processed for fingerprints by Moser and Watson.

- A. One pair black lady's shoes - 9B, AA heel - Qualicraft. Phot'd.
- B. One black plastic lady's purse, red plastic inside liner with Woolworth's price tag inside \$3.99.  
Photographed.
- C. Five books of safety matches - Shakey's Pizza - 2180 East Foothill Boulevard, Pasadena - Phone 7931011.  
One book photographed, 4 others n.p.
- D. One Woolworth's cash receipt  
Register #4 June 1 - #8609.  
01.00 Mi-A, 00.05 ST-A, \$01.05 TL-A.  
Treated NIN
- E. One tube lipstick - Westmore - Oh Oh Orange.  
Results - negative.
- F. One tube lipstick - Torch Song, Watkins Winona  
Results - Photographed and lifted one print.
- G. One tube lipstick - Silver - Watkins Winona.  
Photographed.
- H. One round white plastic rouge case - Tangee.  
Results - negative.
- I. One can hair spray - Aerosol type - Lanolin Plus.  
Photographed.  
Results - Latents from above listed items - not identifiable.

7. 6-7-68 10:15 a.m. (Page 116 Book 109)

Ambassador Hotel, 3400 Wilshire Boulevard. Processed mirror near rear door of Embassy Room.

10:45 - 11:15 a.m. by Clements.

Results - One lift - not identifiable.

8. 6-9-68 5:15 p.m. (Page 126 Book 109)

Ambassador Hotel, 3400 Wilshire Boulevard. Processed kitchen area.

5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. by Dorman and Knott.

Results - negative.

9. 6-9-68 9:00 p.m. (Page 126 and 138 Book 109)

Four sheets of paper containing "Russian" grammar lesson checked out from Central Property by "Knott" 4:00 p.m.

Papers taken to "Watson" for identifiable photographs and processed for fingerprints by "Moser" 6-10-68 8:30 a.m.

Results -

31 July 1968

TO: Commander: Special Unit Senator  
FROM: S. I. D. Latent Print  
SUBJECT: July progress report: DR# 68-521 466

On 3 July 1968, a small campaign poster with a picture of Senator Kennedy and a book "Assassination" by Ben Abro were received for processing for latent prints.

Campaign photo-Negative

Book - One photo with three identifiable latents.

Two photos with unidentifiable latents.

All unidentified latents were checked against the following:

Sirhan B. Sirhan

Saidallah B. Sirhan

Nabil Khoury

Barbara A. Khoury

Beverly L. Corey

Cheryl Wessels

Sgt. Riley W. Maxwell #6072

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DR 68-521 466

DATE <b>7-8-68</b>	TYPE OF INVESTIGATION <b>187 P.C.</b>	ANALYST ASSIGNED	FIELD CALL <input type="checkbox"/>
ARRESTEE <b>Sirhan, Sirhan</b>	VICTIM <b>Kennedy, Robert F.</b>	OFFICER REQUESTING <b>S.U.S.</b>	SER. NO. <b>6-5-68</b>
LOCATION OF OCCURRENCE <b>Ambassador Hotel</b>	DIV. <b>Rampart</b>	DATE & TIME OCCURRED	
ANALYSIS REQUESTED <b>Comparison of expended shell casings</b>			
LOCATION OF PROPERTY <b>Received from C. B. Thompson</b>		PROPERTY BOOKED TO <input type="checkbox"/> ARRESTEE <input type="checkbox"/> VICTIM <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER:	
<p>The undersigned is prepared to testify that he is a <u>Criminalist</u> employed by the Los Angeles Police Department; that he did on the <u>3rd</u> day of <u>July</u> 19<u>68</u> obtain from <u>C.B. Thompson #11806</u> evidence consisting of:</p> <p><u>489 - 22 caliber expended shell casings</u></p> <p>That he did make an examination and analysis of this evidence and in his opinion:</p> <p><u>None of the above shells were fired in the Iver Johnson</u></p> <p><u>22 caliber revolver #H 53725 (weapon taken from</u></p> <p><u>Sirhan Sirhan, Item #11).</u></p>			
DATE ANALYSIS COMPLETED <b>7-8-68</b>	DISPOSITION OF EVIDENCE <b>Returned to C.B. Thompson</b>		
SUPERVISOR APPROVING <b>Lt. D. W. Mann</b>	ANALYST (Signature and Serial No.) <b>D.A. Wolfer #6727</b>		

## ANALYZED EVIDENCE REPORT

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DATE 8-12-68	TYPE OF INVESTIGATION 187 P.C.	ANALYST ASSIGNED	FIELD CALL <input type="checkbox"/>
ARRESTEE SIRHAN, Sirhan	VICTIM KENNEDY, Robert F.	OFFICER REQUESTING Sgt. McGann	SER. NO. DIV. SUS
LOCATION OF OCCURRENCE	DIV. SUS	DATE & TIME OCCURRED 6-4-68	
ANALYSIS REQUESTED Comparison of shells			
LOCATION OF PROPERTY Received from Sgt. McGann			
PROPERTY BOOKED TO <input type="checkbox"/> ARRESTEE <input type="checkbox"/> VICTIM <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER:			
The undersigned is prepared to testify that he is a <u>Criminalist</u> employed by the Los Angeles Police Department; that he did on the <u>15</u> day of <u>July</u> 19 <u>68</u> obtain from <u>Sgt. McGann</u> evidence consisting of:  <u>Approximately 40 lbs. (37,815) .22 caliber shell casings.</u>			
That he did make an examination and analysis of this evidence and in his opinion:  <u>I was unable to find any shell casings which were fired from the weapon taken from arrestee Sirhan Sirhan (Iver Johnson, 22 caliber revolver #H-53725).</u>			
DATE ANALYSIS COMPLETED 8-12-68	DISPOSITION OF EVIDENCE Returned to Sgt. McGann		
SUPERVISOR APPROVING	ANALYST (Signature and Serial No.)		

ANALYZED EVIDENCE REPORT

DR 68-521 466

DATE <b>6-20-68</b>	TYPE OF INVESTIGATION <b>187 P.C.</b>	ANALYST ASSIGNED	FIELD CALL <input type="checkbox"/>
ARRESTEE <b>Sirhan, Sirhan B.</b>	VICTIM <b>Kennedy, Robert F.</b>	OFFICER REQUESTING <b>S.U.S.</b>	SER. NO. <b>6-5-68</b>
LOCATION OF OCCURRENCE <b>Ambassador Hotel</b>	DIV. <b>Rampart</b>	DATE & TIME OCCURRED <b>6-5-68</b>	
ANALYSIS REQUESTED <b>Sound Level Test</b>			
LOCATION OF PROPERTY		PROPERTY BOOKED TO <input type="checkbox"/> ARRESTEE <input type="checkbox"/> VICTIM <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER:	
<p>The undersigned is prepared to testify that he is a <u>Criminalist</u> employed by the Los Angeles Police Department; that he did on the <u>20th</u> day of <u>June</u> 19<u>68</u> obtain from _____ evidence consisting of:</p> <p><u>1 - General Radio Company - Sound-level meter</u></p> <p><u>1 - 22 caliber Iver Johnson Cadet Model Revolver</u></p> <p><u>1 - Box of Mini-mag ammunition</u></p>			
<p>That he did make an examination and analysis of this evidence and in his opinion:</p> <p><u>Sound-level tests were conducted at the Ambassador Hotel between the hours of 11:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. on this date. A 22 caliber Iver Johnson Cadet Model Revolver was used in these tests, with 22 caliber ammunition which matched the brand and lot used in the assassination. The test weapon was fired in the Embassy kitchen at the approximate position where Senator Kennedy was shot. The weapon was held horizontal to the floor with the muzzle pointed toward the door at the west end of the kitchen.</u></p> <p><u>A series of one, four and eight shots were fired in each sound test. During these tests, there were no functions occurring in any of the ballrooms or foyers (Embassy Room, Sunset Room and Boulevard Room). On the night of June 5, 1968, at approximately 11:30 p.m., there were</u></p>			
DATE ANALYSIS COMPLETED <b>6-20-68</b>		DISPOSITION OF EVIDENCE <b>(Con't.)</b>	
SUPERVISOR APPROVING <b>Lt. D. W. Mann #2445</b>		ANALYST SIGNATURE AND SERIAL NO. <b>Officer DelWayne A. Wolfer #6727</b>	

Page 2 - Analysis of Evidence, Continued:

several hundred people and a band (Sunset and foyer area) in these rooms, which would further mask out the sound of a weapon being fired in the kitchen.

The sounds of firing the weapon were heard from the lower second level of the northwest, outside stairs of the Embassy Room. The sound-level meter reading indicated a 12-14 decibels change.

The sounds of firing the weapon in the kitchen were not heard from the lower 2nd level of the east west, outside stairway of the Embassy Room. Tests were conducted with the exit door from the Sunset Room both open and closed. Sound level meter readings were 1/2 decibel or less.

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# ANALYZED EVIDENCE REPORT

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DATE <b>6-19-68</b>	TYPE OF INVESTIGATION <b>Murder</b>	ANALYST ASSIGNED	FIELD CALL <input type="checkbox"/>
ARRESTEE	VICTIM <b>Kennedy, Robert</b>	OFFICER REQUESTING <b>Gutierrez</b>	SER. NO. <b>7060</b> DIV. <b>SUS</b>
LOCATION OF OCCURRENCE <b>Rear alley 1829 S. Crescent Heights Wilshire</b>		DATE & TIME OCCURRED <b>6-6-68</b>	
ANALYSIS REQUESTED <b>Check for hair and blood</b>			
LOCATION OF PROPERTY		PROPERTY BOULED TO <input type="checkbox"/> ARRESTEE <input type="checkbox"/> VICTIM <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER: <b>Rebues 10514</b>	
<p>The undersigned is prepared to testify that he is a <u>Criminalist</u> employed by the Los Angeles Police Department; that he did on the <u>19th</u> day of <u>June</u> 19<u>68</u> obtain from <u>Gutierrez #7060</u> evidence consisting of:</p> <p>#1 - Polka Dot Dress, Purplish Grey with white polka dots - Size 9</p> <p>#2 - Pantie Girdle - White "Lovable" brand</p> <p>#3 - Nylon hose - Size 10R Medium, Seamless</p> <p>#4 - Brassiere - White "Lovable" brand</p> <p>#5 - Slip - Black, Full, "Baronet" brand, Size 34</p> <p>#6 - Panties - Pink, Nylon Tricot, Large (Size 7)</p> <p>#748- Necklace and Bracelet - Pearl-like beads (Items continued Pg. 2)</p> <p>That he did make an examination and analysis of this evidence and in his opinion:</p> <p>#1 - Polka Dot Dress - The red stains inside the upper portion do not give a positive test for blood. The dress is 33" long and 17" across at the waist. The dress is sleeveless and zippers in the back. The dress is purplish grey with white polka dots 1/4", slightly oblong. The dress shows not signs of wear, but appears possibly faded. A female secretary indicated the dress was of cheap quality. The belt is 2 1/2" wide. The lower 12" of the dress is pleated. The belt has two buttons in the front. The dress is Size 9. A union label is present, but no brand label appears.</p> <p>#2 - White Pantie Girdle - "Lovable" brand - Reddish stain in girdle does not give a test for blood. The garment does not show signs of wear or washing and appears new. No hair or debris was found on this garment.</p> <p>(Continued on Page 3)</p>			
DATE ANALYSIS COMPLETED	DISPOSITION OF EVIDENCE <b>Released to T.J. Miller #1152 on 7-2-68</b>		
SUPERVISOR APPROVING <b>Captain Don A. Martin #514</b>	ANALYST SIGNATURE AND SERIAL NO. <b>Lt. D.J. Mann #2445</b>		

Page 2 - Evidence Consisting of, Continued:

- # 9 - Pair of Earrings - Pearl-like
- #10 - Can of "Revlon Aquamarine Spraymist"
- #11 - Tube of lipstick - Germaine Monteil "Moist Rose", no top
- #12 - Pkg. Bobby Pins - Black, Solo #2961
- #13 - Dark Glasses - White Frames
- #14 - Four Plastic Hair Bands - Various colors.
- #15 - Bottle of Fluid Make-Up - Max Factor Hi-Fi "Candle Glow"
- #16 - Eyebrow Pencil and Eyeliner - "Mary King" Dark Brown
- #17 - Blue Net Head Piece
- #18 - Brown Paper Sack
- #19 - May Co. Green Sack
- #20 - Gum Wrapper - Holding Used Gum

Page 3 - Analysis of Evidence, Continued:

- # 3 - Nylon Hose - Both attached to pantie girdle. #9536 All purpose sheer seamless, 10 R, medium, all nylon." There is a green line in the top portion. Red stains do not give a test for blood. No hair or debris was found in the hose. A female secretary pointed out that the foot was not flattened as it would have been had the hose been worn and the crease was still apparent.
- # 4 - White Brassiere - "Lovable" brand - Red material on strap does not give a test for blood. No hair or debris was found. A female secretary pointed out that the straps showed no signs of having been set for wear. The garment had not been pressed from original packaging, she said.
- # 5 - Black Full Slip - "Baronet", Size 34. No debris or hair was found. There is no evidence of wear or washing. Again it was pointed out that the garment could not be worn the way the straps were set. The straps showed no creasing for a set position for wearing.
- # 6 - Pink Panties - All nylon tricot, Large (7) - Reddish stain does not give a test for blood. No indication of their having been worn could be found.
- #7&8 - Necklace and Bracelet - Strings of beads, pearl-like. The bracelet had small pieces of string attached that appear to be where a price tag was attached. No hair or debris was found.
- # 9 - Two pearl-like earrings - No hair or debris was found on them.
- #10 - Revlon Aquamarine Spraymist, "Thrifty 2" written on top. Can appears to be full.
- #11 - Lipstick - Germaine Monteil "super moist lipstick" on bottom "Moist Rose" "Not for sale". Secretary says lipstick shows no lip marks.
- #12 - Bobby Pins - Black, Solo No. 2961.
- #13 - Dark Glasses - White Frames - Appear to have glue remaining where price tag was stuck.
- #14 - Four plastic Hair Bands - Various Colors - No hair found in bands.
- #15 - Bottle of Fluid Make-up - Max Factor Hi-Fi Make Up "Candle Glow" - Practically full.
- #16 - Eyebrow pencil and Eyeliner - "Mary King" Dark Brown. The pencil appears to be unused.
- #17 - Blue Net Head Piece - No debris or hair found.

Page 4 - Analysis of Evidence, Continued:

- #18 - Brown Paper Sack
- #19 - May Co. Green Sack
- #20 - Gum wrapper holding used gum.

Conclusion:

The clothing is new and has never been worn. The stains are probably on the clothing from being in contact with the lipstick and fluid make-up in the sack. The lipstick has no top and the fluid make-up bottle shows evidence of having leaked.

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DATE <b>6-9-68</b>	TYPE OF INVESTIGATION <b>187 P.C.</b>	ANALYST ASSIGNED <b>Sgt. A.J. LaVallee</b>	FIELD CALL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
ARRESTEE <b>SIRHAN, Sirhan</b>	VICTIM <b>KENNEDY, Robert</b>	OFFICER REQUESTING <b>J. Howard Deputy D.A.</b>	SLR. NO. <b>6-5-68, 12:15 a.m.</b>
LOCATION OF OCCURRENCE <b>'3400 Wilshire Blvd.</b>		DOY. <b>Ramp</b>	DATE & TIME OCCURRED <b>6-5-68, 12:15 a.m.</b>
ANALYSIS REQUESTED <b>Crime scene mock up of the Ambassador Hotel Casino and Lobby floors and Service Yard.</b>			
LOCATION OF PROPERTY		PROPERTY BOOKED TO <input type="checkbox"/> ARRESTEE <input type="checkbox"/> VICTIM <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER:	
<p>The undersigned is prepared to testify that he is a <u>surveyor</u> employed by the Los Angeles Police Department; that he did on the <u>10</u> day of <u>June</u> 1968</p> <p>xxxxxxx cause of 1/8" scale mock up to be made of the Casino and Lobby floors and the service yard of the Ambassador Hotel.</p>			
<p>That he did make an examination and analysis of this evidence and in his opinion:</p>			
DATE ANALYSIS COMPLETED <b>7-2-68</b>		DISPOSITION OF EVIDENCE <b>S.U.S. Rm 803 Parker Center</b>	
SUPERVISOR APPROVING		ANALYST'S signature and Serial No.	

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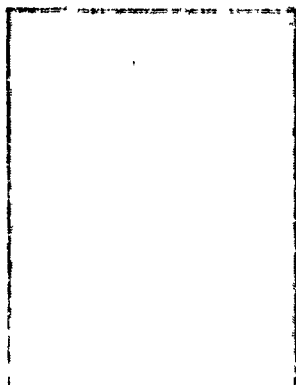
DATE 6-5-68	TYPE OF INVESTIGATION 187 P.C.	ANALYST ASSIGNED Sgt. A.J. LaVallee	FIELD CALL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
ARRESTEE SIRHAN, Sirhan	VICTIM KENNEDY, Robert	OFFICER REQUESTING A. Melendres	SER. NO. 4076 DIV. Ramp
LOCATION OF OCCURRENCE 3400 Wilshire Blvd.	LOC. Ramp.	DATE & TIME OCCURRED 6-5-68, 12:15 a.m.	
ANALYSIS REQUESTED Crime scene survey and field drawing to scale			
LOCATION OF PROPERTY		PROPERTY BOOKED TO <input type="checkbox"/> ARRESTEE <input type="checkbox"/> VICTIM <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER:	
<p>The undersigned is prepared to testify that he is a <u>surveyor</u> employed by the Los Angeles Police Department; that he did on the <u>5th</u> day of <u>June</u> 1968 <del>make a crime scene survey and field drawing to scale of the serving kitchen area adjacent to the Embassy Room of the Ambassador Hotel showing the furnishings, lighting, chalk marks on floor.</del></p>			
<p>That he did make on <del>enlarged drawing for presentation in court.</del></p>			
DATE ANALYSIS COMPLETED 6-6-68		DISPOSITION OF EVIDENCE Grand Jury	
SUPERVISOR APPROVING		ANALYST Signature and Serial No.	



An INVESTIGATION SUMMARY  
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SENATOR ROBERT F. KENNEDY  
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June 5, 1968

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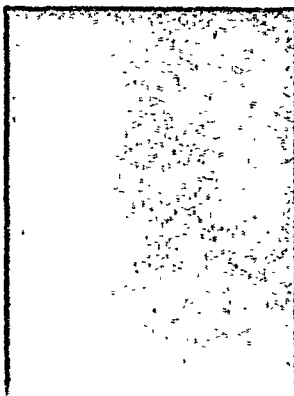




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VOLUME VII

INTERVIEW SUMMARIES

## SUMMARY OF INTERVIEWS

The following are the summaries of interviews that materially contributed to the investigation. The information contained in these summaries is not a detailed account of the entire statement made by each witness, but focuses on those portions that were pertinent to the investigation. A small percentage of witnesses were interviewed on more than one occasion. The statements and activities of these witnesses are discussed in that portion of the report which deals with the subject matter of the interview.

Nine lists of witnesses follow the summaries. They contain the names of people who were at specific locations in the Ambassador Hotel at the time of the assassination, but were unable to furnish information that materially affected the investigation. These lists contain over 2300 names and include those attending the election celebrations.

Numerous people were erroneously reported present at the hotel and were contacted by investigators. The names of these people are included in the lists as are those who left the hotel prior to the assassination.

ABANG, DELORES MARIE

Miss Abang attended the Akhnaton Chapter of the Rosicrucian Order on May 28, 1968. She observed a man which she believes was Sirhan seated next to Luana Acob. This man took part in an object identification experiment at the meeting.

ABANG, DOLORES MABEL

Mrs. Abang stated that she observed Sirhan at a Rosicrucian meeting on May 28, 1968. She stated that Sirhan was seated next to Luana Acob during the meeting and volunteered for an experiment during the later part of the evening.

ABBOTT, FREDERICK

Mr. Abbott, a former neighbor, stated he knew the Sirhan family when they lived in Altadena in 1958. Mr. Abbott stated he was a friend of Adel and on occasion would play the oud at The Fez Restaurant with Adel. When asked about Sirhan, he could only remember that he was quiet and polite. Mr. Abbott also said that Saidallah would frequently talk about how the Russians were better. Mr. Abbott stated the Sirhan family was nice until Saidallah and Sharif arrived from Arabia; then the family would argue frequently. The last time he saw Sirhan was at the racetrack sometime in 1966, but did not speak to him.

ABBOTT, GREGORY BION

Mr. Abbott, a volunteer worker at the Pasadena Kennedy Campaign Headquarters, stated that on June 4, 1968, at 9 p.m., he arrived at the Ambassador Hotel with Sandy Serrano, George Fredricks, Mike Francher, and Irene Chavez. He separated from the group at the hotel and saw Serrano once or twice during the evening. He spent the entire evening in the Ambassador Ballroom with Dinah Churchill. After the shooting he saw Serrano standing in the foyer of the Ambassador Ballroom sobbing hysterically, and attempted to comfort her. He left, escorted Dinah to the parking lot and upon returning to the ballroom, noted that Serrano was gone. He has talked to Serrano numerous times since the shooting and she has not changed her story regarding the female wearing the polka dot dress.

ABBOTT, LINDA H.

Mrs. Abbott stated she knew the Sirhan family when they lived in Altadena in 1958. They were neighbors and knew the Sirhans when they first arrived. Mrs. Abbott stated the only information she could give was about Adel, Mary, Aida, Saidallah and Sharif. She stated Saidallah and Aida were always talking

derogatory regarding the United States. They would talk about going back to Arabia. Mrs. Abbott said Mary Sirhan was religious but never saw her at church or any religious meetings. She also stated that the Sirhan family were nice until Saidallah and Sharif arrived from Arabia. After that the family would argue frequently. The last time she saw Sirhan was at the racetrack (Santa Anita), sometime in 1966, but did not talk to him.

#### ABDO, GLORIA

Mrs. Abdo stated to F.B.I. investigators that she was positive her husband had nothing to do with the Kennedy killing and permitted a search of their garage. No items of evidential value were found in the search. Mrs. Abdo did not know who would make such a claim but felt that perhaps their landlord was responsible.

#### ABO, STANLEY

Doctor Abo attended the Kennedy victory speech and was standing directly in front of the podium. After the Senator left, Abo heard a series of noises that resembled the breaking of bottles. He saw a television light man on a raised platform signal to the television crew in the background mimicking the word "Senator" and put his finger to his head. He heard someone call for a doctor from the area of the pantry. Dr. Abo rushed up to the door and identified himself. In the kitchen he found Paul Schrade lying on the floor. Dr. Abo ran his fingers through Schrade's hair and found he was suffering from a superficial scalp wound. A few seconds later someone in the crowd asked him to look at the Senator. He noted the Senator's left eye was closed and his right eye was open. Dr. Abo placed his ear against the Senator's chest and noted the heart was beating between 50 and 60, and that the Senator was breathing very shallow. It was evident that he had full command or control of his left eye. Otherwise he seemed quite lucid.

Dr. Abo was confused at the time and thought that the other patient was Senator Kennedy's brother-in-law, Stephen Smith, and that the Senator was in "perfect shape, with just a superficial wound."

Dr. Abo then found a small entry wound just behind the right ear. There was a mass of clotted blood around the wound. A little blood was oozing down the back of his neck. He noted that the pulse was slow. Ethel Kennedy arrived shortly thereafter and gave him a bag of ice. The Senator's breathing was normal, 20 per minute. From the time Abo tried to open the Senator's left eye, the Senator would resist and look around the room. He appeared to recognize Ethel and called her name several times. The Senator grasped a crucifix in his left hand and actively took his wife's hand in his right hand. His facial movements were normal without any muscular twitching. Dr. Abo heard

the Senator moan several times, "Oh, Ethel." Several other times the Senator moved his lips and legs to a more comfortable position. Dr. Abo stated that the only thing he did medically for the Senator was keep the wound bleeding to prevent a clot from forming and causing internal hemorrhaging. The Senator never lost any great amount of blood at this location, just a little seepage. Dr. Abo also kept other doctors from jumping on the Senator's chest and trying to give him artificial respiration or massaging the heart. Several persons tried mouth-to-mouth resuscitation; however, Dr. Abo would not permit it.

Dr. Abo assisted the ambulance attendants in placing the Senator on a stretcher at which time he heard Kennedy state, "No, no, don't." Dr. Abo was very critical of Central Receiving Hospital as to how the Senator, "was dragged to Central Receiving and examined by someone who is not a specialist." After the Senator was removed from the kitchen area, Abo returned to Schrade, who was pale and still bleeding.

#### ABO, STANLEY MRS.

Mrs. Abo was a campaign worker for the Kennedy administration and was at the Embassy Ballroom on June 5, 1968, accompanied by her husband, Dr. Stanley Abo. After the victory speech by Kennedy, he left the podium and entered the kitchen through the swinging doors. Mrs. Abo heard the sound of balloons bursting. She first heard two, then several more in succession. Someone exited from the pantry and said there had been a shooting.

Doctors were being called and her husband, Dr. Abo, was admitted into the kitchen. Mrs. Abo did not enter. While still standing in front of the doors, Mrs. Abo observed Mrs. Evans come out with blood streaming from a wound in the head. Someone inside called for ice, and she went to a bar and secured some ice and passed it back inside. She did not see any girl wearing a polka dot dress.

#### ABONYI, JOHN

Mr. Abonyi stated he worked at the Granja Vista Del Rio Ranch in Corona with Sirhan. He had driven Sirhan to work when Sirhan lived at 2090 5th Street, in Norco. Abonyi describes Sirhan as intelligent, industrious and a gentleman. He never saw Sirhan become angry. At that time Sirhan's main ambition was to become a jockey, though he was told he was too old and too big. He never saw Sirhan take a drink though they often went to a bar to shoot pool. Mr. Abonyi recalled that in November 1966, Sirhan was thrown from a horse. Sirhan terminated his employment at the ranch shortly thereafter. He also recalled that Sirhan owned a 1961 Ford Galaxie.

ABOURJAILY, ELIAS

When questioned regarding a conversation between Abourjaily and Adel Sirhan which allegedly occurred on June 6, 1968, Abourjaily stated that the last time he saw Adel Sirhan was on New Years Eve in 1967. He did say, however, that he had several conversations in the Cedars Restaurant with Najeab Khoury who is dark complexioned and resembles Sirhan. When asked about the conversation, Abourjaily was unable to recall any such conversation on that date. Abourjaily denied knowing any other member of the Sirhan family.

ABRAHAM, ALEX

Mr. Abraham has known Saidallah Sirhan for about four years. He describes Saidallah as a hard working house painter who drinks heavily, carries large sums of money and frequently gets into fights. He stated that Saidallah told him that he owned a .32 or .38 caliber chrome revolver.

Mr. Abraham has met Sirhan and describes him as being very shy and spending most of the time in his room.

ABU-HAJAR, SAMIK

Mr. Abu-Hajar was interviewed after he returned an organ to Sears shortly after the assassination and announced that he had to be out of the country within two weeks. He stated that he was a naturalized citizen and had no intention of permanently leaving the country. He stated that he had made that excuse to the Sears people to avoid conflict over the return of the organ.

ACOB, EMMA JEAN

Mrs. Acob stated that while attending the Alhmaton Chapter of the Rosicrucian Order on May 28, 1968, she observed a new member who she thought was Sirhan B. Sirhan. Mrs. Acob stated that her daughter Luana Acob was assigned to guide Sirhan through the ceremonies since he was new to this Chapter.

ACOB, LUANA

Miss Acob stated that she was introduced to Sirhan on May 28, 1968, at a Rosicrucian meeting. Sirhan told her that he had been a member for one year, but was unaware of the Pasadena Chapter. She stated that Sirhan was interested in the rituals, but was unfamiliar with the proper conduct during the ceremonies. Sirhan volunteered to take part in an experiment during the meeting, then left at 9:15 p.m.

ADAMS, JIM

Mr. Adams was an instructor for the Boeing Company in Seattle, Washington, and was engaged in making a survey of United-Arab Airlines in May, 1968. He stated on May 12, 1968, he and his colleague, Don Supsinskas boarded a United-Arab Airlines flight in London for Cairo. Outside of Paris the captain of the flight, Falah Omar, and a crew member asked the two men what they knew of an attempted assassination on Robert Kennedy. Mr. Adams stated that he had no knowledge of any attempt and added that they reached Cairo he was unable to find any information concerning an assassination in the Cairo newspapers.

ADAMS, LINDA MAE

Miss Adams called the Los Angeles Police Department on June 17, 1968, from Anderson, South Carolina. She stated that she knew all about the people involved in the shooting. She was contacted by investigators and admitted making the phone call, but stated that she did not have any information regarding the people involved in the shooting.

ADLER, ILYA

Mr. Adler reportedly had an argument with Sirhan at the residence of John Strathmann. Adler stated he met Sirhan in 1964, through John Strathmann and remembered seeing him only twice. He knew Sirhan as an acquaintance, not as a friend and remembers having an argument with Sirhan over the Arab-Israeli conflict. He stated the argument never reached physical violence and remembers Sirhan as being very polite and quiet. He related that Sirhan became angry only when speaking of the Arab conflict during their discussions. The last time he saw Sirhan was in 1964.

ADLER, MARK

Mr. Adler was a volunteer Kennedy worker from the North Hollywood Headquarters and went to the Ambassador Hotel, June 4, 1968, 7:30 p.m. He entered the Embassy Room and remained there until Kennedy completed his speech. Mr. Adler was in the large crowd following Kennedy, and heard a loud noise similar to a balloon bursting and a short time later two more noises in rapid succession. He was forced back into the Embassy Room by the large crowd of people in the area and remained there for two hours prior to going home.

AGUIRRE, MARINE

Mr. Aguirre was interviewed as a result of a telephone threat received at the ITT Cannon Electric Company concerning Sharif

Sirhan on June 21, 1968. A gate guard, Mr. Frank Thornton, identified the caller as Aguirre. Mr. Aguirre denied making the threat but did admit he had not reported for work on June 21. He stated he had been out drinking and had just forgot to show up for his shift. He has known Sharif Sirhan for approximately three years and lived in the same hotel for two and a half years. They have met socially and on one occasion Sharif invited Aguirre to his mothers home in Pasadena. Aguirre stated he neither likes nor dislikes Sharif but was emotionally upset when Senator Kennedy was assassinated.

NOTE: Mr. Aguirre refused to submit to a polygraph examination stating he submitted to one in the past and did not trust it.

#### AHARONIAN, B.

Aharonian, a Alhambra Police officer, received information from Andy and Carl Martigani who operate the Golden Garter Bar in Alhambra.

The Martigani's advised Aharonian that Sirhan B. Sirhan visited their bar on numerous occasions. They stated that Sirhan was accompanied by a James L. Wilson. Sirhan was also known or seen by numerous other patrons.

#### AHERN, STEPHEN DALE

Ahern stated that he called the Greek Theater on the day that Senator Kennedy was to appear (in March, 1968), and told the operator that there was a bomb planted in the theater that was to go off at 4:15 p.m., the next day. He stated he called the Los Angeles Times and told them that Kennedy would be shot, then called American Airlines and told them that Kennedy would be shot when he landed. He stated that he went to the airport, watched Kennedy land and shook his hand. He went to the Greek Theater and watched the rally. He stated that he made the three calls to see what news they would create.

#### AHMADI, PURAN

Miss Ahmadi's name was recorded by Khaibar Khan as a volunteer campaign worker. Investigation disclosed that she was in England at the time.

#### AHRNDT, JOHN H.

Mr. Ahrndt stated that sometime between May 12 and 18, 1968, while at Kennedy's headquarters in downtown Los Angeles, he saw Sirhan. He stated he was in the headquarters picking up literature for distribution when he observed Sirhan.

AILES, FRANK C.

Mr. Ailes, Chief of Police, Delano, California, stated that early in May 1968, he was drinking with Roy Murray, a wealthy rancher. The conversation centered at one point, on Martin Luther King's assassination. Murray stated that he received a telephone call from his "Mafia," friends in Las Vegas, requesting a contribution to help pay a \$500,000.00 to \$750,000.00 contract to assassinate Robert Kennedy. Murray stated that the assassination was to take place if it appeared Kennedy was to earn the Democratic presidential nomination.

Ailes stated that Senator Kennedy was very unpopular with the farmers in the Delano area and Murray may have spoken as a result of this feeling.

AKERS, ANTHONY

Mr. Akers stated that he "headed up" the Southern California Kennedy delegation and led Senator Kennedy to the Embassy Room prior to the speech. Akers cleared a path to the west of the podium and expected the Senator to exit in that direction and go to the downstairs ballroom. He was at that location at the time of the shooting.

AL-AKHRASS, M. SAFOUH

Mr. Al-Akhrass stated that he was a National Officer of the organization of Arab students. He stated that he had contacted both the National President and the President of the Pasadena Chapter and was advised that they had no record of Sirhan Sirhan being affiliated with the organization.

AL-BAYATI, SAADOUN

Mr. Al-Bayati's phone number had been called from the Sirhan residence. Mr. Al-Bayati stated that he met Adel Sirhan while working at the Fez Restaurant approximately three to four years ago. The association was strictly on a business basis and he did not know any other member of the Sirhan family.

ALBORI, MARTIN M.D.

Dr. Albori was engaged by the Argonaut Insurance Company to examine Sirhan after his fall from a horse on September 24, 1966. Dr. Albori advised that Sirhan complained of considerable discomfort of the spine and lower back whenever he moved or bent over. As a result Sirhan missed two weeks of work after the accident and upon returning to work he was assigned tasks of less responsibility. Sirhan related that his job was terminated as

a result of the accident. Sirhan told Albori that he attempted to find other work but his eye and back injuries handicapped him. Dr. Albori's examination reflected no physical defects as a result of the injury. However, Sirhan did have insignificant scars over his left eye near his nose and chin.

#### ALFELD, ROBERT

Alfeld is an 18 year old busboy who was employed at the Ambassador Hotel the night of the shooting. He stated that because he was not allowed to leave the area of the hotel by the police after the shooting, he went to his vehicle and used his ham radio to contact Rex Knapp, another ham operator. Knapp in turn was to contact Alfeld's home by land line. Alfeld was concerned over the illness of his father and wanted to notify his mother that he would be late. On June 5, 1968, Alfeld identified the picture of Sirhan B. Sirhan in one of the local newspapers and recalled attending John Muir High School with Sirhan. He attended two classes, when Sirhan was a senior, and he was a sophomore. Alfeld stated he did not associate with Sirhan at any time but did recall that Sirhan was quite active in student government. Sirhan seemed to be withdrawn socially and did not impress him as being aggressive.

#### ALIREZA, FAISAL

Mr. Alireza is a citizen of Saudi Arabia. He first met Sirhan in the Pasadena City College cafeteria in the fall of 1967. He recalled that either Fawzi Zedan or Mustafa Sankari introduced Sirhan as an aspiring jockey. He used to see Sirhan in the P.C.C. cafeteria as often as two or three times a week but has never seen him off the college campus.

#### ALLEN, ALICE

Mrs. Allen, a secretary in the offices at the Administrative Dean of Personnel Services, Pasadena City College, searched the school records and stated that there was no record of Mustafa Sermain attending the school between 1963 and 1966.

#### ALLEN, DORIS

Mrs. Allen arrived at the Ambassador Hotel with her husband, Larry Allen, on June 4, 1968, 10:30 p.m. She went to the Embassy Room but was refused admittance. She attempted to enter the Embassy Room via the kitchen but was restrained by a uniformed guard. She went downstairs to the main ballroom and remained there the remainder of the evening. She was in the Ambassador Room prior to, during, and after the shooting.