

SOUTH REGION - SITUATION REPORT

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INITIATING LOC : SURRY HILLS DETECTIVES

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DISTRICT : SYDNEY

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SITREP NO. : 8

4pm, 30 May, 1995

ISSUE:

Murder of James William MEEK, 51 old, at Surry Hills on Wednesday 8 March, 1995.

BACKGROUND:

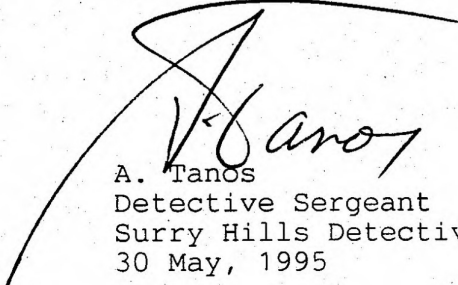
Refer to previous 'Situation Reports'.

CURRENT POSITION:

- * [REDACTED] in the Surry Hills area to gather intelligence which may assist the progress of the investigation into the murder of Meek.
- * The suspect Michael Alan HEATLEY, Born: [REDACTED] whose fingerprint was located on a letter found at the crime scene, is being sought for interview. Assistance has been obtained from the Surveillance Unit to locate HEATLEY whose whereabouts are not known at this time.
- * Inquiries have established that the letter sent from Daewoo Australia to the deceased, on which the fingerprint from HEATLEY was found, was received two days before the murder.
- * Michael HEATLEY has been included on the Passenger Automatic Alert System (PASS) for notification to Police if he enters or leaves the country.
- * Michael HEATLEY is the son of Paul HEATLEY who was fatally shot by his brother Earl HEATLEY during a bungled attempted armed robbery by both men at DFC Thompson P/L, at [REDACTED] Leighton Place, Hornsby on the 1 October, 1994. The business owner, Desmond THOMPSON, was also fatally shot by Earl HEATLEY at the time of the offence. (Event Number E608508 refers). The suspect Michael HEATLEY is a crucial prosecution witness against his uncle Earl HEATLEY who is facing committal hearings for both murders, which are part heard and recommencing on the 31 July, 1995. The Case Officer, Detective Sergeant JACOBS, of the North Region Major Crime Squad, has been consulted and is liaising with Investigators in the search for Michael HEATLEY.

FURTHER ACTION:

- * Inquiries continuing.


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 Detective Sergeant
 Surry Hills Detectives
 30 May, 1995

1. Patrol Commander, Surry Hills
2. Commander, Sydney District.
3. Commander, Homicide Unit, South Region.
4. Commander, South Region.