

FBI PHILA

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TO SAC RICHMOND

FROM SAC PHILADELPHIA 44-1561

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RE: JAMES EARL RAY

ON APRIL TWENTYTWO INSTANT, MARVY GOODMAN, DAUPHIN COUNTY PROBATION OFFICER, HARRISBURG, PA, AND FORMER POLICEMAN, ADVISED HE VISITED HAROLD'S BAR IN HIGH SPIRE, PA, EVENING OF APRIL TWENTY LAST. UPON LEAVING BAR, AN UNKNOWN WHITE MALE, DRIVING A LATE MODEL FORD PICK-UP WITH ALUMINUM CASPER, BEARING VIRGINIA LICENSE Y ONE FOUR SIX - THREE NINE FIVE, DROVE INTO PARKING LOT OF BAR AND ASKED HIS DIRECTIONS TO CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA. MAN STATED HE WAS TRAVELING FROM KANSAS CITY, MO, TO CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA, AND HAD BECOME LOST. GOODMAN ADVISED HE BECAME SUSPICIOUS OF MAN AT WHICH TIME HE NOTED VIRGINIA LICENSE AND THAT IT HAD BEEN PURCHASED IN CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA.

UPON VIEWING RAY'S PHOTO AT CONCLUSION OF FBI TELEVISION SHOW ON APRIL TWENTYONE LAST, HE NOTED STRICKING SIMILARITY BETWEEN UNKNOWN WHITE MALE HE HAD SPOKEK WITH AND PHOTO, ALONG WITH SIMILARITIES OF DESCRIPTIVE DATA.

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HE STATED INDIVIDUAL WAS NEATLY DRESSED, WEARING LIGHT BROWN SHIRT
DRESS HAT AND MATCHING SPORT COAT.

RICHMOND, THROUGH RECORDS BUREAU MOTOR VEHICLES, DETERMINE
REGISTERED OWNER ABOVE VEHICLE BEARING VIRGINIA REGISTRATION, AND
SET OUT APPROPRIATE LEADS TO LOCATE AND IDENTIFY.

MAIL COPIES TO BUREAU AND MEMPHIS.

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