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CONDEMNATION OF ACTS OF VIOLENCE OF THIS KIND. THE

JORDANIAN PEOPLE ARE DISMAYED AND IN THEIR NAME AND IN

THE NAME OF MY GOVERNMENT AS WELL AS IN MY OWN NAME AND
THE NAME OF THE PERMANENT MISSION TO THE UN, I WISH TO OFFER

TO THE KENNEDY FAMILY AND THE AMERICAN NATION EXPRESSION

OF OUR SINCERE SYMPATHY AND CONDOLENCES.

EL FARRA STATED THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE OF CONDOLENCE WAS CABLED TODAY TO MRS. ROBERT D. KENNEDY.

"WE ARE DEEPLY SHOCKED AND DISMAYED TO LEARN OF
THE TRAGIC ASSASSINATION OF SENATOR ROBERT D. KENNEDY,
AN OUTSTANDING AMERICAN AND A LEADING PUBLIC FIGURE.
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AND CONDOLENCES. AMBASSADOR SHARIF STATED HE WOULD BE SENDING A
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ADMINISTRATIVE

THE SOURCE MENTIONED ABOVE IS NEW YORK FIVE NINE FOUR SIX - S ASTERISK.

SECRET - NO FOREIGN DISSEMINATION.

MISSION TO THE UNITED MATTONS
USMUN ADVISED.

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CC- MR. SULLIVAN

LRC FBI WASH DC

OR FTB LPD



TO: SECRETARY OF STATE

FROM: DIRECTOR. FBI

(S E C R E T - NO FOREIGN DISSEMINATION)

MIDDLE EAST SITUATION.

ON JUNE SIX, SIXTYEIGHT, A CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST ADVISED THAT AMBASSADOR EL FARRA OF THE JORDANIAN MISSION TO THE UNITED NATIONS (UN), CONTACTED AMBASSADOR SHARIF, OF THE JORDANIAN EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON, DC. EL FARRA READ THE FOLLOWING PRESS RELEASE WHICH IS TO BE DISTRIBUTED LATER TODAY BY THE JORDAN MISSION.

THE JORDAN DELEGATION WAS SHOCKED TO LEARN OF THE TRAGIC DEATH OF SENATOR ROBERT F. KENNEDY. THE JORDAN GOVERNMENT STRONGLY CONDEMNS THIS CRIMINAL ACT COMMITTED AGAINST AN OUTSTANDING AMERICAN AND A LEADING PUBLIC SERVANT. WE IN JORDAN HAVE ALREADY EXPRESSED THROUGH OUR KING OUR HORROR AT THIS MURDER AND OUR CONDEMNATION OF ACTS OF VIOLENCE OF THIS KIND. THE JORDANIAN PEOPLE ARE DISMAYED AND IN THEIR NAME AND IN THE NAME OF MY GOVERNMENT AS WELL AS IN MY OWN NAME AND END PAGE ONE

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TO: SECRETARY OF STATE 005

FROM: DIRECTOR. FBI

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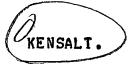
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FROM/LEGAT LONDONO. 46



REBUCAB JUNE FIVE LAST.

IN VIEW CLOSE RELATION BETWEEN BRITIAN AND JORDAN AND POSSIBILITY
SHIRHAN MAY HAVE VISITED OR LIVED HERE, RECORDS BRITISH SECRET INTELLIGENCE
MI SIX, BRITISH SECURITY SERVICE, MI FIVE, CRIMINAL AND SPECIAL BRANCH,
NEW SCOTLAND YARD AND ALIEN RECORDS ALL CHECKED WITH NEGATIVE
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	ADDITIONAL SEARCH VA FILES CONTAIN NO IDENTIFIABLE
	RECORD ON SUBJECT OR KNOWN BROTHERS OF SUBJECT. P
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KENSALT.

RE LOUISVILLE TEL TO BUREAU JUNE SIX INSTANT.

ON JUNE FIVE LAST BOEING RECORDS, SEATTLE, FOR SIRHAN SALIM SIRHAN. BORN JUNE FIFTEEN THIRTY-FOUR. JERUSALEM. PALESTINE. JORDAN.

SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER

ASN, RA ONE SIX FOUR SEVEN ZERO TWO ONE NINE, REVEALED THIS PERSON EMPLOYED BY BOEING AND STATIONED IN OUTLYING MISSILE SITES IN VARIOUS STATES, NINETEEN HUNDRED SIXTY-TWO TO SIXTY-FOUR.

ON JUNE FIVE LAST SAC J. E. MILNES, SEATTLE, IN TELEPHONE CONVERSATION WITH SA CARL VOLKER, ID DIVISION BUREAU, ASCERTAINED THAT COMPARISON OF FINGERPRINTS OF SIRHAN SALIM SIRHAN WITH THOSE OF SUBJECT IN CUSTODY DETERMINED THESE TWO PERSONS NOT IDENTICAL.

INFORMATION COPIES AIR MAIL TO MINNEAPOLIS AND LOUISVILLE.

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6/6/68 URGENT

TO DIRECTOR. LOS ANGELES AND OKLAHOMA CITY

FROM ATLANTA

1 P

KENSALT

RE OKLAHOMA CITY TELETYPE TO BUREAU JUNE FIVE SIXTYEIGHT.

TRUMAN HAYGOOD. ACCOUNTING REVIEW SECTION. DELTA AIRLINES. ADVISED THIS DATE THAT TICKETS FOR DELTA AIRLINES FLIGHT EIGHT FIVE. ATLANTA TO LOS ANGELES. DEPARTING ATLANTA TEN THIRTY A.M. EDT. ARE AVAILABLE. REVIEW OF TICKETS ONLY REVEALS FIRST INITIAL AND LAST NAME OF PASSENGERS. HAYGOOD INDICATES CONTACT TELEPHONE NUMBERS OR ADDRESSES CAN BE OBTAINED FROM DELTA COMPUTERS NO EARLIER THAN A.M. OF JUNE SEVEN SIXTYEIGHT.

ATLANTA AT ATLANTA WILL AT GREENBRIAR DELTA COMPUTER CENTER OBTAIN CONTACT TELEPHONE NUMBERS OR ADDRESSES OF INDIVIDUALS ABOVE INSTANT FLIGHT AND SET FORTH APPROPRIATE LEADS TO INTERVIEW. END

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Smothand Mr. Trotter Tele. Room Miss Holmes Miss Gandy //TO DIRECTOR, LOS ANGELES, CHICAGO, BOSTON, SPRINGFIELD AND WFO:

Mr. Tolson Mr. DeLoach

Mr. Mohr

Mr. Bishop.

FROM ST. LOUIS (44-782)

KENSALT_)CR

REBUTEL TO ALL SACS. JUNE FIVE LAST.

BO WISE. BARTENDER. ST. LOUIS PLAYBOY CLUB. WHO REQUESTED HIS IDENTITY BE PROTECTED. THIS DATE ADVISED APPROXIMATELY ONE YEAR AGO INDIVIDUAL KNOWN AS FNU KHALAF, ADA SAM KHALAF, FREQUENTED THE CLUB STATING HE WAS STUDENT AT ST. LOUIS UNIV. MEDICAL SCHOOL WHERE STUDYING TO BE EYE SURGEON. KHALAF INTRO DUCED TO WISE BY ONE DUDLEY DEEDLE. GENERAL CONTRACTOR FROM BELLEVILLE. ILL. WISE STATES SAM IS NOT KHALAF'S FIRST NAME AS REAL NAME IS EXTREMELY LONG AND DIFFICULT TO PRONOUNCE.

AFLIER ABSCENCE OF APPROXIMATELY ONE YEAR KHALAF APPEARED AT CLUB IN ST. LOUIS ON EVENING OF JUNE THREE LAST AND STATED HE IS NOW ATTENDING HARVARD LAW SCHOOL AND HAD DURING LAST REC 109 6 2 -5 END PAGE ONE

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YEAR BEEN TO JORDAN WITH FATHER WHOM HE STATED WAS CONNECTED WITH A CONSULATE OR EMBASSY IN THE UNITED STATES. HE ALSO COMMENTED THAT HE SPENT THREE WEEKS IN JAIL WHILE IN JORDAN. DETAILS NOT REVEALED. KHALAF STATED WOULD BE IN ST. LOUIS SHORT TIME AND WAS LEAVING NIGHT OF JUNE THREE NEXT FOR CHICAGO AND THEN TO CALIF., EXACT LOCATION UNKNOWN. KHALAF PROVIDED NO REASON FOR TRIP, HOWEVER, STATED "SOMETHING BIG IS GOING TO HAPPEN WITHIN THE NEXT THREE DAYS".

WISE STATES KHALAF APPROXIMATELY TWENTYTWO OR TWENTYTHREE
YEARS OF AGE, DOES NOT RECALL ANY ANTI-AMERICAN OR ANTI-KENNEDY
REMARKS ON PART OF KHALAF, FURTHER DESCRIBED BY WISE AS BEING
PROFICIENT IN FIVE OR SIX LANGUAGES. KHALAF ALSO INQUIRED
WHETHER OR NOT WISE KNEW OF ANYONE DESIRING TO PURCHASE A
LINCOLN CONTINENTAL MARK THREE AUTOMOBILE WHICH HE STATED
HE WOULD SELL CHEAP AT EIGHTTHOUSAND DOLLARS.

THERE IS NO JORDANIAN CONSULATE IN SLMO, THE NEAREST HONORART CONSULATE BEING HASSAN M. ABDALLAH, SIX ONE TWO N. MICHIGAN, CHICAGO, ILL., TELEPHONE MISSION TWO TWO EIGHT ONE SIX,

THE ST. LOUIS UNIV. STUDENT DIRECTORY FOR SIXTYSEVEN END PAGE TWO

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REFLECTS ONE ABDUL AZIZ YOUSIF KHALAF OF RIYADH, SAUDIA, ARABIA, AS BEING A FRESHMAN IN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY. KHALAF NOT LISTED IN CURRENT ST. LOUIS UNIV. DIRECTORY.

INS RECORDS, SLMO, CONTAIN NO FILES IN NAME KHALAF.

IN SIXTHTHREE ONE SHAWKAT M. KHALAF AND IN SIXTYSIX ONE ISSA

HANA KHALAF APPLIED FOR VISAS FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH LAST NAME

OF KHALAF LIVING IN JORDAN, ISRAEL, AND PALESTINE. NO FURTHER

IDENTIFYING INFORMATION AVAILABLE. NOTHING TO INDICATE ANY

OF THESE INDIVIDUALS CAME TO UNITED STATES. NORMALLY INS

WOULD HAVE FILE ON FOREIGN STUDENTS LIVING IN SLMO BUT NONE

COULD BE LOCATED FOR ABDUL AZIZ YOUSIF KHALAF. NATURALIZA
TION RECORDS. SLMO. NEGATIVE ON NAME KHALAF.

SPRINGFIELD AT BELLEVILLE LOCATE DUDLEY DEEDLE, GENERAL CONTRACTOR, BELLEVILLE, ILL., AND INTERVIEW RE ACQUAINTANCE NAMED KHALAF. OBTAIN ALL BACKROUND AND POSSIBLE CONNECTION WITH THIS CASE.

BOSTON AT HARVARD UNIV. DETERMINE IF STUDENT NAMED KHALAF ENROLLED IN LAW SCHOOL AND OBTAIN ALL BACKROUND.

CHICAGO, UACB, GIVE CONSIDERATION TO CONTACTING CONSULATE END PAGE THREE

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HASSAN M. ABDALLAH, SIX ONE TWO N, MICHIGAN, FOR INFO CONCERNING KHALAF.

WFO AFTER BEING FURNISHED WITH CORRECT FIRST NAME OF KHALAF, CHECK DEPARTMENT OF STATE FOR INFO CONCERNING ENTRANCE AND DEPARTURES FROM UNITED STATES.

ST. LOUIS ATTEMPT TO LOCATE AND REVIEW RECORDS OF KHALAF AT ST. LOUIS UNIV.

THIS TT ALSO SENT TO LOS ANGELES IN EVENT INVESTIGATION REQUESTED BY THAT OFFICE.

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FBI SACTO

FRT WASH DC

4:45 PM URGENT 6/6/68 CLV

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI AND SACS, LOS ANGELES AND LAS VEGAS

FROM: SAC, SACRAMENTO (62-76) 2P

KENSALT.

LT. ED COMBS, DELANO, CALIFORNIA, PD, ADVISED ROY DONALD MURRAY, WMA, DOB FEBRUARY EIGHTEEN NINETEEN TWENTY-ONE. APPROXIMATELY SIX WEEKS AGO WAS IN THE ELKS CLUB IN DELANO. CALIFORNIA. AT THAT TIME MURRRAY WAS QUITE INTOXICATED AND WAS BRAGGING THAT HE HAD PLEDGED TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS TOWARD A TOTAL OF FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND TO SEVEN HUNDRED FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS WHICH WAS TO BE UTILIZED TO PAY OFF A CONTRACT TO KILL SENATOR KENNEDY IN THE EVENT THAT IT APPEARED THAT HE COULD RECEIVE THE DEMOCRATIC NOMINATION FOR PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES. MURRAY INFERRED THAT LCN WAS BEHIND THE LETTING OF THE CONTRACT. IN ADDITION TO COMBS OVERHEARING THIS. COP JAMES C. AILES OF DELANO PD ALSO OVERHEARD THESE COMMENTS. AT THE TIME THEY MERELY DISCOUNTED THEM AS BRAGGING ON THE PART OF MURRAY AS HE IS END PAGE ONE.

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A BRAGGART AND A "LOUDMOUTH" WHEN DRINKING. LT. COMBS ADVISED, HOWEVER, THAT MURRAY IS IN FACT A GAMBLER WITH SUPPOSED CONNECTIONS IN LAS VEGAS. MURRAY DOES NOT HAVE AN ARREST RECORD WITH THE DELANO PD.

COP AILES WILL BE INTERVIEWED THIS DATE IF AVAILABLE.

LAS VEGAS REQUESTED TO SEARCH INDICES AS TO MURRAY
AND CONTACT LOGICAL SOURCES AND INFORMANTS AS TO ANY
CONNECTIONS IN LAS VEGAS.

BUREAU IS REQUESTED TO SEARCH THEIR FILES FOR ANY IDENTIFIABLE INFORMATION TO MURRAY AND LCN.

UACB, NO FURTHER INVESTIGATION OTHER THAN THE ABOVE SHOULD BE CONDUCTED AU THIS TIME UNTIL IT IS ESTABLISHED MURRAY DOES IN FACT HAVE LCN CONNECTIONS.

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TO DIRECTOR AND LOS ANGELES

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RE KANSAS CITY TELETYPE TO LOS ANGELES, DETROIT, AND ST. LOUIS JUNE FIVE AST.

METROPOLITAN ST. LOUIS PD RECORDS DISCLOSED EDDIE A. SIRHAN,
NUMBER SEVEN EIGHT TWO THREE THREE DASH SIX, ARRESTED MAY FIFTEEN
FIFTYEIGHT SUSPECT DASH FUGITIVE, DETROIT, MICH. DISPOSITION
SHOWN AS RELEASED MAY SEVENTEEN FIFTYEIGHT. SIRHAN ALSO ARRESTED
NOVEMBER EIGHTEEN FIFTYSEVEN FOR NO STATE OPERATOR'S LICENSE,
NO STATE VEHICLE LICENSE AND NO CITY VEHICLE LICENSE AND WAS
FINED TEN DOLLARS PLUS COURT COSTS. ARRESTED DECEMBER TEN
FIFTYSIX FOR INVESTIGATION DASH SUSPECT GAMBLING BY CARDS, DISPOSITION
SHOWN AS RELEASED.

TWENTYSEVEN THIRTYONE, JORDAN, FIVE FEET FIVE AND ONE QUARTER INCHES, ONE HUNDRED FIFTY SEVEN POUNDS, BLACK HAIR, BROWN EYES, FINGERPRINT CLASSIFICATION FIFTEEN, O OVER I, TWENTYNINE OVER TWENTYTWO, W ONER U, 100 OVER OII, TEN, SOCIAL ARCURITY NUMBER

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ST. LOUIS, MO., AND TEN SEVENTYSIX VINEWOOD, DETROIT, MICH., MAY FIFTYEIGHT, TWENTYTWO TWENTYTHREE A PARK, ST. LOUIS, MO., NOVEMBER FIFTYSEVEN, AND ONE ZERO SEVEN NORTY EIGHTEENTH STREET, ST. LOUIS MO., DECEMBER FIFTYSIX. NO PHOTO OF SIRHAN AVAILABLE AT ST. LOUIS PD.

ARRESTED WITH SIRHAN MAY FIFTEEN FIFTHEIGHT WAS FRIEND,

ISSA JERIES HAMARNEH, ST. CLOUIS PD NUMBER SEVEN EIGHT TWO THREE THREE

DASH SEVEN, CHARGED WITH SUSPECT DASH FUGITIVE, DETROIT,

MICH., DISPOSITION SHOWN AS RELEASED MAY SEVENTEEN FIFTHEIGHT. HAMAR
NEH ALSO ARRESTED NOVEMBER EIGHTEEN FIFTYSEVEN, CHARGED WITH

PERMITTING UNAUTHORIZED PERSON TO DRIVE AND WAS FINED FIVE DOLLARS

PLUS COURT COSS.

HAMARNEH DESCRIBED WHITE, MALE BORN AUGUST TWENTYSEVEN TEN

AND AUGUST TWENTYSEVEN THIRTEEN, PALESTINE, JORDAN, FIVE FEET FIVE

INCHES, ONE HUNDRED SEVENTYFOUR POUNDS, BLACK HAIR, BROWN EYES, FINGERPRINT CLASSIFICATION TWENTYTWO, M OVER L, SEVENTEEN OVER ONE, W OVER
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SINGLE, OCCUPATION SALESMA, RESIDING
EDISON HOTEL, EIGHTEENTH AND CHESTNUT, ST. LOUIS, MO., MAY FIFTYEIGHT
AND TWENTYTWO TWENTYTHREE PARK, ST. LOUIS MO., NOVEMBER FIFTYSEVEN. NO PHOTO OF HAMARNEH AVAILABLE AT ST. LOUIS PD.

ST. LOUIS INDICES NEGATIVE CONCERNI G EDDIE A. SIRHAN AND ISSA JERIES HAMARNEH.

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ALSO-SECOND-PAGE-SECOND-PAR-LINE-FOUR-SHOULD READ MAY SEVENTEEN

FIFTYEIGHT.

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MTL.

JUNE 6, 1968

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1 - Mr. Trimbach

TO:

SACS, SACRAMENTO

LOS ANGELES

LAS VEGAS

FROM:

DIRECTOR

FBI

KENSALT

ROY DONALD MURRAY RE:

RE SACRAMENTO TEL THIS DATE.

MURRAY NOT IDENTIFIABLE IN BUREAU FILES.

VIEW OF ALLEGATION, MURRAY SHOULD BE IMMEDIATELY LOCATED AND INTERVIEWED TO DETERMINE IF HE HAS ANY INFORMATION PERTAINING TO THIS CASE.

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NOTE:

Indices negative on Murray per Mrs. DeLoach, Service

Unit.

DeLoach Mohr -Bishop Casper Callahan Conrad Felt Gale Rosen. Sullivan . Tavel Trotter Tele. Room

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FBI SAN FRAN

120PM URGENT 6/6/68 NJM

TO DIRECTOR AND LOS ANGELES

FROM SAN\FRANCISCO (62-5481) 2P (P)

KENSALT

Tele. Room____Miss Holmes___Miss Gandy_____

Mr. Tolson

Mr. Mohr.__ Mr. Bishop_

Mr. Casper_Mr. Callahan

Mr. Conrad Mr. Felt Mr. Gale Mr. Rose

Mr. Sully! Mr. Tav.... Mr. Trotter.

Mr. DeLoach

ON INSTANT DATE, TERRENCE A. FELL, ONE ONE NAUGHT THREE NORTH CATALINA, PASADENA, CALIFORNIA, MEMBER, ONE FITEENTH GROUP, U. S. ARMY. MILITARY INTELLIGENCE. PRESIDIO OF SAN FRANCISCO. ADVISED THAT HE HAS KNOWN SIRHAN SIRHAN SINCE FIFTY SEVEN, WHEN HE, SIRHAN WITH HIS FAMILY, FIRST CAME TO THIS COUNTRY. FELL ATTENDED LONGFELLOW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN PASADENA. WITH SIRHAN AND MAINTAINED OCCASIONAL CONTACT WITHHIM THROUGH A MUTUAL FRIEND. DAVOR PEVEC. PEVEC HAD MUCH CLOSER CONTACT WITH SIRHAN AS THEY BOTH WERE FROM OTHER COUNTRIES. HE SAID THAT PEVEC WAS A CROATIAN. PEVEC IS A STUDENT AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA IN SANTA BARBARA AND HIS HOME ADDRESS IS ONE ONE TWO NAUGHT NORTH MENTOR. PASADENA. PEVEC ALSO WORKS FOR THE MARKET BASKET, ONE IWO ONE SIX NORTH LAKE STREET, PASADENA. FELL SAID HE DOES NOT KNOW THE RESIDENCE ADDRESS OF PEVEC IN SANTA BARBARA BUT BELIEVES POSSIBLY THAT HE MAY BE OUT OF SCHOOL FOR THIS SEMESTER. REC-34, 62

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FELL SAID HE LAST SAW SIRHAN IN EITHER SIXTY FOUR OR SIXTY FIVE WHEN THEY BOTH WERE ATTENDING PASADENA CITY COLLEGE. THEY DID NOT HAVE CLASSES TOGETHER BUT HE BELIEVES THE OCCASION HE SAW SIRHAN WAS WHEN THE SHAH OF IRAN WAS VISITING THIS COUNTRY. HE WAS NOT AWARE OF ANY POLITICAL INCLINATIONS OF SIRHAN EXCEPTTHAT HE WAS VERY MUCH INTERESTED IN THE CONFLICTS BETWEEN THE ARAB AND ISRAEL NATIONS. HE WAS VERY PRO-ARABIC AND OFTEN SPOKE OF GOING BACK TO HIS HOMELAND AND HELPING OUT THE WAR. FELL SAID IN HIS MIND HE BELIEVES SIRHAN HAD THIS ATTITUDE BECAUSE HE HAD SEEN A CLOSE MEMBER OF HIS FAMILY KILLED IN JORDAN. HE WAS NOT AWARE OF ANY VIOLENT NATURE OF SIRHAN BUT SAID THAT HE DID HAVE A QUOTE NORMAL ARAB TEMPER UNQUOTE.

LOS ANGELES, AT UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SANTA BARBARA, OR PASADENA, CONTACT DAVOR PEVEC FOR ANY INFORMATION HE MAY HAVE CONCERNING SIRHAN.

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LOS ANGELES ONE PM^THIS DATE. PLANE ARRIVES LA GUARDIA

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11:23 A.M. JUNE SIX. SIXTY EIGHT URGENT

DIRECTOR, SEATTLE, MINNEAPOLIS, LOS ANGELES

FROM/ LOUISVILLE /89-78/

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INFO RECEIVED THIS DATE FROM DAVID BROWN, SEVEN ZERO BOUR WELFORD AVENUE. LOUISVILLE. KENTUCKY. EMPLOYED GENERAL ELECTRIC APPLIANCE PARK, TO THE EFFECT THAT WHILE HE WAS LIVING IN WALL, SOUTH DAKOTA. FROM APRIL OF SIXTY THREE THROUGH AUGUST OF SIXTY THREE. HE KNEW AN INDIVIDUAL BY THE NAME OF SIRHAN SIRHAN.

BROWN STATED THIS INDIVIDUAL HAD "SIRHAN SIRHAN" PRINTED ON CONSTRUCTION HELMET.

SIRHAN SIRHAN DESCRIBED AT TIME BY BROWN AS IN MID-TWENTIES; FIVE FOOT SEVEN TO EIGHT INCHES: ONE THIRTY FIVE TO ONE FIFTY LBS; SMALL BUILD: HAIR AND EYES UNKNOWN; OF FOREIGN EXTRACTION. SIRHAN SIRHAN WAS A MEMBER OF INSTALLATION TEAM EMPLOYED BY BOEING AIRCRAFT OUT OF SEATTLE, WASHINGTON, CONSTRUCTING MISSILE BASE FOR U.S. A.F. SOME CONSTRUCTION WORKERS RESIDED AT WALL AND OTHERS AT RAPID CLI REG-34 62-50 SOUTH DAKOTA.

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BROWN STATES WORKERS AT TIME WERE FINGERPRINTED AND GIVEN GREEN OR YELLOW CLEARANCE FOR SECRET OR CONFIDENTIAL EMPLOYMENT IN CONNECTION WITH JOB.

SEATTLE CONDUCT APPROPRIATE INVESTIGATION AT BOEING AIRCRAFT
AND DETERMINE IF RECORD AVAILABLE OF SIRHAN SIRHAN AND IF IDENTICAL
WITH SUBJECT. ALSO, REVIEW PERSONNEL RECORDS FOR ANY BACKGROUND
INFO OF ASSISTANCE IN ESTABLISHING FORMER ASSOCIATES AND CONTACTS.
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RE DIRECTOR TEL LOS ANGELES AND CHICAGO INSTANT.

WAYNE LEE SPARKS PREVIOUSLY EMPLOYED LION MATCH CORPORATION. THREE THREE FOUR EIGHT WEST FORTY EIGHTH PLACE FRED FUCIK FOREMAN. SECOND SHIFT. LION MATCH. ADVISED HE WAS PERSONALLY ACQUANTED WITH SPARKS. FUCIK ADVISED SPARKS INDUCTED U.S. ARMY ABOUT TWO MONTHS AGO. FUCIK UNAWARE SPARKS PRESENT LOCATION.

MILITARY RECORDS FIFTH ARMY UNAVAILABLE UNTIL AM JUNE SEVEN NEXT AT WHICH TIME EFFORTS WILL BE MADE TO VERIFY SPARKS INDUCTION AND PRESENT MILITARY ASSIGNMENT.

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REBUTEL TO ALL SACS, JUNE FIVE, LAST.

ON JUNE SIX, INSTANT, IT WAS DETERMINED THAT ON TWO
OCCASIONS ADEL SIRHAN, POSSIBLY SUBJECT'S BROTHER, WAS
FINGERPRINTED BY PITTSBURGH PD FOR SOLICITORS PERMITS. ON
FIRST OCCASION, APRIL TWENTYFOUR, FIFTYONE, ADEL LISTED
ADDRESS AS NINE ZERO FOUR FIFTH AVENUE, PGH. DOB NOVEMBER
TWENTYSEVEN, THIRTYONE, POB SYRIA, HEIGHT FIVE FT. SIX INCHES,

WEIGHT ONE FORTYFIVE LBS., DARK COMPLEXION, BROWN EYES,
BLACK HAIR, FINGERPRINT CLASSIFICATION NINETEEN O

OVER I, TWENTYNINE OVER TWENTYTWO, W OVER U, 100 OVER OII,
FINAL EIGHT FROM NO. TEN FINGER. ADEL ALLEGED TO BE SELF

EMPLOYED AND SOLD DRY GOODS DOOR-TO-DOOR. ADEL LISTED AS
A REFERENCE, HIS AUNT, HELEN BARHAN, ONE SEVEN ONE EIGHT

FREEPORT ROAD, NEW KENSINGTON. LAAL 15

ON APRIL EIGHTEEN, FIFTYEIGHT, ADEL OBTAINED SECOND JUN 10 1968

PERMIT BEARING ADDRESS OF THREE FIVE SEVEN SOUTH GRAHAM

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LOS ANGELES, ADVISE WHETHER INDIVIDUAL FINGERPRINTED AT PITTSBURGH IDENTICAL WITH SUBJECT'S BROTHER.

PITTSBURGH WILL ATTEMPT TO LOCATE HELEN BARHAN TO
DETERMINE IF RELATIVE OF SUBJECT, AND INTERVIEW RE SUBJECT'S
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SUTEL SUMMARY IN ANSWER TO FOLLOWING QUESTIONS:

ONE. DOES THE KEY FOUND ON SIRHAN'S POSSESSION FIT
HIS PERSONALLY-OWNED AUTOMOBILE? IS HE THE REGISTERED OWNER
OF THIS CAR AND ARE THERE ANY LIENS OUTSTANDING?

TWO. WHAT HAVE SUBJECT'S ACTIVITIES BEEN DURING PAST SEVERAL WEEKS AND IS THERE ANY INDICATION HE HAS BEEN OUTSIDE OF LOS ANGELES AREA, SPECIFICALLY IN OREGON?

THREE. FURNISH RESULTS OF INTERVIEW WITH MERLE MARION MATTESON.

FOUR. FURNISH COMPLETE CHRONOLOGY AND CIRCUMSTANCES SURROUNDING SUBJECT'S POSSESSION OF MURDER WEAPON.

IN PREPARING YOUR INITIAL REPORT BE CERTAIN TO INCLUDE A VERBATIM TRANSCRIPT OF SUBJECT'S INTERVIEW BY POLICE OFFICERS AND A COPY OR SUMMARY OF THE MEDICAL REPORT FOR SUBJECT AT THE

TIME OF HIS ARREST.

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FROM: LOS ANGELES (56-156) 15 PGS

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RE LOS ANGELES TEL JUNE SIX INSTANT.

"ALLEGED CONSPIRACY"

-INTERVIEW OF HUMPHREY CORDERO AND ENRIQUE
RABAGO, WHO HAD CONVERSATION WITH SIRHAN AT
AMBASSADOR HOTEL PRIOR TO SHOOTING-

CORDERO AND RABAGO APPEARED AT LOS ANGELES OFFICE JUNE FIVE AST AND BOTH ADVISED THEY HAD HAD CONVERSATION WITH INDIVIDUAL AT THE AMBASSADOR HOTEL LATER IDENTIFIED AS SIRHAN AT APPROXIMATELY NINE THIRTY PM JUNE FOUR LAST.

RABAGO ADVISED THAT SIRHAN HAD MADE DEROGATORY COMMENTS

REGARDING "RICH PEOPLE" IN GENERAL AND SENATOR KENNEDY IN PARTICULAR.

SIRHAN CLAIMED THAT KENNEDY WAS MILLIONAIRE AND DID NOT CARE ABOUT

POOR PEOPLE. SIRHAN TOLD RABAGO THAT KENNEDY WAS GOING TO "BUY

THE PRESIDENCY" FOR PERSONAL REASONS. HE REFERRED TO KENNEDY AS A

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CORDERO ADVISED THAT HE JOINED RABAGO AND SIRHAN AND ALSO STATED SIRHAN MADE DEROGATORY REMARKS TO HIM REGARDING "RICH PEOPLE". CORDERO ADVISED SIRHAN AGGRAVATED BECAUSE HE WAS LOOKED DOWN UPON BECAUSE OF HIS CLOTHING. RABAGO FURTHER STATED THAT SIRHAN WAS DEFINITELY AGAINST SENATOR KENNEDY BECAUSE OF HIS WEALTH.

CORDERO AND RABAGO OF OPINION SIRHAN HAD COME TO AMBASSADOR
HOTEL ALONE. BASED ON CONVERSATION WITH HIM. NO ONE APPEARED TO
BE ACCOMPANYING HIM DURING THE APPROXIMATE TEN MINUTES THEY CONVERSED
WITH HIM.

SIGNED STATEMENTS OBTAINED FROM CORDERO AND RABAGO REGARDING
ABOVE ON JUNE SIX INSTANT AND BOTH PICKED SIRHAN'S PHOTOGRAPHS FROM
AMONG SEVEN PHOTOGRAPHS.

" EDUCATION"

SIRHAN SIRHAN, DATE OF BIRTH MARCH NINETEEN, NINETEEN FORTY
FOUR, JERUSULEM, ATTENDED JOHN MARSHALL JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL PASADENA,
CALIFORNIA, FROM SEPTEMBER NINETEEN FIFTY SEVEN UNTIL OCTOBER
NINETEEN FIFTY EIGHT. ATTENDED ELLIOT JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL, PASADENA,
FROM OCTOBER NINETEEN FIFTY EIGHT TO JUNE NINETEEN SIXTY. LISTED
ADDRESS AS ONE SIX FOUR SEVEN LAKE, PASADENA. ATTENDED JOHN MUIR
HIGH SCHOOL, PASADENA, FROM SEPTEMBER NINETEEN SIXTY TO JUNE NINETEEN
SIXTY THREE WHEN HE GRADUATED. SIRHAN DESCRIBED BY SCHOOL RECORDS
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AS "FRIENDLY, COOPERATIVE, WELL MANNERED, HAS ADJUSTED VERY NICELY TO HIS NEW ENVIRONMENT, AND MAKING MANY NEW FRIENDS". ATTENDED PASADENA CITY COLLEGE SEPTEMBER NINETEEN SIXTY THREE THROUGH MAY NINETEEN SIXTY FIVE. NO RECORD OF ANY TEACHERS OR STUDENTS ACQUAINTED WITH SIRHAN. NO KNOWN HANDWRITING LOCATED.

DAVOR PEVEC, ONE ONE TWO SIX NORTH MENTOR STREET, PASADENA,
STATES ATTENDED GRADE SCHOOL WITH SIRHAN, ALSO ATTENDED PASADENA
CITY COLLEGE IN NINETEEN SIXTY FIVE WITH SIRHAN. IS NOT CONSIDERED
CLOSE FRIEND OF SIRHAN DUE TO INTERVENING FRIENDS AND DIFFERENT
INTERESTS. NEVER DISCUSSED POLITICAL, SOCIAL, OR ECONOMIC MATTERS
WITH SIRHAN. RECALLS SIRHAN HAD STRONG NATIONALISTIC PRIDE IN BEING
OF ARAB ORIGIN.

"MISCELLA NEOUS"

-STATEMENT REPORTEDLY MADE BY
SIRHAN WHEN ARRESTED, "I DID
THIS FOR MY COUNTRY"-

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED IN PRESS THAT WHEN ARRESTED JUNE FIVE LAST, SIRHAN SIRHAN HAD MADE STATEMENT "I DID THIS FOR MY COUNTRY".

SGT. GLEN BACHMAN, RAMPART DIVISION, LAPD, STATED THAT RECORDS OF LAPD CONCERNING ARREST OF SIRHAN AND OBSERVATIONS OF OFFICERS DURING COURSE OF CONTACT WITH SIRHAN FAILED TO REFLECT SUBJECT END PAGE THREE

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MAKING STATEMENT, "I DID THIS FOR MY COUNTRY". SGT. BACHMAN STATED THAT WHEN SUBJECT WAS BEING QUESTIONED RELATIVE TO HIS NAME, HE WAS ASKED, "ARE YOU ASHAMED OF YOUR NAME?", TO WHICH HE REPLIED, "HELL NO, I'M NOT ASHAMED OF MY NAME". SIRHAN MADE NO OTHER STATEMENTS.

-INCARCERATION OF SIRHAN-

SIRHAN SIRHAN CONFINED LOS ANGELES COUNTY CENTRAL JAIL. HAS
NOT BEEN VISITED BY ANY MEMBERS OF HIS FAMILY. HAS REQUESTED
SEVERAL CHANGES IN HIS JAIL DIET, WHICH HAVE BEEN MADE. HAS
REQUESTED SEVERAL BOOKS, SOCIOLOGICAL IN NATURE, WHICH ARE BEING
OBTAINED FOR HIM. ONLY VISITORS ARE HIS ATTORNEY RICHARD S. BUCKLEY,
AND JAIL MEDICAL STAFF.

GRAND JURY IS SCHEDULED TO HEAR TESTIMONY IN MATTER ON JUNE SEVEN NEXT.

- DEATH OF SENATOR ROBERT F. KENNEDY-

VICTIM SUCCUMBED TO BRAIN INJURIES AT ONE FORTY FOUR AM, JUNE SIXTH INSTANT.

AT ELEVEN TWENTY AM, INSTANT DATE, LAPD INTELLIGENCE ADVISED THAT THE AUTOPSY ON THE BODY OF SENATOR KENNEDY WAS COMPLETED AT GOOD SAMARITAN HOSPITAL AT ELEVEN ZERO FIVE AM, INSTANT DATE. CERTIFICATE OF DEATH, NUMBER SEVEN ZERO NINE SEVEN DASH ZERO TWO ONE NINE SEVEN EIGHT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, FOR ROBERT FRANCIS KENNEDY REVEALS HE DIED AT ONE FORTY END PAGE FOUR

FOUR AM, JUNE SIXTH INSTANT, AT GOOD SAMARITAN MEDICAL CENTER, LOS ANGELES. CAUSE OF DEATH WAS SHOWN AS "GUNSHOT WOUND OF RIGHT MASTOID PENETRATING BRAIN".

COPIES OF THE AUTOPSY WILL BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU WHEN OBTAINED.

OFFICIAL CORONER'S PHOTOGRAPHS WILL ALSO BE MADE AVAILABLE AS SOON AS DEVELOPED.

-TRACING OF GUN USED IN SHOOTING BY LAPD-

LAPD RECEIVED INFORMATION FROM CII THAT GUN IN POSSESSION OF SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN HAD BEEN REGISTERED TO ALBERT LESLIE HERTZ OF NINE SEVEN SEVEN EAST VALLEY BOULEVARD, APARTMENT THIRTY TWO, ALHAMBRA, CALIFORNIA. HERTZ ADVISED THIS GUN HAD BEEN PURCHASED IN AUGUST NINETEEN SIXTY FIVE AND SEVERAL MONTHS LATER MRS. HERTZ GAVE GUN TO DAUGHTER, DANA WESTLAKE, THREE FOUR NINE REDWOOD DRIVE IN WOODACRE, CALIFORNIA. LAPD RECEIVED INFORMATION FROM MARIN COUNTY CALIFORNIA SHERIFF'S OFFICE, WHICH COVERS WOODACRE, THAT MRS. WESTLAKE CLAIMS WHILE STILL LIVING IN PASADENA, PRIOR TO MOVING TO WOODACRE, IN EITHER THE LATTER PART OF NOVEMBER OR THE FIRST PART OF DECEMBER, NINETEEN SIXTY SEVEN, SHE GAVE GUN TO A NEIGHBOR, GEORGE ERHARD OF ONE NINE SEVEN EIGHT OLIVE WAY PASADENA. ERHARD ADVISED THAT MRS. WESTLAKE GAVE HIM THE GUN AROUND THE FIRST OF CURRENT YEAR AND HE HAD IT ONLY SHORT TIME BEFORE HE SOLD END PAGE FIVE

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ERHARD LATER IDENTIFIED MUNIR SIRHAN AS THE INDIVIDUAL TO WHOM HE SOLD THIS WEAPON. WHEN INTERVIEWED BY BUAGENTS JUNE FIVE LAST MUNIR CLAIMED THAT ABOUT THREE MONTHS AGO SIRHAN SIRHAN HAD PURCHASED A HAND GUN FROM A FELLOW EMPLOYEE OF MUNIR SIRHAN AT NASH COMPANY AT PASADENA. MUNIR SIRHAN CLAIMED HE HAD NOT SEEN THIS GUN SINCE IT WAS PURCHASED BY HIS BROTHER.

-SEARCH OF PERSONALLY OWNED VEHICLE
OF SIRHAN SIRHAN BY LAPD-

DMV RECORDS REVEALED NINETEEN FIFTY SIX DE SOTO REGISTRED

TO SIRHAN SIRHAN. CAR LOCATED JUNE FIVE LAST BY BUAGENTS AS
RESULT BLOCK TO BLOCK SEARCH AT WILSHIRE BLVD AND NEW
HAMPSHIRE AVE., FEW BLOCKS FROM AMBASSADOR HOTEL. LAPD NOTIFIED.

ON JUNE FIVE LAST, LAPD OBTAINED SEARCH WARRANT FOR SIRHAN'S
AUTO. TWO SPENT TWENTY TWO CALIBER BULLETS FOUND ON TOP OF
FRONT SEAT ON PASSENGER SIDE. ONE EMPTY BOX TWENTY TWO CALIBER
BULLETS FOUND IN GLOVE COMPARTMENT. SALES RECEIPT IN GLOVE
COMPARTMENT REVEALS PURCHASE OF FOUR BOXES TWENTY TWO CALIBER BULLETS
FOR THREE DOLLARS NINETY NINE CENTS, PAID FOR IN CASH ON JUNE
ONE LAST. SALES MADE BY LOCK STOCK AND BARREL GUN STORE, SAN
GABRIEL, CALIFORNIA. WALLET HOLDING IDENTIFICATION IN NAME OF
SIRHAN SIRHAN LOCATED IN GLOVE COMPARTMENT. VEHICLE PROCESSED
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FOR LATENT FINGERPRINTS BY LAPD. SEVERAL PRINTS OBTAINED. EVIDENCE IN POSSESSION OF LAPD.

-INTERVIEW OF VICTIM
IRWIN NEAL STROLL

STROLL INTERVIEWED BY BU AGENT AT MIDWAY HOSPITAL, FIVE
NINE TWO FIVE SAN VICENTE BOULEVARD, LOS ANGELES, JUNE SIXTH
INSTANT. HAD BEEN ADMITTED ONE FORTY FIVE AM, JUNE FIVE LAST,
FOR "DEBRIMENT OF WOUND LEFT CLEFT." STROLL, BORN MARCH THIRTY,
FIFTY ONE, AT BROOKLYN, N.Y., RESIDES AT SIX ZERO EIGHT NINE
HORNER STREET, LOS ANGELES, AND IS STUDENT AT FAIRFAX HIGH SCHOOL.
STATED WAS WORKER AT MAIN CAMPAIGN HEADQUARTERS OF SENATOR
KENNEDY IN LOS ANGELES AND ON EVENING OF JUNE FOUR LAST, WAS
ASSIGNED TO WATCH ONE OF DOORS TO EMBASSY ROOM, AMBASSADOR HOTEL,
DURING KENNEDY'S SPEECH.

STROLL STATED THAT AFTER FINISHING SPEECH, SENATOR KENNEDY AND SOME FRIENDS PASSED HIS POSITION, AND STROLL WENT INTO A CORRIDOR BEHIND THEM. IMMEDIATELY THEREAFTER, HE HEARD A SERIES OF SMALL NOISES LIKE FIRECRACKERS AND FELT WHAT HE BELIEVED WAS A KICK TO THE LEFT LEG. STROLL RAN BACK THROUGH A DOOR INTO EMBASSY ROOM AND SAW BLOOD ON HIS LEG AND REALIZED HE HAD BEEN SHOT. HE ADVISED HAD BEEN TOLD BY HIS DOCTOR THAT BULLET THAT HIT HIM APPEARED TO HAVE RICOCHETED FROM FLOOR BEFORE END PAGE SEVEN

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STRIKING HIM. STATED EXPECTED TO BE RELEASED FROM HOSPITAL JUNE EIGHT NEXT.

STROLL ADVISED HE DID NOT REALIZE SENATOR KENNEDY HAD
BEEN SHOT AND DID NOT SEE HIS ASSAILANT. HE HAS VIEWED SIRHAN'S
PHOTOGRAPH ON TELEVISION BUT STATED HE HAD NEVER SEEN HIM
BEFORE.

-INTERVIEW OF VICTIM

IRA GOLDSTEIN-

IRA GOLDSTEIN, FOUR ZERO SEVEN SEVEN HAVENHURST DRIVE,
ENCINO, CALIFORNIA, INTERVIEWED BY BU AGENT INSTANT DATE AT
ENCINO GENERAL HOSPITAL, ENCINO. STATED THAT AT THE COMPLETION
OF SENATOR KENNEDY'S SPEECH IN THE EMBASSY ROOM, AMBASSADOR
HOTEL, IN LATE EVENING, JUNE FIVE LAST, HE, GOLDSTEIN, WAS IN
KITCHEN AREA OF HOTEL. AS GOLDSTEIN WAS LEAVING KITCHEN, HE
PASSED SENATOR KENNEDY AND SECONDS LATER HE HEARD SIX OR SEVEN
SHOTS. GOLDSTEIN WAS STRUCK IN THE LEFT BUTTOCKS BY A BULLET.
HE STATED HE DID NOT SEE SENATOR KENNEDY THEREAFTER NOR DID HE
AT ANY TIME OBSERVE THE INDIVIDUAL WHO FIRED THE SHOTS. GOLDSTEIN
ADVISED HE WAS BEING RELEASED FROM ENCINO GENERAL HOSPITAL
INSTANT DATE. GOLDSTEIN WAS ON DUTY AS AN EMPLOYEE OF CONTINENTAL
NEWS SERVICE.

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-INTERVIEW OF VICTIM ELIZABETH EVANS-

EVANS, WHITE FEMALE, BORN DECEMBER TWENTY FOUR, TWENTY

FIVE, RESIDENCE ONE SIX ZERO THREE TWO PLACERITA ROAD, SAUGUS,

CALIFORNIA, INTERVIEWED AT HUNTINGTON MEMORIAL HOSPITAL,

PASADENA, CALIFORNIA, BY BUAGENTS THIS DATE. EVANS ADVISED SHE

AND HUSBAND, ARTHUR W. EVANS, ARRIVED AMBASSADOR HOTEL APPROXIMATELY

ELEVEN THIRTY PM JUNE FOUR LAST TO RENEW ACQUAINTANCES WITH LONG

TIME FRIEND PIERRE SALINGER. AS KENNEDY DELIVERING VICTORY

SPEECH, EVANS PROCEEDED AROUND ROSTRUM TO "ANTE DASH ROOM"

BEHIND ROSTRUM HOPING TO CONTACT SALINGER AS ROBERT KENNEDY

PARTY DEPARTED.

EVANS STOOD NEAR DOOR LEADING FROM ANTE DASH ROOM

TO KITCHEN. KENNEDY, CLOSELY SURROUNDED BY PEOPLE, PROCEEDED

PAST EVANS AND INTO KITCHEN AREA FOLLOWED BY ETHEL KENNEDY,

WHO WAS TWO OR THREE STEPS BEHIND.

AS ETHEL KENNEDY PROCEEDED THROUGH THIS DOORWAY,

EVANS HEARD NOISES WHICH SOUNDED LIKE A STRING OF FIRECRACKERS

EXPLODING. AT THE SAME TIME EVANS LOST ONE OF HER SHOES; AND

AS SHE BENT OVER TO RETRIEVE SAME, HEARD SOMEONE EXCLAIM

THAT A WOMAN HAD BEEN SHOT.

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NOT REALIZING SHE HAD BEEN SHOT, EVANS CONTINUED TO SEARCH FOR HER SHOE. WHEN EVANS STRAIGHTENED UP, BLOOD FLOWED DOWN HER FACE AND SHE THEN REALIZED THAT SHE HAD BEEN SHOT IN THE FOREHEAD.

EVANS DID NOT SEE ANYONE ELSE SHOT NOR ANYONE HOLDING
ANY KIND OF A WEAPON. SEVERAL BYSTANDERS REMOVED EVANS
TO A TABLE NEAR ROSTRUM WHERE SHE REMAINED UNTIL AMBULANCE
ARRIVED. EVANS, WHO HAS SEEN PHOTOS OF SIRHAN, ADVISED
SHE COULD NOT RECALL SEING ANYONE RESEMBLING THIS INDIVIDUAL
IN THE HOTEL AT ANY TIME. EVANS ADVISED BULLET REMOVED
FROM HER FOREHEAD IN SURGERY JUNE FIVE LAST AND DESCRIBED
HER CONDITION AS GOOD.

HUSBAND OF EVANS ALSO INTERVIEWED AND ADVISED HE WAS NOT VICTIM OF SHOOTING OR AWARE OF SAME WHEN IT OCCURRED.

MR. EVANS, WHO HAS ALSO SEEN PHOTOS OF SIRHAN, COULD NOT RECALL SEEING THIS INDIVIDUAL AT HOTEL.

-ATTEMPTS TO INTERVIEW VICTIMS PAUL
HERMAN SCHRADE AND WILLIAM S. WEISEL-

DEYCE D. PINE, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF NURSING, KAISER
FOUNDATION HOSPITAL, FOUR EIGHT SIX SEVEN SUNSET BOULEVARD,
ADVISED PAUL HERMAN SCHRADE AND WILLIAM S. WEISEL WERE CURRENT
PATIENTS OF THE HOSPITAL AND HAD BEEN ADMITTED IN THE EARLY
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MORNING OF JUNE FIVE LAST. SCHRADE REMAINS IN INTENSIVE CARE
UNIT AND WEISEL HAS BEEN REMOVED FROM INTENSIVE CARE TO GENERAL
CARE UNIT. MISS PINE STATED BOTH IN SATISFACTORY CONDITION.
WEISEL IS UNDER SEDATION BUT EXPECTED TO BE IN CONDITION FOR
INTERVIEW JUNE SEVEN NEXT. SCHRADE'S PHYSICIAN NOT PERMITTING
INTERVIEW AT THIS TIME DUE TO HIS PHYSICAL CONDITION.

MISS PINE ADVISED HOSPITAL RECORDS INDICATE SCHRADE SUFFERS
FROM GUN SHOT WOUND IN HEAD AND WEISEL FROM GUN SHOT WOUND IN

ABDOMEN. SCHRADE, OFFICIAL OF UNITED AUTO WORKERS, LOS ANGELES,
AGE FORTY THREE, RESIDES AT FOUR ONE FIVE ZERO HILLCREST DRIVE,
LOS ANGELES. WEISEL, ABC NEWS REPORTER, AGE THIRTY, RESIDES
AT TWO SEVEN ZERO ZERO UPTON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

-STRONG-ARM ROBBERY OF SAIDALLAH BISHARA SIRHAN, BROTHER OF SIRHAN SIRHAN, JUNE FIVE LAST-

PASADENA PD ADVISES THEIR CASE NUMBER FIVE SIX SIX ZERO NINE
THREE INVOLVES A STRONG-ARM ROBBERY WHICH OCCURRED AT ELEVEN THIRTY
PM, JUNE FIVE LAST, AND REPORTED BY VICTIM OF ROBBERY, SAIDALLAH
BISHARA SIRHAN, ONE SIX FIVE NINE NORTH LAKE AVENUE, PASADENA. PD
REPORT INDICATED VICTIM HAD IDENTIFIED HIMSELF AS BEING THE OLDER
BROTHER OF SIRHAN SIRHAN, WHO HAD SHOT SENATOR ROBERT KENNEDY. HE
REPORTED THAT HE HAD BEEN CONTACTED EARLIER IN EVENING, JUNE FIVE
LAST, BY TWO REPORTERS ALLEGEDLY FROM LIFE MAGAZINE, ROBERT B.
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KAISER, FOUR FOUR FOUR REGENTS COURT, WESTLAKE VILLAGE, AND HOWARD BINGHAM, NINE FIVE SEVEN ZERO WILSHIRE BOULEVARD, LOS ANGELES. VICTIM STATED THESE INDIVIDUALS VERY POLITE AND ASKED IF HE WOULD GIVE THEM HIS PHOTOGRAPH. VICTIM ADVISED THE TWO REPORTERS THAT HE DID NOT WISH TO EITHER HAVE HIS PHOTOGRAPH TAKEN OR TO GIVE THEM A PHOTOGRAPH AND THE TWO REPORTERS LEFT WITHOUT ANY INCIDENT.

VICTIM FURTHER REPORTED THAT AT APPROXIMATELY ELEVEN THIRTY PM,

JUNE FIVE LAST, HE HEARD SOMEONE KICKING ON HIS FRONT DOOR. HE

ANSWERED THE DOOR AND JUST AS HE UNLOCKED THE SCREEN, SUSPECT

NUMBER ONE KICKED THE DOOR OPEN, HIT THE VICTIM ON THE CHEEK WITH

HIS FIST, AND STATED, "DAMN-IT, WE'RE GOING TO KILL YOU ARABS".

SUSPECT NUMBER ONE THEN WENT INTO THE LIVING ROOM FOLLOWED BY VICTIM

WHO TOLD HIM TO CALM DOWN. SUSPECT NUMBER ONE THE STATED, "IF YOU

DON'T GIVE YOUR PHOTOGRAPH TO 'LIFE', WE'RE GOING TO TAKE IT FROM

YOU". AT THIS POINT, SUSPECT ONE TOOK PHOTOGRAPH OF VICTIM FROM

A SMALL TABLE IN ROOM AND EXITED APARTMENT BY FRONT DOOR. SUSPECT

NUMBER TWO DID NOT ENTER APARTMENT AND VICTIM COULD ONLY SEE

REFLECTION OF LIGHT OFF HIS GLASSES. VICTIM DID NOT HEAR OR SEE

ANY VEHICLE AND ADVISED HE COULD IDENTIFY SUSPECT NUMBER ONE.

SUSPECTS ONE AND TWO NOT IDENTICAL WITH TWO LIFE REPORTERS. DUPLICATE

OF PHOTOGRAPH STOLEN FROM VICTIM IS AVAILABLE.

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-INTERVIEW OF SAIDALLAH BISHARA SIRHAN-

SAIDALLAH BISHARA SIRHAN INTERVIEWED BY BUAGENTS JUNE FIVE
LAST AT RESIDENCE ONE SIX FIVE NINE NORTH LAKE STREET, PASADENA.

ADVISED WAS ELDEST BROTHER OF SIRHAN AND DOES NOT BELIEVE HIS
BROTHER DID, IN FACT, SHOOT SENATOR KENNEDY. STATED BROTHER NOT
CAPABLE OF SUCH AN ACT. WHEN EXHIBITED LAPD PHOTOGRAPHS OF SIRHAN
SIRHAN, SAIDALLAH SIRHAN STATED COULD NOT SAY FOR SURE PHOTOGRAPHS
WERE HIS BROTHER. STATED LAST SAW BROTHER APPROXIMATELY ONE MONTH
AGO. STATED DID NOT ASSOCIATE CLOSELY WITH SIRHAN SIRHAN AS HE,
SAIDALLAH, WAS ELDEST BROTHER OF FAMILY AND HAD TO MAINTAIN FATHER
IMAGE. STATED BROTHER HAD NEVER MENTIONED SENATOR KENNEDY TO HIM
AND NEVER DISCUSSED ANY POLITICAL ACTIVITY. CLAIMED BROTHER NEVER
INVOLVED IN VIOLENCE AND BELIEVES HIM LOYAL TO US.

OF SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN AT PASADENA, CALIFORNIASHARIF BISHARA SIRHAN, BROTHER OF SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN,
INTERVIEWED BY BUAGENTS INSTANT DATE AT ONE THREE NINE EIGHT
NORTH CHESTER, PASADENA. STATED HIS PERMANENT ADDRESS IS SIX NINE
SIX EAST HOWARD, PASADENA, CALIFORNIA, WHICH IS THE HOME OF MOTHER,
BUT HE FREQUENTLY STAYS AT THE METROPOLE HOTEL, ROOM FORTY SIX ON
AVENUE TWENTY SIX IN LOS ANGELES. EMPLOYED CANNON ELECTRIC COMPANY,
THREE TWO ZERO EIGHT HUMBOLDT STREET, LOS ANGELES. SHARIF STATED
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HIS BROTHER SIRHAN HAD LITTLE ASSOCIATION OR COMMUNICATION WITH THE REST OF FAMILY. BUT PROBABLY HAD EVEN LESS COMMUNICATION WITH HIM. STATED SIRHAN SUFFERED A FALL ON SEPTEMBER TWENTY FIVE SIXTY SIX WHEN TRAINING TO BE AN EXERCISE BOY. SINCE THAT TIME HIS BROTHER HAS BEEN MORE WITHDRAWN INTO HIMSELF AND HAS HAD EVEN LESS ASSOCIATION WITH THE FAMILY. STATED HIS BROTHER HAD NO FEMALE ASSOCIATES AND HE DID NOT EVEN BELIEVE THAT HIS BROTHER EVER HAD A DATE. HE HAD FEW MALE ASSOCIATES AND THE ONLY ONE KNOWN TO SHARIF WAS A BOBBY (LAST NAME UNKNOWN) WHO WAS ACTUALLY A FRIEND OF THE FAMILY AND WHO WORKED FOR A COMPANY KNOWN AS THE RX DELIVERY SERVICE LOCATED NEAR THE PASADENA CIVIC AUDITORIUM. PASADENA. CALIFORNIA. SHARIF STATED NOT AWARE SIRHAN HAD BEEN AWAY FROM HOME DURING THE PAST WEEK BUT COULD NOT DEFINITELY STATE THIS. SHARIF STATED THAT HE KNEW OF NO RACIAL. SOCIAL OR POLITICAL ASSOCIATIONS TO WHICH HIS BROTHER BELONGED AND COULD NOT SUGGEST ANY MOTIVATION THAT COULD HAVE CAUSED HIS BROTHER TO COMMIT SUCH AN ACT. STATED NOT AWARE THAT HIS BROTHER OWNED A GUN.

-FILM OF APPEARANCE OF KENNEDY AT AMBASSADOR
HOTEL EVENING JUNE FIVE LAST MADE AVAILABLE
BY NBC NEWS, BURBANK, CALIFORNIA-

COPY OF NBC NEWS FILM MADE IN AMBASSADOR HOTEL JUNE FIVE LAST OBTAINED. WILLIAM HILL, EXECUTIVE PRODUCER, NBC NEWS, POINTED END PAGE FOURTEEN

OUT THAT NO FILM WAS OBTAINED SHOWING ACTUAL SHOOTING OF KENNEDY.

FILM OBTAINED INCLUDES ACTIVITY PRIOR TO SHOOTING SENATOR KENNEDY

LEAVING PODIUM, AND ACTIVITY FOLLOWING SHOOTING. NBC PERSONNEL

WHO MADE FILM INTERVIEWED AND ALL ADVISED SHOOTING NOT OBSERVED

BY THEM AS CREW WAS BEHIND ACTION IN ANTICIPATION KENNEDY WOULD

DEPART THROUGH DOOR IN WHICH HE ENTERED.

-INTERVIEW OF MERLE MARION MATTESON-

INFORMATION PREVIOUSLY RECEIVED FROM JOHN HANSON, THOROUGH-BRED RACING PROTECTIVE BUREAU, LOS ANGELES, THAT SIRHAN SIRHAN WAS REPORTEDLY CLOSE FRIEND OF HOLLYWOOD RACING TRACK EMPLOYEE MERLE MARION MATTESON. MATTESON INTERVIEWED JUNE SIX INSTANT BY BUAGENT AND DENIED KNOWING SIRHAN. WAS UNABLE TO RECOGNIZE PHOTOGRAPH OF SIRHAN. DURING INTERVIEW, MATTESON ATTEMPTED TO ENGAGE BUAGENT IN BIBLICAL ANTI-SEMETIC DISCUSSION WHICH WAS RAMBLING AND INCOHERENT.

MATTESON CURRENTLY EMPLOYED BY GREEN THUMB STABLES, LOS ANGELES. INTERVIEWS OF PERSONNEL THIS ESTABLISHMENT DETERMINED THEY HAD NEVER SEEN SIRHAN CONTACTING MATTESON. MATTESON CURRENTLY LIVES IN TACK ROOM NUMBER TWO, BARN NUMBER THREE AT HOLLYWOOD RACE TRACK.

THE BOOKS ORDERED BY SIRHAN WERE, ACCORDING TO LACSO,
"SECRET DOCTRINE" BY H. P. BLAVATSKY AND "TALKS AT THE FEET OF
THE MASTER" BY C. W. LEDBETTER.

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Memorandum

TO

Mr. DeLoach

FROM

T. E. Bishop

SUBJECT:

EILEEN SHANAHAN

REPORTER

NEW YORK TIMES

DATE: 6/6/68

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This is to record as a matter of information the details concerning a telephone call which I received from the above-captioned individual at my home late last evening concerning the "Kensalt case," the case involving the assassination of Senator Robert F. Kennedy. Miss Shanahan, who was not previously known to me, in a very demanding, overbearing manner, advised me that during a press conference which Chief of Police Thomas Reddin of Los Angeles had on 6/5/68, he had made a statement to the effect that the Los Angeles police had checked with the FBI in Washington concerning possible membership of Sirhan Sirhan (the accused assassin) in any "subversive organizations." She also advised that Reddin had stated that a similar request had been made to the FBI concerning possible membership of Sirhan Sirhan in any "nationalist groups."

In a very demanding manner, Miss Shanahan stated she wished to know what information the FBI had in its files concerning possible membership of Sirhan Sirhan in such groups. I, naturally, told her I could not comment on this. She then demanded to know if the FBI maintains files on "nationalist groups" and if the FBI considers such groups as subversive. It was obvious from the manner in which she put her question that she did not feel that "nationalist groups" of any kind should be considered subversive and that she did not feel the FBI had any right in maintaining files on such groups. In answer to her question, I again told her that I could not comment. She then stated that she wished to have the comments of the FBI regarding the quality of the protection being given to Sirhan Sirhan by Los Angeles authorities. Again I told her that the FBI could not comment on this matter.

At this point, she became extremely abusive to me and berated me for my lack of cooperation with a press reporter stating that if I was acting as the "spokesman for the FBI," I certainly was not being very cooperative with the press because I had given her none of the information

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she desired. Frankly, her attitude toward me was such that had she been a male, I would have replied unkindly. Instead, I attempted to be as polite in my conversation with her as I could in spite of her abusiveness.

You have advised me that you received a subsequent call from Miss Shanahan at your home after she completed her conversation with me during which she asked you to comment on the same things as she had asked me and you also advised her you had no comment to make. You have also advised me that she complained to you about my lack of cooperation with her.

As you are aware, it would not be proper for the FBI to comment on any of the questions which she posed to me. I got the definite impression that she and the "New York Times" felt that the FBI had no right to maintain files on "nationalist groups" of any type and my "no comment" replies to her frustrated her in her apparent attempt to write a story which would have criticized the FBI for maintaining such files. This is typical of the slanted news coverage which the "New York Times" gives to any story which in any way involves the FBI. We will continue in this office to be extremely circumspect in all our dealings with representatives of this newspaper.

RECOMMENDATION:

None. For information.

This woman is an obnoxious

Properly handled EB

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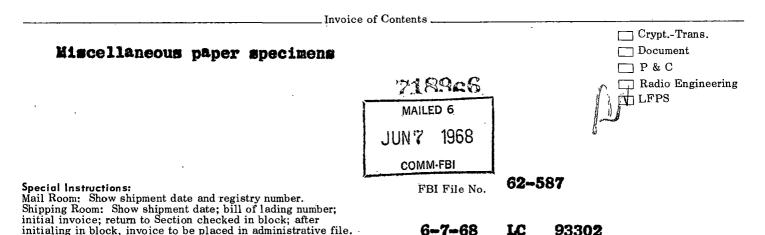
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