

44-38861-3033	3 encl. 52	4/30/68
SAC, BU	MURKIN	
PRESENTED TO BUREAU ARE THREE MULTILITY REPRODUCTIONS OF JAMES EARL RAY. CONSIDERABLE ECONOMY EFFECTED BY UTILIZING THIS PROCESS.		
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ROSEN TO DELOACH MURKIN

Inspector Zachary has advised that perhaps Canale, is dis would be calling the AG concerning this matters. "OK. I assume we have already returned to Police the evidence which they previously turned over to us with the Laboratory Report upon suchH."

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SAC DE

MURKIN

ENCLOSING FRONTIER AIRLINE TRANSPORTATION RECPTS, &
CREDIT APPLICATION IN NAMES CARL RAY AND [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] POST LAB EXAM RE JAMES EARL RAY.

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SAC, MO

MURKIN

RECORDS OF DRIVERS LICENSE DIV., ALA. STATE
DEPT. OF PUBLIC SAFETY, MONTGOMERY, ALA.,
EXAMINED; RESULTS SET FORTH AND ELEVEN
APPLICATION FORMS OF PERSONS GENERALLY
FITTING DESCRIPTION OF SUBJECT AND WHOSE
HANDWRITING IS SIMILAR TO THAT OF SUBJECT
SUBMITTED FOR FBI LAB EXAMINATION. MOBILE
NOT RETAINING COPIES OF THESE APPLICATIONS.

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Encl.

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5/6/68

SAC, DE

MURKIN

ENC. FOR BUREAU ONE HANDKERCHIEF CONTAINING
COLORED SAMPLES OF TAPE WITH PRINTING OF
MACHINES UTILIZED BY PAV PAV LAUNDRY. IN
ENCLOSURE DETAILS ARE SET FORTH.

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RE COPY

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SAC, Memphis		MURKIN
Trans. Lab. report.		Evid. retained.

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5-8-68

SAC, KC

MURKIN

ENC. ARE 22 PAGES OF HANDWRITING AS OBTAINED FROM USP, LEAVENWORTH, KANSAS AND ONE COPY OF A FORM DATED 4-4-58, SIGNED BY JAMES EARL RAY OBTAINED FROM THE U. S. PROBATION OFFICER KC, MO. DETAILS ARE SET FORTH.

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SAC, NY

MURKIN

RELET FROM ERIC S. GALT, DATED 9-26-67, TO
MODERN PHOTO BOOKSTORE. ENCLOSED HERewith FOR
THE BUREAU, ATTENTION LATENT FINGERPRINT
SECTION, ARE LETTER DATED 4-29-68 TO ERIC S.
GALT FROM MODERN PHOTO BOOKSTORE.

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GJB:psp 4/26/68

SAC, AT

ERZ MURKIN

LATENT FINGERPRINTS THIS CASE LATER IDENTIFIED
AS FINGERPRINTS OF JAMES EARL RAY, FBI #405942G,
WERE SEARCHED ALL SECTIONS OF SINGLE FINGERPRINT

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EJH:vjc 4-22-68

ROSEN TO DELOACH

MURKIN

Case involving murder of Martin Luther King, Jr. Details of evidence obtained from ME office set forth. "GET IT BACK TO MEMPHIS AT ONCE" AND "I DON'T UNDERSTAND THIS. THE DAY A.G. VISITED THE LABORATORY AND SAW ALL OF THE EVIDENCE I TOLD DE LOACH TO SEND THIS EVIDENCE BACK TO MEMPHIS POLICE. WHY IT WAS NOT DONE I WOULD LIKE TO KNOW" E

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MURKIN

INDVDL USNG NAME CARL RAY OBTND 2 RND-TRP TCKTS
FRM LV, TO SL, AT FRONTIER AL, DN, 5/1/68,
USNG IMPRARY FRNTR AL TRNSPRTH RCPT. FBI LAB
BNG SNT HRWTH RCPT FOR CMPRSN WTH HANDRNG
OF JAMES EARL RAY. ENCL SIGNATURE OF CARL RAY

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SAC, LA

MURKIN

MRS. NORMA C. COSS ADVISED THAT SUE HARRIS ~~XXXXX~~
FLIKEID IS HER ~~HE~~ NIECE AND THAT SHE AND HUSBAND
THOMAS MARTIN FLIKEID HAS RECENTLY VACATED ~~THEIR~~
THEIR APT ON GRAMERCY PLACE AND WERE ENROUTE TO
MENDOTA, ILL TO SEE SUE'S MOTHER MRS. PATRICIA
HARRIS AT ~~██████████~~ MENDOTA. THE FLIKEIDS
ARE DUE TO ARRIVE MENDOTA, 4-12-68 AND USUALLY
STAY AT LITTLE HOTEL NORTH OF TOWN KNOWN AS KA-
KUSHA HOTEL.

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5/10/68

SAC, RH

MURKIN

4/19/68, FOLLOWING PERSONS CONTACTED AT WYTHEVILLE, VA., RE BEING ON ALERT FOR VEHICLE DESCRIBED IN CE TEL TO RH, 4/18/68:

[REDACTED] VSP; BUFORD SHOCKLEY, SHERIFF, WYTHE CO. & J.D. BILLOW, COP. ALL ADVISED THEY WOULD IMMEDIATELY NOTIFY FBI SHOULD THEY OR ANY OF THEIR MEN SEE VEHICLE. TO DATE, VEHICLE HAS NOT BEEN SEEN IN WYTHEVILLE, VA. AREA. ASD.

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SAC, SI

MURKIN

THE ATTACHED PHOTOS OF WALTER TERRY RIFE SHOULD
BE USED TO FURTHER ELIMINATE RIFE AS SUSPECT IN
MURKIN. NUMEROUS INDIVIDUALS ~~WERE~~ VERIFY RIFE AS
WORKING LONG HOURS AT HIS RESTAURANT DURING EACH
DATE OF PERTINENT PERIOD.

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4-21-68

SAC, CI

JAMES EARL RAY

RETEL REQUESTS CI TO DETERMINE IDENTITY OF JOHN WILLARD STAYING AT GARDENA MOTEL, GARDENA, CAL. WITH [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED] INVEST DETERMINED THIS JOHN WILLARD IS JOHN CHARLES WILLARD, B. [REDACTED] WITH PERMANENT RESIDENCE [REDACTED], FAIRBORN, OHIO. IN SINCE WILLARD NOT IDENTICAL WITH SUBJ NO FURTHER INVEST WARRANTED.

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REL:cs 4/24/68

SACS, ME A/EE MURKIN

& EC

BUREAU DESIGNATES OO AS ME IN THIS ENTIRE MATTER.
DC SHOULD IMMEDIATELY FORWARD APPROPRIATE COPIES OF
ALL COMMUNICATIONS IN YOUR FILE ENTITLED "JAMES
EARL RAY, AKA, UFAC - MURKIN" TO MEMPHIS. MEMPHIS
WILL IMMEDIATELY SUBMIT SUMMARY TO ALL OFFICES IN ORDER
THAT SUBSEQUENT INVESTIGATION MAY BE CONDUCTED.

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PMS:nlb 4/25/68

SAC, ME

MURKIN

THE FOLLOWING ITEMS OF EVIDENCE ARE BEING
RETURNED TO YOU UNDER SEPARATE COVER BY
REGISTERED MAIL.. THOSE ITEMS OBTAINED
FROM THE MEMPHIS POLICE DEPARTMENT ARE TO
BE RETURNED TO THEM UPON RECEIPT.

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JRH:dir 4-26-68

M. A. Jones to Bishop memo JAMES EARL RAY,
CIVIL RIGHTS - CNSPRCY; INTRST
FLIGHT - ARMD ROBBY

Remymemo 4-23-68, which contnd approvd recommendatn
tht 14,000 newspaper mats & proofs b prepared by Gov't
Printing Office for dissemination to newspapers throughou
country in an effort to locate captnd fugitiv. This mat hs
bn prepared and is now available for distribution. Atchd
is copy of proposed form ltt to be utilized in distributing
a supply of these mats and proofs to each Field Office.

REC: Tht atchd ltt b apprvd and expeditously retrnd to
Film Search Secta for further processing. "OK, E."

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JRH:djr 4-29-68

**ALL SAC'S JAMES EARL RAY, CIVIL RIGHTS -
CONSPRY; INTRST FLIGHT - ARMD
ROBRY, "TOP TEN" NEWSPAPR MAT**

Being forwarded under sprate covr is suply of nwspapr mats
and proofs for expeditous distribution to all cooperative
daily and wkly nwspapr in ur territory. Additional publica-
tions such as shoppers' guides shld not b ovrlookd in obtning
greatest posbl publicity re fugitiv. In most cases, mats &
prts may b distributed by mail/^{mail} when circumstances warnt
they may b personally delivrd by SAa. Prompt distribtn shld
b made & addtnl suplies, if needed, are available at Bur.
Following no mats & prts r bng forwarded to ur offic undr
sepr covr:

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4/30/68

SAC, LA

MURKIN

LA WILL CONTACT [REDACTED] ON 5/6/68.
DETAILS SET FORTH.

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LA 38821-4081 SEARCHED	10	4/30/68
SAC, LA MURKIN		
FILES OF LA OFFICE REFLECT NO IDENTIFIABLE INFO CONCERNING THE NAMES [REDACTED] OR [REDACTED] THE FOLLOWING RECORDS WERE CHECKED WITH NEG RESULTS, REGISTRAT OF VOTERS, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, RETAIL MERCHANTS CREDIT ASSO., LOS ANGELES, LAPD, TELEPHONE DIRECTORIES FOR LOS ANGELES AREA. IN VIEW OF ABOVE, NO FURTHER ACTION IS CONTEMPLATED CONCERNING [REDACTED]		

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JEM:AV 5/1/68

SAC, Memphis

MURKIN

Trans. lab. report.

Evid. temporarily retained.

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SAC, MO

MURKIN

RE: [REDACTED] FOR INFO OF COLUMBIA
REVIEW OF MO FILE ON [REDACTED] REFLECTS INFO
FROM LA REPORT CS [REDACTED] DETAILS
SET FORTH.

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SAC, AQ	MURKIN	
AQ AIRTEL TO ME & TEL 4/12/68, ENC. FOR BUREAU P-		

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5/2/68

SAC, JACKSON JM

MURKIN

RESULTS OF INQUIRY RE ██████████
FURNISHED BU BY JACKSON AIRTEL TO BU,
4/17/68. MEMPHIS & OKLAHOMA CITY ALSO
ADVISED.

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4/30/68

SAC, MO

MURKIN

EIGHT THOUSAND I. O.'S REQUIRED FOR NEW ORLEANS
TO CIRCULATE ALL BARBER SHOPS IN LOUISIANA,
BAKERIES & CONFECTIONARY ESTABLISHMENTS, AS WELL
AS ALL FIRMS DOING BUSINESS WITH THE PORT OF NEW
ORLEANS, INCLUDING STEAMSHIP LINES, BARGE LINES,
ETC. BUREAU REQUESTED TO APPROVE ABOVE ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~
CIRCULATION & FORWARD EIGHT THOUSAND I. O.'S FOR
HIS PURPOSE.

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44-38861-3056	15	REL:es 8/2/68
SAC, MO	MURKIN	
RENOTEL 4/30/68. BUREAU UNDER SEPARATE COVER FORWARDING 8000 TO RE SUBJECT RAY TO CIRCULATE ALL BARBER SHOPS IN LOUISIANA, BAKERIES & CONFECTIONERY ESTABLISHMENTS. CC TO MEMPHIS.		

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5/2/68

AC, KP

MURKIN

5/1/68, WALLACE J. CAMP, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], KP, ADVISED HE HAS PHONE #591-2553
AND THAT HIS MOTHER-IN-LAW IS MRS. ROSE TERESHKO,
WHO IS CURRENTLY LOCATED AT RESIDENCE OF MRS.
LILLIAN DE RENZI, [REDACTED] BLACKWOOD, N.J.
LEAD SET FORTH FOR AK.

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8/2/68

SAC, KP

MURKIN:

"MRS. WEBB" WAS ON AMERICAN AIRLINES FLIGHT
638, WHICH DEPARTED DL, 4/6/68, AT 9:05 A.M. AND
ARRIVED PE, 1:31 SAME DATE. PHONE # LISTED FOR
THIS INDIVIDUAL LOCATED AT KP, BUT PERSON TO
WHOM # LISTED, 2-5 WILLIE WEBB, JR., ASK US
NO LONGER IN KP. LEAD SET FORTH FOR
NEWARK OFFICE TO LOCATE "MRS. WEBB" AT A
FORWARDING ADDRESS OF NEWPORT NEWS, VA. -P-

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9/25/68

SAC, PH

MURKIN

ENC. 1 GILBEY'S GIN BOTTLE MADE AVAILABLE BY
██████████, PH, 9/25/68. IDENT.
DIV. REQUESTED TO COMPARE LATENT PRINTS
DEVELOPED FROM ENC. BOTTLE WITH KNOWN PRINTS
OF RAY & ADVISE PH.

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GJB:emg 5-2-68

SAC, PH, ME - MURKIN

RE PH ATL 4-26-68, SUBMITTG 1 GIN BOTTLE FOR
EXAM. 4 LAT FPRTS VAL DEVELOPED BOTTLE.
LAT FPRTS NOT IDENT FPRTS JAMES EARL RAY. PH
REQUESTED TO SUBMIT FPRTS OR IDENT DATA RE
OWNER BOTTLE [REDACTED] FOR KLM
PURPOSES. BOTTLE DESTROYED.

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5/2/68

SAC, SEATTLE

MURKIN

ON 5/1/68 STEWART WORTHROP ADVISED THAT [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] WAS REGISTERED AT THE BUSH HOTEL FROM
3/2/68-4/27/68

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SAC, LA

MURKIN

INTERVIEW OF [REDACTED] SENT FORW.

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5/6/68

SAC, JACKSON IN MURKIN

REFERENCED BUREAU AIRTEL INDICATED THAT THE
MAIN FILE ON MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR., HAD BEEN
REVIEWED AND CERTAIN THREATS AGAINST KING WERE
SET FORTH. ALLEGED THREAT SET FORTH IN AIRTEL
REVEALS

CLAIMED [REDACTED] TOLD HIM TWO WHITE RESIDENCES
OF GRENADA PLANNED TO ASSASSINATE KING ON 9/19/66
AT GRENADA. [REDACTED] TO BE LOCATED AND
INTERVIEWED.

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8/3/68

SAC, SI

MURKIN

Remaining laundry checks made with negative results. P.

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