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BUREAU DESIGNATES OFFICE OF ORIGIN AS MEMPHIS IN THIS ENTIRE MATTER. KANSAS CITY SHOULD IMMEDIATELY FORWARD APPROPRIATE COPIES OF ALL COMMUNICATIONS IN YOUR FILE ENTITLED "JAMES EARL RAY, AKA - UFAC - ROBBERY" TO MEMPHIS.

MEMPHIS WILL, UPON RECEIPT OF SAME, IMMEDIATELY SUBMIT A SUMMARY TO ALL OFFICES IN ORDER THAT SUBSEQUENT

INVESTIGATION MAY BE CONDUCTED.

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NOTE:

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Memphis is office of origin in the Murkin case and Kansas City is presently office of origin in the case involving James Earl Ray, UFAC - Robbery. Our investigation is centered around locating and apprehending Ray. It would be more fessible if Memphis would coordinate the entire investigation and, therefore, assume office of origin. Memphis is being instructed to compile a summary is per of investigation and forward to all ALR 75 divisions.

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