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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (62-109060)

FROM: SAC, DALLAS (89-43)

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

Re Dallas airtel to Bureau, 9/22/64.

At approximately 10:45 A.M., Mr. WILLIAM MANCHESTER contacted the Dallas Office and asked to speak to SA JAMES P. HOSTY, JR., without previously identifying himself. MANCHESTER asked SA HOSTY if he could answer some questions concerning SA HOSTY's testimony before the President's Commission. MANCHESTER noted that SA HOSTY stated he first learned of the Presidential motorcade on the evening of 11/21/63.

SA HOSTY advised Mr. MANCHESTER that any inquiry of this type should be directed to SAC or in his absence to the next person in command. Mr. MANCHESTER stated in the future he would do this.

No further answer was made by SA HOSTY concerning this question.

Mr. MANCHESTER stated that he had seen SA HOSTY's testimony on a confidential basis in Washington, D. C., in June 1964 and he is presently writing a book for the KENNEDY family to be published in about five years.

Mr. MANCHESTER then asked if the Dallas FBI Office could assist him in locating a witness to the assassination who lived in Ferris, Texas. Mr. MANCHESTER was advised that this could not be done and that he should make his own inquiry concerning this matter.

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