

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : Mr. Gallagher

FROM : J. S. Peelman

SUBJECT: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT  
JOHN F. KENNEDY  
11/22/63

DATE: 2/8/77

- 1 - Mr. Adams
- 1 - Mr. Gallagher
- 1 - Mr. Ingram
- 1 - Mr. Peelman
- 1 - [REDACTED]
- 1 - Mr. Cochran (Att: [REDACTED])

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**PURPOSE:** To advise that Eugene Braden, arrived at FBIHQ on Monday, 2/7/77, and was interviewed by FBIHQ personnel pertaining to circumstances surrounding his being in Dallas, his movements and activities while there, and his detention and later release by the Dallas County Sheriff's Office on 11/22/63, the date of the assassination of John F. Kennedy. Braden declined subsequent interview utilizing polygraph at this time.

**RECOMMENDATION:** None. For information.

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**DETAILS:** Background data pertaining to Braden was set out previously (Peelman to Mr. Gallagher memorandum dated 2/4/77, captioned as above) as was reason for current interview of Braden (Peelman to Mr. Gallagher memorandum dated 2/7/77, captioned as above).

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Braden narrated for interviewing personnel of the General Investigative Division the circumstances surrounding his being in Dallas on the day of the assassination of John F. Kennedy, his contacts and movements during the period of his stay in Dallas, his detention and subsequent release by the Dallas County Sheriff's Office and the results of the later unfavorable press coverage Braden received. Braden acceded

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to answer questions relevant to his trip to Dallas and subsequently declined to any further interview at this time utilizing the polygraph technique.

Results of interview of Eugene Braden will be forwarded to office of origin (Dallas) to be included in forthcoming report.