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TO : Mr. DeLoach *[Handwritten initials]* DATE: 4-29-68

FROM : T. E. Bishop *[Handwritten initials]*

SUBJECT: ASSASSINATION OF MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.
PRESS MATTER

United Press International news release of 4-27-68 quoted SAC Robert G. Jensen, Memphis, as stating that the \$100,000 reward offered for the slayer of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., may be the "lever" needed to break the case and that the news of the reward has not been circulated as wide as it should. The release indicated that Jensen made the comment as he checked on the reward fund, attempting to determine how it would be collected. With regard to this news release, the Director has instructed, "Tell Jensen to stop talking. H."

SAC Jensen was telephonically instructed today to stop all talking about this case. *[Handwritten mark]*

RECOMMENDATION:

For information.

ENCLOSURE

- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Rosen

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