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by

VIA TELETYPE  
JUN 22 1968  
ENCIPHERED

Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. DeLoach	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Bishop	_____
Mr. Casper	_____
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____
Mr. Felt	_____
Mr. Gale	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Sullivan	_____
Mr. Tavel	_____
Mr. Trotter	_____
Tele. Room	_____
Miss Holmes	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

10:12PM URGENT 6-21-68 DND  
TO DIRECTOR AND LOS ANGELES  
FROM MEMPHIS

*McCh...*  
*[Signature]*

MURKIN.

PRESS-SCIMITAR

[REDACTED] MEMPHIS PRESS-SCIMITAR NEWSPAPER AND  
SAC CONTACT, MEMPHIS, TELEPHONICALLY ADVISED MEMPHIS OFFICE FOLLOWING  
INFORMATION THIS DATE:

[REDACTED] SAID AT APPROXIMATELY ONE PM THIS DATE HE RECEIVED  
LONG DISTANCE TELEPHONE CALL FROM TARZANA, CALIFORNIA. CALLER IDENTIFIED  
HIMSELF AS [REDACTED], PRIVATE INVESTIGATOR, TELEPHONE [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] BEGAN  
CONVERSATION WITH [REDACTED] MAKING INQUIRY RE REWARDS OFFERED IN  
SOLUTION OF KING MURDER. [REDACTED] TOLD HIM THAT [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] HE HAD INFORMATION ONLY RE TWENTYFIVE THOUSAND DOLLAR OFFER  
MADE BY PRESS SCIMITAR PAPER. [REDACTED] ALSO SAID HE INFORMED [REDACTED]

THAT THE REWARD WOULD BE PAID ONLY FOR INFORMATION LEADING TO ARREST  
AND CONVICTION OF THE MURDERER IN INSTANT CASE. [REDACTED] REPORTEDLY THEN  
TOLD [REDACTED] THAT HE HAD INFORMATION REGARDING THE PERSON WHO PAID  
SUBJECT RAY IN CONNECTION WITH THE KILLING. [REDACTED] REPORTEDLY

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DESCRIBED THIS MAN AS ALMOST A BILLIONAIRE WHO OWNS BALBOA ISLAND.

██████████ ALSO SAID THE MONEY HAD BEEN DEPOSITED IN A SWISS BANK SO THAT SUBJECT RAY COULD PROCURE SAME AND THIS WAS WHERE RAY WAS EN ROUTE WHEN HE WAS APPREHENDED IN LONDON. ██████████ FURTHER DESCRIBED THIS WEALTHY MAN AS AN ARDENT JOHN BIRCHER WHO HAD KING KILLED NOT BECAUSE HE WAS A NEGRO BUT BECAUSE KING WAS A COMMUNIST.

██████████ SAID THAT HE PRESSED ██████████ FOR MORE IDENTIFYING DATA AND ██████████ TOLD HIM THE MAN WHO PAID OFF RAY WAS ██████████ ██████████ SAID HE PRESSED ██████████ FOR MORE DATA AND ██████████ TOLD HIM THAT IF HE WANTED TO CONFIRM THIS INFORMATION HE SHOULD CALL AREA CODE ██████████ ██████████ IN CALIFORNIA AND ASK FOR ██████████ ██████████ WAS NOT FURTHER IDENTIFIED BY ██████████ BUT ██████████ TOLD ██████████ THAT ██████████ KNEW ██████████ AND SUPPOSEDLY KNEW OF ██████████ INVOLVEMENT IN MURDER. ██████████ SAID HE HAD RECEIVED THIS INFORMATION ON JUNE SIXTEEN AT APPROXIMATELY FIVE FIFTEEN A.M.

██████████ SAID HE WAS, OF COURSE, IN NO POSITION TO EVALUATE THIS DATA BUT DID WANT TO PASS IT ON TO THE FBI FOR POSSIBLE USE.

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LOS ANGELES REQUESTED IDENTIFY [REDACTED] REVIEW ITS FILES,  
AND IF NO INFORMATION CONTAINED THEREIN INTERVIEW MARKS FOR ALL DATA HE  
MAY HAVE CONCERNING ALLEGATION.

LOS ANGELES ALSO SECURE IDENTIFYING DATA FROM [REDACTED] RE [REDACTED] AND  
THEREAFTER CONDUCT NECESSARY INTERVIEWS WITH HER TO CLARIFY INFORMATION.

[REDACTED] UNKNOWN TO MEMPHIS DIVISION. LOS ANGELES SHOULD  
REVIEW ITS FILES TO ASCERTAIN WHETHER OR NOT [REDACTED] FITS GENERAL DESCRIPTION  
FURNISHED BY [REDACTED] AND WHETHER OR NOT HE MIGHT BE CONSIDERED POSSIBLE  
CONSPIRATOR INSTANT CASE.

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