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LINDSAY Honorable

Commissioner of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Ottawa, Ontario, Canada

Dear Commissioner

As you will recall, Mr. Dwyer, Mr. Beasley, and Mr. Carlisle of this office were in Montreal and Toronto recently in their pretrial investigation in the case of the State of Tennessee vs. James Earl Ray, set for November 12, 1968, in which James Earl Ray is charged with the murder of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. They brought back glowing reports of the cooperation and the treatment they received from all the persons under your command with whom they came in contact, and were high in the praise of the efficiency of your personnel. are particularly appreciative of the assistance rendered them by

At this time, I respectfully request that you assign to interview Mr. and Mrs. Morris Corporals Windsor, Ontario. This couple was the landlord and landlady of the Harkay Apartments in Montreal where James Earl Ray resided in July and August of 1967. We are anxious to know if Mr. ble to testify in the trial of the case here. Will you please advise? will be availa

I further respectfully request that you direct Corporal to check with the following witnesses to determine in said witnesses will be available to testify here at the Ray trial:

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