Masking can't all be to preserve any Ray privacy. Probably to protect FBI

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Memorandum

DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861) DATE: 4/30/68

FROM: SAC, ST. LOUIS (44-775) (P)

SUBJECT: MURKIN
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In connection with investigation being conducted by the St. Louis Office in captioned case it is deemed advisable for this office to obtain [redacted] information from [redacted] as hereinafter listed.

[redacted] Portageville, Missouri. [redacted] has been described as a close associate of subject, JAMES EARL RAY, and allegedly hid RAY out at the time he escaped from the Missouri State Penitentiary in April, 1967.

[redacted] Portageville, Missouri. [redacted] is operated by [redacted]

[redacted] operated in conjunction with [redacted]

[redacted] ALBERT and CAROL PEPPER, [redacted] Missouri. CAROL PEPPER is subject, RAY's, sister.

[redacted] Grapevine Tavern at 1982 Arsenal St., St. Louis, Missouri, operated by JOHN LARRY RAY, subject's brother.

[redacted] She is the landlady of [redacted] former cellmate and close friend of subject, RAY. [redacted]

[redacted] JERRY RAYNES, RAY's father, who resi[illegible] Center, Missouri

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[redacted] resided at [redacted] in St. Louis prior to his moving to Portageville, Missouri about 30 days ago.

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Bureau authority is requested permitting St. Louis to obtain [redacted] information as above described.