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INVESTIGATIVE REPORT #11-A

TO: RALPH J. RAY, JR.
Chief Assistant State Attorney

FROM: PHILIP J. MUNDY
Investigator

SUBJ: Statement of Bobby Lee Jones

RE: Homicide Investigation of Adam Walsh

ENCL: 1) Facsimile of Hollywood Blvd. area, taken from 1980 Edition of Dolph Map Co., City of Hollywood Street map

 Bobby Lee JONES first met Ottis TOOLE in March of 1982 when both were employed by Southeast Color Coat of Jacksonville. After leaving the employ of Southeast Color Coat JONES and TOOLE did not meet again until they found themselves incarcerated together in the Duval County Jail in October 1983. On November 2, 1983 Det's HICKMAN and HOFFMAN interviewed JONES and at that time JONES informed them that he had lived near Young Circle in the City of Hollywood for about two months in the winter of 1981. The focus at the time of this statement was on conversations that TOOLE may have had with JONES in 1983 and the detectives did not pursue in detail what may have taken place between TOOLE and JONES in 1982.

A second statement was taken from Bobby Lee JONES by this investigator on September 16, 1996. During this statement JONES revealed that it was around July 1982 TOOLE first discussed the murder of a child who had been decapitated. According to JONES TOOLE also made references to locations in the City of Hollywood as well as Opa Locka and Overtown. On page 8 of JONES' statement he

tells of TOOLE telling him about an airport near a mental institution in Hollywood. Also on page 8 he speaks of TOOLE telling him of a park not far from Young Circle where TOOLE watched children all the time. TOOLE explained to JONES that you leave Young Circle and go near some convention center type place and then come to an Amtrak, go straight and turn to the right and there is some kind of little school and a park over there.

In an effort to corroborate these statements contact was made with Dolph Map Co., 430 N. Federal Highway, Fort Lauderdale and a 1980 Map of Greater Hollywood was obtained. Enclosure 1 is provided for reference and the record. It will be noted that this map shows Young Circle and in travelling west from there you next encounter City Hall. Continuing west is the Seaboard Coast Line which has an Amtrak Station on Hollywood Blvd. A short distance further west is the Hollywood Mall Shopping Center. One block west of the shopping center is David Park. Located adjacent to David Park on N. 35 Ave. and Taylor Street is Hollywood Hills United Methodist Church.

Theodora REECK has been the Director of Hollywood Hills United Methodist Church for the past twenty five years. Ms. REECK informed me that the pre-school has been in operation since 1964 and David Park has been there as long as she has. Ms. REECK mentioned that the park has undergone some renovations but there used to be a playground in the park which was used by the school's children.

Referring again to enclosure 1 if you travel west on Hollywood Blvd. you pass Circle Dr., where the Riverside Military Academy was located in 1980, and continuing west and passed the Florida Turnpike entrance you eventually come to N. Perry Airport. On the west side of the airport are the grounds of South Florida State Hospital.

It would appear that TOOLE's comments to JONES regarding the Hollywood area were accurate and indicate that he had a working knowledge of the area along Hollywood Blvd.

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cc: Det. M. Smith, Hollywood PD (with encl.)

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