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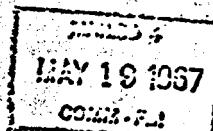
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5/6/67, a copy of each of which is enclosed for Chicago.

For the information of Legat, Manila, DIFILES
contain the following information concerning Willie Mae
McWilliams. A material witness warrant for her arrest was
entered by Orleans Parish District Attorney James Garrison,
New Orleans, in connection with his investigation of the
alleged conspiracy in the assassination of President Kennedy.
According to the *Times Herald-Record*, Omaha, Nebraska,
5/27/67, Mrs. McWilliams, also known as Sandra Ferrio, formerly
a resident of New Orleans but then a resident of Omaha,
became involved in the investigation when she disputed
testimony given two weeks previously in New Orleans by
key witness Perry Russo. The latter, then testifying
during a preliminary hearing for Clay L. Shaw, said that
Mrs. McWilliams had been one of several individuals at a party
in the apartment of David W. Ferrio during September, 1966.
Russo testified that at the party he heard Bourne, Lee Harvey
Oswald and Shaw conspire to kill President Kennedy.
According to the newspaper article, Mrs. McWilliams told
Russo that she did not meet Ferrio until 1968.
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