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MS 2002-29 Orchid Cellmark O.J.
Simpson DNA Analysis Records

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Collection Overview

Repository:	National Anthropological Archives
Title:	MS 2002-29 Orchid Cellmark O.J. Simpson DNA Analysis Records
Identifier:	NAA.MS2002-29
Date:	1995
Extent:	2 Linear feet
Creator:	Orchid Cellmark
Language:	English

Administrative Information

Citation

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Biographical / Historical

Orchid Cellmark was hired by the prosecution to analyze DNA evidence from the O.J. Simpson trial. The California Department of Justice DNA Laboratory and Orchid Cellmark collectively analyzed more than 100 items of bloodstained evidence and eventually presented its findings to juries in both the criminal and civil trials.

Scope and Contents

This collection contains correspondence between the Los Angeles Police Department and Cellmark Diagnostics (now known as Orchid Cellmark) ; copies of autoradiographs of blood found at the crime scene; Cellmark's procedure manuals explaining how analysis was performed; evidence photographs; and reports.

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NAA MS 2002-29

Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Subjects:

DNA -- Analysis
DNA fingerprinting
Identification

Types of Materials:

Autoradiographs
Photographs

Names:

Simpson, O. J., 1947-