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IMMEDIATE DIRECTOR

RYBAT

1. ON 28 APRIL

REPORTED THAT HE SAW MAN IN LAGOS 23 APRIL WHOM HE

SAID HAS STRONG PHYSICAL RESEMBLANCE TO NEWSPAPER PHOTOGRAPHS OF ERIC STAVRO GALT, WANTED IN CONNECTION WITH MURDER OF MARTIN LUTHER KING. HE WAS SENT TO AMERICAN EMBASSY BY AMBASSADOR TO WHOM HE FIRST RELATED HIS STORY.

2. HE SAW THIS PERSON AT DESK OF HOTEL IN AFTERNOON OF 23 APRIL WHEN THEY WERE BOTH CHECKING OUT OF HOTEL.

WAS ACCIDENTLY GIVEN ACCOUNTING SLIP OF THE SUSPECT ON WHICH

NOTED FOLLOWING: NAME,

NOT CERTAIN WHETHER REGISTERED AS AMERICAN CITIZEN.

3. IN SHORT CONVERSATION WITH SUSPECT, LEARNED THAT

WAS EMPLOYED BY AND ENROUTE TO

UNDER A \$40,000 PER YEAR CONTRACT. HIS TOUR WILL BE

EIGHTEEN MONTHS. REPORTEDLY HAD ARRIVED RECENTLY FROM

VIA ON AIRLINES.

4. WILL BE IN UNTIL THURSDAY 2 MAY IF THERE

NEED QUERY HIM FURTHER.

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