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510PM URGENT 3/17/68 CAF
TO DIRECTOR AND ATLANTA
FROM MEMPHIS (157-1092) 1P

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RACIAL MATTERS

SANITATION WORKERS STRIKE, MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE.

U. DeLoach

RE MEMPHIS TELETYPE TO BUREAU MARCH SIXTEEN LAST.

NO STRIKE SUPPORT ACTIVITY SCHEDULED IN MEMPHIS MARCH SEVENTEEN ACCORDING TO LT. E. H. ARKIN, INSPECTIONAL BUREAU, MEMPHIS PD. HE ADDED THAT AN ADULT DOWNTOWN STRIKE SUPPORT MARCH IS SCHEDULED FOR THREE P.M. AND THAT A YOUTH MARCH IS SCHEDULED FOR FOUR THIRTY P.M., BOTH MARCH EIGHTEEN, TO BE FOLLOWED BY A MASS RALLY SPONSORED BY COME (COMMUNITY ON THE MOVE FOR EQUALITY), A GROUP OF NEGRO MINISTERS SUPPORTING THE STRIKE. THIS RALLY WILL BE HELD IN MASON TEMPLE, MEMPHIS, SEVEN THIRTY P.M., MARCH EIGHTEEN, WITH FEATURED SPEAKER TO BE MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. KING'S ARRIVAL TIME AND ITINERARY UNKNOWN. *memo* ~~LET~~ FOLLOWS.

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ADMINISTRATIVE: BUREAU AND ATLANTA REQUESTED TO ADVISE

MEMPHIS BY TEL OF ANY KNOWN TRAVEL PLANS FOR KING, PLUS KNOWN IDENTITIES OF PERSONS WHO MAY ACCOMPANY HIM. MEMPHIS WILL FOLLOW HIS PRESENCE IN MEMPHIS THROUGH PD, INFORMANTS AND SOURCES IN NEWS MEDIA. P.

Unless Advised To Contrary By Bureau,

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Domestic Intelligence Division

INFORMATIVE NOTE

Date 3/18/68

Remarks have been made recently that national Negro leaders would appear in Memphis, Tennessee, in support of strike of sanitation workers. We have developed no confirming information. Martin Luther King, one of those mentioned, was in California yesterday and is due to leave for New Orleans later today. Memphis is being furnished his travel plans.

The attached pertains to today's action planned in support of the strike. There were no incidents of violence or arrests reported Friday.

Copies of the above information and the attached have been furnished to the Inter-Division Information Unit of the Department and the Attorney General.

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