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Information was received from the Oklahoma City Office that on April 4, 1969, DON WISE was re-interviewed at Bristow, Oklahoma:

WISE stated that he was positive that he picked up the individual he believed to be SIRHAN SIRHAN at about 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, June 1, 1968. Mr. WISE was shown the chart setting forth the activities of SIRHAN B. SIRHAN which indicates that he was in Los Angeles, California, at 1:00 p.m. on June 1, 1968. Mr. WISE stated that he is positive of the date and noted that it would be impossible for the person to be both places. Mr. WISE commented at this point that he had never seen a photograph of SIRHAN SIRHAN.

WISE was re-interviewed on April 8, 1969, at which time he was shown a photograph of SIRHAN B. SIRHAN. Mr. WISE stated that while the photograph looked somewhat like the individual he picked up could not have been SIRHAN SIRHAN. Mr. WISE pointed out that the person he picked up was definitely over 5'6 $\frac{1}{2}$ " in height, and noted that SIRHAN SIRHAN is only 5'3". Mr. WISE further noted that in view of the difference in height and the fact that SIRHAN was definitely placed in Los Angeles on the day he picked up the individual, he felt he must have been mistaken as to the identity of the hitchhiker.

On April 8, 1969, the photograph of SIRHAN B. SIRHAN was shown to Mrs. DON WISE at which time she advised this individual looked somewhat like the person she and her husband had picked up but noted that she could not say whether or not they were identical. Mrs. WISE noted that the person that they picked up definitely was taller than 5'6". Mrs. WISE stated she feels that she and her husband were mistaken as to the identity of the individual that they picked up and noted they were both extremely shocked at the death of ROBERT KENNEDY and may have let their imaginations get the better of their judgement.

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The office of Senator EDWARD KENNEDY turned over to the United States Secret Service two letters that were written in June of 1968 and had been received by Mrs. ETHEL KENNEDY.

One letter was signed PATRICIA WELLS, 9521 East Avenue J, Houston, Texas and a true copy of this letter is set forth below:

TRUE COPY

Mrs. Kennedy,

I am deeply sorry about your husbands death. I don't know if you will get this letter or not but if you do if I were you I would sleep on what I'm going to tell you. I have reasons to say that the death of your husband and our late President John F. Kennedy was very carefully planned by the same man which is right under your nose. It seems to me that the police aren't going into it as they should. Also the police don't realize that it could be someone that acted as your friend. If I were you I would have it looked into, not by the police but by someone unknown and wouldn't be noticed bying nossey. This is all I can write for now, if you would like more information please write me my address is:

Patricia Wells
9521 East. Ave. J.
Houston, Texas 77012

You may think that this is a crank but believe me it isn't a crank. This is no time for cranks. Maybe I'm wrong for telling you this information but I just can't keep it on my mind any longer. Please believe me for what I have told you in the name of god believe me!!

Yours truly,

Patricia Wells

/s/

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The other letter directed to Mrs. KENNEDY was signed by a Mrs. A. WANTUCK, 412 South Hoover Street, Los Angeles indicated that she was ready to release the name and address of an individual who had spoken in a discouraging way against Senator KENNEDY.

The following information concerning PATRICIA WELLS was developed by the Houston Office of the FBI:

██████████ 9521 East Avenue J, Houston, Texas
on January 28, 1969 advised a Special Agent of the FBI that
she is sixteen years of age. She was born on October 4, 1952
at Mobile, Alabama.

She stated that she does not know any member of
the family of the late Senator Robert F. Kennedy or the
late President John F. Kennedy. She advised that she has
never even seen any member of the Kennedy family nor has she
ever had any communication or correspondence with them.

██████████ said that she did not write or
type a letter to Mrs. Robert F. Kennedy in June, 1968 or
at any other time. She said that if such a letter were
written it was not by her and she suggested that perhaps
some school acquaintance may have written such a letter
using her name and address as a joke. She said that she was
very much embarrassed by such a thing and regretted the
necessity to look into the matter.

██████████ said that she has a portable type-
writer which she has loaned out on numerous occasions. She
said that many people have had access to the typewriter
which may have been used to write a letter to Mrs. Kennedy.
She said that she has no idea who may have done such a thing
and that she considers it a "poor joke".

The following physical description of [REDACTED] was obtained through observation and interview:

Sex	Female
Race	White
Date of birth	October 4, 1952 at Mobile, Alabama
Age	16
Height	5'6"
Weight	110 lbs.
Hair	Black, worn long
Eyes	Brown
Complexion	Fair
Build	Slender
Characteristics	Wears glasses, quiet personality
Marital status	Single
Residence	9521 East Avenue J, Houston, Texas
Employment	Student - Milby High School, Houston, Texas

Mrs. Lois Grube, 9521 East Avenue J, Houston, Texas, advised on January 28, 1969 that she has a sixteen-year-old daughter, [REDACTED], who lives at that address. Mrs. Grube said that she was certain that her daughter, [REDACTED] had never written a letter to the family of the late Senator Robert F. Kennedy. Mrs. Grube said that [REDACTED] was born on October 4, 1952 at Mobile, Alabama and is presently a student at Milby High School, Houston, Texas. She said that [REDACTED] owns a portable typewriter, brand unknown, which was purchased sometime ago from a Western Auto Store in Houston. The typewriter is kept at the residence of Hazel Cravey, 7817 Detroit Street, Apartment 12, Houston, Texas, who is the aunt of [REDACTED]. Mrs. Grube said that [REDACTED] stays with her aunt a considerable amount of time since Mrs. Grube is employed cleaning up new houses and is gone from home most of the time. Mrs. Grube said she has several children and they all have had access to the typewriter. [REDACTED] has loaned the typewriter to numerous friends on several occasions. Mrs. Grube said that she is certain that [REDACTED] does not have the imagination or drive to write a letter to the Kennedy family, none of whom she has ever seen.

Mrs. Grube said she is not living with her present husband who has three children of his own. She suggested that possibly someone else wrote a letter to the Kennedy family and signed [REDACTED] name as a joke. She said that if she obtains any information concerning the letter she will make the information available.

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The following information was developed concerning Mrs. A. WANTUCK and the individual concerning whom she spoke in her letter:

On January 13, 1969, Mrs. Victor Wantuck, 412 South Hoover Street, Los Angeles, California, was interviewed by a Special Agent of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) with regard to the letter she wrote to Mrs. Ethel Kennedy on June 5, 1968, stating she possessed information concerning the shooting of Senator Robert F. Kennedy.

Mrs. Wantuck advised she wrote a letter to Mrs. Ethel Kennedy immediately after Senator Kennedy's death. Mrs. Wantuck said she felt there might be more persons involved in the shooting of Senator Kennedy than just Sirhan B. Sirhan.

Mrs. Wantuck advised that she was not making any accusations, but that there was a woman by the name of Arends residing on Occidental Street, Los Angeles, who worked for the Republican Party, who had said that Senator Kennedy would be shot before he could be elected President of the United States.

On January 13, 1969, Ethel May Arends, Apartment 8, 403 South Occidental Street, Los Angeles, California, was interviewed by a Special Agent of the FBI.

Mrs. Arends advised that she is the manager of the apartment house at 403 South Occidental Street. She said that she is very active in the Republican Party. She advised she possessed no information concerning any plot to kill Senator Robert Kennedy. She advised that she might have mentioned something to the effect that, in view of the assassinations of President John F. Kennedy and Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Senator Kennedy would be lucky to live long enough to take office as President in the event he were elected.

Mrs. Arends said she was very much upset over the murder of Senator Robert Kennedy. She said she could furnish

no information concerning Sirhan B. Sirhan, the accused slayer of Senator Robert Kennedy.

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Investigation developed information that STUS PRUSZYNSKI was present at the Ambassador Hotel, Los Angeles when Senator KENNEDY was assassinated.

The Royal Canadian Mounted Police informed that PRUSZYNSKI was interviewed on February 4, 1969 at Montreal, Quebec, Canada and at that time advised that he was a reporter assigned to the Senator KENNEDY campaign by Harper and Row, LTD., Publishers, London, W.C.I. He was only a short distance from KENNEDY at the time of the assault but pointed out, however, that he did not witness the assault.

He made a tape recording of the commotion and reaction of the crowd immediately subsequent to the assault which he made available.

A copy of the tape recording was forwarded to the FBI Laboratory for examination.

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Title: SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN

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Synopsis:

The trial of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN continued at Los Angeles County Superior Court, Number 107, State of California, during February 1969. On 2/13/69, opening arguments were made by prosecution attorney. Defense Attorney EMILE ZOLA BERMAN made his opening statements on 2/14/69, and the first four witnesses testified to the shooting. Trial continued and on 2/26/69, the prosecution rested its case. The defense opened its case on 2/28/69. Trial continued and on 4/8/69, both prosecution and defense rested their cases. On 4/14/69, the case was sent to the jury for deliberation. The jury returned a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree against SIRHAN, and also found him guilty of assault with a dangerous weapon with intent to commit murder on five other counts in the indictment. On 4/23/69, after a separate penalty trial, the jury returned a verdict of death for SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN. On 5/21/69, SIRHAN was formally sentenced to death, and ordered remanded to San Quentin Prison. SIRHAN was sentenced to the term prescribed by law in the remaining charges against him. Background information concerning SIRHAN set forth, including interviews of fellow students, fellow workers, and information concerning brothers of SIRHAN including SAIDALLAH, SHARIF, MUNIR, and ADEL. Additional interviews conducted of persons in area of shooting including hotel employee, campaign

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workers, student supporter, and press representative. Additional investigation conducted concerning KHAIBAR KHAN and members of his family concerning their alleged contact with SIRHAN. No further information developed concerning radio broadcast of shooting of Senator KENNEDY prior to his actual shooting. Miscellaneous information regarding investigation of the assassination of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY set forth.

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DETAILS:

PROSECUTIVE ACTION CONCERNING
SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN

On February 4, 1969, trial of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN was resumed at Los Angeles County Superior Court. Court proceedings consisted of efforts on the part of the defense to support the motion for dismissal of the Grand Jury indictment concerning SIRHAN. SIRHAN and his mother MARY SIRHAN, both testified concerning their economic status. Judge HERBERT B. WALKER denied the defense motion.

On February 5, 1969, efforts were made by both the prosecution and the defense to select alternate jurors to serve for this trial.

The twelve jurors previously selected were sworn in but will not be sequestered until the six alternate jurors are selected.

On February 11, 1969, selection of all jurors was completed and further proceedings were continued until February 13, 1969.

Defense Attorney, GRANT B. COOPER, on February 13, 1969, made a motion for a mistrial in this matter based on recent articles appearing in the local press that SIRHAN might be considering a change of plea to guilty. All members of the jury including the six alternate members were individually examined in the Judge's chambers relative to the effect that this publicity might have had on them. Following the examination of the jurors, Judge WALKER denied the motion for a mistrial.

Los Angeles County Deputy District Attorney, DAVID FITTS then made the opening statements to the court on behalf of the prosecution attorneys.

Defense Attorney, EMILE ZOLA BERMAN presented the opening arguments for the defense on February 14, 1969, and the first four witnesses to appear in this case testified. These included employees of the Ambassador who were employed on the night that Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY was shot.

The defense attorney at the beginning of the court session on February 20, 1969, again moved for a mistrial based on local press accounts that SIRHAN was willing to plead guilty to a first degree murder charge if he could be assured of a sentence of life imprisonment rather than death. These proceedings took place in the Judge's chambers but apparently the story leaked to the local press and at the afternoon recess, Judge WALKER made available copies of transcripts concerning proceedings in chambers on that morning so that all press representatives would have the same information.

During the court session on February 25, 1969, the prosecution moved to admit as evidence in this trial the diary and other papers of SIRHAN that were obtained in a search of SIRHAN's residence on June 5, 1968. The defense objected to the admission into evidence of these papers and Judge WALKER overruled their objection and permitted their entry. Just prior to the noon recess, SIRHAN stood up in court and stated "your Honor, it is not admitted into evidence yet". SIRHAN's outburst was related to testimony then being given by LAURENCE SLOAN, Examiner of questioned documents for the Los Angeles County District Attorney's Office.

On February 26, 1969, the prosecution rested the case and the jury was given copies of SIRHAN's notebooks which had been admitted into evidence. Court proceedings were continued until February 28, 1969.

The defense opened it's case at the court session on February 28, 1969 and during the afternoon session while a witness from the Pasadena School system was testifying concerning the academic record of SIRHAN, SIRHAN stood up in court and addressed the Judge. His attorney seated him, requested permission to approach the bench and the jury was excused. SIRHAN requested permission to speak and indicated a desire to change his plea to guilty to murder in the first degree. SIRHAN also requested to be executed and to disassociate himself from his present staff of defense attorneys. In response to a question from the Judge, SIRHAN indicated that he had willfully killed Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY after 20 years of premeditated malice and forethought.

SIRHAN insisted that he be allowed to represent himself and the Judge declared him incompetent to defend himself. The Judge ruled that the trial would continue and he admonished SIRHAN that if there were further outbursts of this nature, he would be physically restrained in the court.

When court reconvened, defense Attorney GRANT COOPER, speaking for himself and the other defense counsels, made a motion that all defense attorneys be disassociated from the case due to differences of opinion between themselves, and SIRHAN as to the proper conduct of the trial. This motion was denied by the Judge and trial was ordered to proceed.

During the court session on March 6, 1969, while SIRHAN was testifying as a witness, the defense attorney, after conference with the prosecution and the Judge, read the entire transcript to the court, including the jury of the events that occurred during SIRHAN's outbursts in the court session on February 28, 1969. SIRHAN was then excused as a witness.

Judge WALKER at the opening of the court session of March 7, 1969, advised the jury that in determining the guilt or innocence of SIRHAN to disregard the testimony given on March 6, 1969 regarding the statements made by SIRHAN at the court session on February 28, 1969, while the jury was absent. Prosecution Attorney, DAVID FITTS made a statement to the court that he considered the Judge's instructions in error and felt that the jury should be able to consider the statements in anyway that they wished. The Judge concurred with the prosecution, and defense continued with the presentation of defense witnesses.

During the court session of March 28, 1969, it was announced that one of the regular jurors had been taken ill during the night and an alternate juror was selected to replace the regular juror.

On April 8, 1969, both the defense and prosecution attorneys rested their case. Closing arguments were made at the court session following April 8, 1969 and on April 14, 1969, Judge WALKER read the instructions to the jury and the case was sent to the jury for deliberation at 3:00 p.m. on this date.

On April 17, 1969, the jury returned a verdict in this case finding SIRHAN guilty of murder in the first degree on count one of the indictment. On the remainder of the five counts, SIRHAN was found guilty of assault with a dangerous weapon with intent to commit murder. The penalty trial to determine the possibility of the death sentence was scheduled to begin on April 21, 1969.

On April 23, 1969, the jury in the trial of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN, returned a verdict of death for SIRHAN. Further hearings in this matter were continued until May 21, 1969.

On May 21, 1969, defense Attorney GRANT COOPER, presented arguments for a motion for a new trial for SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN. The motion for a new trial was based on 13 points of alleged court errors in the trial of SIRHAN. The motion for the new trial was denied by Judge WALKER on all 13 points which had been specified by the defense.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN WIRIN and FRED OKRAND of the American Civil Liberties Union joined defense attorney's argument for a hearing on the constitutionality of the death penalty. The request for this hearing was denied by the Judge.

Prior to the arguments concerning a motion for a new trial, Los Angeles District Attorney EVELLE J. YOUNGER, presented a letter he had received from Senator EDWARD KENNEDY requesting clemency for SIRHAN.

After the motion for a new trial was denied, Judge WALKER formally sentenced SIRHAN to death and ordered him remanded to San Quentin Prison within ten days. The Judge pronounced that the findings of the jury were correct in this

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case. SIRHAN was also sentenced to the term prescribed by law on each of the five counts of assault with a dangerous weapon with intent to commit murder in connection with the five individuals who were wounded at the Ambassador Hotel on the night that Senator KENNEDY was shot.

On May 3, 1969, an article appeared in the "Los Angeles Times" which advised that GEORGE E. SHIBLEY, a Long Beach Attorney, announced that he would be joined by LUKE MC KISSACK, a Hollywood Attorney, and [REDACTED] in assuming responsibility for SHIRHAN's appeals.

The article stated that the three attorneys who represented SIRHAN in his trial would serve in the capacity of "counsels" to the three new attorneys. SHIBLEY indicated in this article that the change was made at the request of the SIRHAN family as they wished to have a defense team of attorneys with a background of Palestinian affairs. The article stated that SHIBLEY and [REDACTED] are of Lebanese ancestry, although both were born in the United States.

[REDACTED] was present in Los Angeles during the trial of SIRHAN.

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BACKGROUND INFORMATION
CONCERNING SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN

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Date 3/5/69

LAWRENCE D. SOMMERVILLE, a student at Pasadena City College, who resides at 1863 Elvado Avenue, Arcadia, California, telephone 355-8395, advised that on the evening of June 4, 1968, probably before 6:00 p.m., he saw SIRHAN B. SIRHAN on the steps leading from the student center to the "C" Building at Pasadena City College. It appeared, SOMMERVILLE said, that SIRHAN was exiting the college as SOMMERVILLE was entering. There were two or three other males walking about the same pace as SIRHAN, but SOMMERVILLE could not state whether or not they were actually in his company.

SOMMERVILLE waved to SIRHAN and spoke his name. SIRHAN waved back and passed on.

SOMMERVILLE had known SIRHAN since junior high school when both were in attendance at Elliott Junior High School and again at John Muir High School in Pasadena, however, SOMMERVILLE said he never had more than possibly one class with SIRHAN and this would have been in junior high school. He doubts that SIRHAN would know his name. He has never been in the SIRHAN home, nor has SIRHAN been in his home. SOMMERVILLE stated that they knew each other by sight only and would greet each other when they met, usually by a wave. SOMMERVILLE stated he had no information of consequence regarding SIRHAN and no information whatsoever concerning his political attitudes and beliefs.

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On 3/4/69 at Arcadia, California File # Los Angeles 56-156
by SA PHILIP J. REILLY/lmt Date dictated 3/4/69

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Informants Name:

Business Address & Phone:

GOEL, Mohan

1730 Centinela, Inglewood 776-3244

Residence & Phone:

1122 W. 30th St., L. A. 748-4286

Investigator Receiving Info:

Date & Time Received:

HERNANDEZ, E. 7101

6-14-68 11:45 AM

INFORMATION:

Above party was interviewed at his residence. States that he attended Pasadena City College with suspect SIRHAN SIRHAN. Stated that both were members of the International Club which is composed of approximately 150 foreign students. Also, used to see SIRHAN at Santa Anita Race Track periodically. Last time he saw SIRHAN was during the months of January or February of 1968. Had conversation with SIRHAN relative to SIRHAN's accident at the track. SIRHAN stated he felt well, but was suing the "people". GOEL states that in his opinion SIRHAN looked or acted no different than when he used to attend school with him.

ASSIGNED TO: HERNANDEZ, E. , STRONG and SANDLIN

ACTION TAKEN - RESULTS:

Interview taken.

The above party was interviewed in his residence 1122 W. 30th St. on 6-14-68. Persons present at time of the interview were Sgts. E. Hernandez # 7101, L. Sandlin and Strong. The purpose of the interview was to determine if Mr. GOEL had any knowledge or information that might possibly be relevant to the SENATOR KENNEDY INVESTIGATION.

STATEMENT

I met SIRHAN SIRHAN during the early part of 1963 at Pasadena City College. He and myself were foreign students attending school there during this time.

Date/Time Completed:

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By:

[Signature]

which was somewhere around a period of about 1½ years I had many conversations with SIRHAN. We both belonged to the PASADENA CITY COLLEGE INTERNATIONAL CLUB. The club was composed of about 150 foreign students. I would say that from my own personal observations SIRHAN's best friend was another Arabic student by the name of MOHAMAD (M-Arabic-Tall-Good looking-Fair complexed).

As far as any of the teaching Staff knowing SIRHAN, I believe that there was a member of the Political Science program that I believe knew SIRHAN quite well (M-C, has only one eye-wears artificial eye and glasses). I do remember that MISS NICELY who is the head of the International Students talked with SIRHAN and so did MR. RUDE from the ENGLISH DEPT. MISS ELDER also was the Foreign students English teacher and talked with SIRHAN.

Socially I did not know SIRHAN too well. I know that he did not drink liquor and I believe that he was a MOSLEM. He never told me this, but this is what I believe. I also believe that his friend MOHAMAD was a Moslem.. SIRHAN was a heavy better at the race track. I know that he used to go to SANTA ANITA a lot. I myself go to Santa Anita but not as much as he did, every time that I did go, I used to see SIRHAN there. He used to make big bets 60-80 dollars on a race. One time when we were at Santa Anita a middle aged woman gave him a good tip on a horse and he gave me the tip, the horse came in and he made a lot of money on his bet.

No, SIRHAN did not have any girl friends that I know of, he was a very quiet type of man and the only time that I remember him talking to any girls was during our meetings at the International Club. I remember seeing him talking to a girl by the name of "SUZIE" and another girl by the name of "SHARON" but I don't remember their last names. But to my knowledge he didn't have an girl friends and I never saw him with a girl.

No, I truthfully can't say where SIRHAN got his money. I remember that at one time he was working in a gasoline station in Pasadena. After he left school somewhere around the middle of 1964 I believe, I think it was 1964, anyway I heard that he was working horses in Del Mar. I think that his brother the one that wears a beard and works at the FEZ as a musician got him the job in Del Mar. His brother is a much bigger better than SIRHAN was, and I think that he is the one that told me that SIRHAN was working in Del Mar and that he had had an accident.

When I saw SIRHAN at Santa Anita in February or January of this year I told him that I had heard about his accident, I asked him how he was feeling and he told me that everything was alright. He was real happy. He told me he felt fine but that he was suing those people and that he was going to get some money from them.

Yes, during the time that I knew SIRHAN he had two cars first he had a 1952 or 1953 black cadillac and then the last car that he had was a real big one, it was a huge reddish DeSoto but I am not sure of the year. Once or twice he drove me home when I was walking from school.

To my knowledge SIRHAN didn't return back to Jordan or anywhere that I

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GOEL, Mohan report

know of. I remember seeing him in the track in Santa Anita during 1964 and 1965.

Well Politically I know that SIRHAN was very much against the Jewish people. He hated the Jews. In fact he stated to me many times that he was for Hitler and the way that he handled the Jews. He used to say that couldn't understand the Americans, that they let the Jews suck the blood of the nation and keep putting the money in the banks, and the Americans let them get away with it.

SIRHAN was usually very quiet, he used no profanity, except sometimes he used to swear in Arabic. Once a man spilled some coffee on his brother in a restaurant in Hollywood and SIRHAN called him a Mother Fucker in Arabic. But most of the time he was polite, helpful and quiet but he was very much Anti Jew.

No, I never myself heard SIRHAN mention KENNEDY.

E. Hernandez #7101
L. Sandlin #3255
T. Strong #

Informants Name:

Mohan Goel

Business Address & Phone:

Residence & Phone:

825 Victor St Inglewood, Cal 677-4000

Investigator Receiving Info:

Dandlin

Date & Time Received:

7-11-68 1:50 PM

INFORMATION:

Suppl. Info.

Subject reported above new address & Tel #

ASSIGNED TO:

ACTION TAKEN - RESULTS:

M.S.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date 4/5/69

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HENRY RONALD RAMISTELLA, 737 Carew Street,
Springfield, Massachusetts, advised as follows:

He is a former horse trainer and jockey who was disbarred because of some trouble he got into a number of years ago. Because he was barred from the race tracks he travelled to California where he sought work as a horse trainer under the name FRANK RUMMA. Using this name he was employed by Mr. BERT ALTFILLISCH who is the owner of the Granja Vista Del Rio Farms. He was so employed for approximately two years ending early in 1968 or in the end of 1967. While employed by Mr. ALTFILLISCH he hired SIRHAN SIRHAN as an exercise boy and a jockey trainee. SIRHAN was known to him and to all the other workers as SOL, however, his true name, SIRHAN, appeared on his pay check.

SIRHAN had been employed for about a year when RAMISTELLA referred him to R.L. "BOB" WHEELER. However, approximately two months later SIRHAN returned to the Del Rio Farms and stated that BOB WHEELER had told him he was not ready to become a jockey. SIRHAN worked for approximately a month after returning to the ranch and then quit after he was unable to obtain a raise or shorter hours. This was approximately one year before Mr. RAMISTELLA heard that he had been arrested for shooting Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY.

SIRHAN had advised RAMISTELLA that he had studied to be an ambassador for his old country noting that SIRHAN was an immigrant to the United States. RAMISTELLA feels that SIRHAN would have been well suited for this type occupation as he was exceedingly polite and appeared well educated.

He described SIRHAN as being a "loner" who had few friends and who used to go without meals in order to save his pay check. SIRHAN was very meek and had no "nerve." SIRHAN was generally afraid of horses and lacked the nerve to become a jockey.

RAMISTELLA states that he and several others were watching SIRHAN run one of the horses at the time SIRHAN fell from the horse. RAMISTELLA noted that this fall had

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On 4/4/69 at Springfield, Massachusetts File # BOSTON 44-645

by SA MICHAEL W. STUART/car Date dictated 4/5/69

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been subsequently publicized in recent newspaper and television accounts from Los Angeles. He noted that at the time SIRHAN was running the horse it was extremely foggy and SIRHAN apparently lost his bearings and ran the horse into one of the fences almost directly in front of him, RAMISTELLA, and the other onlookers. RAMISTELLA, because of the fog, did not actually see SIRHAN fall from the horse but heard the accident and ran to where SIRHAN was laying. SIRHAN was very much shaken by the accident and was taken to the local hospital for treatment. The hospital found nothing wrong, however, and released him the next day. RAMISTELLA had an occasion to observe SIRHAN for some time following this accident and noted that his behavior was, apparently, no different from his behavior before the accident. SIRHAN did not complain of any ill effects following the accident to RAMISTELLA or to anyone else in RAMISTELLA's knowledge.

RAMISTELLA has no knowledge of SIRHAN's political views. He states that SIRHAN argued with two Hungarians that were employed at the ranch about politics and Communists, however, the discussion took place in a language not familiar to RAMISTELLA and he has no idea what the argument concerned. He could identify one of the Hungarians only as JOHN and states that Mr. ALTFILLISCH could possibly be able to identify these two individuals.

LA 56-156

RE: FAMILY OF SHIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN
SAIDALLAH B. SIRHAN

On the eveing of March 27, 1969, SAIDALLAH B. SIRHAN was struck by an automobile driven by a MURRAY ALLEN WILLIAMS, a student at Pasadena City College. This accident occurred on Lake Street in Pasadena and WILLIAMS was driving a 1969 Volkswagen which struck SAIDALLAH B. SIRHAN who was a pedestrian. SAIDALLAH was injured rather seriously and taken to St. Luke's Hospital in Pasadena.

Set forth is the Pasadena Police Department Traffic Collision report:

**Pasadena Police Department
TRAFFIC COLLISION REPORT**

Case Number
598 531

LOCATION OCCURRED		At Intersection		Between		and	
HOLARD ST. & LAKE AVE.							
TYPE OF COLLISION				Hit and Run		City Prop. Damage	
AUTO-PEDESTRIAN				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
Severity		Killed	Injured	Arrested Party		Charge	Booking Number
A		0	1	NONE			
PARTY A (DRIVER) MR.				Address		City	Residence Phone
WILLIAMS, MURRAY ALLEN				266 W. VENTURA ST.		ALTADENA	794-2522
Employed By				Address		City	Shift Worked
UNEMPLOYED (STUDENT P.C.C.)				---		---	---
How Involved		Going (Direction)		Estimated Speed		Legal Speed	Sex Race Age
DRIVER		SOUTH ON LAKE AVE.		30-35MPH		35MPH	M N 18
Vehicle Year		Make	Type	Color	Vehicle License Number	State	Year
1969		VOLKSWAGON	2-DR.	RED	YOM 047	CALIF.	1969
Driver's License Number		State		Type			
S122706		CALIF.		3			
Registered Owner				Address		City	Phone
WILLIAMS, VIVIAN ALLEN (MRS.)				SAME AS DRIVER		SAVE	SAVE
Vehicle Taken To		By	On Order of		Part of Vehicle Damaged		Extent
DRIVEN AWAY		DRIVER	---		DRIVER'S DOOR, LEFT SIDE		MODERATE
PARTY B (Mrs. Miss)				Address		City	Residence Phone
SIFMAN, SADALLAH B.				1659 N. LAKE AVE.		PASADENA	UNK.
Employed By				Address		City	Shift Worked
UNK.				---		---	---
How Involved		Going (Direction)		Estimated Speed		Legal Speed	Sex Race Age
PEDESTRIAN		EAST TO WEST IN CROSSWALK		---		---	M I 36
Vehicle Year		Make	Type	Color	Vehicle License Number	State	Year
N/A					---		
Registered Owner				Address		City	Phone
N/A				---		---	---
Vehicle Taken To		By	On Order of		Part of Vehicle Damaged		Extent
N/A			---		---		---
PARTY C (Mrs. Miss)				Address		City	Residence Phone
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Employed By				Address		City	Shift Worked
---				---		---	---
How Involved		Going (Direction)		Estimated Speed		Legal Speed	Sex Race Age
Vehicle Year		Make	Type	Color	Vehicle License Number	State	Year
Registered Owner				Address		City	Phone
Vehicle Taken To		By	On Order of		Part of Vehicle Damaged		Extent
WITNESSES (Name—Mrs., Miss)				Address		City	Sex Age Phone
1. HORN, THEODORE EARDON				2201 VIA CAMPO AVE.		MONTEBELLO	M 27 794-5827
2. ---							
PASSENGERS (Name—Mrs., Miss)				Address		City	Sex Age Vehicle Location
1. NONE							
2. ---							
3. ---							
4. ---							
Injured Was		Extent Injury		NOTE: See page 2 for Injury code			
Party	Passenger	K	A B C	Taken to (Hospital - Treated at Scene) by (City Ambulance, etc.)			
B			X	TO ST. LUKE'S BY EMERGENCY CENTER AMBULANCE. POSS. BASAL SKULL			
				FRACTURE & POSS. FRACTURE OF LOWER RIGHT LEG. X-RAYS TO BE TAKEN			
				TO DETERMINE IF ANY OTHER INJURY.			
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PATROL SERVICES-1				-18-		D.E. HYZY	P-721 3-27-69 8:15P
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Classification

Date of this report

Case number

AUTO-PEDESTRIAN TRAFFIC COLLISION

3-27-69

598 531

REFERENCE TO: HOWARD ST. & LAKE AVE.

The following is a statement of facts in re information obtained and recorded by the undersigned in an official police investigation, and is a part of an official Police Report on file in the Pasadena Police Department. This investigation included personal observations; the observations of other Police Officers and/or Officers from the California Highway Patrol, L.A. County Sheriff's Office, and _____; measurements, interviews with the parties to the traffic collision herein referred to, and interviews with all available witnesses who were reported to the undersigned at the time of this investigation.

As a result of these interviews it is believed that the following persons will testify as follows if called as witnesses:

1. PASADENA POLICE OFFICER D.E. HYZY: That he personally advised each party to this collision of his or her full and complete constitutional rights; that in his opinion each party understood them; and that each of them voluntarily waived those rights, and stated that he wished to make a statement concerning this collision without being represented by an attorney.
2. MR. THEODORE BARDON HOHN STATED THAT HE IS TWENTY SEVEN YEARS OF AGE AND IS EMPLOYED AS A TRAFFIC OFFICER FOR THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA HIGHWAY PATROL AT 2201 VIA COMPO AVE IN MONTEBELLO. THAT HE WAS OFF DUTY AND WAS AT THE ORANGE JULIUS STAND AT 1519 N. LAKE AVE, IN THE CITY OF PASADENA ON THE EVENING OF MARCH 27, 1969. THAT HE WAS SITTING IN THE OUTSIDE PATIO AREA FACING LAKE AVE. THAT HE OBSERVED A MALE PEDESTRIAN CROSSING THE STREET IN A MARKED CROSSWALK FROM EAST TO WEST ON LAKE AVE. THAT HE OBSERVED A VOLKSWAGON SOUTHBOUND ON LAKE AVE, IN THE NUMBER ONE TRAFFIC LANE, TRAVELING APPROXIMATELY 30 TO 35 MILES PER HOUR. THAT HE OBSERVED THAT THE PEDESTRIAN NOR THE DRIVER OF THE VW SAW EACH OTHER. THAT HE SAW THE VW STRIKE THE PEDESTRIAN IN THE MARKED CROSSWALK AND SAW THE VICTIM HURLED INTO THE AIR. THAT HE RAN TO AID THE VICTIM AND SAW THE DRIVER IMMEDIATELY PULL OVER TO THE SIDE OF THE ROAD, PARK HIS CAR AND COME BACK TO THE SCENE.
3. MR. SADALLAH B. SIRHAN (UNABLE TO ADVISE HIM OF HIS RIGHTS TO REMAIN SILENT OR QUESTION HIM DUE TO HIS CONDITION.)
4. MR. MURRAY ALLEN WILLIAMS: STATED THAT HE IS EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE AND LIVES AT 266 W. VENTURA ST. IN ALTADENA, CALIFORNIA. THAT HE WAS DRIVING A 1969 VOLKSWAGON SOUTHBOUND ON LAKE AVE IN THE CITY OF PASADENA ON THE EVENING OF MARCH 27, 1969. THAT HE WAS ON HIS WAY TO SCHOOL AT PASADENA CITY COLLEGE. THAT HE SAW NO ONE ON THE STREET UNTIL HE WAS AT THE CROSSWALK AT HOWARD & LAKE. THAT HE FIRST NOTICED THE PEDESTRIAN IN THE MARKED CROSSWALK, AND AT THAT TIME HE WAS UNABLE TO STOP AND STRUCK THE PEDESTRIAN. THAT HE STOPPED HIS VEHICLE AND CAME BACK TO THE SCENE. (SEE ATTACHED WRITTEN STATEMENT)

PHYSICAL EVIDENCE

KEY POINT WAS ESTABLISHED BY WITNESS HOHN POINTING OUT LOCATION. CTR OF THE VICTIM WAS 9' SOUTH OF THE SOUTHERN MOST PORTION OF THE CROSSWALK. NO SKID MARKS OR DEBRIS IN THE STREET. VICTIM WAS LYING WITH HIS HEAD IN A NORTHEASTERLY DIRECTION. DAMAGE TO THE VW CONSISTED OF A LARGE DENT IN THE DRIVER'S DOOR AND THE OUTSIDE REAR VIEW MIRROR TURNED DOWNWARD. PHOTOS # 55 & 56 TAKEN AT THE SCENE, & PHOTOS # 67 & 68 TAKEN LATER AT THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE VEHICLE INVOLVED SHOWING DAMAGE.

SUMMARY

DUE TO THE OBSERVATIONS AND STATEMENTS OF THE WITNESS AND STATEMENT OF DRIVER "A", AS WELL AS THE PHYSICAL EVIDENCE, IT IS REQUESTED THAT A COMPLAINT BE ISSUED AGAINST DRIVER "A", MURRAY WILLIAMS FOR VIOLATION OF C.V.C. 21950, FAILURE TO YIELD RIGHT OF WAY TO PEDESTRIAN IN A CROSSWALK.

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Officer - P. No.

D.E. HYZY P-721 3-27-69 11PM

ASSISTED BY
OFFS. MISCH & BROWN

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LOCATION

CASE NUMBER

HOWARD ST. + LAKE AVE

598 531

Contributing Circumstances (check one or more for each driver)

A B C
☐ ☐ ☐ Basic Speed
☐ ☐ ☐ Speed Too Fast
☒ ☐ ☐ Failed To Yield Right of Way
☐ ☐ ☐ Drove Left of Center
☐ ☐ ☐ Improper Overtaking

A B C
☐ ☐ ☐ Passed Stop Sign
☐ ☐ ☐ Disregarded Traffic Signal
☐ ☐ ☐ Followed Too Closely
☐ ☐ ☐ Made Improper Turn
☐ ☐ ☐ Other Improper Driving

A B C
☐ ☐ ☐ Inadequate Brakes
☐ ☐ ☐ Improper Lights
☐ ☐ ☐ Had Been Drinking

Kind of Locality (check one)

☒ Sub. ☐ Res. ☐ School

Road Surface (check one)

☒ Dry ☐ Wet ☐ Muddy ☐ Other

Weather (check one)

☒ Clear ☐ Raining ☐ Fog

Lighting Conditions (check one)

☐ Daylight ☐ Dusk-Dawn ☒ Dark

Traffic Control (check one or more)

☐ Tri-Light ☐ Stop Sign
☐ Yield Sign ☐ None ☒ Other X-WALK

Code for Injury

(Use only the most serious one in each space for injury)
 K—Dead before report made.

Driver Action (check one for each)

A B C
☒ ☐ ☐ Going Straight Ahead
☐ ☐ ☐ Make Right or Left Turn
☐ ☐ ☐ Slowing or Stopped in Lane
☐ ☐ ☐ Backing
☐ ☐ ☐ Making U Turn

☐ ☐ ☐ Parked
☐ ☐ ☐ Overtaking
☐ ☐ ☐ Changing Lanes
☐ ☐ ☐ Pulling from Curb
☐ ☐ ☐ Other

Pedestrian Action (check one)

☒ Crossing at Intersection—Marked
☐ Crossing at Intersection—Unmarked
☐ Crossing, Mid-Block
☐ Getting On or Off Vehicle
☐ Standing or Walking in Ry.

A—Visible signs of injury, as bleeding wound or distorted member; or had to be carried from scene

B—Other visible injury, as bruises, abrasions, swelling, limping, etc.

C—No visible injury but complaint of pain or momentary unconsciousness

O—No Indication of Injury

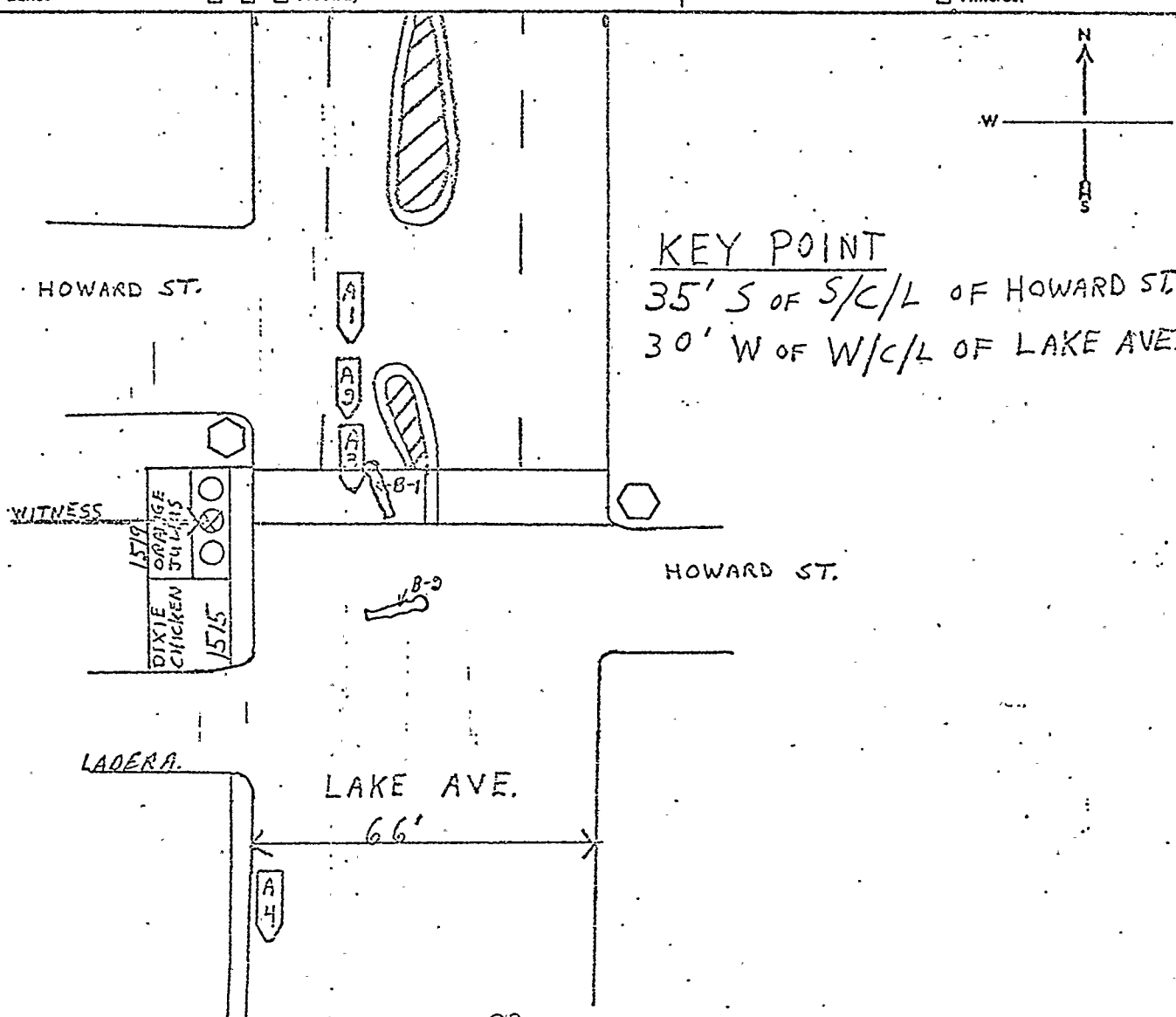
Road Type (check one or more)

A B C
☐ ☐ ☐ 1 Driving Lane
☒ ☐ ☐ 2 Driving Lanes
☐ ☐ ☐ 3 Driving Lanes

☐ ☐ ☐ 4 or More Lanes
☐ ☐ ☐ Divided Roadway
☐ ☐ ☐ Freeway

Road Character (check two)

☒ Straight Road ☒ On Grade
☐ Curve ☐ Level
☐ Hillcrest



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Investigator—Name

No.

Date

Time

D.E. H78Y P721 3-27-69 9:15

STATEMENT OF Jimmy McAllister

CASE NO.

HOME ADDRESS 266 W. Hutton

PHONE

7942522

BUS. ADDRESS Student P.C.C.

PHONE

CONNECTION
WITH CASE

I was driving south on Lake about 30-35 mph and suddenly a man was right beside my car. I realized that I had hit him and returned to the scene.

WITNESSED

Denny P. 791

DATE

3-27-69

SIGNED

Jimmy McAllister

city prosecutor

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LA 56-156

RE: SHARIF BISHARA SIRHAN

In the early morning hours of March 28, 1969, SHARIF BISHARA SIRHAN was driving to the hospital to see his brother, SAIDALLAH and was stopped in the 800 block of South Arroyo Parkway and given a traffic citation for excessive speed on the Pasadena freeway. The citation was issued by Officers of the California Highway Patrol.

A Pasadena City Police Officer was called to the scene and as SHARIF was loud at the scene of the citation, the Pasadena Officer followed him to the hospital where SHARIF created a disturbance in the emergency room of St. Luke Hospital and was charged with assault and disturbing the peace.

Set forth below is the Pasadena Police Department report concerning this incident:

CRIMES AGAINST PERSON

TOMA RAINES

FW43

598564

REPORT

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Classification:

PC 240 - ASSAULT

PC 415-DISTURBANCE

Weapons or Force Used (Describe) HAND AND ARM		LOCATION 2532 E. WASHINGTON BLVD. (ST. LUKES)	
Describe Injuries (Gun Shot - Stab, etc.) NO INJURIES		Date - Time - Day Occurred 3-28-69 3:05AM (FRIDAY)	Date - Time - Day Reported to P. D. 3-28-69 3:10AM
		Type of Property Taken (Money - Jewelry)	Value of Loss
Type of Location (Home - Bank, etc.) INTENSIVE CARE WARD OF CATHOLIC HOSPITAL			
Condition of Victim (HBD, Coop, etc.) UNHARMED - DISTURBED		Coroner's Name and Case No. N/A	Apparent Motive PHYSICAL VIOLENCE
Victim's Location if Hospital or Mortuary		Physical Evidence by (Inv's. Name)	
Trade Mark of Suspects (Actions - Conversations) SHOUTING PHRASES ABOUT LACK OF CARE OF INJURED BROTHER.		Vehicle Used by Suspects (Year - Make - Body Type - Color - License and I.D. Nos.) 1964 CHEVROLET 2DR WHITE CALIF LIC OLS 910	
		Location Where Victim Can Be Contacted by Day Inv. If No Phone Indicated SAY & SUN OFF. DAYS AT HOME - WORKS ST. LUKES HOSP 11:PM TO 7:AM	
Victim's Occupation REGISTERED NURSE		Residence Address - City - Phone 1507 N. ROOSEVELT AVE. PASADENA 797-8532	Business Address - City - Phone - Occupation 2632 E. WASHINGTON BLVD 797-1144
Second Victim's Occupation			
Person Reporting Offense R.E. SMITH - LIEUTENANT		PASADENA P.D.	
Dr. Who Treated Victim			
If Citizen Arrest - Arrested by			
Witnesses - Name - Sex - Race - Age. 1 DAVID CARPENTER MW23		272 S. LOS ROBLES AVE. PASADENA 795-8201	2632 E. WASHINGTON BLVD. 797-1144 (WORKS 11:PM-7:AM)
2 DOROTHY BEARDSHEAR FW51		319 CAMILLO SIERRA MADRE 355-9479	SAME AS ABOVE
3 OFFICER			
Suspects Name (Last - First - Middle, Address, Sex, Race - Age - Booking Charge and No.—If Not Booked - Ht. - Wt. - Hair - Eyes - Complex. - Other I.D. Characteristics) 1 SIRHAN, SHARIF BISHARA MALE JORDANIAN 35, 696 E. HOWARD ST. N/P J 114984			
2 CHARGE: PC 240-ASSAULT PC 415-DISTURBING THE PEACE			
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LOSS Item No.	(1) Itemize Loss (One Article to a line - List and Describe Fully - Serial Numbers and Values in Columns) (2) Identify Additional Suspects (3) Reconstruct the Crime (No Duplication of Prior Itemized Information) (4) Summarize Other Details Relating to the Crime	Serial Numbers	VALUE
<p>THE SUSPECT, SIRHAN, WAS BROUGHT TO THIS OFFICER'S ATTENTION WHEN I WAS SUMMONED TO THE 800 BLOCK SOUTH ARROYO PKWY BY OFFICER ELWELL. WHEN I ARRIVED AT THAT LOCATION I FOUND SIRHAN PACING THE STREET BESIDE HIS CAR WHICH WAS PARKED NORTHSOUND WITH A CALIFORNIA HIGHWAY PATROL UNIT PARKED JUST BEHIND. CHP OFFICERS CARPENTER AND WISEMAN WERE IN THE PROCESS OF ISSUING SIRHAN A CITATION FOR EXCESSIVE SPEED ON THE PASADENA FREEWAY (80 MPH IN A 55 MPH ZONE). SIRHAN WAS SHOUTING THAT HIS BROTHER WAS DEAD AND DYING. HE REPEATEDLY STATED, "GO AHEAD AND SHOOT ME. GO AHEAD AND SHOOT ME."</p> <p>SIRHAN WAS INFORMED THAT HIS BROTHER SADDALLAH SIRHAN HAD BEEN INVOLVED IN A TRAFFIC ACCIDENT EARLIER THAT SAME NIGHT AND WAS NOW AT THE ST. LUKES HOSPITAL. THE CHP OFFICERS COMPLETED THE CITATION AND SIRHAN LEFT NORTHSOUND ON ARROYO PKWY. WHEN IT WAS NOTED THAT HE TURNED WEST ON DELMAR BLVD. THIS OFFICER PURSUED SIRHAN AND TOLD HIM THAT HE WAS GOING TO THE WRONG HOSPITAL AND THAT HE SHOULD BE GOING TO ST. LUKES WHICH IS AT ALTADENA DR. AND WASHINGTON BLVD. SIRHAN STARTED IN THAT DIRECTION.</p> <p>DUE TO THE FACT THAT SIRHAN WAS LOUD AND INSISTENT THAT HE WAS GOING TO SEE HIS BROTHER REGA</p>			
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Classification	Date of this report	Case number
PC 240-ASSAULT & PC 415-DISTURBANCE	3-29-69	598564

REFERENCE TO:

SIRHAN, SHARIF BISHARA MW35
696 E. HOWARD ST.
BOOKING NO: J 114984

LESS OF HIS CONDITION OR IF THE PROPER AUTHORITIES WOULD ALLOW OR PROHIBIT HIS ACTION, THIS OFFICER FELT THAT HE SHOULD BE PRESENT AT ST. LUKES HOSPITAL AT THE TIME OF SIRHAN'S VISIT THERE. I INTERSECTED WITH SIRHAN AT LAKE AND WASHINGTON AND HE ACTUALLY FOLLOWED THE POLICE UNIT FROM THAT POINT TO THE PARKING LOT AT ST. LUKES.

I ACCOMPANIED SIRHAN INTO THE HOSPITAL AND WENT WITH HIM TO THE FRONT DESK WHERE WE MET THE NIGHT SUPERVISING NURSE WHO TOOK US TO THE INTENSIVE CARE WARD. THE NURSE CHECKED WITH THE ON-DUTY PERSONNEL AS TO SADALLAH'S PRESENT CONDITION AND THEN SHOWED SHARIF INTO THE WARD. I FOLLOWED HIM INTO THE WARD AFTER ABOUT A 30 SECOND DELAY AT THE NURSES COUNTER JUST OUTSIDE THE WARD.

INSIDE THE WARD WAS SADALLAH SIRHAN IN A SEMI-CONSCIOUS STATE. AROUND HIS BED WERE CARPENTER, BEARDSHEAR AND RAINES. HIS HEAD WAS BANDAGED, HIS LEG WAS COVERED WITH BLANKETS WHICH WERE SUPPORTED AWAY FROM HIS BODY BY A PROTECTIVE HOOP AND HE WAS BEING INJECTED WITH FLUIDS. THERE WERE THREE OTHER PATIENTS IN THE SAME WARD.

SIRHAN HAD MOVED TO A POSITION ON THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE BED (LOOKING FROM THE FOOT) NEAR THE UPPER BODY OF SADALLAH. HE WAS SHOUTING IN A DEMANDING TONE SUCH PHRASES AS, "IF YOU KNOW WHAT YOU'RE DOING WHY CAN'T YOU TELL ME WHAT'S WRONG." CARPENTER ATTEMPTED TO EXPLAIN THAT IT WAS KNOWN THAT SADALLAH HAD A FRACTURED SKULL AND A BROKEN LEG AND POSSIBLY OTHER INJURIES. SIRHAN CONTINUED TO SHOUT AND I NOTED MOVEMENT FROM THE PERONS IN THE OTHER BEDS. THE NURSES, RAINES AND BEARDSHEAR ATTEMPTED TO QUIET HIM VERBALLY BUT HE CONTINUED.

SIRHAN THEN REACHED DOWN AND STARTED TO REMOVE THE BLANKETS FROM THE BODY OF SADALLAH AND NURSE RAINES TOLD HIM TO LEAVE THE BLANKETS ALONE AND REACHED OVER TO PUT THE BLANKETS BACK INTO THEIR PROPER POSITION. RAINES WAS STANDING ON THE SAME SIDE OF THE BED AS SIRHAN BUT NEARER THE FOOT OF THE BED. SIRHAN THEN STRUCK AT RAINES WITH HIS LEFT ARM IN A BACKHAND STROKE. RAINES DUCKED TO HIS LEFT AND THE BLOW JUST MISSED HER RIGHT CHEEK AND RIGHT SHOULDER. AT THAT MOMENT RAINES TURNED AND STARTED TOWARD THE TELEPHONE. I GRASPED SIRHAN FROM BEHIND IN A CHOKE HOLD AND TOOK HIM TO THE FLOOR. CARPENTER ASSISTED ME AND BRINGING HIS ARMS BEHIND HIM AND PLACED THE HANDCUFFS ON HIM.

I THEN TOOK SIRHAN TO THE POLICE UNIT IN THE PARKING LOT. HE WAS SHOUTING SO LOUD THAT HE WAS PLACED INSIDE THE CAR TO WAIT FOR THE TRANSPORTING UNIT AS IT WAS FELT THAT HE WOULD WAKEN THE PATIENTS IN THE HOSPITAL.

OFFICERS NICHOLAS AND OLQUIN ARRIVED SHORTLY AND TOOK SIRHAN TO THE CITY JAIL WHERE HE WAS BOOKED ON THE CHARGES OF PC 240-ASSAULT AND PC 415-DISTURBING THE PEACE. IT WAS FELT BY THIS OFFICER THAT SIRHAN'S SHOUTING IN THE INTENSIVE CARE WARD WAS SUFFICIENT TO WARRANT THE CHARGE FOR DISTURBING THE PEACE. IT IS REQUESTED THAT THE CITY PROSECUTOR ISSUE A COMPLAINT FOR THE LISTED CHARGES.

R.E. Smith
R.E. SMITH - LT.
UNIFORM DIVISION
3-28-69 6:20AM

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Classification PC. 240 Assault/ PC. 415 Disturbance	Date of this report 3-28-69	Case number 598 564 ADD.
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REFERENCE TO:

SUSPECT: SIRHAN, Sharif Bishara MW 35, D.O.B. 6-7-33
696 E. Howard St.
Pasadena
CHARGE: PC. 240/ PC. 415
BOOKING # J 114984

These Officers were detailed to contact Lt. R.E. Smith, Shift Commander, at the Emergency room at St. Luke Hospital. Upon arrival at the location Lt. Smith advised the undersigned and partner Off. Nicholas that the above suspect was arrested for the above listed charge and to transport him to the Pasadena City Jail for booking.

The suspect was transported to the City Jail and was asked by the undersigned if he wished to be examined by a doctor, as the suspect had complained of a sore throat. The suspect refused and stated he would have his private doctor examine him later in the morning. After completion of the booking process the suspect was taken to the Emergency Center to be examined by a doctor but refused all medical aid. He was then taken back to the Jail where he posted bail and was released. Once again the suspect was asked if he wished treatment by the Emergency Center and stated that he would submit to an examination. The suspect was examined by Dr. L. Jones who stated the suspect had a possible bruised throat and a small contusion on the lower lip.

The suspect was transported to Wards Garage after the medical examination for release of his vehicle which was impounded. It should be noted that the suspect was extremely uncooperative during the booking process and when taken to the Emergency center.

Assisted by Off. Nicholas

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3-28-69 6:00 AM

BOOKING SHEET—PPD Form 105

ORIGINAL—CASE FILE, RECORDS DIVISION

Name SIRHAN, Sharif Bishara				Case No. 598 564		Pasadena No.	
A.K.A. None				Date 3-28-69		Time 3:40 AM	
Address 696 East Howard Street			Tel. No. n/p		City and State Pasadena, Calif.		
Sex Male	Color Jordanian	Date Born 6-7-33	Age 35	Birthplace Jerusalem, Jordan		Citizenship Palestine	
Height 5-3	Weight 110	Build Small	Hair Blk	Eyes Brn	Cplx. Olive	Marital Status Single	
Marks and Scars None Visible							
Occupation Marinist		EMPLOYED Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		Employed by		Tel. No.	
In Emergency Notify Mary Sirhan			Relationship Mother		Address Same as above		Tel. No. Same
Property Box. No. 31	Cash 200.00	Automobile—Make, Lic. No. 1965 Chev. OLS 910		Location of Automobile Ward's			
Other Property Wallet; Belt; Tie; Y/M Tie PIN Clasp; 5 Keys on Ring w/Charm 1 Pen; Comb; 3 Credit Cards;						Operator/Chauf. Lic. No. K 212549	
Charge P.O. 240 <u>ASSAULT</u> P.O. 415 <u>DISTRIBUTING THE PEACE</u>						Social Security No. [REDACTED]	
						Date Arrested 3-28-69	
Where Arrested St. Luke's Hospital 2632 E. Washington						Time Arrested 3:07 AM	
						Arrested or Received by Lt. R.F. Smith	
Complainant (if other than arresting officer)			Assisted by Nicholas/OLQUIN				
Date to Appear 3-28-69				Re-Set for		Court MUNI. II	
Bail Set \$125.00				Searched by OLQUIN		Booked by BATEMAN	
FOR USE OF ARRESTING OFFICER				JAILER DO NOT TYPE BELOW THIS LINE			

SEE REPORT

Approved _____ Date _____ Signature of arresting officer *R.E. Smith*

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Local press reports reflect that on June 25, 1969, SHARIF BISHARA SIRHAN was acquitted in Pasadena Municipal Court on the charge of creating a disturbance at St. Luke's Hospital, Pasadena, on March 28, 1969 when he went to the hospital to visit his brother, SAIDALLAH who had been injured in a traffic accident.

SHARIF plead "diminished mental capacity" in his trial which was the same defense utilized by SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN.

SHARIF testified that he had been under a doctor's care and had been taking pills and injections at the time of the accident. SHARIF's attorney was GEORGE E. SHIBLEY.

The Pasadena Star News under date of July 9, 1969, carried an article that reflected that a claim of an estimated \$100,000 for false arrest was filed against a Pasadena Police Lieutenant and the City of Pasadena, by SHARIF B. SIRHAN, brother of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN.

SHARIF according to the article is claiming special damages for malicious assault and battery, personal injuries, false arrest and malicious prosecution.

The claim is the result of SHARIF being arrested in the Intensive Care Ward of St. Luke's Hospital where his brother, SAIDALLAH was confined. The claim was filed by SHARIF's attorney, GEORGE E. SHIBLEY of Long Beach, California, who defended him in the assault charge and who is a new addition to the appeal staff of SHARIF's brother, SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN.

RE: MUNIR BISHARA SIRHAN

The "Los Angeles Herald Examiner" on June 24, 1969, carried an article which reflected that the Board of Immigration Appeals has taken under advisement a move to deport MUNIR BISHARA SIRHAN, 21 year old brother of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN.

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The article reflects that the United States Immigration Service had delayed action on the pending deportation to avoid any possible influence on the Los Angeles jury that convicted SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN of murder.

MUNIR : a native of Palestine and a citizen of Jordan, has been under deportation proceedings since he was convicted of possession of marijuana on October 13, 1966.

The original deportation order was made on grounds of MUNIR's felony conviction.

MUNIR, according to this article, was sentenced by a Los Angeles Superior Court to one year in jail and five years probation. His attorney, however, persuaded the court to vacate the sentence and to transfer it to a juvenile court. MUNIR was 19 when the incident occurred. The Appeals Board of the Department of Immigration advised that MUNIR's attorney would be asked to submit a written brief.

RE: ADEL SIRHAN

Mrs. PHYLLIS YOUNG of 14414 Addison Street, Sherman Oaks, California, was a cocktail waitress and part-time dancer at the Fez Restaurant at 1508 North Vermont, Los Angeles, California.

Mrs. YOUNG advised that she knew ADEL SIRHAN, brother of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN and to her knowledge, had never met SIRHAN. Mrs. YOUNG did identify SIRHAN as having frequented the Fez along with his brother ADEL. Mrs. YOUNG resigned her position at the Fez Restaurant the night after the assassination of Senator KENNEDY, as she apparently was in fear of her life after what happened the night of the assassination.

Set forth below are interviews of PHYLLIS YOUNG:

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FILE # I-90

PERSON INTERVIEWED: YOUNG, Phyllis DATE/TIME 8-23-68 5pm

SEX Fe RACE Cauc HAIR Blk mEYES Grn HT 5-2 WT 118 DOB 4-22-40

RESIDENCE ADDRESS 14414 Addison St., #1 PHONE 783-0607

BUSINESS ADDRESS Brass Cup Bar, Ventura Blvd., Encino PHONE _____

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

Officers re-interviewed Young, at her residence on the above date and time.

Officers asked Young about the alleged fight between Jamila Sellem and an unidentified Male Arabian, which took place at the Fez Restaurant in late December of 1967 or early January of 1968 (I-2649).

She told officers she was not aware of that particular fight but that there had been several arguments and fights in the Fez Restaurant while she was employed there and the police were not usually called.

Young told officers that Louis Shelby, a co-owner of the Fez Restaurant has called her since she talked to the police about the Fez. She stated he was antagonistic with her and accused her of being "a fink" for the police.

Fred Shelby, another co-owner of the Fez Restaurant has called Young and asked her to come back to work, but she told officers she is fearful of the Fez and will not return to work at that location.