

# TRUTH SQUAD: Bulletin No. 2

To answer the Select Leaks of the Select Committee

## Select Committee Rumour -

The Select Committee leaked to its intelligence contact at NBC-TV the allegation that RAY's plans and a map for an escape from prison were intercepted by its agent. UPI reported that

"...the warden of Brushy Mountain State Prison confirmed reports that RAY, who briefly escaped the facility here last summer, was apparently plotting an escape again this spring."

## Facts -

There was no escape plan. JAMES EARL RAY prepared no map. The warden actually said that:

"We checked it out and didn't notice anything out of the ordinary. There was no strange movement on RAY's part, none of his relatives came into the area and it never developed into anything."

The warden, STONNEY RAY LANE, never said that RAY was "apparently plotting an escape." He said that apparently he was not plotting an escape.

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