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Re: JAMES HAWKINS

On November 23, 1963, the Baltimore Office advised as follows concerning JAMES HAWKINS:

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On July 24, 1963, the Maryland State Police reported that Corporal WALTER HOLOWCHAK, while off duty, talked to a man in a filling station in Laurel, Maryland, who stated he was en route to Washington from South Carolina to blow the President's head off because the President gave jobs to Negroes and he did not have one. The Maryland State Police located this individual on July 24, 1963 on Route #1, Laurel, Maryland, and he identified himself as JAMES HAWKINS, a white male, born August, 1941, 5'11", 150-160 pounds, slender build, sandy hair, residence Richmond, Virginia, no street address, occupation - carnival worker.

According to the Maryland State Police, HAWKINS was unarmed and he claimed to have been "just talking" when he made the above statement but admitted being "anti-Kennedy". HAWKINS was not held by the Maryland State Police.

On November 23, 1963, the following investigation was conducted by SA PATRICK J. CONNOR at Richmond, Virginia:

Sergeant H. C. BIRCKHEAD, Virginia State Police Headquarters, advised a search of their records failed to reflect any record identifiable with HAWKINS.

Mrs. PEARL DURHAM, Records Room, Richmond Police Department, advised her files contained no record identifiable with JAMES HAWKINS.

FRANK BERGEN, 4401 South Willetta Avenue, Proprietor of the World of Mirth Shows, Inc., and JOHN H. MARKS, 203 Oak Road, former proprietor of the John H. Marks Shows, advised their records contain no information concerning a carnival worker by the name of JAMES HAWKINS and he was unknown to them.

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