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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (44-24016)

FROM : SAC SAN FRANCISCO (44-494)

SUBJECT: JACK L. RUBY, aka.;  
LEE HARVEY OSWALD - VICTIM (DECEASED)  
CR  
(OO: Dallas)

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DEFENSE ASSOCIATE FOR THE RUBY TRIAL

Enclosed herewith is a LHM setting out the information contained in San Francisco file 100-33976, Bufile 100-379424, concerning BROMBERG.

Investigation has never placed BROMBERG in Communist Party membership.

U. S. Attorney CECIL F. POOLE, San Francisco, advised SAC CURTIS O. LYNUM on 1/29/64 that a Dr. WALTER BROMBERG had been listed in the newspapers as one of the psychiatrists who have been used by the defense in connection with the hearings in the RUBY case at Dallas, Texas. USA POOLE advised that he did not have the specific information concerning BROMBERG but that he recalled BROMBERG had a questionable background and that he, POOLE, had conveyed this nonspecific information to Mr. RILEY, a Departmental assistant.

He had been unable to give Mr. RILEY any specific details other than that he recalled that there was some scandal in connection with Dr. BROMBERG leaving Sacramento and that it was rumored that BROMBERG went to New York to be with a mistress.

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- 1 - Bureau (Encls. 5)
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Sacramento Resident Agents, through established sources and without making any inquiry, determined that Dr. BROMBERG and his wife, ESTHER, have been in Sacramento, Calif., since September, 1948. In 1956 he was self-employed as a physician at 2720 Capitol Ave. and reported a salary of \$15,000. His wife reported a salary of \$415 per month as a social worker for the State of California. He formerly resided in Reno, Nev. BROMBERG left Sacramento in about January, 1963, for New York City, to obtain further schooling.

Several years ago, a nurse (identity unknown) from Napa, Calif., made a complaint that Dr. BROMBERG conducted "sex parties" in which he struck women companions with a whip.

The first source mentioned in the LHM is the City Civil Service records, Sacramento, Calif. The second source is [REDACTED]

The above and the enclosed LHM is for the information of the Bureau and Dallas in the event that the Bureau desires to instruct the SAC, Dallas, to convey this information to the prosecuting attorney in Dallas County.