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FROM DIRECTOR FBI (62-109060)

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY,
NOVEMBER TWENTY-TWO, NINETEEN SIXTY-THREE, DALLAS, TEXAS,
MISCELLANEOUS - INFORMATION: CONCERNING.

ON THIS DATE MR. JOSETH J. CELLA, CRIMINAL DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT, ADVISED AUSA B. H. TIMMINS, JR., DALLAS, REQUIRED COPIES OF DOCUMENTS ESTABLISHING THE PURCHASE OF ASSASSINATION RIFLE AND THIRTY-EIGHT CALIBER REVOLVER BY OSWALD. REFERM:

TO PAGES ONE HUNDRED TWENTY AND ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY-THREE OF PRESIDENT'S COMMISSION REPORT. DALLAS ADVISE IF COPIES ARE

AVAILABLE IN YOUR OFFICE AND IF NOT BUREAU WILL PREPARE COPIES,

OTHERWISE, DALLAS PREPARE DUPLICATES AND FURNISH TO AUSA TIMMINS.

MR. CELLA TELEPHONICALLY CONTACTED AUSA TIMMINS THIS DATE AND DOCUMENTS MUST BE IN POSSESSION DY TIMMINS BY NOVEMBER BEVENTEEN NINETEEN SIXTY-FIVE FOR PRETRIAL CONFERENCE NOVEMBER TWENTY-FOUR NINETEEN SIXTY-FIVE. DALLAS CONTACT AUSA TIMMINS FOR ANY ADDITIONAL DATA AND SUTEL. THIS BECAUTER CONCERNS FORFEITURE

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This matter concerns the forfeiture proceedings. instituted by the Government in Dallas concerning the assassination rifle and the revolver used by Lee Harvey Oswald to kill Police Officer Tippit. Mr. Joseph J. Cella, Criminal Division, Department of Justice, notified us 11/9/65, that copies of the documents establishing the purchase of the rifle and the revolver by Lee Harvey Oswald were necessary in and the revolver by Lee Harvey Oswald were necessary in connection with this matter. In order to expedite this matter, it is being determined from Dallas whether they may have copies of these documents in their possession so they can be furnished expeditiously to AUSA Timmins. Written confirmation of Mr. Cella's telephonic request concerning these documents will be handled separately. separately.

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