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TO DIRECTOR (44-38861)

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FROM BOSTON (157-644)

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RE BOSTON NITEL TO BUREAU, 5/8/74.

GEORGE MC MILLAN INTERVIEWED THIS DATE IN OFFICE OF HIS ATTORNEY, JOHN T. WILLIAMS, OF FIRM HAUSSERMAN, DAVIDSON AND SHATTUCK, 1 BOSTON PLACE, BOSTON, IN PRESENCE OF WILLIAMS.

MC MILLAN ADVISED HE HAS NEVER SEEN OR HAD ACCESS TO ANY FBI FILES OR PORTIONS THEREOF, CONCERNING THE JAMES EARL RAY CASE OR ANY OTHER CASE. ALSO STATED THAT NO FBI PERSONNEL ANYWHERE EVER INDICATED THEY WOULD MAKE SUCH AVAILABLE TO HIM.

MC MILLAN FURTHER ADVISED THAT THE TENNESSEE STATE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE IN MEMPHIS HAD IN ITS
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POSSESSION WHAT WAS REFERRED TO AS FBI FILES IN ORDER TO
CONDUCT ITS PROSECTUTION OF RAY AND HE HEARD RUMORS
FROM SOURCE, NOW UNRECALLED, THAT THOSE FILES WERE MADE
AVAILABLE TO AUTHORS GERALD FRANK AND WILLIAM HUIE BY STATE
OR COUNTY PERSONNEL. AS A RESULT OF THESE RUMORS,
MC MILLAN FELT THE FILE WOULD ALSO BE MADE AVAILBLE TO HIM.
WHEN ASKED IF ANY TENNESSEE STATE OR LOCAL OFFICIAL
...OR PERSONNEL EVER OFFERED TO MAKE THE FBI FILES
AVAILABLE TO HIM, MC MILLAN REPLIED BY SAYING HE REFUSES
TO ANSWER THAT QUESTION.

LHM WILL BE SUBMITTED.

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To: SAC, Memphis (44-1987)

From: Director, FBI (44-38861) - 5944

1 - Mr. McDonough

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ReBStel 5/10/74.

If not already done, the Memphis Office should contact appropriate current and former Tennessee State authorities to ascertain if they have any information that FBI files previously in possession of state authorities were made available to Frank and Huie or anyone else by state or county personnel.

1 - Boston (INFO) (157-644)

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