May 2, 1968

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TELETYPE URGENT

1 - Mr. Long

TO: SAC, ST. LOUIS

FROM: DIRECTOR, FBI

MURKIN

ST. LOUIS WILL PROVIDE FULL COVERAGE AT THE GRAPEVINE TAVERN TO DETERMINE IF THE OWNER OR OPERATOR OF THE TAVERN IS POSSIBLY ENGAGED IN ANY ILLEGAL ACTIVITIES WHATSOEVER. ALONG THESE LINES, YOU SHOULD IMMEDIATELY ASCERTAIN IF THE TAVERN IS POSSIBLY LICENSED AND IS CONFORMING WITH PRESENT LAWS AND REGULATIONS GOVERNING THEM. THIS IS FOR THE PURPOSE OF DEVELOPING INFORMATION WHICH CAN BE UTILIZED IN CONNECTION WITH INTERVIEWS TO DETERMINE WHEREABOUTS OF SUBJECT. KANSAS CITY HAS ADVISED THAT SUBJECT RAY UTILIZED THE ALBERT PEPPER STATIONERY COMPANY, SEVEN ONE TWO A SHENANDOAH STREET, ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI, AS A MEANS OF GETTING MONEY OUT OF PRISON, ALLEGEDLY PURCHASING STATIONERY. [redacted]

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TELETYPE TO SAC, ST. LOUIS

RE: MURKIN

[redacted] IF GRAND JURY IS NOT IN SESSION TO SUBPOENA RECORDS, YOU SHOULD INSURE THAT REVIEW OF RECORDS CAN BE ACCOMPLISHED WITH FULL SECURITY AND THE BUREAU'S INTEREST WILL BE FULLY PROTECTED.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

AIRMAIL COPY TO MEMPHIS.

NOTE: Kansas City has advised that Ray has utilized the Albert Pepper Stationery Company of St. Louis, Missouri, as a means of getting money out of the prison. [redacted] St. Louis also being instructed to fully cover the Tavern as owned and operated by subject's relatives and to ascertain if illegal activities involved and to establish the Tavern operating in compliance with regulations.