



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20535

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Mr. Harold Weisberg
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Dear Mr. Weisberg:

Enclosed herewith are 768 pages of abstracts encompassing sections 82 through 91 of the MURKIN file, as well as abstracts for files on the following related subjects: Judge W. Preston Battle, the Committee to Investigate Assassinations (CTIA), the Invaders, James H. Lesar, the Memphis Sanitation Workers Strike, and James Earl Ray. This constitutes the final release of abstracts to be made.

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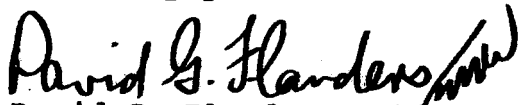
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Sincerely yours,



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