

Domestic Intelligence Division

INFORMATIVE NOTE

Date 7/31/67

Dean Andrews is the controversial New Orleans attorney who immediately following the assassination of President Kennedy claimed he was telephonically contacted by Clay Bertrand who requested Andrews to go to Dallas to defend Lee Harvey Oswald. Our investigation failed to establish there was an individual named Clay Bertrand, and Andrews subsequently informed our Special Agents that he must have dreamed of this telephone call from Bertrand.

Garrison has since claimed that Clay Bertrand is identical to Clay Shaw. Garrison has had Andrews testify on at least two occasions before New Orleans grand jury and Andrews has been indicted twice by the grand jury for perjury.

The Department has advised that it is aware of the fact that Special Agent Regis L. Kennedy might be subpoenaed to testify at the perjury trial of Dean Andrews as indicated in attached. The Department indicated that it is studying the request referred to in attached.

Reports of interviews referred to in attached are available to the public in the National Archives.

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