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FROM : SA WALTER E. THOMAS

SUBJECT: MURKIN

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In response to a call from the # 11 Precinct,
SPENCER BARNES JR. was interviewed.

SPENCER BARNES JR, 2940 M St., S. E., phone 5821403, furnished the following information: On Friday, April 5,
1960, he was driving in his vehicle at 5:20 PM, going up the
1960, he was driving in his vehicle at 5:20 PM, going up the
Kenilworth ramp which goes onto Kenilworth parkway from New York
Ave., when he saw a white male going up the ramp on foot. He recalled that this man was further described as being about 29 years old,
and had sandy hair, being about 5' 9" to 5' 10" tall, and perhaps
weighing 175 pounds. He wore brown trousers, a beige sweater, and
weighing 175 pounds. He wore brown trousers, a beige sweater, and
hat. He had some sort of bulge in his right pocket, which might
have been a gun.

After going by, BARNES realized that this man resembled an artist's sketch of a man represented as the killer of MARTIN LUTHER KING, Jr.; this sketch was seen by him on T. V., station unrecalled. He said that he has not seen this man since.

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