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Mrs. SIRHAN indicated that he had lived with a group of boys and girls during the time that he was away from home. She identified the neighbors who related this to her as Mrs. WENSINK, 804 East Howard Street, Pasadena, California. She related that DAVID HENDRICKSON formerly resided at 681 East Howard until approximately two years ago, and they had moved to 612 Coleman, Pasadena, California. Their children were younger than the members of the SIRHAN family, however, she did occasionally see the members of the SIRHAN family playing ball with the son of DAVID HENDRICKSON who is graduating from John Muir High School at this time. She had no information concerning the employment or acquaintances of SIRHAN SIRHAN and was not familiar with his most recent day to day activity.

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Mrs GABRIELA BREA, 687 East Howard Street, Pasadena, California, advised that she has resided at that address for about a year and one half. She is aware that a family, whom they describe as an Arab family, reside across the street from the residence. She is not acquainted with any member of the family but would recognize the mother of the family. She also was aware of several male individuals residing at the address, however, she did not know them by their individual names. She identified a Los Angeles Police Department photograph, dated June 5, 1968, with Booking Number 495139, SIRHAN SIRHAN, as one of the individuals residing across the street from her. She had no information concerning this individual's employment, acquaintances or his recent activities.

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JOSE BREA, 681 East Howard Street, furnished the following information:

He and his wife, GABRIELA, have resided at that address for approximately one and one half years. They were not acquainted with the SIRHAN family residing across the street from them. He and his family did not know the name of the SIRHANS until reading about it in the newspapers. They had referred to the family as the Arab family residing across the street. They knew the mother of the family by sight, however, they did not know all of the male individuals who resided in the same residence.

He identified the individual in the Los Angeles Police Department photograph taken June 5, 1968, under Booking Number 495139 as one of the individuals residing in the residence across the street from him. He had no information concerning the employment or acquaintances of this individual. He had no information concerning the recent activities of the individual.

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Mr. GEORGE ANTHONY FAURE, 1540 El Molino,
Pasadena, furnished the following information:

He and his wife, IRMA FAURE, have been residents at that address for approximately four years. They were acquainted with Mrs. MARY SIRHAN who resided across the street from them. He was not acquainted with the members of the SIRHAN family but believed the family consisted of four or five young men, and he saw them coming and going on many occasions during the time they have resided there. He did not know the names of the individual family members. He did not know where any of the family members worked and had no knowledge of their recent activity. He believed that a Mr. DANNY BEDELIAN who occupies a house attached to a former grocery store at 1525 North El Molino was acquainted with SIRHAN SIRHAN, whose photograph he recognized in the newspapers as one of the individuals residing with Mrs. MARY SIRHAN, and their acquaintanceship extended over several years. He believed that BEDELIAN spoke Syrian or Arabic language and could converse with SIRHAN in that language. He did not know any other acquaintances of SIRHAN SIRHAN.

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On June 5, 1968, JAMES EDWARD BURN, Associate Pastor, Community Methodist Church, 918 West Avenue J, Lancaster, California, telephone number 942-0419, stated he presently resides at 214 East Nugent, Lancaster, telephone 942-4050.

BURN said he was formerly a Baptist Pastor and served as Associate Pastor under Pastor CHARLES BELL, First Baptist Church of Pasadena, 75 North Morengo Avenue, Pasadena. He resided at 743 East Howard Street, Pasadena, from about 1960 - 1965, during which time he was acquainted with the SIRHAN family.

BURN stated to the best of his recollection, Mrs. MARY SIRHAN and her children came to the United States from Jerusalem in about 1960. The father, name unknown, remained in Jerusalem as he and MARY apparently had marital problems. BURN said the only sons he can recall were named SAIDALLAH, SHARIF, and the younger son SIRHAN. He said he believes there was a daughter who came to the United States with them but he is not certain of her name. It may have been MARY, however, she did not reside with the family in Pasadena.

BURN said he knew the family through his church, as the mother was a member and faithful in church attendance. He also saw them in the neighborhood as the SIRHAN family resided at 1647 North Lake and later at 696 East Howard, which was near his own residence.

During the time he knew SIRHAN SIRHAN, he had several talks with him regarding belief in God. SIRHAN appeared to be a very intense atheist and could see no logical reason to believe in God. BURN stated SIRHAN also attended John Muir High School, Pasadena, during that period and was about a sophomore. He appeared to be very close to one of the high school teachers who furnished him with a great deal of literature to substantiate his beliefs in atheism. BURN said he does not know the name of this teacher but recalls that SIRHAN considered him an authority on almost all subjects

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and perhaps associated with him as a substitute for his father. He said at the time he attempted to communicate with SIRHAN, he felt SIRHAN was receiving adult orientation, as many of his arguments were those used by adults.

BURN said the boys all seem to have a bitter attitude toward life, with the feeling that the world owed them a living. This was due in part to the resentment they had for their father who did not come with them to the United States.

He advised further that he did not recall any of the boys belonging to any organizations in the community. SIRHAN may have been a member of some club, but it would have been connected with John Muir High School.

BURN said the mother was employed by the Westminster Presbyterian Church near their residence. She worked in child care with the pre-school children. SHARIF SIRHAN was employed off and on as a painter and he said he cannot recall where SAIDALLAH was employed.

The SIRHAN family were close friends with the (First name unknown) MOKHTARIAN family who resided near them on Elizabeth Street in Pasadena. BURN said he believes the two families were related in some manner.