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SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN

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PERSON INTERVIEWED: MC BROOM, Marcus Dr.

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RESIDENCE ADDRESS

758-4161 PHONE

BUSINESS ADDRESS 6030 Wilshire Blvd. #301

PHONE 938-9966

INFORMATION: (WHO, WHAT, WHEN, WHERE, WHY & HOW)

Dr. Mc Broom was interviewed at his office & made the following statement: I arrived at the hotel approx. 10:20 PM. I entered the kitchen about 10:40 & as I walked through I noticed the susp. standing by a steam table. He was wearing a light pullover shirt & dark pants. He was standing nearest the third table by the door to the press room. He looked out of place as he did not seem dressed for the occasion nor was he dressed like the kitchen help. At the time of the Senator's speech, I stood at the right side of the stage. At the conclusion of the speech the Senator left to his right. I waited a few moments then I started for the door leading into the Anteroom at the right side of the stage. Just as I stepped through this door I heard shots & I saw the susp. with the gun in his left hand. I saw Roosevelt Grier in the kitchen (near the ice machine) as he lunged forward. I then saw Mrs. Evans turn & take a step back toward me, she was bleeding about the head. I left the Anteroom, crossed the ballroom where I stopped to listen to a newsman who was saying that Senator Kennedy had been shot. I then went to the entrance of the Embassy room where I located Dr. Ross Miller & Dr. Parrott & then went into the press room & proceeded into the pantry. As I entered the pantry fwith Dr. Miller, Jesse Unruh passed me with the police & the susp.

pantry. I think that Senator Kennedy had been taken out as I did not see him on the floor. I helped carry Mr. Weisel out to the ambulance then I came back & helped carry Mr. Schrade out. Threstigators at this time showed Dr. McBroom a picture & he exclaimed That's a picture of me." He then asked when the picture was taken & the was told approx. 5 seconds after the first shot was fired.

man that had been shot in the stomach was lying on the floor. Mrs. Evans was lying against the wall near the Anteroom door, the north side of the

Theard Mr. Unruh say "Do you know what you've done?" The susp. replied, I did it for my country. I can explain everything." I then went into the kitchen & saw Schrade on the floor. He had his head on a hat.

witness is depicted in the picture standing on a platform outside the Anteroom. He was then shown other pictures which contradicted his state-In one of his original interviews the Dr. had stated that he obs. Roosevelt Grier walking & joking with the Senator before the shooting. He retracted this statement stating that he obs. this prior to the Sen.

He had also indicated that he saw a susp. run from the ballroom 2025 RE(EAST THINKED) 14176

after the shots had been fired. He retracted this statement stating that he had seen a male who appeared to be acting unnatural but that he had no reason to believe that this person was involved. He positioned the people in the kitchen that were injured in a manner that is contrary to fact. Two victims he claims to have seen on the floor could not have been located in these positions (Weisel & Evans). When informed that the statements were not consistent & when used in court would certainly embarrass him, he stated, "The one most positive aspect I can testify to is the statements by Unruh & Sirhan. I'm also positive that I saw Sirhan by the steam table approx. 10:40 PM."

Investigators' feel that this witness would be unreliable as he has given statements that he alleged were fact & could easily be disproven.

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At the time and date of this LAPD interview, witness had not been interviewed by the FBI. He has been interviewed by the following: June 5, 1968 - ABC, CBS on a direct line to New York Network. TV Stations 2, 5, and 7. Radio Station WINS, New York. Newsweek-reporter unknown. Newspaper- a reporter from India. World Press-Mr. Berger. Interview and photograph.

On June 4, 1968, 10:30 PM, witness arrived at the Ambassador Hotel as an official of the Kennedy Campaign. Alone, he entered through the kitchen area as two guards prevented entry through the regular doors leading to the Embassy Ballroom. In passing through the kitchen, he noticed a person he believes may have been Sirhan B. Sirhan, sitting on a kitchen table. This person was wearing a dark pullover and dungree pants whereas the other employees were wearing white uniforms or white jackets and black pants.

Senator Kennedy made his speech and immediately left the podium going to his right with a crowd of people following close behind. The procession headed towards the kitchen. Witness states he was ahead of Rosie Grier and behind Mrs. Evans who preceded him through the swing doors at arms length. Inside the doors, the group came to a complete halt. He heard the popping sound of what he first believed to be balloons bursting. Looking directly ahead, he saw Senator Kennedy place his right hand to his head. He could see a person with a gun in his left hand but could not see the face of this individual. Others were surging towards this person and witness counted six shots. He got the distinct impression that a slug narrowly missed him. In front of him, Mrs. Evans spun around and he saw blood on her forehead. Someone up front yelled "he has been shot." A lady in a black dress was crying and calling for someone to go and get a doctor. Witness exited through the swinging doors and entered the ballroom and saw a F/C, brunnet, 20-26, medium build and wearing a white dress with silver dollar size polka dots, either black or dark blue in color. This young lady showed no signs of shock or disbelief in comparison to other persons in the room and she seemed intent only on one thing -- to get out of the ballroom,

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Dr. McBROOM located two doctors, Dr. Fred Parrott, 1704 W. Manchester 750-0590, and Dr. Ross Miller, 537 W. Compton 639-5515. Back at the doors to the kitchen they were stopped by a guard in uniform; however, they were allowed to enter when it was explained they were doctors. Witness improvised a stretcher from a table and with the assistance of his two doctor friends and a kitchen helper, carried Mr. Schrade downstairs and requested an officer to summon an ambulance. At this time, Senator Kennedy had already been transported from the scene to Central Receiving.

Returning to the kitchen, witness observed Mr. Unruh speaking to Sirhan (ID'd from mug shots) saying "Man, don't you realize what you have done?" He heard Sirhan reply, "I did it, I did it, I did it for my country. I can explain everything." Sirhan, handcuffed was then taken away in custody of two uniformed police officers.

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Investigators making interview Rac Arthur & Patchett

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Prior to the photeing and during the Schetcr's speech. I was in the vicinity of the Colonial Room (Press Room). When I first learned of the shooting, I entered the kitchen area through a double door leading from the main corridor to the catagace to the Extancy Enlinous. As I catered I charged a large crowd of people halfway down the roca. I jumped up on a motel serving table. I could see what was later identified as the suspect a head. He was being held in custody by several people. I then jusped down off the table and went to the Senator's assistance. I was the first one to his side. I took off my cost and put it next to his hood. About this time Bill Earry and Fred Putton envived. There was really nothing we could do for the Sonator until the ambulonce arrived. Mr. MacDonald was chown a map of the kitchon area and he placed hirself just prior to the shooting at the double doors at the far east of the hitchen area. There doors lead from a corridor from the zgin entrance ballway into the Embassy Ballroom. are just south of the doors leading into the Colonial Room.

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NFORMATION: (WHO, WHAT, WHEN, WHILLE, WHY I LOW)

Mr. Mallard was employed by Aco Grand and assigned at the Ambassador Hotel on the night of the Konnody shooting. Mr. Mallard was assigned at the doorway of the Rafferty Fordamenters in the West Venetian Room.

Mr. Mallard states he was standing at the doorway when he obs Michael Wayne (I-95 & I-1096) pushing his way through the crowd. Mr. Mallard then heard someone say the senator had been shot, at which time he handcufred Wichell (I-95) and took Wayne into the Lido Room to wait for the police. Enroute to the Lido Room Mr. Mallard was photographed by Fontaine, a staff photographer for the L.A. Times.

Mr. Malaard states Wayme (I-95) was cooperative and had no weapons on his person at the time he was taken into custody, and was asking to use a phone.

Mr. Mallard states he observed a person that resembled Sirhan standing near the Colonial Room between 6:30/7:00PM and again approx 9:30PM on the night of June 4, 1968. Mr. Mallard described the person as poss. Male/Latin, wearing a white dinner jacket and dark bants. Mr. Mallard stated he could not be positive but he believed the person was wearing a white shirt

Mr. Mailar d was asked why he noticed this person and what the person was doing? Mr. Mallard stated the person was just standing there doing nothing and he noticed him for no special reason. Mr. Mallar-d stated he did not see anyone wearing a polka-dot dress that evening.

Mr. Mallard stated he was interviewed by the FBI 1 or 2 weeks after the shooting and again 3 or 4 days after the FBI interview by the LASO.

"The only property i can recall him having was the posters." I did not have a camera.

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INTERVIEWS - JUNE 5, 1968

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KENNEDY SHOOTING on 68-521 466

INTERVIEWED BY M.J. MC GANN HOMICIDE DIV.

STATEMENT OF EDDIE MINASISAN
Ambassador Kotel
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DATE 6-5-68, 2:40 AM

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STATEMENT OF KARL A NUECKER OF LOCAL DATE 6-5-68 2:50 AM

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L.A. 39 (15 Am) (16 C) Ph: 667-3106 C Ambassador X 315

Susp. described as Male Latin, short, dark hair, wearing dark poss. blue suit (work suit) did not see any other persons down hall that were of similar appearance and attire. <u>Uecker</u> was holding Kennedy's hand. Has Kennedy's right hand. Kennedy had stopped to shake hands with dishwasher. Uecker again grabbed Kennedy's right hand with his left hand and pulled him out of the crowd towards the Colonial Rm. Was slightly to right and in front of Kennedy. Saw susp. standing directly in front of him holding gun in right hand. Fired 2 or 3 times at Kennedy. Uecker grabbed gun and susp. pushing gun and hand away susp continued to fire. Can I.D. susp. and gun.

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TUESDAY, JUNE 18,1968

ED DO MININSIAN

4:45 P.M.

Maitre d' with the Ambassador Hotel

3400 Wilshire Boulevard

Mr. Mininsian was interviewed on June 18, 1968, 4:45 p.m., in the kitchen of the Ambassador Hotel. He related the following circumstances including Kennedy's activities prior to taking the stage and his whereabouts at the time the shots were fired.

We brought Senator Konnedy down from the fifth floor in the service elevator to the kitchen. The kitchen area was almost empty. This was about 12 midnight. I did not see anyone that did not belong in the kitchen. From the service elevator we walked past the employeest eating area and then onto the stage through the swinging doors. At the conclusion of his speech, we exited the rear of the stage, turned right, and walked briskly into the kitchen. The Senator slowed at the door to the employees eating area. I turned and noticed he was shaking hands with the employees. I glanced ahead, and the area was clear except for Mr. Uno Timinson. Next I saw a person move in from my right. I saw a flach and then Mr. Bucker grabbed the suspect around the next. I pushed the two of them against the serving table. The shots continued. No other people grabbed the suspect. I saw the fellow behind the Senator fall, then the Senator fell. Mr. Bucker had the suspect and others were helping him, and I ran to a telephone.

TRANSCRIBED STATEMENTS, TAPE NO. 28931, TAKEN IN CONSECUTIVE ORDER BEGINNING AT 2:40 A.M. IN ROOM B, RAMPART DIVISION, ON JUNE 5, 1968 BY SERGEANTS R. CALKINS, 7287, AND M.J. McGANN, 10329. HOMICIDE DIVISION.

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TRANSCRIBED BY: RON HORLACHER, J8772, HOMICIDE DIVISION

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(Interview in progress)

BY MR. MINASIAN:

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A He looked like a mixture between half white and half Colored. I could probably say he looked more like a Puerto Rican, that is long hair, long hair you know, and it wasn't (unintelligible) you know.

BY SGT. McGANN:

- Q Did you get a good look at the gun?
- A Yeah, I got a good look.
- Q Do you think you would know it if you saw it again?

A I told one of my boys, before anybody else, it was a .22, snub-nosed.

Q Does that look like 1t?

Read off that serial number for me there -- can
you see that?

A Yeah. H53725.

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Thank you.

BY SGT. CALKINS:

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Q Anything else?

BY SGT. McGANN:

I can't think of anything else. We thank you very much and we are sorry you had to wait so long.

A I didn't see the actual popping.

Q We know some people that did.

BY SGT. CALKINS:

Okay, real good. Thanks again.

BY SGT McGANN:

Q Oh, I know one thing. You say you came down this road here?

A Yeah, this way.

Q Did you see anybody?

A No. the only people that was here was reporters running for telephone booths.

Q Nobody running out here?

A No, nobody came out.

Q As you were going in, huh?

A No.

Q Not a soul came out?

A No. it was just everybody -- some people making their way for telephone booths.

Q Uh hum, but you didn't come through those doors

Form 678 (R-3-4)

until after the shots were fired, is that right? A " Yeah, I heard the shots when I was through here.

you know.

I see. That was -- it sounded like firecrackers going off,

Uh hum.

A leard about five of them.

BY SGT. CALKINS:

BY SGT. McGANN:

Okay, real good. Thank you very much.

I could identify any --

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Heard shots observed suspect w/gun in hand. Johnson took gun saw suspect w/gun. Male Puerto Rican, wiry hair.

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### RAMPART DETECTIVE DIVISION .

INTERVIEWS - JUNE 5, 1968 KENNEDY DIVISION !!

DR 68-521 466

STATEMENT OF MINNS, Blaise Max 3007 V. 5th St. #8 DU-98562 Waltor at Ambassador

DATE 6-5-68

Heard shots observed suspect w/gum in hand. Johnson took gun saw suspect w/gun. Male Puorto-Riean, viry hair.

STATEMENT OF RUTLEDGE, Queon E.

DATE 6-5-68

Heard only 3 shots, saw object in hand, cannot I.D. gum or suspect for sure Male Cauc, dark complexion, thick hair, casual clothes. 5/4/5.

MONDAY, JUNE 17, 1968 7:30 P.M.

3400 Wilshire Boulevard - employed as a waiter 3007 West 5th Street, Apt. #8; Telephone DU 9-8562

Witness was interviewed June 17, 1958, 7:30 p.m., in the kitchen area of the Ambassador Hotel. He gave the following account of his recollection on the evening of the shooting.

I was in the hallway leading into the north end of the kitchen when I heard what sounded like firecrackers. I'm not sure how many. I kept walking through the swinging doors into the kitchen. As I looked in, I saw Mr. Timinson to my left. There were no women in this area of the kitchen. I looked south through the kitchen, and I saw a group scuffling. I recognized Mr. Eucker, who had the suspect around the neck and was holding him. I went behind him, and I could see that Senator Kennedy was on the floor. No one walked past me as I entered the kitchen. The only person I saw was Unc Tininson. I'm sure that that's me in the picture behind the colored gentleman (Richard Aubry). I gave a complete statement to the F.B.I.

INTERVIEWS

PILE # I-102

RSON INTERVIEWED MISTRI, Gaymoard

DATE/TIME 7-11-68 10:30AM

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SINESS ADDRESS 825 Del Mar, Pasadena Cakir PHONE

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Mistri was in the P.C.C. cafeteria on the night of June 4, with Sirhan Sirhan. The following is an interview with Mistri taken on the above (7-11-68) date.

I have known Sirhan since 1963 at P.C.C. but have never been out with him personally. I've seen him on campus and at functions of the International Club. I saw Sirhan earlier this year inside Santa Anita. There were several other friends of Sirhan at the track who were also known by Mistri. All that was talked about was horses.

On the night of the 4th, I went to Bobs' Restaurant by myself around 6:15PM to have coffee. Around 15 minutes later Sirhan came in and sat down at the counter next to me. First we just chatted about general things, then he read the headline of the Herald Examiner Newspaper that I had and made the remark "This is bad, this is terrible." After this he started talking about the track and horses. (The headline was a statement about the Jordan situation and the gunfire that had broken out between Jordan and Israel.) Sirhan then paid for my coffee and we left. Outside he asked me what I was going to do. I told him I wanted to check the summer scheduals at P.C.C.. He then told me that he would like to come along and we both left for P.C.C.. We entered the cafeteria and obs. some mutual friends sitting at a table. We said hello and sat down. A

few minutes later everyone left for class and Sirhan and I remained. He showed me a piece of metal he was holding in his hand that I thought was a slug from a gun. He started talking about rabbit hunting and that he was learning to shoot and hunt. About 7:05PM we left the caffeteria and went back to Bobs' parking lot where our cars were parked. In the lot he again asked me where I was going, stating he would like to play

like to play pool with me. I told him I was going to Johns (John Dordy, 176 N. Michigan, Pasadena, Phone SY 5-2033). We both left in our own cars. The time was around 7:15PM.

A check with CIE showed no record or info on Mistri. A check with LAPD

Intel. Div. showed no felcord of into on Mistri. A check with Laph Intel. Div. showed no file for this person. Immigration file #812628329 - package out out of file - No other info. Immigration will advise when file is available.

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INTERVIEWS - JUNE 10, 1968 KENNEDY SHOOTING DR 68-521 466
STATEMENT OF: G. M. MISTRY, 6-5-68 - approximately 8:40am

825 E. Del Mar

TO: LODOLO & BRANDT

6-5-68, RAMPART DETECTIVES

Pasadena. Calif.

On 6-5-68. approximately 8:40am, in company with my partner Officer D. A. LODOLO #7541. I interviewed GAYOMARD MEHERGI MISTRY at his residence 825 E. Del Mar. Pasadena, Calif. Mr. MISTRY had recognized the photo. of SIRHAN B. SIRHAN, shown on T.V. earlier that day. Mr. MISTRY stated that he had attended Pasadena City College with SIRHAN approximately 3 years ago and had seen him on several occasions since - Mr. MISTRY was. shown a mug shot of SIRHAN and stated that this was the same person but he could not recall his (SIRHAN'S) name. Mr. MISTRY further stated that he had had coffee with SIRHAN at Bob's Drive-in, near Pasadena City College, in the early evening of 6-4-68. At this time they had a conversation concerning horse - racing - Mr. MISTRY then went to Pasadena City College. Approximately 6:00 pm, Mr. MISTRY had another conversation with SIRHAN in the Pasadena City College Cafeteria. SIRHAN was' seated with 3 or 4 other (thought to be Jordanian by MISTRY) Mr. MISTRY conversed for a short time with SIRHAN and his companions. During the course of conversation SIRHAN asked MISTRY if he had ever shot rabbits when MISTRY replied in the negative no more conversation ensued on that subject. MISTRY also states. that while he was seated with SIRHAN, SIRHAN conversed in Jordanian with his companions. As Mr. MISTRY is from India, he recognized the language but did not understand it. Mr. MISTRY, Officer LODOLO and I also interviewed

## RAMPART DETECTIVE DIVISION

INTERVIEWS CONTINUED - JUNE 10, 1968

KENNEDY SHOOTING

DR 68-52

G. M. MISTRY, 6-5-68 - approximately 8:40am

DORDI, JEHANGIR HOM. 176 N. Michigan #3 Pasadena California M-Ind B 5-6 130 Blk Brn Employed as Field Representative of Stenocord Dictation Service 3755 Beverly Blvd., Los Angeles 666-4600

SALAMEH, GEORGE 115 Calvert Street North Hollywood, California 985-3612 Employed as Busboy California Club .6th Street & Flower Street L.A. 622-1391 Works 11:00am/9:00pm

Both the above persons stated that they were acquainted with SIRHAN but did not know him by name. They did state that the following person was a friend of SIRHANS and that both hung out at Bob's Drive-In near Pasadena

City College -

BADRAN, MAROUF

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Highland Park Pasava - C-4/13 Attends Pasadena City College

Both MISTRY and DORDI expressed a desire to cooperate with this department in any way that they could.

MONTELLANO, David R., 3314 Maceo, Los Angeles (1 a L.)

Unemployed

David M. (LL)

#### STATEMENT:

Yesterday at about 11:20 A.M., 6-4-68, my buddy, Henry Carreon and. I went to the San Gabriel Valley Gun Club, 4001 Fish Canyon Road, Duarte. We went to the range and unpacked our stuff and waited for thenext break, approximately 30 minutes. Then we put our targets out there and started shooting. About 20 minutes after we started shooting, the range officer came and told us that we could not shoot my pistol at this section, as only rifles are allowed. We talked it over and decided Henry would shoot the pistol for a while and I would stay with the rifle. Henry went over there and started shooting and I was shooting my rifle on the rifle range. As I was shooting, I heard this rapid firing. I thought it was a Luger, with a long clip on it, an automatic, because it sounded real loud and very rapid. I walked over to the pistol range to see the man who was firing it, and then I saw Henry firing my gun, a .22 magnum Colt, and I asked him (Henry) who the gentleman shooting this rapid fire was. He said that it was the man down there and to his (Henry's) left, west. were two men down there, and I thought it was the first one, but it wasn't. The first man was an Anglo-Saxon, in his fifties; and the second one was the one that was actually firing the pistol. see the shape of the gun, and thought it was a .38 from the way it sounded. It was very loud. So, I stayed there and shot a few more rounds with my pistol. Then I went back to the rifle range and shot a few more rounds. After 1:00 P.M., I approached the second man, described as 5'5" or 5'6", approximately 145 pounds, very curly, dark hair, with high cheek bones, and of Latin descent, and asked him if that was a .38 and he said no. He said that it was a .22. was in doubt and said, "That loud; a .22?" He said, "Yeah." So he put down the gun. Then I approached him and started conversing with him and about that time he picked up the gun again and flipped open the lid where you put the bullets in and picked up a small screwdriver, and injected the bullets from the cylinder. Then he started inserting the rounds - I don't know how many, into the cylinder. During our conversation the gentleman asked me how I aimed my gun. I told him that mine didn't have a sight and that I held it firm in a downward position. I told him that this way I could get better accuracy. He said, "Oh," and then fired one or two shots with his gun, holding it like I had told him. After that, Henry asked the gentleman how many rounds does that hold, 6? The man said, "No, it holds 8." Then he put down the gun again and talked to us. left and went to get my gun to show him and brought my gun over and he asked me if it was a .22, and I said, "No, a .22 magnum." About that time I noticed that he had approximately 8 boxes of .22 ammunition, six of which I think were Super-X brand, and two boxes that

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6--5-68 5:30 A.M.

MONTELLANO, David R.

said Mini-Mag. I had never seen anything like this before so I asked him about it and he proceeded to tell me that they were about 25¢ more expensive and were a hollow point and upon impact on an object they spreaded more. So thereabouts, he showed me the difference in size between the Super-X and the Mini-Mag. I saw approximately 400 expended casings to his left and about seven empty boxes to his During this conversation between this gentleman and I, he told me that he stopped shooting at the stationary target and at the break he had placed a small piece of wood about 2 inches in length and placed it way above the target and was shooting at it to see what damage it would have on the wood. He told me that he wasn't even getting close to the wood and it was making him angry. Henry asked him who made the gun and he didn't say anything and he took a couple of shots, and then pointed at the top of the gun where the name was. After I saw the name of the gun to be Ivar-Johnson, I noticed that it was an 8 shot, 2-inch, double action. After a while we left him. I think the distance between where the man was standing and shooting at the target and piece of wood is approximately 30 feet or more. A short time later we left. I heard about Senator Kennedy being shot at about 1:00 A.M., June 5, at my house. After hearing the description of the suspect, Henry asked me about the individual at the range, what he was wearing, and I started thinking. I said that it was dark trousers, might have been blue, and he was wearing a shirt. As soon ás the caliber of the weapon was announced, I began to realize that it was too much of a coincidence, especially when they said 8 shot. Henry called the police station a short time later. Approximately 4:15 A.M., an officer came to my house and identified himself as Officer Estrella, Los Angeles Police Department, Homicide Division, who had some mugs with him. Of the six mugs that I saw, I picked one which in my mind was the individual at the range. On the mug the following was there: C-6-5-68, Los Angeles PO, J BK 495 139. came to the police station and dictated this statement. I have read it and consider it accurate.

David R. Montellano (Signed)

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ptain Hugh I. Brown, Co	mmander, Homicide Division	6-5-68 8:15 A.M.

HINRY COMMEN re attached statements are from a David R. Montellano of 3314 Maceo and a mry Alecarreon, 1838 Workman, both of Los Angeles. These witnesses, while acticing shooting a .22 caliber Colt revolver at the San Gabriel Valley Gun ub, 4001 Fish Canyon Road, Duarte, on 6-4-68 at approximately 1:00 P.M., served a male Latin, described as 5'5", 130-135 pounds, black curly hair, ry thin build, brown eyes, fiting a .22 caliber revolver, 8 shot, at a target ter conversing with the above male Latin, witnesses went to Montellano's me.

approximately 1:00 A.M. on 6-5-68, witnesses had heard of Senator Kennedy id others being shot. The more they heard of the description of the suspect 'the shooting and the description of the weapon used, the more they were invinced that the suspect was the same male Latin that they had spoken to at ie gun range the afternoon before.

oon hearing that the weapon used was an Iver-Johnson .22 caliber, 8 shot, ney telephoned the Los Angeles Police Department. At approximately 4:15 A.M. 1 6-5-68, Officer Estrella, #10656, Homicide Division, went to Montellano's ome with six mugs. Witnesses observed the six mugs and both picked out the ig that was taken earlier in the morning of the suspect taken into custody. tnesses were positive that the mug shown to them and the person they conversed ith at the gun range on 6-4-68 is the same person. Witnesses also stated nat they can identify the weapon.

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ERSON ÍNTERVIEWED: MONTOLANO, David DE/TIME 6-25-68/10am
suppl. L-2/K-30 . EX RACE HAIR EYES HT. WT DOB
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NFORMATION: (WHO, WHAT, WHEN, WHERE, WHY & HOW)
Informant interviewed at his place of employment on above date and time. Montellano and a friend of his HENRY CARREON (K-30) arrived at the San Garriel Valley Gun Club on 6-4-68, 12:10pm. After obtaining their targets. They went to the rifle range (addendum).
When they arrived Montellano had a conversation with a man and woman who were already firing on the range. The man and woman have been identified as GEORGE WILDOW, leputy parole officer, and his girl friend CORLISS EDWARDS. They had their toenage children with them, ROBERT EDWARDS and MIRA MIOCH.
MONTELLANO fired his rifle and CARREON fired a pistol. After CARREON fired abount 6 rounds, the range master approached them and stated pistols could only be fired on the pistol range.
CARREON complied and went to the pistol range. MONTELLANO remained on the rifler range an additional 10 to 15 minutes, then joined CARREON on the ristol range, target #18 (addendum). As MONTELLANO arrived on the pistol range his attention was directed to target # 5 or 6 where a man was firing in rapid succession. MONTELLANO identified a mug shot of SIRHAN as being that person.
Shortly after MONTELLANO went to the pistol range MR. MIOCH and MISS EDWARDS and their children came to the pistol range and took up a position on target (15 or 16).
When MONTELLANO first arrived on the Pistol Range (12:45pm) a male/cauc, early 30's, 5-10/6, thin hair, heavy set was firing a Ruger or Luger on target # 23 or 24. This person left shortly after MONTELLANO arrived.
There was another person (male/cauc) firing to the left of SIRHAN. This was probably CHARLES KENDALL (I-316).
MONTELLANO went to SIRHAN's position and asked if the gun he was firing was a .?? caliber or .38 caliber. They had a short conversation and SIRHAN stated it was a .22 caliver. After SIRHAN fired a few more rounds MONTELLANO asked what the make of the gun was. SIRHAN pointed to the top of the revolver and he roted it was a Iver Johnson.

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hor, barrel. MONTELLANO noted a total of eight boxes of .22 caliber shalls r. front of STRHAN's position (50 shells to a box). Six of the boxes were uper x caliber .22 long rifle and wer empty. Two boxes were .22 Caliber ... finnie Mars. At least one of these boxes were full as SIRHAW was taking rellets from it to fire. After firing STRHAN took the casings from the sylinder and placed them in a pile on the bench in front of him. MONTE estimated that there were 350 to 400 empty .22 caliber shell casings. 40NTELLANO did not know what STRHAN did with these casings after he wa. hrough.

40NTELLANO and CARREON left the range about 2:00/2:30pm. When they left BIRHAN was still firing. MR. MIOCH and MISS EDWARDS along with their children had left their target before MONTELLANO and CARREON left.

While MONTELLANO and CARREON were on the pistol range they did not see BINHAN have a conversation with any one else on the range.

During the conversation between MONTELLANO and CARREON and SIRHAN, SIRHAN mentioned he had put a piece of wood on his target and was going to see weat effect the Minnie Mags would have. The results of this test were unknown by MCNTELLANO.

During there conversation about shells SIRHAN stated the Minnie Mago he was firing were about 25¢ more then the super x but that they were hollowpoint and spread out more on impact.

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DATE/TIME 8-1-68 6:20 PM

PERSON INTERVIEWED: MURRAY, Dave

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RESIDENCE ADDRESS 400 Isabella St. Willmette, Ill. PHONE (312) 256-3442

SUSINESS ADDRESS 401 N. Wabash Ave., Chicago PHONE (312) 321-3000

NFORMATION: (WHO, WHAT, WHEN, WHERE, WHY & HOW)

MURRAY is a reporter for the Chicago Sun Times. He arrived at the Ambassador Hotel during the speech. He went to the Colonial Room and was advised by Dick Drayne that: "We're going to bring him in here so the writing press can have a crack at him."

MURRAY was in the Colonial Room 5 to 10 minutes when he walked into the kitchen to meet Kennedy. He was a few feet into the kitchen, and looking at some TV lights, when he heard shots.

It took a few moments for MURRAY to orient himself to the location of the shots. When he did, he ran toward the sound. On his right, he observed a struggle in progress at one of the serving tables. He couldn't distinguish any individuals in the struggle, but did see a gun.

In front of him, MURRAY observed a wall of people who seemed to be leaning forward. He saw Kennedy lying on the floor, blood streaked across his face. He was lying on his back, head raised, eyes half open. Kennedy's right fist was raised off the floor and was twitching.

BBC had a camera in the kitchen and appeared to be taking pictures during the shooting.

MURRAY did not see the shooting. He cannot ID anyone in the kitchen. After seeing Kennedy, he ran to a telephone to meet a 2:30 AM deadline. (12:30 AM PDT)

He did not see Sirhan prior to the shooting. He did not see a woman in a polka dot dress. He was interviewed by the FBI. He did not have a camera. He wrote articles for the Chicago Sun Times.

MURRAY did not observe anyone run from the kitchen after the shooting.

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1	A	Yes, sir.
2	ତ	What can you tell us about this?
3	A	Oh, after, you know, I heard a sound I glanced over
4	there.	
5	Q	You what?
6	A	I glanced over there in that back room, in the
7	kitchen.	Eddings of the Control of the Contro
8	· Q	You work in the kitchen?
9 .	- A	Uh hum, I was, and I was going to do something and
10	I turned	around, you know, I went over there and that guy was
11	over ther	e. They were holding, and I was
12	ୡ	Did you hear the shots before you went out there?
13	A	Yes.
14	Q	You went out there when the shots went off?
15	· A	No.
16	. G	You didn't see the Senator get shot?
17	A	No.
18	ଷ	He was already down on the ground?
19	- A	Right.
20	Q.	And they had the suspect down on the ground?
21	A	Right and I was holding the guy, you know, helping
<b>2</b> 2	and he wa	s holding the gun, you know, he don't let go.
23	BY SGT. M	icgann:
24	Q	He still had the gun in his hand?
25	" А	Oh yes, first see, it was a table like this, right
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Q Steam tables?

A Yeah. He was here holding everybody, everybody was holding him. He was holding.

BY SGT. CALKINS:

Q They were trying to get the gun away and couldn't, huh?

A Yeah, I was going to do it too, you know, but another man went up; two guys went up and they tried to step on hand, you know, and take 'em away, but he didn't took 'em away, but then they moved over here.

Q Uh hum.

BY SGT. McGANN:

Q Further on down?

A Yeah, farther down and then David Johnson, you know, that Colored --

Q Rafer Johnson, yeah.

A He got it I think and he got -- no, the other guy got it.

BY SGT. CALKINS:

Q Rosey Grier?

A Uh huh, he got the gun and he gave it to the other

BY SGT. McGANN:

Q Rafer Johnson?

A No, no, no, no, that white man, that photographer that was here.

Q Thurston (phonetic)?

A Yeah.

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BY SGT. CALKINS:

Q Did you see the gun?

A Oh yes.

Q Did you get a good look at it?

A Uh huh.

Q Would you know it if you saw it again?

A Oh, I could -- yeah.

Q You think so?

A. Uh huh, but -- 30 -- I mean a 22 huh, yeah.

Q Is that it?

A Just like that.

Q Just like that?

A Yeah.

Q Can you read the serial number on that; see the number there? Can you read that?

A H 53725.

Q Good. Thank you. Would you know the suspect if you saw him again, do you think?

A That guy?

Q The guy that they took the gun away from.

A Oh, I could, if I say, I mean I won't -- I never forget the guy's face.

BY SGT. McGANN:

Q Do you think you can -- if you see him again you will

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know it's the same, one and the same, man?

A Oh yes, uh huh. I will. I never forget him. I was so upset. And I had, you know, my hand, but I was so upset that I had, you know, and I told him, "You got mother?"

You know, I told him, you know. You see, he was smiling too.

Q Did he say anything to you?

A No, he was looking at me and I said, "Look at," you know, I told him, oh, I can't say how, but I was so excited and upset and he was smiling.

BY SGT. CALKINS:

Q That's hard to understand, isn't 1t?

A I don't know why,

Q Can you think of anything else you can tell us now that might help?

A That's all I could think I think. I didn't see the other two, the one woman and a guy I didn't see at all.

Q How do you know there was another woman?

A No, no, I mean that somebody was saying, huh.
BY SGT. McGANN:

Q Who was saying?

BY SGT. CALKINS:

Q Who said that?

A Sombody who was saying that a, ah, no, news, the description or something.

Q On.

A That I heard.

The news, is that where you heard it?

A. Uh huh.

BY SGT. CALKINS: . 5 Well, they know more than we do sometimes.

Oh yeah?

BY SGT. McGANN:

Q Thanks very much Niwa, we will get around.

I should stay home more?

No, no, we'll get in touch with you if we want to Q. talk to you,

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BY SGT. CALKINS:

We will give you a ride back to the Ambassador as soon as the bus comes back. We'll drive you back then.

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STATEMENT OF NIVA YOSHIO TAKEN AT THE AMBASSADOR HOTEL TUESDAY, JUNE 25, 1968, 6:00 P.M. QUESTIONED BY: SGT. J. R. MacARTHUR, #4372

SGT. CHARLES COLLINS

SUMMARY REPORT DICTATED BY LAPD OFFICERS. REPORTED AND TRANSCRIBED BY SHARON THIELMAN, CSR, ON JUNE 28, 1968.

Subject resides at 2877 Edgehill Drive, Los Angeles, telephone RE 4-2036. Subject is a chef at the Ambassador Hotel.

The night of the shooting of Senator Kennedy, I was at my station in the kitchen of the Ambassador Hotel. The Senator came down into the kitchen and he shook hands with me and two other women working in the kitchen. This was prior to his speech. He then went out and up on the stage in the Embassy Room and I continued at my station making sandwiches. During the speech, I went out to the vicinity of the pantry area and was talking to some of the other employees.

Just before the speech was over. I got an order and went back to my station. At this time, I heard what sounded like someone shooting off party favors. I heard about five pops. I ran out into the pantry area and observed a bunch of men struggling with the suspect. I remember one of the men had glasses on. I tried to help but they kept pushing and shoving down the metal tables. Someone finally got the gun away from the suspect and I helped hold him.

I got a real good look at him and would never forget his face.

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INTERVIEW WITH PERSONS	PRESENT AT P.C.C. CAFETERIA	ON 6/4/68
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On Suly 10/11, '63, Officers conducted (5) five interviews with the below listed persons all of whom were with SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN on the night of 6/4/'68 except 05 who is the brother of GHALEB BADRAN.

- 1. GAYMOARD MISMRI, 825 E. Delmar St., Pasadena

- 2. MAROF MOHAMMAD BADRAN, 5733 Bennet St., Highland Park
  3. ABDO JABRE WALKE, 356 S. Waldo, Pasadona
  4. ANWAR JOHN SAYEGH, (Anour Saigh), 2497 Ridgeway Rd., San Marino
- 5. GHALEB MAHAMMAD BADRAN, (Not present at meeting with STAHAN) 5733 Benner St. 07, Highland Park.

All subjects concur on the time and location of the by-chance meeting with SIRHAN and oll stories relate comerally with that of the FBI interviews. C-original interviews for specific information.

The following stories were related to investigating officers by the aforementioned subjects:

On the night of the 4th MISTRIwent to Bobs' Restaurent for a cup cup of coffee. Around 15 minutes later (6:25 PM) SIRHAN entered the restaurent and sat down next to MISTRI at the counter. General conversation and salutations were exchanged then SIRHAN observed the headline of the Herald Examiner Newspaper (Statment about the Jordan, Isrial situation and that gunfire had again broken out) stating "This is bad, this is terrible." SIRHAN then statted talking about the track and SIRHAN then paid for MISTRIS coffee and they both walked outside. SIRHAN then asked what MISTRI had planned and was informed that MISTRI was going to look at the summer schedual at P.C.C. SIRHAN stated he would like to come along and both walked to P.C.C which is directly next to the Restaugent. Both entered the Cafateria and observed several mutual friends sitting at a table. They all exchanged salutations then MISTRI and SIRHAN sat down. At the table were M. BADRAN, MALKI, SAYEGH, AND other unknown persons. SAYEGH and SIRHAN discussed religion a short time and SIRHAN stated he was Catholic. They also discussed coming over to the U.S. from Arabia. At a few minutes later, around 7:00 PM, everyone left for class except SIRHAN and MISTRI. showed MISTRI a piece of metal he was holding in his hand and started talking about rabbit hunting and that he was learning to shoot and hunt. MISTRI thought this metal was a slug from a gun. About 7:05 PM both left the cafateria and went back to Bobs' parking lot where their cars were parked. SIRHAN then, asked MISTRI if he would like to play pool

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with him and MISTRI declined stating he had other commitments. Both then left the parking lot in their own vehicles. The time was about 7:15 PM.

Also contacted in reguard to this investigation were the Hostoss and the manager of Bobs' Restaurent. The Hostess cannot recall SIRHAN ever being in the Restaurent and the Manager cannot recall SIRHAN being in the Restaurent of the night of the 4th.

Immigration files and Visa applicant records were also checked of the above mentioned subjects. (See original reports)

All the persons contacted stated that SIRHAN was in good spirits on the night in question, Was chearfull, and gave the appearence of having no problems at all.

All persons present at the two meetings were checked through LAPD records and Intellegance Divisions and CII with negitive results.

They told us that the V.S. Communes Companies formealed had vice applicant records on three of these individuals. The three of them are the two brothers and MALHI. I will give you the information caes are of these three.

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Single. He was issued a student vina on January 10, 1961, valid with January 10, 1965, to study at het ingeles Pacific College.

GHALES stated that his father has a teacher in Jorusalan. His waste, who had been a building contractor in Jorusalan, sent Chales 7750 to Colvay expenses for his trip to the United States. His passport is sented.

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ABDO MALKI, dato of birth,

Amman, Jordan, applied for a visa on Juno 7, 1966. No record the visa was over leaved. Consul received a potition in July, 1966, for ABDO's sister to have ABDO implement under her appearantly to the United States.

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The family apparently recided in Amman, Jerdan, since ABDO listed his address at that POB since 1958. That is all on those three.

They didn't come up with caything on MISTRI from the U.S. Embassy in Asman, Jordan or the U.S. Consulate Comerci in Jordanes.

INTERVIEWS

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STATEMENT OF SCOTT ENVART

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Friend of Enyart, Brand Gold, 901 So. Remiston, 939-8877, also took photos at time of shooting.

STATEMENT OF ESTELYN DUFFY

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786-7662 (School Teacher)

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Sounded like a whip (shots) 8/10 saw woman bloeding didn't see shooting or suspect.

STATEMENT OF GLEN H& MIDBY (21)

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Building 4, Apt. 304 Local College
785-8132/785-9231

Was in Colonial Ru, heard shots ran to where susp. was being held. Did not see any other person walking or running from hallway away from scene. Can ID suspect.

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STATEMENT OF DANNY G POBBITT (L.A. (Umemployed)

Susp. asked for Kennedy room, also asked for phone \$\mathcal{I}\$, had something with him like towel or newspaper tucked under his arm.

Male Cauc, 35, 5-8, med, dark wavey hair, dark eyes dark complexion.

EFACENERT OF PATRUSKY, Martin NMI 5361 San Vincente #163 Brookside - PH: 870-1666 DDATE 6-5-68

Shook hands w/Kennedy observed shooting saw gun but probably can't ID either. 3 or 4 feet away. Co-op. Checkered trouser(?) sneakers, M Mex. 28/30, little guy, 5/5-6

Busines - Address L. Phone: formants Name: TRUSKY, Martin Ambassodor Hotel Banquet r sidence & Phone: 361 San Viciente \$163 vestigator Receiving Info: Date & Time Received: tchett/Mac Arthur/Collins VFORMATION: aformant states he was standing in the corridor where the shooting occurred, the entrance to the employers enting area. As he recalled, their were ome people to his left, which would be toward the mental tables where the nobting occurred; 3 or 4 people. He shock hands with Sen. Kennady just prior o wit JESUS PEREZ shaking hands with the Sen. (Investigation to this date ndicated Perez was the lest person to shake hands with Sen.) He recalls a emale cauc, 19-21, 5-4/5-5, average build, wearing a wht dress ( no poke dots) tanding near him about the same time. This female know as "Robin" a friend f victim Ira Goldstein. He was present when the shooting occurred. rior to the shooting and the armival of the Sen in the room he recalled the uspect coming up to a group of Pople he was speaking with and the suppect uestioned the group as to whether or not the Sen. was to "Come this way". ASSIGNED TO: Same as above CTION TAKEN RESULTS: To re interview necessary.

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BY SGT. CALLINS:

What is your last name sir?

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BY MR. PATRUSKY:

A Patrusky.

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A Pesatorollesakoy.

Q And your first name?

A Martin, M-a-r-t-i-n.

Q Do you have a middle initial Martin?

A No. I don't.

Q Where do you live, Martin?

A 5361 San Vicente, Brookside Country Club.

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1	Q What's your phone out there?
2	A I don't know what the phone number is.
3	Q Do you have a room number out there?
4	A Yeah, I have a room, apartment 163 but I can
5	give you my answer number.
6	Q All right.
7	A They are Meshekow Furs (phonetic) out here, and
8	her home number is 870-1666.
9	Q Good, thank you.
10	A Okay.
[1	Q Now, what can you tell me?
12	A Well
3	Q We have a little map here and it's not real good.
4	A Yeah.
15	Q But this is the steam tables, maybe you recognize
16	those, and then this is the auditorium and the doors where he
17	came out of.
18	A All right, he came out over there. The steam
19	tables are on this side. And where's the ice machine?
0.0	BY SGT. McGANN:
21	Q Back in there where right around in there.
22	A Yeah, I was across the way about here.
23.	BY SGT. CALKINS:
4	Q This is a little alcove where some people were
5	standing when he stopped to shake hands?
6	A Yeah, I shook hands with him. He shook hands wit

me, and then he turned around and shook hands with Vincent.

Q Uh huh.

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Angelo's kid that was across the way from him and then he moved on a little further and then he shook hands with a girl in a white dress, I remember that, and he shook hands with the other fellow downstairs that caught him from the room service, and I think he was the last one and then all of a sudden there was just a matter of maybe four or five feet from us, I heard like somebody throwing firecrackers and all that I seen was this guy standing from -- there's a tray rack on the opposite side of the steam table and all I seen was the guy moved over and he looked -- there was like two people in front and the guy looked like he was smiling and he looked like he was going to shake hands with him and he reached over like this and then the firing just started and the next thing I know I looked at Vincent and I seen Kennedy starting to go down on his knees and I looked at Vincent and his glasses all of a sudden come up with blood.

Q Uh huh.

A Over him, across the way and then I heard another shot and then they started to push me and I started running into the kitchen alcove.

BY SGT. McGANN:

- Q Who is Vincent? Is he an employee?
- A Yes, he's Angelo's son. He's the maitre d'.
- Q Was he shot also?

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A No, he wasn't shot. He was standing next to the guy that got it in the -BY SGT. CALKINS:

Q What's his last name?

A DiPierro.

Q Did you get a good look at this guy that did the shooting?

A Yes, pretty good.

Q Did you see the gun?

A I saw the gun, but I don't know exactly what make it was. I thought it may have been a .38 or a .22; I wasn't sure. I can't tell guns, I don't know what they look --

Q How close did you get to the guy that did the shooting, at close as -- you are quite a ways away, huh?

A Well not really on top of him. I seen Carl. Carl was holt -- pulling Kennedy through on Carl Vecker. He was pulling Kennedy through I think on the left side I think by his coat sleeve and all of a sudden I seen Carl reach out and grab the guy and Carl was holding him down, in a head lock down there, and he was waving the gun on the floor at the time, you know.

Q Uh hum.

A Back and forth and something like a piling noise came like off the ceiling and I seen Eddie jumping down on top, hitting the guy. Eddie, you know, another captain, was jumping down on top of Carl and that and the next thing I

knew they had the guy rushed over on to the steam table, across the steam table. I think Rosey was on top of him down there and the gun was waving back and forth and people tried to get up on top of him. BY SGT, CALKINS: When the shooting happened you were back in this area here? . No. I was right before the alcove going out into 8 9 the kitchen. 10 BY SGT. McGANN: 11 Right in here? 12 Yeah. 13 BY SGT. CALKINS: 14 How many feet do you think you were from Kennedy 15 when he was shot? Maybe three, four feet. 16 A 17 Farther -- closer than this here? Q 18 A No, about like --About from where you are to the wall? 19 Q 201 Maybe to the wall, maybe to where your hand is. . A 21 Q About three or four feet? 22 Yeah. A 23 I see, okay. Q 24 One of the guys from the room service was --A

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grabbed his head as, you know --

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Case Prep has interviewed and taped. Nothing further.

Susp stood in pantry hallway and asked at least four times, "Is Mr. Kennedy coming this way." Was told by Perez he didn't know. Susp asked other persons, "Is Mr. Kennedy coming this way." Susp described as male, olive skinned (Perez does not think suspect speaks Spanish) short, blk hair. Suspect shot Kennedy, tackled by several persons. Did not see anyone with suspect during ½ hour suspect stood in hallway. Can ID suspect and gun.