

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : Mr. Jenkins

DATE: 6/14/76

FROM : A. J. Decker *AJDwcb*

SUBJECT: FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT (FOIA) REQUEST  
OF JAMES H. LESAR, ESQ. REPRESENTING  
HAROLD WEISBERG

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PURPOSE:

To advise the attached letter from Time, Inc., was furnished to James H. Lesar.

SYNOPSIS:

On 6/8/76, a copy of attached letter was furnished requester's attorney, James H. Lesar.

RECOMMENDATION:

None. For information.

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DETAILS:

This matter is currently in litigation (Harold Weisberg v. U. S. Department of Justice, U.S.D.C., D. C., Civil Action Number 75-1996). In order to ensure our complete compliance with this request, we instructed Memphis Field Office to search their records for material within scope of request (for certain documents relative to the assassination of Martin Luther King, Jr.,) that may not be in the possession of FBIHQ. Memphis furnished among other things 107 photographs furnished by Life magazine to the FBI. Time, Inc., as Life's successor in interest to those photographs was contacted by the Legal Counsel Division resulting in the attached letter. In accordance with the wishes expressed in the attached letter, requester was allowed to view the photos in question, but was denied copies which the requester desired. On 6/4/76, Attorney Lesar telephonically requested from SA Thomas L. Wiseman a copy of the attached letter. SA Parle Thomas Blake of the Legal Counsel Division telephonically contacted the

- 1 - Mr. Mintz  
Attn: Mr. Blake
- 1 - Mr. Powers

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author of the attached letter and AUSA John Dugan re this request. Both Time, Inc., and AUSA Dugan expressed their approval regarding providing Attorney Lesar with a copy of the letter. On 6/8/76, SA Wiseman personally delivered a copy of attached to Attorney Lesar. A copy was also furnished AUSA Dugan by Legal Counsel Division.

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