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Memorandum

TO : SAC (89-69)

DATE: 11/26/63

FROM : ASAC SYLVESTER

SUBJECT: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT KENNEDY
11/22/63
DALLAS

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He advised that we should determine by whatever investigation needed whether or not OSWALD was in New Orleans on 9/18/63 and it was very important that this be resolved by whatever means necessary. (U)

He requested a telephone call or teletype and it could be directed attention Division 5. (U)

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JOHN F. KENNEDY, 11/22/63,
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At 9:45 p.m., 11/26/63, Inspector ~~BON~~ MOORE of the Bureau called. He stated he had previously talked to ASAC SYLVESTER concerning establishing OSWALD's whereabouts on 9/18/63.

MOORE stated in this regard OSWALD obtained a 15-day tourist card to go to Mexico on 9/17/63 and in a New Orleans teletype MOORE noted there were 9 additional 15-day tourist cards and 9 additional 6-month tourist cards issued on the same date.

MOORE requested that New Orleans immediately identify the individuals who were issued the additional eighteen (18) 15-day and 6-month tourist permits and thereafter promptly interview them to see if they know OSWALD, whether OSWALD could have travelled to Mexico with them.

MOORE stated this was considered a long shot lead but the Bureau is quite anxious to establish OSWALD's whereabouts on 9/18/63 inasmuch as an allegation has been made that OSWALD was seen to receive a quantity of money at the Cuban Embassy in Mexico City on 9/18/63.

MOORE stated he had also previously asked SYLVESTER to check airlines out of New Orleans to determine if OSWALD could have flown from New Orleans to what MOORE has now determined to be Mexico City, although prior information indicated the city or country in question was Venezuela.

ASAC SYLVESTER then came on the line and indicated the plane check had been made and was negative insofar as Central and South America was concerned. It was not immediately known whether

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this check did include Mexico City. SYLVESTER advised MOORE it is quite late in New Orleans and that the airline personnel had been called away from their homes on one occasion today to obtain desired information and if this was to be done on 11/26/63 it would necessitate another such trip.

MOORE stated to make any additional airline checks first thing on the morning of 11/27/63.

While the above conversation was taking place, SA CALLENDER brought me a copy of the 302 setting forth identity of individuals issued above mentioned tourist permits. I advised MOORE that a number of these persons lived outside New Orleans territory.

After consideration MOORE stated teletypes should be dispatched tonight instructing offices covering residences outside the New Orleans territory to locate and interview such persons first thing on 11/27/63 and to sutel results of interviews to reach the Bureau 11/27/63 without fail, referring to MOORE's call to New Orleans and to mark the teletype "refer to Division V".

MOORE stated that insofar as such persons residing in New Orleans territory are concerned, that such inquiries should be made no later than early a.m., 11/27/63, and results furnished the Bureau by teletype with proper marking as described above.

MOORE also instructed that in an effort to determine OSWALD's whereabouts on 9/18/63 that the neighborhood source at OSWALD's former residence on Magazine Street be recontacted. It is also believed other neighbors should be contacted in an effort to develop some specific information as to the above date and any other dates such persons can recall.