

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Memorandum

TO : The Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation

DATE: SFP 2? 1968

FROM : *SJP* Stephen J. Pollak
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Civil Rights Division

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SUBJECT: James Earl Ray, Subject;
Martin Luther King, Jr., Victim;
Conspiracy Against Rights
CIVIL RIGHTS

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Attached is a copy of a memorandum of an interview which J. Harold Flannery, Deputy Section Chief of this Division's Central Section, had with William Sartor of Greenville, Mississippi. Mr. Sartor was identified to Mr. Flannery as a reporter who had been inquiring into the possible existence of a conspiracy to assassinate Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Mr. Sartor described himself to Mr. Flannery as a contract writer for Time, Inc., who has covered racial matters in Memphis, Tennessee.

As part of the full investigation of this matter requested by the Attorney General and confirmed in my memorandum of April 4, 1968, Please follow out all leads indicated in the attached memorandum if you have not already done so.

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Attachment

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