

2/4/64

AI TEL

To: SAC, Dallas (89-43)
From: Director, FBI (62-109060)

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

Jack Ruby

Reference is made to various communications relating to the inquiry of Reverend V. Montgomery.

For your future information and guidance, the Bureau is handling this investigation under three separate phases.

The first phase can be described as the Lee Harvey Oswald phase which relates primarily to background on Oswald prior to and subsequent to the assassination of President Kennedy. This investigation has been carried under the caption, "Lee Harvey Oswald, aka., IS - R - CUBA," Bureau file 105-82555, Dallas file 100-10461, and is being primarily supervised by the Domestic Intelligence Division.

The second phase of this investigation is captioned as above in the respective file numbers shown. This phase primarily deals with allegations, evidence, etc., relating principally to the assassination of the President. You are well aware of the third phase which deals with Jack L. Ruby. Both of these phases are supervised by the General Investigative Division.

Your failure to reply to Bureau communications in the same caption and file as the Bureau request results in undue confusion, primarily the routing of communications.

- Bufile 105-82555
- ① - Bufile 44-24016
- 1 - Mr. R. E. Lennihan, Room 609 RB
- 1 - Mr. J. W. Hines, Room 2264

44-24016 -
NOT RECORDED
199 FEB 5 1964
SEE NOTE PAGE TWO.

RDR:vhm
(8)

DUPLICATE YELLOW

79 FEB 6 1964

62-109060-2354

Airtel to SAC, Dallas
R: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT
JOHN F. KENNEDY
11/22/63
DALLAS, TEXAS

The particular situation in question is the above-referenced communications wherein the Bureau initiated inquiries and used the assassination title, but Dallas replied in the Lee Harvey Oswald caption. Continued failure to reply in the same caption and file number might possibly result in an embarrassing delay attributable to the Bureau. In the future when receiving a particular inquiry from the Bureau in a specified title, your reply should be in like form.

NOTE: Above believed necessary to clarify apparent misunderstanding on the part of Dallas. All inquiries by Dallas have been handled promptly and no embarrassment has resulted; however, above reference matter was occasioned by request from the President's Commission and to preclude any possible embarrassment in the future it is felt the above should be sent.