

To Quin Shea from Harold Weisberg, re JFK assassination records
Shifting Serials - Dallas Bulky

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Referrals

It is now more than a year and a half since the JFK assassination FOIA disclosures. Referrals of records to other agencies began a half year earlier. This is to say that referrals have not been acted on in two years, which does appear to be an unnecessarily long time, except for official stonewalling, which recognizes no time restrictions.

After our exchange of communications relating to unaccounted Dallas bulks this is the first of the FOI records relating to the shifting around of records I have come to. I therefore provide this "changed to" sheet relating to 62-10060-5127, which does lead to referrals.

As I have informed you, within my experience when these records are moved around there is a record indicating the location of the record after moving.

However, I do not recall the elimination of a Serial merely because it was an attachment elsewhere. That appears to have been the destiny of Serial 5127, indicated as "copy to" Serial 5112, an earlier Serial.

This therefore attracted my interest.

It turns out that I have not been provided with 5112. It was referred to State.

The worksheet is not entirely legible. As best I can make it out the description is of a Manila telegram. That was referred to State.

If as far as the time is possible this relates to the deportation under a false name of a seemingly crazy Puerto Rican whose name I think is Gonzales - he wound up in Manila - then the amount of public attention to this business leaves little doubt that nothing relating to it is not within the public domain.

I did appeal denial by referral. I also made a special appeal relating to classified records. Isn't more than a year after appeal of records that were referred two years ago enough time?