

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

Q285

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
ATTN: FBI LAB

DATE: 4/22/68

FROM: SAC, NEW ORLEANS (157-10673)

643 Royal

PC-A 586B

J. Jones

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SUBJECT: MURKIN

Re: ██████████ (LOOKALIKE)

Transmitted under separate cover is one package containing the contents from an ash tray. This tray was found in the room located at ██████████ New Orleans which was occupied by a man known as ██████████ until 4/17/68.

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The Bureau is requested to compare this specimen with any appropriate physical evidence submitted in the captioned matter.

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Q285 material from ashtray

J. H. M.

4-24-68
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- 3 - Bureau (1 - Package) (RM) (AMSD)
- 1 - Memphis (Info)
- 2 - New Orleans
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REC-38
EX-105

44-38861-1902

APR 24 1968

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

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- 1 - Mr. Trotter
(Attn: Mr. Bonebrake)
- 1 - Mr. Long
- 1 - Mr. Conrad
- 1 - Mr. Griffith
(Attn: Mr. Mortimer)
- 1 - Mr. Clark
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- 1 - Lab Files
- 1 - Office, 7133

To: **FBI, Atlanta (44-2386)**

Date: **April 22, 1968**

Re: **MURKIN**

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

FBI File No.
Lab. No. **44-38861**
PC-A5653 IZ
D-560786 JK

Examination requested by: **Atlanta**

Reference: **Letter 4/15/68**

Examination requested: **Microscopic - Fingerprint - Miscellaneous**

Remarks:

This report confirms and supplements Butel to Atlanta and Memphis dated 4/15/68.

You are being advised separately concerning the fingerprint examinations.

All the submitted evidence is being temporarily retained in the Laboratory.

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EX-116 44-38861-1903

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Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)

2 - Memphis (44-1987) Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)

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ADMINISTRATIVE PAGE

MAIL ROOM TELETYPE UNIT

- Tolson
- DeLoach
- Mohr
- Wick
- Casper
- Callahan
- Conrad
- Felt
- Gale
- Rosen
- Sullivan
- Tavel
- Tele. Room
- Holmes
- Gandy

REPORT
of the



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: **FBI, Atlanta**
Re: **MURKIN**

Date: **April 22, 1968**
FBI File No. **44-38861 1903**
Lab. No. **PC-A5653 IZ**
D-560786 JK

Specimens received **4/15/68**

Evidence personally delivered on **4/15/68**, by SA **[REDACTED]**
FBI, Atlanta

ITEMS FROM ROOM 6, 113 14th STREET, NORTHEAST, ATLANTA, GEORGIA:

- Q164 Bed sheet
- Q165 Bed sheet
- Q166 Standard Oil map of Atlanta
- Q167 Partial book of matches bearing advertisement of "Albert Pick"
- Q168 Piece of lined paper
- Q169 Newspaper from shelf
- Q170 Piece of pink paper bearing hand printed name "Jimmy Owen"
- Q171. Keyhole saw

ITEMS FROM ROOM 5, 107 14th STREET, NORTHEAST, ATLANTA, GEORGIA:

- Q172 Section of newspaper dated 4/7/68

Also Submitted: Three cigarette butts from top of wardrobe, Room 6
One cigarette butt from under wardrobe, Room 6
Latent lifts 1 through 12 from Room 6
Latent lifts 1 through 3 from Room 5

Tolson _____
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MAIL ROOM TELETYPE UNIT

Results of examination:

Numerous hairs were found on the Q164 and Q165 bed sheets. The hairs include brown to black head, pubic and limb hairs of Caucasian origin. Also, one dark brown head hair of Negroid origin was found on Q165. The range of characteristics exhibited by the Caucasian hairs suggests that they are from more than one person. Some of the hairs are deteriorated and dirty, similar to hairs from floor debris.

A few of the Caucasian head hairs from Q164 and Q165 are similar in some microscopic characteristics to hairs previously found on items from the Mustang and Memphis scene but do not match in all microscopic characteristics. The possibility that these hairs originated from the same source could not be eliminated.

No fibers were found on Q164 or Q165 that could be associated with the Q13 bedspread or with other cloth items previously submitted from the Memphis scene or from the Mustang.

The Q171 keyhole saw is old. The brand or source of Q171 could not be determined.

Some similarities were noted between the handwritten word "florida" and other variations of this word appearing on Q167 when compared with available writings attributable to Eric S. Galt. The limited nature of the writings on Q167 precluded a more definite opinion.

The hand printing on Q170 (Jimmy Owen) is upper- and lower-case, while previous hand printing on items received has been upper-case letters. For this reason, it could not be determined whether this name was prepared by Galt; however, differences were noted.

The printed words "P TTED" and either "PUNCH" or "BUNCH" were faintly inscribed on the newspaper designated Q169. Any significance of this is not known.

No previous road maps similar to Q166 have been received.

See det 411
SA J.B. Reynolds
4/18/68 FBI Atlanta

MEMORANDUM FOR
ATTN: FBI LABORATORY

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MURKIN

Transmitted under separate cover for the FBI Laboratory is the following evidence. This was recovered from a search of room 8, 167 14th Street NE, Atlanta, Ga., and room 5, 113 14th Street NE, Atlanta, Ga. This evidence was obtained by SA'S [redacted] and [redacted].

- 1. Red linen (2 and [redacted])
- 2. three (3) cigarette butts
- 3. City street map of Atlanta, book of paper matches and lined piece of paper
- 4. Newspaper utilized for shelf cover in wardrobe
- 5. Pink slip of paper with name "Jimmy Owen" written thereon
- 6. Keyhole saw on top of wardrobe
- 7. Cigarette butt
- 8. Section of newspaper dated 4/7/68
- 9. Latent prints numbered one through twelve
- 10. Latent prints numbered A1 through A3

The Laboratory is requested to make appropriate examination of this evidence.

- 3 - Bureau
 - 1 - Package
 - 1 - Memphis (Info)
 - 2 - Atlanta
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[Handwritten signature/initials]