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TO : Mr. Belmont

DATE: May 8, 1964

FROM : A. Rosen

SUBJECT: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT  
JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY  
11-22-63, DALLAS, TEXAS  
MISCELLANEOUS - INFORMATION CONCERNING

*Tele. Room*

On 5-7-64, we received a request from the President's Commission that this Bureau make all necessary arrangements for a partial re-enactment of the assassination in Dallas, Texas, on May 18 and 19, 1964. This project specifically deals with the shots fired at President Kennedy and technical data, measurements and photographs relating thereto as developed through investigation. This will involve placing cars in the highway at various points at scene of assassination.

The Commission by reference to various motion pictures taken of the actual assassination itself along with other technical data previously furnished, is endeavoring to pinpoint the exact time when and location where the shots were fired and the exact location where President Kennedy and Governor Connally were when they were hit. This study will include mathematical calculations and probable trajectory of projectiles fired.

BACKGROUND:

The advisability of this Bureau participating in a re-enactment has been discussed in my previous memoranda, and Mr. Belmont pointed out the undesirability of such action, principally due to the resultant publicity which will undoubtedly accompany any such venture, and our views were brought to the attention of Mr. Rankin.

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As you are aware, J. R. Malley is currently in Dallas with members of the Commission and Inspector Tom Kelly of Secret Service for an on-the-spot inspection. He is scheduled to return sometime Saturday, May 9.

ACTION:

Mr. Malley is aware of the Commission's request, and when he returns to Washington, appropriate recommendations for handling this request will be made.

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| 1 - Mr. Sullivan | 1 - Mr. DeLoach  | 1 - Mr. Lenihan |
| 1 - Mr. Conrad   | 1 - Mr. Gauthier | 1 - Mr. Wick    |
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