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ASSUNTO: Informations about James Earl Ray, Dr. Martin Luther King's alleged assassin.

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In answer to your letter from last 10 March 1999, in wich you request informations about Mr. James Earl Ray, Dr. Martin Luther King's alleged assassin, we are able to give you the following informations:

- 1) For the documentation for the XX century, existing at the Instituto dos Arquivos Nacionais/Torre do Tombo, (IAN/TT), here in Lisbon, we are not able to find any references for Mr. James Earl Ray or any references for Mr. Martin Luther King assassinated;
- 2) We have made research at the "Prof. Oliveira Salzar" Archive and at the "International Portuguese Political Police" Archive, both for the period between 1926-1974, and the only archives for this kind of documentation.

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