

Los Angeles Police Department
PROPERTY REPORT

CHECK ONE
TYPE ONLY

Evidence Found Evidence Found Safekeeping

DR 68-521-466

1. **TRANS**
RESIDENCE ADDRESS
OFFICE ADDRESS
2. **RESIDENCE ADDRESS**

PERSON PROPERTY BOOKED TO (Last, First, Middle)
1. **DOE JOHN #1**
ARRESTEE'S NAME
2. **SAME**
VICTIM OR OWNER'S NAME
3. **KENNEDY ROBT F**
PERSON REPORTING TO POLICE DEPT. (Last, First, Middle)
4. **R L CALKINS HOMICIDES**

RES. PHONE
BUS. PHONE
CHARGE
217 P.C. 495739
RES. PHONE
BUS. PHONE
RES. PHONE
BUS. PHONE

DATE & TIME THIS REPORT
6-5-68 5AM
PROP. BKO. AT
C.P.
INV. DIV.
RAMPART

DATE & TIME PROPERTY TAKEN INTO POLICE CUSTODY - LOCATION - CITY OR REPORTING DIST.
6-5-68 145AM RAMPART DETS 200

Evidence: BOOK TO ARRESTEE, IF NONE, BOOK TO VICTIM.
Found Evidence: BOOK TO OFFICER IF NO ARRESTEE OR VICTIM.
Found Property: BOOK TO ACTUAL FINDER.
Safekeeping: BOOK TO DEPOSITOR, OWNER OR PERSON IN LAWFUL POSSESSION.
(Separate reports are required for each different classification of property)

TYPE OF PREMISES
POL. STATION
TYPE OF PROPERTY
REVOLVER
DIV. RPTG.
HOMICIDES
DIV. OR CITY & DATE CRIME OCCURRED
RAMPART 6-5-68
LIST ANY CONNECTING REPORTS BY TYPE & DR.
CRIME OTHER PROPERTY
IS THIS STOLEN PROPERTY?
 YES NO UNKNOWN
PROBABLE CRIME
ATT. MURDER
Prints - Photo - S.I.D. - Other

(1) IF STOLEN IN CITY OF LOS ANGELES EACH CASE MUST BE COVERED BY CRIME AND FOLLOW-UP REPORTS. (2) DESCRIBE CIRCUMSTANCES RESULTING IN BOOKING OF THIS PROPERTY. (3) GIVE ADDRESS, TIME AND/OR PHONE NUMBER WHERE CONCERNED PERSON(S) MAY BE CONTACTED BY DAY INVESTIGATORS IF NOT LISTED, OR OTHER THAN ABOVE. (4) ITEMIZE AND DESCRIBE ALL PROPERTY. GIVE ALL SERIAL NUMBERS AND OTHER MARKS OF IDENTIFICATION. LIST ONLY ONE ARTICLE ON A LINE.

ITEM NO.	QUANTITY	SERIAL NUMBERS AND ENGRAVING
11	1	453725
GUN, REVOLVER IVER JOHNSON "CADET" B/S 2 1/2" BBL 8 SHOT CAL. 22		
12	1	
BRASS, EXPENDED CAL. 22 "CCI" ON BASE NOT MARKED FOR I.D.		

PK GUN
ITEM # 11 OBTAINED FROM RAFAEL JOHNSON AT RAMPART DETS ON 6-5-68 AT 145AM
ITEMS # 12 OBTAINED FROM RAFAEL JOHNSON AT RAMPART DETS ON 6-5-68 AT 145AM OBSERVED IN CYLINDER OF ABOVE REVOLVER TO BE TAKEN TO S.I.D FOR PRINT CHECK OF EXPENDED BRASS SIGES

[Handwritten signatures and initials: "THS", "SUS", "RAMPART", "AUG 2 1968"]

Supervisor, Approving: [Signature]
Serial No.: [Blank]
Reporting Officer (Name) - Sec. No. - Div. - Detl.: R L CALKINS 7287 111 X
Person Reporting (Signature): [Signature]
Date of Reproduction - Division - Office: 6-5-68 515 AM (2)
Indexing: [Blank]
Checked: [Blank]

Grand Jury June 7, 1968

Q Were you there when the police arrived?

A Yes, I was.

Q Did they take custody of this person?

A Yes.

They took him out through the Colonial Room, which was where the Senator was going to have his press conference.

Q And they got him out as quick as they could?

A Yes, sir, they did.

Q At the time of the shooting, could you tell us anything about the gun that you saw in the suspect's hand?

A Yes.

It was -- well, I don't know how you describe the gun, but it's -- it wasn't much longer than maybe four to five inches long.

And I thought, at first, it was a .25 caliber pistol because I had seen a .25 caliber pistol once before that a friend had.

And at the time, I didn't know what it was. I just knew it was a gun.

MR. HOWARD: With the Foreman's permission, may we mark and envelope and content, the revolver, as Grand Jury Exhibit 7?

THE FOREMAN: Permission granted.

MR. HOWARD: We have just gone through it, Mr.

People's Exhibit No.	Panel ID No.	Description
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5B (Grand Jury)		Tagged envelope, Case # A 233 421 Envelope marked: Victim: Robert Kennedy Los Angeles Police Dept. Crime Lab Test Shot Name: Doe, John Date 6-5-68 Address: Make: Iver Johnson Cal. .22 Type: Rev. No. H53725 DR# 68-521466 Crime: 217 P.C. Officer: Melendez Signed: DeWayne A. Wolfer
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Contents:

D	.22 LR HP Copper coated, No ID, "D" on nose.
E	.22 LR HP Copper coated, No ID, "E" on nose.
F	.22 LR HP Copper coated, No ID, "F" on nose.
G	.22 LR HP Copper coated, No ID, "G" on nose.

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Tagged Envelope, Case # A 233 421
Envelope Marked: Evidence
Date: 6-5-68 Div: H.D. DR# 68-521 466
Name: Doe, John Booking # 495 139
Location: Rampart Charge: 217 P.C.
Officer: Calkins 7237 Div: HD
1-Revolver Cal. .22

← No serial number

Contents:

Revolver, Iver Johnson "Cadet", caliber .22 LR.
eight shot, blued steel, serial number: H53725,
top strap marked: Iver Johnson Cadet Mod. 55-SA Pat. Pend.
I. J. A. & C. Wks.
Fitchburg, Mass. U.S.A.

A form was designed so that each panel member could record data, based on his personal observation of the evidence. This form, when completed by all examiners, was used as a basis for the first joint report, as authorized by paragraph 1, Court Order #4, which reads:

"The panel of firearms examiners shall file joint reports as to:

(a) their determination whether or not the condition of any of the exhibits is such that at the present time a reliable firearms identification can be made, and

(b) their determination of the characteristics specified on page 8, lines 1 through 8, of the Order for Retesting of Exhibits dated September 18, 1975.

The joint report with a sampling of the individual worksheets follows.

Court Order 1

SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA,)
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) Plaintiffs,)
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) v.)
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) SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN,)
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) Defendant)

ORDER FOR RETESTING
OF EXHIBITS

1. In the public interest, the Court grants the application of Paul Schrade and CBS, Inc., for scientific examination of the following exhibits in the above captioned case:

- a. People's 6 - Sirhan's gun *no serial number*
People's 14 - Yellow envelope and contents - Two .22 caliber live cartridges.
People's 21 - 8 Spent cartridges
People's 37 - Envelope with 1 cartridge
People's 38 - Envelope with 1 slug
People's 40 - Envelope containing empty ammo box - mini mag
People's 47 - Non-fatal bullet taken from Senator Kennedy's body
People's 48 - Fragments of fatal bullet taken from Senator Kennedy's head
People's 49 - Color photo bullet
People's 50 - Bullet fragments taken from victim Paul Schrade's body
People's 51 - Expended bullet taken from the body of victim Irwin Stroll
People's 52 - Expended bullet taken from the body of victim Ira Goldstein
People's 52a- Portions of People's 52
People's 53 - Bullet fragments taken from the body of victim Elizabeth Evans
People's 54 - Expended bullet taken from the body of victim William Weisel
People's 55 - Three test bullets fired from Sirhan's gun
People's 59 - Kennedy's coat
People's 78 - Autopsy Report of Robert F. Kennedy
People's 83 - Package containing balance of Kennedy's clothing
Grand Jury 5B (Not introduced at trial) - Four test bullets fired from Sirhan's gun.

If the experts determine that additional exhibits in the Clerk's custody require examination, they shall seek a court order that such items be produced.

Court Order 2

TYPE OF HEARING SPECIAL PRE
 CASE NO. H 233421
SPEC. EXH. NO. 47
 ADMITTED IN EVIDENCE
 DATE 10-6-75
 THOMAS G. SMART, COUNTY CLERK
 BY J. K. [Signature] DEPUTY

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SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
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THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA,)	
)	NO. A 233 421
Plaintiffs,)	
)	
vs.)	
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SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN,)	
)	
Defendant.)	

In accordance with paragraph 2 of the Order for Retesting
 of Exhibits (Order #2), dated September 23, 1975, the following
 exhibits were marked as indicated.

now the gun disappears

<u>People's Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Panel Identification No. (PN)</u>
#38 (envelope with 2 bullets)	1 & 1a
#47 (non-fatal Kennedy)	2
#48 (fragments, fatal Kennedy)	3 & 3a
#50 (fragments, Schrade)	4
#51 (bullet, Stroll)	5
#52 (bullet, Goldstein)	6
#53 (fragments, Evans)	7
#54 (bullet, Weisel)	8
#55 (3 test bullets from Sirhan's gun)	A, B & C
Grand Jury #5B (4 test bullets from Sirhan's gun)	D, E, F & G