FD-36 (Rev. 12-13-56) 2 **\***\*\*\* FBI Date: 1/21/64 Transmit the following in (Type in plain text or code) AIRTEI Via (Priority or Method of Mailing) TO: DIRECTOR, FBI FROM: SAC, NEWARK (62-3072) (C) SUBJECT: assasse INFORMATION CONCERNING Re Newark airtel dated 1/18/64. Dr. Neuro-Psychiatrist, New Jersey Reformatory, Bordentown, New Jersey, advised SA DANIEL /E. BRANDT on 1/21/64 that he had examined on a number of occasions while was confined in the reformatory. He stated was discharged from the U. S. Navy on 2/23/56 as being "unfit for service" and his condition was diagnosed as "schizophrenic reaction simple type." said was received at Bordentown on 3/24/61 and through tests it was determined that he was of average mentality but had a convulsive disorder which he described as "chronic brain syndrome associated with convulsive disorder epilepsy grand mal" and described his personality trait disturbance as a "passive aggressive personality." He stated has a superior mental level and was a "sophisticated manipulator" who was emotionally disturbed but was not psychic. He said used used his superior mental level to tell fanciful stories to impress his fellow inmates who were of a lower mental level. advised that in view of his knowledge of mental\_condition he would be of the opinion that the story furnished by as set forth in referenced Newark 🚽 Bureau Newark 0.15 DEB: tmh \* (4) TAR Approve& Sent **Special Agent in Charge** 7, C C . WICH

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was interviewed on 1/21/64 and advised he and had close daily contact for a six-month period release. He denied all knowledge of the until assassination of President KENNEDY other than what he saw on television after the assassination took place and denied is a telling anyone that the assassination was going to take place. After the assassination to the effect that there would be at the assassination to the effect t future attempts on President JOHNSON's life and recalled talkabout the elaborate security precaution taken ing to when President JOHNSON visited the United Nations in New York.

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admitted telling about the alleged discovery of a cache of weapons in East Haven, Connecticut, but denied being a member of the COMMUNIST PARTY and denied the rest of the story as set forth in referenced Newark airtel.

No further investigation being conducted by Newark.

All information has been furnished to [ALBERT ELIAS, Superintendent) of the Bordentown Reformatory, and the results of interview will be furnished to Secret Service locally.