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TO : Mr. Gallagher

DATE: 2/25/77

FROM : J. S. Peelman

- 1 - Mr. Adams
- 1 - Mr. Gallagher
- 1 - Mr. Ingram
- 1 - Mr. Peelman
- 1 - Mr. [REDACTED]
- 1 - Mr. [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT
 JOHN F. KENNEDY
 11/22/63
 DALLAS, TEXAS

PURPOSE: To advise of a JFK cover-up conspiracy theory recently received in the Baltimore Division involving Secret Service, FBI, Attorney General Kennedy, Kennedy family, and unknown Government officials.

SYNOPSIS: --Baltimore Division has advised of information received that [REDACTED] gun dealer, Towson, Maryland, has developed theory that while Lee Harvey Oswald did fire at President Kennedy, the fatal head wound received by Kennedy was fired, accidentally, by "Secret Service Agent" Kenneth O'Donnell (O'Donnell is in fact the former Presidential Assistant to John F. Kennedy) and that the Kennedy family and the highest Government officials in the country have hidden these true facts. [REDACTED] indicated that a feature story relating to his information will appear in the Baltimore Sun papers within the next 30 days but that Donohue will at this time make available to the FBI all of his research material and data.

RECOMMENDATION: (1) That no attempt be made to obtain this research material from [REDACTED] prior to the release of the story by the Baltimore Sun since:

(a) [REDACTED] bizarre theory of limitless conspiracy proportions is the synthesis of investigative and historical fact. ST-126

(b) [REDACTED] while expressing his current concern for the reputation of the FBI, made no attempt to furnish his theory to the FBI prior to making his material available to the Baltimore Sun.

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(c) Any immediate interest by the FBI in this research material could be construed as adding credibility to this theory.

(2) That the information furnished by the Baltimore Division be disseminated to the Criminal Division, Department of Justice, and to Secret Service Headquarters in view of the fact that this theory may be published in the near future.

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DETAILS: By teletype to FBIHQ dated 2/23/77, (attached), Baltimore Division advised that [redacted], a Towson, Maryland gun dealer, has developed the theory that while Lee Harvey Oswald did fire at President Kennedy, the fatal shot, the head wound suffered by John F. Kennedy, was in fact fired accidentally by a Secret Service Agent named Kenneth O'Donnell, riding in the follow-up car. This shot, according to [redacted] was fired in the general direction of the 'grassy knoll' which was located in front of the Kennedy car and that the driver of this car, Secret Service Agent Emory Roberts, felt the shot go over his head. [redacted] concludes that the Kennedy family and the highest Government officials decided to cover up the true facts and that Attorney General Robert Kennedy ordered the Secret Service and the FBI to cover up this matter.

Review of pertinent files and related material at FBIHQ reveals the following pertaining to the follow-up car to President Kennedy's limousine:

The driver of this vehicle was Secret Service Agent (SA) Samuel Kinney; Assistant Agent in Charge (ATSAIC) Emory Roberts was in the right front seat; Mr. Kenneth O'Donnell, Special Assistant to the President, Presidential Appointments Secretary, was in the left jump-seat; Mr. David Powers, White House Staff, was in the right jump-seat; SA George Hickey, left rear seat; SA Glen Bennett, right rear seat; SA Clinton

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Hill, left front running board; SA William McIntyre, left rear running board; SA John Ready, right front running board; SA Paul Landis, right rear running board. There was no Secret Service Agent named O'Donnell in the Dallas contingent.

The follow-up vehicle did carry one AR-15 rifle which was "cocked and loaded" by SA Hickey when Mr. Kennedy was hit. When interviewed, all of the occupants of the follow-up vehicle indicated that they believed the shots were fired from the "right rear" and Hickey stood up in the vehicle and faced in that direction. No shots were fired from the follow-up vehicle.

A review of the Zapruder film confirms that at the time the head wound was inflicted, the "grassy knoll" was not "ahead of the President" but at an elevated direct right angle to the Presidential vehicle. Additionally, the position of the President's head, turned to the left and slumped on his chest, negates [redacted] theory of the fatal bullet being fired from the left rear. Additionally, a review of the testimony of Commander James Humes, Senior Pathologist, Bethesda Naval Hospital, before the Warren Commission concerning the fatal head wound (Exhibit 388) indicate that the characteristics of this wound are not consistent with the characteristics of a wound inflicted by a bullet fired from an AR-15.

Most witnesses agree that they heard three shots fired. Three shell cases were found at the sixth floor window, southeast corner of the Texas Book Depository, and were identified as having been fired from the rifle which was also found on the sixth floor of the Texas Book Depository.

Finally, the conspiracy as outlined by Mr. [redacted] would of its very nature have to have enveloped not only the highest echelons of Government and various federal, state, and local agencies and the individual citizens of Dallas who viewed the motorcade in the vicinity of the Texas Book Depository at the time of the assassination, but also the members of the Warren Commission and other Congressional committees, innumerable researchers, scholars, and interested citizens subsequent to the assassination of John F. Kennedy more than 13 years ago.

Bufiles contain no information pertaining to Donohue based upon available identifying data.

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ATTENTION: GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION, ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY, NOVEMBER 22, 1963, DALLAS, TEXAS; AFI

RE BALTIMORE TELEPHONE CALL TO BUREAU, FEBRUARY 22, 1977.

ON FEBRUARY 19, 1977, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] TOWSON,

MARYLAND, TELEPHONE 825-1776, CONTACTED SA [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] OF THE BALTIMORE DIVISION IN PERSON AND FURNISHED

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

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[REDACTED] ADVISED THAT FOR THE PAST NINE YEARS SINCE

THE ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY, HE HAS BEEN

GATHERING BITS AND PIECES OF INFORMATION MORE OR LESS AS A

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Rec'd by Mr. Salinger
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HOBBS IN AN EFFORT TO EXPLAIN THE CIRCUMSTANCES OF THE ASSASSINATION.

[REDACTED] ADVISED THAT SHORTLY AFTER THE PRESIDENT WAS SHOT, HE WAS CONTACTED BY A FRIEND ASSOCIATED WITH WHITE LABORATORIES, GREENBELT, MARYLAND, WHO ASKED [REDACTED] TO COME TO WHITE LABORATORIES AND CONDUCT VARIOUS TESTS FOR THE LABORATORY TO INCLUDE THE FIRING OF A WEAPON SIMILAR TO THE ASSASSINATION WEAPON USED BY LEE HARVEY OSWALD.

[REDACTED] AGREED TO DO THE VARIOUS EXPERIMENTS AND DEMONSTRATIONS AND DURING THE COURSE OF HIS WORK WITH WHITE LABORATORIES HAD OCCASION TO TALK TO NUMEROUS FBI AND SECRET SERVICE AGENTS INCLUDED IN THE INVESTIGATION OF THIS MATTER.

[REDACTED] SUCCESSFULLY FIRED THE OSWALD RIFLE PROTOTYPE IN THE ALLOTTED TIME PERIOD AND PROVED THAT THE ASSASSINATION WEAPON COULD HAVE BEEN FIRED BY A SKILLED MARKSMAN AT THE DISTANCE AND TIME FRAME INVOLVED.

[REDACTED] ADVISED THAT AS A RESULT OF HIS WHITE LABORATORIES EXPERIENCE, HE CONTINUED HIS EFFORTS TO UNCOVER THE TRUE CIRCUMSTANCES OF THE ASSASSINATION AND DURING THE COURSE OF TIME ARRIVED AT THE THEORY THAT WHILE LEE HARVEY

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OSWALD DID, IN FACT, FIRE THE 6.5 MM CARCANO CARBINE, THE SHOT THAT BLEW OFF HALF OF THE PRESIDENT'S HEAD WAS FIRED BY A HIGH VELOCITY SMALL CALIBER WEAPON SUCH AS 223 CALIBER M-16 TYPICAL OF THE WEAPONS THEN BEING USED BY THE SECRET SERVICE. [REDACTED] ADVISED THAT HE IS OF THE OPINION THAT A SECRET SERVICE AGENT NAMED KENNETH O'DONNELL WHO WAS SITUATED IN A CAR DIRECTLY BEHIND THE PRESIDENT'S CAR, IN THE REAR SEAT, STOOD UP IN THE REAR SEAT OF THE CAR WITH A M-16 OR THE SHORTENED KAR 15 VERSION OF THE M-16, AND FIRED ONE OR MORE SHOTS DIRECTLY AHEAD OF HIS CAR IN THE GENERAL DIRECTION OF THE "GRASSY KNOLL" WHICH WAS AHEAD OF THE KENNEDY CAR. [REDACTED] ADVISED THAT O'DONNELL IS THE SECRET SERVICE AGENT MOST LIKELY TO HAVE FIRED THE SHOTS BUT THAT SECRET SERVICE AGENT GEORGE HICKEY WAS ALSO IN THE BACK SEAT WITH O'DONNELL AND MAY HAVE FIRED THE SHOTS ALSO. [REDACTED] ADVISED THAT THE DRIVER OF THE SECRET SERVICE CAR WAS AGENT EMERY ROBERTS, A FORMER BALTIMORE COUNTY POLICE OFFICER FROM TOWSON, MARYLAND. ROBERTS HEARD AND FELT THE SHOT GO OVER HIS HEAD AND WAS HEARD BY WITNESSES TO EXCLAIM, "FOR CHRIST SAKE, IF WE HAVEN'T KILLED HIM ALREADY DON'T START NOW."

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[REDACTED] ADVISED THAT THIS ACT WAS PURELY ACCIDENTAL DONE IN PANIC BY THE SECRET SERVICE AGENT INVOLVED AND THAT THE KENNEDY FAMILY WAS APPRAISED OF THE TRUTH OF THE MATTER AND THAT IT WAS DECIDED BY THE HIGHEST OFFICIALS OF THE COUNTRY AT THE TIME THAT THE TRUTH SHOULD BE COVERED UP TO SPARE THE SECRET SERVICE THE EMBARRASSMENT AND TO SPARE THE AGENT INVOLVED FURTHER PAIN AND ANGUISH AS THIS INDIVIDUAL REPORTEDLY HAD A MENTAL BREAKDOWN FOLLOWING THE INCIDENT AND LEFT THE SECRET SERVICE. [REDACTED] STATED THAT THE ATTORNEY GENERAL OF THE UNITED STATES, ROBERT KENNEDY, WAS AWARE OF ALL THE FACTS RELATING TO THIS INCIDENT AND ORDERED THE FBI AND THE SECRET SERVICE TO COVER THE MATTER UP AS THE TENURE OF THE TIMES WOULD HAVE MADE THE STORY UNBELIEVABLE AND UNACCEPTABLE TO THE MAJORITY OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE.

IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT [REDACTED] OF THE BALTIMORE DIVISION DID NOT GO INTO A DETAILED INTERVIEW OF [REDACTED] AT THIS TIME BUT NOTED THAT [REDACTED] HAS AN EXTENSIVE PILE OF REFERENCE MATERIAL AND RECORDS WHICH HE HAS ACCUMULATED OVER THE COURSE OF THE LAST SEVERAL YEARS. IT SHOULD ALSO

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BE NOTED THAT [REDACTED] DESCRIBED AS WHITE, MALE, AGE APPROXIMATELY 55, SELF-EMPLOYED, IS GENERALLY REGARDED IN THE BALTIMORE AREA AS AN EXPERT IN WEAPONS AND BALLISTICS AND HAS APPEARED IN FEDERAL AND LOCAL COURT MANY TIMES AS AN EXPERT WITNESS FOR ATF, DEA, THE MARYLAND STATE POLICE, AND VARIOUS CITY AND COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENTS. [REDACTED] HAS ALSO APPEARED ON TELEVISION IN THE BALTIMORE AREA A NUMBER OF TIMES TO DEBATE THE GUN CONTROL ISSUE WITH VARIOUS BALTIMORE POLITICIANS AND NOTABLES. [REDACTED] IS HIGHLY REGARDED IN HIS FIELD AND IS NOT GENERALLY CONSIDERED TO BE ECCENTRIC.

[REDACTED] ADVISED THAT HE WAS BRINGING THIS MATTER TO THE ATTENTION OF [REDACTED] INASMUCH AS HE HAS KNOWN [REDACTED] AND A NUMBER OF OTHER FBI AGENTS IN THE BALTIMORE DIVISION FOR SEVERAL YEARS AND DOES NOT WISH TO DO ANYTHING THAT MIGHT INJURE THE REPUTATION OF THE FBI, HOWEVER, [REDACTED] HAS BEEN IN CONTACT WITH RALPH REPERT, FEATURE WRITER FOR THE BALTIMORE SUN PAPERS, OFFICE 332-6610, HOME 321-6130, AND IS A CLOSE PERSONAL FRIEND OF GARY BLACK, EDITOR OF THE SUN PAPERS. [REDACTED] ADVISED THAT A FEATURE STORY ON HIS

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THEORY IS IN THE PROCESS OF BEING WRITTEN BY THE SUN PAPERS AND WILL BE RELEASED SOMETIME WITHIN THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS.

[REDACTED] BELIEVES THAT THIS WILL BE FRONT-PAGE NEWS ON EVERY MAJOR NEWSPAPER IN THE COUNTRY.

[REDACTED] FURTHER ADVISED THAT HE IS WILLING TO COOPERATE WITH THE FBI IN THIS MATTER IN ANY WAY POSSIBLE TO INCLUDE MAKING AVAILABLE ALL OF HIS RESEARCH MATERIAL AND DATA, AND HAS IN HIS POSSESSION AT THIS TIME THE ROUGH DRAFT STORY WHICH HE WILL ALSO MAKE AVAILABLE TO THE FBI SHOULD THE FBI DESIRE TO SEE IT.

AS PER BUREAU INSTRUCTIONS OF FEBRUARY 22, 1977, NO FURTHER ACTION IN THIS MATTER IS BEING TAKEN BY THE BALTIMORE DIVISION UNLESS ADVISED TO THE CONTRARY BY THE BUREAU.

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Airtel

1 - Mr. Peelman
1 - Mr. [REDACTED]

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1 - Mr. [REDACTED]

To: SACs, Dallas (89-43)
Houston (62-2115)

PERSONAL ATTENTION

From: Director, FBI (62-109060)

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT
JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY
11/22/63, DALLAS, TEXAS
OO: DALLAS

Re Bureau airtel to Dallas and Houston dated
January-5, 1977, and Butelcals to Dallas, February 10 and 25,
1977.

Referenced airtel instructed Dallas and Houston to
conduct investigation in an effort to resolve allegations of
[REDACTED] Referenced telephone calls to Dallas
inquired about Dallas and Houston progress in this matter.

It is imperative that FBIHQ provide the Criminal
Division, Department of Justice, with results of investigation
into allegations re captioned matter in a timely fashion.

When possible, FBIHQ has refrained from establishing
inflexible deadlines in captioned matter. However, good
judgment should take cognizance of current Congressional and
national interest in the John F. Kennedy assassination and
should dictate expeditious handling of all matters arising
under the Assassination of President John F. Kennedy caption.

Houston, if not already accomplished, will promptly
submit available results to Dallas.

Dallas, upon receipt of Houston's results, will
promptly report investigation conducted thus far in form
suitable for dissemination.

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MAIL ROOM TELETYPE UNIT

Airtel to SACs, Dallas and Houston
Re: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY

NOTE: Mobile airtel and LHM dated 12/23/76 advised that [REDACTED] a U. S. Citizen convicted of murder in [REDACTED], whose sentence was commuted from [REDACTED] to life imprisonment, alleges that shortly before the JFK assassination, he transported \$100,000 from Houston to Dallas, Texas, and delivered same to Lee Harvey Oswald and James Holland. He claims he did this at the behest of Bob Rose with Attorney Scott present. He also claims knowledge of organized crime burial ground locations. Allegations re: the JFK assassination are essentially the same as previously stated by [REDACTED] during 8/75. Past investigative efforts by Dallas and Houston to resolve these allegations were primarily limited to contact of alleged co-conspirators and their subsequent denials. Bufile [REDACTED] captioned, [REDACTED] Foreign Police Cooperation, sets forth [REDACTED] details of Moore's involvement in murder charges in [REDACTED]. Bufiles reflect Dallas and Houston are in possession of referenced airtels and LHMs. Referenced 1/5/77 airtel instructed Dallas and Houston to conduct investigation involving extant business, employment, and public source records concerning [REDACTED] and the Attorney Scott in an effort to resolve the allegations. This is to confirm instructions furnished to Dallas during 2/25/77 Butelcal to submit results of investigation expeditiously and also to instruct Houston to furnish Dallas with results of its investigation.

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ATTENTION PLEASE: LOCAL BUSINESS

FROM:

POST OFFICE BOX 4
SAN LUIS OBISPO, CA
SENT FEBRUARY 11 1977

THIS LETTER IS CONFIDENTIAL AND IS NOT TO BE READ BY ANY OTHER PERSON:

FOUR GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS OF THIS LETTER WERE NAILED TO THE FOLLOWING NAMES:

EDWARD W. FENNEY - SENATOR - STATE OF MASSACHUSETTS. (A MAN BEING HELD IN
GAIL THIEL - U.S. ATTORNEY GENERAL. (I SIMPLY WISH THIS MAN IS FOR
JACK KELLY - DIRECTOR - FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION. (I KNOW AND
RICH W. HELMS - FORMER DIRECTOR - U.S. CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY. (O

THE ORIGINAL COPY OF THIS LETTER WAS NAILED TO THE FOLLOWING NAME:

MR. JIMMY (PEANUTS) CARTER
PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES
PRESIDENT'S WHITE HOUSE OFFICE
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510

IT IS NICE TO HAVE A MESSAGE SITTING IN THE PRESIDENT'S HIGH CHAIR AGAIN:

DEAR MR. PRESIDENT:

ON FEBRUARY THE 11TH, 1977, I MAILED YOU THE ORIGINAL COPY OF A LETTER WHICH WAS SENT TO FOUR GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS. THAT LETTER SHOULD BE IN YOUR POSSESSION BY NOW. THE LETTER CONCERNED MY REMOVAL FROM A CALIFORNIA STATE PRISON WHERE I AM PRESENTLY INCARCERATED, TO BE TRANSPORTED TO THE FEDERAL BUILDING DOWN IN LOS ANGELES, SO THAT I COULD HAVE A DISCUSSION WITH THE REGIONAL DIRECTORS, BOTH THE C. I. A. AND F. B. I. CONCERNING THE ASSASSINATIONS OF BOTH JOHN F. KENNEDY, AND HIS BROTHER, ROBERT F. KENNEDY. THE FOUR GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS WERE NAMED IN MY LETTER OF FEBRUARY THE 11TH, 1977. DUE TO THEIR FAILURES TO MAKE THE ARRANGEMENTS THAT I ASKED FOR, TO PULL ME OUT OF PRISON, I AM NOW DELEGATING THIS MATTER TO YOU. I SIMPLY HOPE THAT YOU CAN DO SOMETHING TO STRAIGHTEN THOSE OFFICIALS OUT...

DE-52 REC-47 6-10-77

DID YOU RECEIVE SUCH A LETTER, AND IF SO, HAVE YOU CONTACTED SENATOR KENNEDY REGARDING THIS MATTER? IT IS MY DESIRE TO SPEAK PERSONALLY WITH SENATOR KENNEDY, AND THE OTHER GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS NOW ARE NAMED ABOVE, REGARDING INFORMATION ON THE ASSASSINATIONS OF BOTH JOHN F. KENNEDY, AND ROBERT F. KENNEDY. BE ASSURED THE INFORMATION IS RELIABLE, AND MY REMOVAL FROM PRISON, AND A MEETING IS REQUIRED IN ORDER TO FINALLY ME TO OBTAIN DOCUMENTED PROOF, REGARDING THE ASSASSINATIONS. I AM ASKING YOU TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS WITH SENATOR KENNEDY, FOR A CONFIDENTIAL AND VERY IMMEDIATE REMOVAL FROM THIS CALIFORNIA PRISON, AND BE TRANSPORTED TO WASHINGTON, TO DISCUSS THIS MATTER WITH YOU, AND THE ABOVE NAMED GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS. I HAVE ALREADY GIVEN SENATOR KENNEDY, SOME CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION IN REGARDS TO THINGS CONCERNING THE ASSASSINATIONS OF HIS TWO BROTHERS, BUT, I DON'T BELIEVE THAT HE HAS BEEN ABLE TO FIGURE OUT THE NAVIGATION AND SAILING LESSONS WHICH I TAUGHT HIM A LONG TIME AGO. THEREFORE MR. PRESIDENT, ARRANGEMENTS SHOULD BE MADE FOR ALL OF US TO GET TOGETHER RIGHT AWAY, FOR A PERSONAL, PRIVATE, CONFIDENTIAL MEETING IN THE WHITE HOUSE OFFICE, YOURS IF POSSIBLE. SENATOR KENNEDY, HAS A PICTURE OF MY TRUCK I SENT TO HIM FOR IDENTIFICATION, MAYBE HE WILL SHOW IT TO YOU MR. PRESIDENT. AND JUST MAYBE YOU CAN TELL WHAT MY LINE OF WORK WAS, NOT MILITARY, MERCENARY...

MR. PRESIDENT, PLEASE MOVE VERY QUIETLY AND DISCREETLY ON THIS MATTER. MAYBE I SHOULD WARN YOU, I ALREADY HAVE A \$25,000.00 PRICE TAG ON MY HEAD, BECAUSE SOME GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS MIS-USED INFORMATION I GAVE THEM BEFORE. A VERY CLOSE FRIEND OF MINE HAS ALREADY BEEN KILLED, DUE TO THE MISHANDLING OF THIS MATTER. HE HAD A VERY BEAUTIFUL WIFE AND TWO CHILDREN, NOW THEY HAVE NO FATHER. MOVE WITH CARE...

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I KNOW THAT YOU A WISE MUST HAVE MR. PRESIDENT, AND IF I DID NOT KNOW SOME
A FACT THAT MY INFORMATION IS RELIABLE AND CAN BE PROVED, I WOULD NOT ASK YOU TO
MAKE ARRANGEMENTS WITH SENATOR EDWARD M. KENNEDY, TO PULL ME OUT OF PRISON FOR A
PERSONAL, PRIVATE, CONFIDENTIAL TALK, IN YOUR WHITE HOUSE OFFICE. WHAT I HAVE IS
GOOD HONEST INFORMATION MR. PRESIDENT, INFORMATION THAT I CAN PROVE, IF I HAVE A
LITTLE HONEST HELP FROM SOME HONEST GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS. SINCERELY...

I AM GOING TO CLOSE THIS LETTER FOR YOU MR. PRESIDENT, AND, AWAIT YOUR REPLY.
I SINCERELY HOPE THAT YOU WILL GET TOGETHER WITH SENATOR KENNEDY, ON THIS MATTER
RIGHT AWAY. PLEASE TELL SENATOR KENNEDY, THAT RAYMOND LUCKY THOMAS, SAYS THAT HE
SHOULD STAY AWAY FROM THE WEST COAST, UNLESS HE IS WELL PROTECTED AT ALL TIMES. I
KNOW FOR A FACT, THAT THERE IS A \$200,000.00 GIFT-CONTRACT ON HIM, PAYABLE TO ANY
ONE WHO ASSASSINATES, HITS, PLAYS, MURDERS, SENATOR EDWARD M. KENNEDY. AND I HAVE
REASON TO BELIEVE, THAT SOMEBODY HAS ALREADY TRIED TO KILL HIM TWICE. TELL HIM TO
STAY THE HELL OUT OF CALIFORNIA, AND NEVADA AREAS, HE COULD GET SHOT.

THANK YOU SINCERELY FOR YOUR PERSONAL ATTENTION REGARDING THIS LETTER. PLEASE
DO NOT LET IT OUT OF YOUR PERSONAL HANDS. I SINCERELY HOPE YOU GET TOGETHER WITH
SENATOR EDWARD M. KENNEDY, AND PULL ME OUT OF HERE SOON, VERY VERY SOON. PLEASE,
DO NOT FORGARN CALIFORNIA GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS, IF YOU DECIDE TO PULL ME OUT FOR
A PERSONAL, PRIVATE, CONFIDENTIAL TALK, KEEP ANY MOVE CONFIDENTIAL. I DO NOT WANT
ANY OF THEM TO HAVE A CHANCE TO COVER UP ANY OF THEIR GAME PLAYING...

BELOW YOU WILL FIND THE NAMES OF TWO GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS. IF YOU SHOULD WANT
TO CONTACT THEM REGARDING ME, PLEASE FEEL FREE TO DO SO, ASK THEM QUESTIONS ABOUT
ME IF YOU WANT ANY INFORMATION ON ME. BELOW YOU WILL ALSO FIND THE NAMES OF BOTH
MEMBERS OF MY FAMILY, MY STEP-FATHER, AND MY MOTHER, SHOULD YOU WISH TO CONTACT
EITHER OF THEM PLEASE DO SO, FEEL FREE TO ASK THEM QUESTIONS MR. PRESIDENT, THEY
JUST MIGHT AS WELL BE QUESTIONED. I WONDER, WILL THEY ANSWER YOUR QUESTIONS...

VERY TRULY YOURS, SINCERELY, CIAO,

[REDACTED]

2/10/77

HONORABLE: PAUL G. BRECKENRIDGE JR.
SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE - LOS ANGELES COUNTY
CHAMBERS OF JUDGE BRECKENRIDGE JR.
HALL OF JUSTICE
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA - 90012

MANSFIELD - SANTA MARIA RESIDENT AGENT
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
120 WEST CYPRESS STREET
SANTA MARIA, CALIFORNIA - 93454

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COSTA MESA, CALIFORNIA - 92626

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

*File
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TO : Assistant Attorney General
CRIMINAL DIVISION, GENERAL CRIMES SECTION

DATE: 2/23/77

FROM : Director, FBI

SUBJECT: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY,
NOVEMBER 22, 1963, DALLAS, TEXAS, MISCELLANEOUS -
INFORMATION CONCERNING

Reference is made to _____ memorandum dated _____
(your file _____).

There is enclosed one copy of the report of Special Agent _____ letter
dated 2/10/77 addressed to MR. JACK KELLY and its envelope.

- A. This covers the preliminary investigation and no further action concerning a full investigation will be taken by this Bureau unless the Department so directs.
- B. The investigation is continuing and you will be furnished copies of reports as they are received.
- C. The investigation requested by you has now been completed. Unless advised to the contrary no further inquiries will be made by this Bureau.
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SEE NOTE ATTACHED.

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NOTE:

[REDACTED] was interviewed by an FBI Agent on 1/3/64 concerning his knowledge of a plan to assassinate then Attorney General ROBERT KENNEDY. At the time of interview [REDACTED] was on "Condemned Row" at [REDACTED] Prison, California where he was received 12/5/62, convicted of first degree murder, thirteen counts robbery and two counts kidnap to commit robbery and under sentence of death. This information appears in the Dallas report of SA ROBERT P. GEMBERLING dated [REDACTED] and titled ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY, NOVEMBER 22, 1963, DALLAS, TEXAS, MISCELLANEOUS - INFORMATION CONCERNING [REDACTED]. Copies of the report were furnished to the Department and Secret Service.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-109060)

FROM: SAC, SAN ANTONIO (89-67) (RUC)

RE: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT
JOHN F. KENNEDY,
11/22/63, DALLAS, TEXAS

OO: DALLAS

ReBuairtel to SA 1/6/77.

Enclosed for the Bureau are four copies of an LHM reflecting contact with Mr. [redacted] of Dripping Springs, Texas. Two copies of this LHM being furnished to Dallas as Office of Origin.

For information, the San Antonio file 47-[redacted] has been destroyed but, as shown in the enclosed LHM, [redacted] apparently was the subject of that case in which Houston was origin (HO file 47-[redacted]).

Prior to contacting [redacted] on 2/17/77, numerous attempts were made to locate and interview [redacted] between January 10 and February 17, 1977. During the course of those earlier attempts, information was developed from townspeople and neighbors at Dripping Springs, Texas, all of whom requested confidentiality, which indicated that [redacted] was known as the "local crackpot." Apparently, [redacted] has filed suit or made complaints against the U.S. Post Office,

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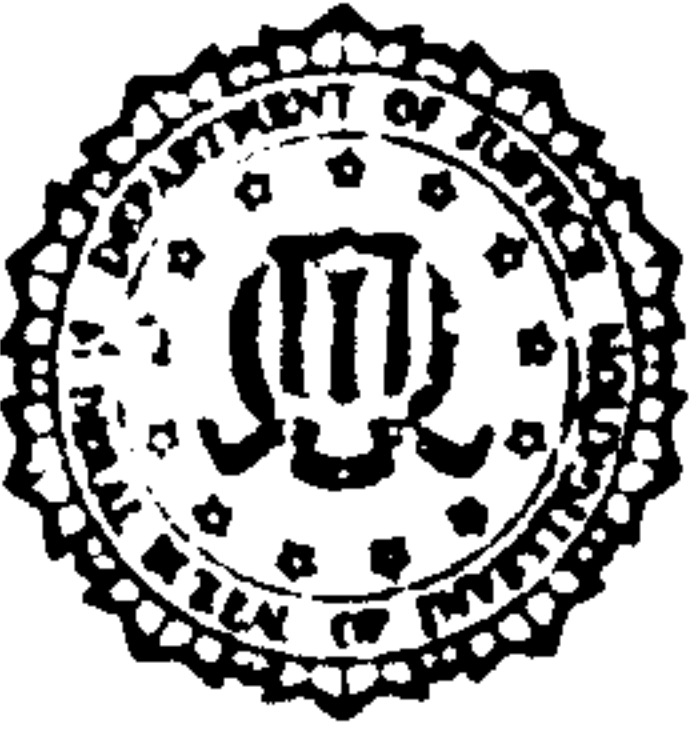
the town of Dripping Springs, the County Road Maintenance Division, as well as numerous individuals. The majority of his complaints appeared to stem from paranoia and indicate that everyone is out to take away his property or in some way invade his privacy.

Persons in Dripping Springs who have been acquainted with [redacted] for some time advised that he is full of wild tales and claims himself important, but recommend lending no credence to any of his statements or claims.

Based on Mr. [redacted] statement that all information concerning captioned matter as well as allegations against the FBI and CIA are on file in Washington, D.C., San Antonio is conducting no further investigation and recommends that the Bureau, through appropriate liaison, attempt to obtain or review the information [redacted] claims is on file with Senators BAKER, SCHWEIKER, and CHURCH, or Congressman GONZALES.

The Agent conducting this investigation at Dripping Springs, Texas, was SA [redacted]

*No further action unless requested
by the department 3/9/77 dyl*



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

San Antonio, Texas

March 3, 1977

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT
JOHN F. KENNEDY
November 22, 1963,
Dallas, Texas

Mr. [REDACTED] Route 1-A, Box [REDACTED] Dripping Springs, Texas, furnished the following information during interview at his residence, which is located approximately five and one-half miles north of Dripping Springs. Mr. [REDACTED] advised that he understood the purpose of the interview was to solicit any information he possessed regarding Lee Harvey Oswald, Fidel Castro, and the assassination of President Kennedy, as well as any information he might be willing to furnish regarding the allegations made by him that the former Directors of the FBI and CIA had denied payments of \$25,000.00 to him.

Mr. [REDACTED] apologized for not being available for interview at an earlier date, stating that he had been hospitalized a great deal during the past year and especially in the recent past. He then furnished the following information:

Referring to his letter dated December 12, 1976, which was directed to Mr. Roland L. Elliott, Director of Correspondence for President Ford, Mr. [REDACTED] advised that all of the information referred to in that letter has already been provided by him to Senators Schweiker and Baker of the U.S. Senate. [REDACTED] stated that he had furnished the pertinent information to the above-named Senators in writing and through telephonic contact. He advised that this information contains specific facts, dates,

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and identities of individuals, which specifically pertain to the Kennedy assassination, as well as to his allegations that the FBI and CIA promised to pay him \$25,000.00 for information previously furnished regarding what Mr. [REDACTED] described as the "Mexican uprising along the Texas border, 1955-1965."

Mr. [REDACTED] re-affirmed that he has been threatened by the FBI and the CIA, but refused to identify the names of any employee with either of those agencies who threatened him. He stated that this information was on file with Senator Schweiker and Senator Baker and also claimed to be personally well acquainted with Congressman Gonzales of San Antonio, Congressman "Tip" O'Neil, and with Mr. Sprague, who was associated as a prosecutor and investigator with certain Senate Investigating Committees.

[REDACTED] claimed that, after becoming aware of the FBI's interest in interviewing him, he telephonically contacted the offices of Senator Schweiker and Baker within the past two or three days and claims to have been told by the personal secretaries of these two Senators that he should not discuss this information with anybody at this time. He was told during these telephone contacts that the Senators would review his information and have it verified and also was told that the Senators would probably wish to interview him in person.

[REDACTED] claimed that, based on the instructions he had received from the Senators, he did not wish to detail the information at this time to the FBI. He added that he feels that it is unnecessary for the FBI to interview him at Dripping Springs in that all available information has already been referred to the proper authorities in Washington, D.C., and will probably be given to Congressman Gonzales to include in his re-opened investigation of the Kennedy assassination.

Mr. [REDACTED] would furnish no additional information which was pertinent to the Kennedy assassination except to state that there were four other men involved other than Lee Harvey Oswald.

He also alleged that he had been consulted by the Senate Select Committee, which had conducted investigation

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JOHN F. KENNEDY

into the FBI-CIA activities, and which had been headed by Senator Church. He advised that he had furnished information regarding monetary obligations of the FBI and CIA to him as well as threats made against him by those agencies to the Church Committee. [REDACTED] would not furnish further specific details and would not describe his previous alleged contacts with the FBI or CIA, or the source of or his access to the information concerning the Kennedy assassination.

No additional information was obtained from Mr. [REDACTED] concerning the allegations made in his letter of December 12, 1976. The interview was concluded with [REDACTED] again recommending that his information be obtained, verified and corroborated from Senators Baker, Schweiker and Church, as well as Congressman Gonzales, all of whom could be located at Washington, D.C.

In addition to the above information, the following background was obtained regarding [REDACTED] and this information was volunteered by [REDACTED] during the course of the interview.

[REDACTED] claimed to be a self-trained geologist, surveyor, attorney and criminal investigator. He acknowledged that he had primarily made his living through employment with land title companies as a surveyor or title searcher but stated that this was just a "cover" for other, more diversified, sophisticated work and avocations. He also stated that he was a member of the International Association of Police Investigators and implied that he was retained by Interpol. Initially, [REDACTED] denied ever being the subject or suspect in any criminal investigations, but later admitted being involved in one FBI investigation in South Texas while he resided at Victoria and Kingsville, Texas. This occurred during 1955, but [REDACTED] stated that the entire case was "trumped up" by those involved in the above-described Mexican uprising. He would not discuss any details of this alleged uprising.

Mr. [REDACTED] gave his full name as [REDACTED] born October 3, 1905, at Goliad County, Texas, Social Security Account No. [REDACTED]

December 12, 1976

Subjective: To the refusal or rejecting there - - - obligations to pay me \$25,000 dollars for the information they needed badly, regardless pertaining to the Mexican uprising along the Texas border from 1955 to 1965. While I was working for an Oil Company from Houston, Texas, and checking the old original Spanish land-grants, bordering the Rio Grande River. When I was approached by the C.I.A. and then later by the F.B.I. in Rio Grande City, Starr County, Texas. Other words this was the early beginning of the C.I.A. Of foreign affairs, or intervention, or acts of interference of other Countries.

ENCLOSURE

Re: To Richard S. Schweiker, United States Senator, & Howard H. Baker, Jr. U.S. Senator, Vice Chairman of the Committee.

Mr. Roland L. Elliott
Director of Correspondence
For President. Ford.

Dear Mr. Elliott:

I want to thank you & the President Ford, for corroborating with my "wife's request". And your letter dated December 2, 1976. And we, "received a letter from the Department of Justice, Washington 20530, & dated December 8, 1976. After the review of the facts related therein fails to indicate a matter involving Federal Law. Signed, Robert J. Havel. Director of Public Information.

For your personal information, President Ford, to know I am the only person who had more to back the re-open of Jack Kennedy's investigation pertaining to his assassination in Dallas, Texas on November 22, 1963. After contacting the mentioned two Senators, you will find out the truth and facts, regarding the \$25,000 dollars, which I was denied by J. Edgar Hoover, and Helms of the C.I.A. It has been twenty-years. And I am reaching age whereby I need this money. I am over 71 years of age.

Furthermore my life was threat 5 times, by the F.B.I. & C.I.A. If I ever released, or conveyance these facts. Or sell this information to any "Newspaper or any publishing Company". I would be killed. By checking with the two Senators, and see the information I sent to Richard S. Schweiker, and Howard H. Baker, Jr, as being United States Senators.

It would be greatly appreciated if the President Ford see to it, I am paid for my work, plus, punitive damages or inflicting such punishment over twenty-years. And furthermore I am under the Doctors care, and after the first of years I am due a major-operation, and I have been a very patriotic person. And being a true Republican.

Sincerely,

[Redacted Signature]

Star No. [Redacted] Box [Redacted]
Dripping Springs, Texas, 78840

Austin, Texas
Phone No. [Redacted]

[Redacted]

United States Senate

COMMITTEE ON
INTERNAL SECURITY
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20540

November 4, 1976

To: [Redacted]
[Redacted]
[Redacted]
[Redacted]

Dear Mr. [Redacted]:

One of my staff has informed me of your telephone call and the information that you wish to send my office.

Since I am not a member of the standing Senate Intelligence Committee, I suggest that you contact one of the Senators on the committee with your information. The Republican Senators on the Intelligence Committee are Clifford Case of New Jersey; Strom Thurmond of South Carolina; Mark Hatfield of Oregon; Barry Goldwater of Arizona; Robert Stafford of Vermont; Judd Gregg of Utah; and Howard Baker of Tennessee, who is also vice chairman of the committee.

If, after you have made contact with one of these Senators, you wish to have my office give them the information you have sent me, I will be happy to do so.

Thank you again for contacting me.

Sincerely,
[Signature]
United States Senator
United States Senate

11/11/76

The Objective: Hon. Howard H. Baker, Jr (Tenn)
Via Chairman of the Committee, of
Investigation of J. Kennedy, an Luther King.
Assassination.

Hon. Howard H. Baker, Jr. (Tenn)
United States Senator, Ph. No. -A/C 1-272-22-11714-Room 4121
Via Chairman of the Investigation Committee
of the Assassination of John J. Kennedy, an Luther King.
United States Senate Building,
Washington, D. C. 20510

Dear Mr. Baker:

"Enclosure-knowledgeable", -
"arrange in systematic form"

I have been informed by, United States Senator, Richard S. Schweiker since I have been informed that you are now the "Vic-Chairman Senate Intelligence Investigation Committee.

I am giving you the authority to immediately contact Senator Richard S. Schweiker, also to the fact I have sent him the most valuable information of any one. In re-gards to the Fidel Castro, and was as a double-agent. And including very valuable information about the time. I talked to Lee Harvey Oswald, and being three days before John Kennedy was assassinated in Dallas, Texas on November 22, 1963.

There is no doubt in my personal opinion. John Kennedy was not killed by Lee Harvey Oswald, or was Luther King by Shaw. The F.B.I. & C.I.A. & complicated associates "Significantly aspects in the horrifying scandal cover-up in our "National-Government". which was a horror, frightful, shocking, causing great aversion or horror in our "Great-Nation, or C and I wish the Intelligence Committee great-success.

Sincerely,

[Redacted signature]

Austin, Texas private phone, [Redacted]

Star Rt. 1-A-Box [Redacted]
Dripping Springs, Texas 78620

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
ATTN: CONGRESSIONAL INQUIRY UNIT,
GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

FROM: SAC, JACKSONVILLE (89-10) (P)

SUBJ: HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON ASSASSINATIONS,
BUFILE 62-117290
ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY,
11/22/63, DALLAS, TEXAS.
(OO: DL)
BUFILE 62-109060

Re Jacksonville teletype to Bureau, 3/2/77,
and Miami telcall to Jacksonville, today.

Enclosed for the Bureau is the original and five
copies of an LHM concerning interview of [REDACTED].
Enclosed for Dallas and Miami are two copies each of LHM.

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PRESIDENT JAMES E. CARTER, INFORMATION CONCERNING.

AT APPROXIMATELY 6:30 A.M., INSTANT DATE, INDIVIDUAL IDENTIFYING HIMSELF AS MR. [REDACTED] LAREDO, TEXAS, TELEPHONICALLY CONTACTED THE SAN ANTONIO OFFICE AND ADVISED HE HAD INFORMATION REGARDING POSSIBLE ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT AGAINST PRESIDENT CARTER AS WELL AS NUMEROUS DOCUMENTS REGARDING THE OTHER ASSASSINATIONS THAT OCCURRED IN THIS COUNTRY IN THE 1960'S. HE STATED THAT HE HAD OBTAINED THE NAMES OF THE INDIVIDUALS INVOLVED AND THAT HE WAS BEATEN BY THESE SAME INDIVIDUALS BECAUSE HE HAD THIS INFORMATION.

ADVISED THAT HIS ATTORNEY, MR. [REDACTED] LAREDO, TEXAS, HAD ALL THE INFORMATION THAT HE HAS COLLECTED AND WAS GOING TO CONTACT THE FBI SOON WITH THIS INFORMATION.

Relay 1000 3/9/77 - Relief Supervisor [REDACTED] sent complaint to attorney and advised Supervisor [REDACTED] on results of [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] STATED THAT HE HAD CONTACTED THE FBI IN THE 1960'S WITH THE INFORMATION HE HAS BUT WAS "SHINNED" BY THE FBI. [REDACTED] FURTHER ADVISED THAT HE HAS CONTACTED THE WHITE HOUSE AND ADVISED THEM OF THE ABOVE.

IT IS NOTED THAT AT THE TIME [REDACTED] TELEPHONICALLY CONTACTED THIS OFFICE HE APPEARED TO BE QUITE LUCID BUT AT OTHER TIMES "RAMBLED ON" DURING HIS CONVERSATION.

SAN ANTONIO INDICES NEGATIVE CONCERNING [REDACTED]

ADMINISTRATIVE

SPECIAL AGENT [REDACTED], U. S. SECRET SERVICE, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, ADVISED OF THE ABOVE MATTER BY SA [REDACTED] AT APPROXIMATELY 8:28 A.M., INSTANT DATE.

U. S. ATTORNEY, SAN ANTONIO, TO BE ADVISED BY SEPARATE COMMUNICATION.

SAN ANTONIO TAKING NO FURTHER ACTION IN THIS MATTER.

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HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON ASSASSINATIONS, BUREAU FILE

62-117290, MIAMI-FILE 62-6603.

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY, NOVEMBER 22, 1963,

DALLAS TEXAS, OO: DALLAS, BUREAU FILE 62-109060, MIAMI

FILE 89-35.

RE MIAMI TELETYPE TO THE BUREAU DATED FEBRUARY 22, 1977,

MIAMI TELEPHONE CALL TO THE BUREAU ON FEBRUARY 22, 1977, AND

BUREAU TELETYPE TO MIAMI DATED FEBRUARY 23, 1977.

FOR INFORMATION OF RECEIVING OFFICES, THE FOLLOWING

WAS RECEIVED FROM THE BUREAU CONCERNING THIS MATTER ON FEBRUARY

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INVESTIGATIVE JURISDICTION IN THE ASSASSINATION OF JOHN F. KENNEDY CONTINUES TO REMAIN WITH THIS BUREAU.

UNLESS MIAMI DIVISION CAN FURNISH COMPELLING REASONS TO THE CONTRARY OF WHICH FBI HEADQUARTERS IS UNAWARE, IMMEDIATELY INTERVIEW [REDACTED] AND SUTEL RESULTS; ATTENTION CONGRESSIONAL INQUIRY UNIT, GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION.

JACKSONVILLE DIVISION SHOULD INTERVIEW [REDACTED] AS SET FORTH IN MIAMI TELETYPE DATED FEBRUARY 29, 1977.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

File Copy

TO : Assistant Attorney General
Criminal Division

DATE: March 8, 1977

FROM : Director, FBI

SUBJECT: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT
JOHN F. KENNEDY
11/22/63

Reference is made to _____ memorandum dated _____
(your file _____).

Letterhead Memorandum

There is enclosed one copy of the ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~
dated 3/3/77 at San Antonio, Texas

A. This covers the preliminary investigation and no further action concerning a full investigation will be taken by this Bureau unless the Department so directs.

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E. Please advise whether you desire any further investigation.

F. This is submitted for your information and you will be advised of further developments.

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Assistant Attorney General,
Criminal Division

NOTE: Also enclosed for the Department is a copy of a letter, with enclosures, from [REDACTED], Star Route 1-A, Box [REDACTED] Dripping Springs, Texas, to Mr. Roland L. Elliott, Director of Correspondence for President Ford. The letter was referred to FBI [REDACTED] by the Department.

[REDACTED] in his letter to Elliott, alleges he has been denied \$25,000 by Mr. Hoover and the Director of the CIA and that his life has been threatened by the FBI and CIA. [REDACTED] enclosed a letter from Senator Richard S. Schweiker and a letter to Senator Howard Baker in which it appears [REDACTED] has furnished information to the Senate Committee on Intelligence alleging that he has information regarding Lee Harvey Oswald, Fidel Castro, and the assassination of President John F. Kennedy.

A search of Bureau files failed to disclose any previous information pertaining to [REDACTED] allegation involving the \$25,000. His allegation concerning threats by the FBI is without basis in fact.

Our San Antonio Office advised as follows:

Prior to contacting [REDACTED] on 2/17/77, numerous attempts were made to locate and interview [REDACTED] between January 10 and February 17, 1977. During the course of those earlier attempts, information was developed from townspeople and neighbors at Dripping Springs, Texas, all of whom requested confidentiality, which indicated that [REDACTED] was known as the "local crackpot." Apparently, [REDACTED] has filed suit or made complaints against the U. S. Post Office, the town of Dripping Springs, the County Road Maintenance Division, as well as numerous individuals. The majority of his complaints appeared to stem from paranoia and indicate that everyone is out to take away his property or in some way invade his privacy.

Persons in Dripping Springs who have been acquainted with [REDACTED] for some time recommended lending no credence to any of his statements or claims.

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HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON ASSASSINATIONS, BUREAU FILE 62-147293,
MIAMI FILE 62-6613.

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY, NOVEMBER 22, 1963,
DALLAS, TEXAS, DE: DALLAS, BUREAU FILE 62-109308, MIAMI
FILE 89-35.

RE MIAMI TELEPHONE CALL TO BUREAU, FEBRUARY 25, 1977;

MIAMI TELETYPE TO BUREAU, FEBRUARY 25, 1977.

FOR INFORMATION OF BUREAU AND RECEIVING OFFICES,
STATE PUBLIC DEFENDER [REDACTED], MIAMI, FLORIDA, ONE
OF THE ATTORNEYS WHO DEFENDED [REDACTED] ON BOND CHARGES IN
STATE COURT RECENTLY, HAS ADVISED THE MIAMI DIVISION THAT [REDACTED]

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ISHED TO PROVIDE THE FBI WITH INFORMATION CONCERNING
PRESIDENT KENNEDY'S ASSASSINATION.

[REDACTED] SAID [REDACTED] WOULD NOT CONFIDE IN HIM THE
DETAILS OF THE INFORMATION HE WISHED TO GIVE TO THE
BUREAU.

[REDACTED] SAID [REDACTED] ALSO PLANNED TO DISCUSS THIS
INFORMATION WITH THE SELECT COMMITTEE REGARDING INVESTIGATING
OF THE PRESIDENT KENNEDY ASSASSINATION.

[REDACTED] STATED THAT HE DID NOT KNOW WHETHER OR NOT
[REDACTED] WAS ATTEMPTING TO USE THE GIVING OF INFORMATION IN
THIS MATTER TO THE FBI AS A MEANS TO MITIGATE THE SENTENCE
IN PRISON HE MAY RECEIVE ON THE BOMBING CHARGES.

THE FLORIDA STATE PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE, WHO HANDLES THE
PROSECUTION OF [REDACTED] ADVISED THAT THEY HAVE NO OBJECTION
TO THE FBI CONTACTING [REDACTED] AT HIS REQUEST REGARDING INFOR-
MATION HE WISHES TO GIVE CONCERNING THE PRESIDENT KENNEDY
ASSASSINATION.

FOR INFORMATION OF BUREAU AND RECEIVING OFFICES,
[REDACTED] WAS ACQUITTED ON NUMEROUS BOMBING RELATED CHARGES
IN FEDERAL COURT IN JACKSONVILLE LAST YEAR.

PUBLIC DEFENDER [REDACTED] REQUESTED THAT HE BE CONTACTED BY THE FBI PRIOR TO BUREAU AGENTS CONTACTING [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] FURTHER STATED THAT [REDACTED] STATED TO HIM THAT HE DOES NOT WISH TO BE CONTACTED BY AGENTS FROM MIAMI HE MIGHT HAVE WORKED OR HAVE EXTENSIVE KNOWLEDGE OF HIS FEDERAL BONDING CASE.

[REDACTED] SAID [REDACTED] CAN BE CONTACTED DIRECTLY AFTER HE IS ADVISED, AND [REDACTED] STATED THAT HE DOES NOT PLAN TO BE PRESENT DURING THE INTERVIEW.

[REDACTED] SAID HE CAN BE CONTACTED TUESDAY OR WEDNESDAY, MARCH 1 OR 2, 1977, AT EITHER THE COMQUISTADOR HOTEL OR THROUGH JUDGE [REDACTED] OFFICE AT SHALINAR, OKALOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA.

JACKSONVILLE, AT SHALINAR, FLORIDA, CONTACT PUBLIC DEFENDER [REDACTED] AND ADVISE HIM THAT BUREAU WILL MET WITH SUBJECT.

JACKSONVILLE AT THE OKALOSA COUNTY JAIL, CRESTVILLE, FLORIDA, CONTACT [REDACTED] AND DETERMINE WHAT INFORMATION HE HAS CONCERNING THE PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY ASSASSINATION.

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ATTENTION: CONGRESSIONAL INQUIRY UNIT

GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON ASSASSINATIONS, BUREAU FILE 62-117297

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY, NOVEMBER 22, 1963

DALLAS, TEXAS, OO: DALLAS, BUREAU FILE 62-109067

RE MIAMI TELETYPE TO BUREAU FEB. 23, 1977 **REC-542-109060-7667**

ON MARCH 1, 1977 [REDACTED] INTERVIEWED AT OKALOOSA

COUNTY JAIL, CRESTVIEW, FLA., WHERE INCARCERATED **EX 113** WAITING **9 MAR 11 1977**

SENTENCE FOLLOWING HIS CONVICTION ON STATE CHARGES RELATIVE

TO BOMBING INCIDENT IN MIAMI, FLA. AREA. PRESENT DURING

INTERVIEW WITH [REDACTED] WERE [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED]

ATTORNEYS-FROM-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC DEFENDERS OFFICE, MIAMI, FLA.,

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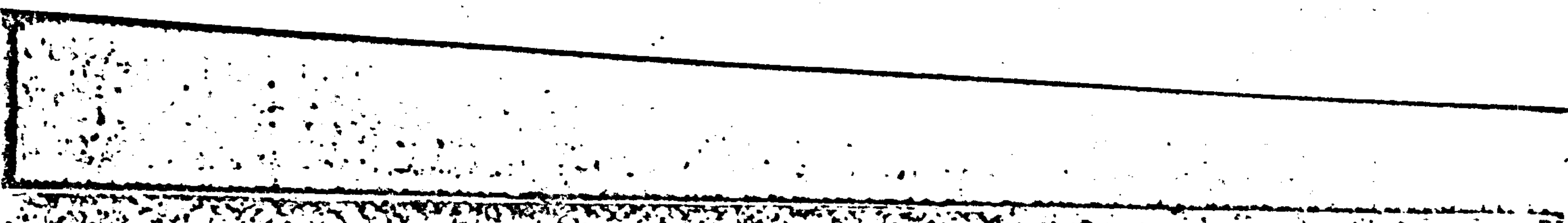
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WHO REPRESENTED [REDACTED] AT RECENT STATE DOMPING TRIAL AT
SHALIMAR, FLA. THESE ATTORNEYS WERE PRESENT IN OKALOOSA
COUNTY, FLA. THIS DATE IN CONNECTION WITH SEVERAL MOTIONS
FILED IN CIRCUIT COURT, SHALIMAR, RELATING TO [REDACTED]
STATE CONVICTION. [REDACTED] IS SCHEDULED TO BE SENTENCED
ON STATE CHARGE ON MARCH 17, 1977 AT SHALIMAR, FLA.

THE PRESENCE OF THESE ATTORNEYS DURING INTERVIEW
WAS AT THEIR REQUEST.

ATTORNEYS FOR [REDACTED] STATED PRIOR TO INTERVIEW THAT
THEY HAD NO KNOWLEDGE AS TO SPECIFICS WHICH [REDACTED] WAS
TO PROVIDE FBI RELATING TO ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT
JOHN F. KENNEDY.

DURING INTERVIEW WITH [REDACTED] WHO SPEAKS BROKEN
ENGLISH, HE ALLEGED THAT HE HAD INFORMATION REGARDING
ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT KENNEDY. [REDACTED] DECLINED
TO PROVIDE ANY SPECIFIC INFORMATION REGARDING THIS
MATTER.