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TO DIRECTOR, SAN FRANCISCO, PHOENIX, SAN ANTONIO, CHICAGO,
AND OKLAHOMA CITY

FROM LOS ANGELES 89-75

MURDER OF PRESIDENT KENNEDY, NOVEMBER TWENTYTWO, SIXTYTHREE,
DALLAS, TEXAS, MISCELLANEOUS BASH INFORMATION CONCERNING
REBUTEL JUNE TWENTYFIVE LAST.

ROBERT STEPHEN REYNOLDS, AKA STEPHEN REMETE, ONE ONE ONE
EIGHT THIRTY STREET, SANTA MONICA, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED TODAY HE
MADE STATEMENT TO NEWMAN CLUB AT U. OF TEXAS, AUSTIN, FEB. NINETEEN
FIFTYSEVEN THAT IF KENNEDY WAS ELECTED PRESIDENT, HE WOULD BE
MURDERED. A MONTH LATER, HE COMMENTED TO UNRECALLED ACQUAINTANCE
IN AUSTIN THAT OSWALD WOULD BE THE ASSASSINATOR. ABOUT AUG.
NINETEEN FIFTYSEVEN, IN CONVERGATION WITH EARL RUBENSTEIN,
EARL MENTIONED HAVEING BROTHER JACK IN DALLAS. HE RECEIVED
JACK AS MURDERER OF OSWALD; ALSO RECEIVED KNOWLEDGE OF PRESIDENT-S
ASSASSINATION AND IDENTITY OF ASSASSINATOR.

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REYNOLDS SAID HE MADE STATEMENTS RE THESE PERCEPTIONS TO
NEWMAN CLUB GROUP AT THE TIME, ABOUT TWENTY IN NUMBER, AND TO
CORR LINE 5 WORD 2 SHOULD BE THIRD
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VISITING PRIEST FROM CHURCH OF OUR LADY OF ANGELES SCHOOL IN CHICAGO. NAMES OF ABOVE GROUP WOULD APPEAR IN NEWMAN CLUB REGISTER THAT ALL INDIVIDUALS SIGNED. HE ALSO PERCEIVED THE SCHOOL FIRE AT OUR LADY OF ANGELES SCHOOL IN CHICAGO IN NINETEEN FIFTYEIGHT, AND SO ADVISED ABOVE MENTIONED PRIEST. REYNOLDS STATED HE ALSO DISCUSSED ABOVE PERCEPTIONS IN NINETEEN FIFTY SEVEN WITH FRED PEPPER, WITH A PARAPLEGIC IN LAW SCHOOL, NAME UNRECALLED, AND STANLEY ADAMS, THEN STUDENTS AT U. OF TEXAS AND WITH ARTHUR MERCHANT, THEN OPERATING ICE CREAM PARLOR ON GUADALUPE STREET IN AUSTIN.

STATED HE SUFFERED NERVOUS BREAKDOWN IN NINETEEN FIFTYTHREE AND A DR. THORNE OF PHOENIX DIAGNOSED HIS TROUBLE AS SUCH. DR. THORNE RECOMMENDED HOSPITALIZATION WHICH HE COULD NOT AFFORD. STATED NERVOUS TENSION WOULD CAUSE HIM TO LOSE HIS VOICE, AND FOR THREE YEARS HE COULD HARDLY TALK. ADVISED HE RECOVERED HIS HEALTH BY KEEPING AWAY FROM PEOPLE, AND RESTING.

HE CLAIMED ARREST IN NINETEEN FORTYONE BY FBI IN LOS ANGELES FOR FAILURE TO NOTIFY DRAFT BOARD IN SAN FRANCISCO OF CHANGE OF ADDRESS. SENTENCED TO HONOR CAMP IN SAN FRANCISCO THREE MONTHS AS RESULT. STATES HE WAS CONVICTED BECAUSE AN FBI AGENT LIED BY

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FALSELY STATING HE RESISTED ARREST. ALSO, ARRESTED JAN., SIXTYTWO IN LOS ANGELES FOR JAYWALKING, SPENT TWENTYSEVEN DAYS IN LOCAL CUSTODY.

REYNOLDS ADVISED HIS PARENTS DECEASED, PRESENT WHEREABOUTS OF ONLY BROTHER UNKNOWN. PRESENTLY WORKING AS PART TIME WRITER AND MAINTANENCE WORKER. DESCRIBED MALE CAUCASIAN, B/D DEC. EIGHT, NINETEEN THIRTEEN, PERTH ABBOT, NEW JERSEY, FIVE FEET, NINE AND ONE HALF INCHES, ONE FIFTY, BLUE EYES, BROWN, GREY THINNING HAIR. SSN FIVE SIX FOUR ONE EIGHT THREE NINE TWO THREE. SERVED AAF, APRIL FORTYTHREE TO DEC. FORTYFIVE, DISCHARGED S/SGT, AFSC THREE NINE ONE THREE ZERO ZERO SEVEN SEVEN.

STATES HE NEVER MET OSWALD OR RUBY, HAS BEEN TWICE MARRIED AND DIVORCED, AND THAT ABOVE MENTIONED NEWMAN CLUB GROUP, THE VISITING PRIEST FROM OUR LADY OF ANGELES SCHOOL IN CHICAGO AS WELL AS THE PARAPLEGIC, PEPPER, ADAMS AND MERCHANT CAN VERIFY HIS COMMENTS TO THEM RE THE ABOVE. STATES HE CONTACTED FBI AGENT JOE BOWMAN OF OKLAHOMA CITY IN NINETEEN FIFTYTHREE AND FURNISHED HIM INFORMATION CONCERNING THE SMUGGLING OF MONEY FROM THE GOVERNOR-S OFFICE IN JUNEAU, ALASKA, TO CUBA.

RECORDS, LAPD SHOW ROBERT STEPHEN REYNOLDS, BORN DEC. EIGHT,
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NINETEEN TWENTY, NEW JERSEY, FIVE FEET NINE INCHES, ONE FIFTY, BROWN AND BLUE, FBI NUMBER TWO FOUR SIX SEVEN FOUR EIGHT FOUR HAS ARREST RECORD DATING TO FEB., THIRTYTWO; CHARGES INCLUDE NSF CHECKS; IN JULY, FORTYTWO, ARRESTED LASO ON SELECTIVE SERVICE VIOLATION. RECORDS, LASO SHOW REYNOLDS RELEASED AUG. X FIFTEEN, FIFTYTWO TO FBI, SAN FRANCISCO. FILES, SANTA MONICA PD SHOW REYNOLDS ARRESTED JUNE FIFTEEN, SIXTYTHREE, SSTA, UNDER BIRTH DATE OF DEC. EIGHT, NINETEEN EIGHTEEN. FOR INFORMATION OF ALL OFFICES, THE BUREAU ADVISED LA BY REFERENCED TELETYPE AS FOLLOWS:

QUOTE, ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT KENNEDY, NOVEMBER TWENTYTWO, SIXTYTHREE DALLAS, TEXAS, MISCELLANEOUS DASH INFORMATION CONCERNING.

BY LETTER DATED JUNE TWENTYFOUR LAST, PRESIDENT-S COMMISSION ADVISED THEY RECEIVED A TELEGRAM WHICH IS AS FOLLOWS: QUOTE

THE HONORABLE EARL L. WARREN PRESIDENTIAL COMMISSION WASH DC BECAUSE OF COMMISSIONS NEAR CLOSING OF DIRECT INVESTIGATION I WISH TO PLACE THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS BEFORE THEM ONE. THE ASSASSINATION OF PRES. JOHN F. KENNEDY WAS ESTABLISHED IN EARLY MONTHS OF ONE NINE FIVE SEVEN. TWO. THE NAME OF ASSASSIN LEE HARVEY OSWALD WAS ALSO DISCERNED IN MARCH ONE NINE FIVE SEVEN THREE. THE KNOWLEDGE OF JACK RUBY WAS DISCERNED IN AUGUST ONE NINE
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FIVE SEVEN IN AN INTERVIEW WITH BROTHER EARL RUBENSTEIN IN AUSTIN TEXAS IN LIGHT OF THE ABOVE I REQUEST AN OPPORTUNITY TO APPEARING OR SUBMITTING DETAILED REPORT AT COMMISSION'S REQUEST. ROBERT S. REYNOLDS ONE ONE ONE EIGHT THIRD STREET APT THREE SANTA MONICA, CALIF. END QUOTE. COMMISSION DESIRED REYNOLDS BE INTERVIEWED AND RESULTS OF INTERVIEW SHOULD BE SUBMITTED IN APPROPRIATE LETTERHEAD MEMORANDUM FOR DISSEMINATION. INCLUDE ANY INFORMATION CONTAINED IN YOUR FILES OR FROM OTHER LOGICAL SOURCES IF IT REVEALS ANY INDICATION OF INSTABILITY RE REYNOLDS. IN VIEW OF THE ANTICIPATED EARLY CONCLUSION OF THE COMMISSION'S INQUIRY INTO THE ASSASSINATION, THIS MATTER SHOULD BE HANDLED EXPEDITIOUSLY AND INSURE YOUR LETTERHEAD MEMORANDUM IS ACCURATE TO PRECLUDE CORRECTIONS OR REVISIONS BY THE BUREAU. BUREAU FILES NEGATIVE RE REYNOLDS. END UNQUOTE.

SAN FRANCISCO AND OKLAHOMA CITY, CHECK INDICES; PHOENIX, IDENTIFY AND INTERVIEW DR. THORNE; CHICAGO, UAC BY BUREAU, ATTEMPT TO IDENTIFY AND INTERVIEW PRIEST WHO WAS REPORTEDLY RECTOR OF CHURCH AT OUR LADY OF ANGELES SCHOOL IN CHICAGO; UAC BY BUREAU, SAN ANTONIO ATTEMPT TO IDENTIFY AND CONTACT ABOVE MENTIONED NEWYAN CLUB GROUP AND STUDENTS OF U. OF TEXAS IN NINETEEN FIFTYSEVEN RE
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STATEMENTS OF REYNOLDS, NO INFO IDENTIFIABLE WITH REYNOLDS IN LA
INDICES. LETTERHEAD MEMO, THREE ZERO TWO ON INTERVIEW AND INSERT
FOLLOW.

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