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**Airtel**

**To: SACs, Dallas (89-43) (Enclosure)**  
**Los Angeles (89-75) (Enclosure)**

**From: Director, FBI (62-104060)**

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

Re NY airtel to Bureau 5/11/64, - observations noted by Mrs. E. W. Ciaver, Mrs. Nell D. Crane and Miss Doris Lee Crane on television newscast, Los Angeles, California.

Enclosed for Dallas and Los Angeles is one copy each of the 16 mm film obtained from CBS - TV Channel 2, New York by the New York Office. These copies were prepared by the FBI Laboratory.

Los Angeles is instructed to make arrangements for the showing of this film to Mrs. Einar W. Ciaver, Mrs. Nell D. Crane and Miss Doris Lee Crane to determine if this is the film they observed on television the evening following the assassination of President Kennedy. Immediately advise Dallas and the Bureau the results of these interviews to enable Dallas to conduct additional investigation. Los Angeles is instructed to prepare appropriate inserts for Dallas and a letterhead memorandum for the Bureau revealing the results of this investigation.

Dallas, upon receipt of the above information from Los Angeles, contact TV station KLRD, a CBS affiliate in Dallas, Texas, who according to information obtained by New York was the originator of the film. Determine who the official photographer was and interview him regarding this film and circumstances surrounding it and specifically ascertain if he is aware of the identity of the two individuals observed running in the shaded and wooded area.

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Los Angeles  
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This film has been reviewed at the Bureau and has not been observed previously, however, it appears to be a film similar in nature to those photographed by numerous TV and News media personnel in the Dallas area following the assassination. The film reveals various scenes of the Texas Schoolbook Depository Building and activities of various police officers in the area. In view of the nature of the film, the possibility exists the scene showing two individuals running whose backs are toward the camera may be police officers. If this is the case, make appropriate contacts with logical police agencies and attempt to identify these two men to bring this matter to a logical conclusion. Dallas is instructed to retain appropriate inserts for inclusion in report and furnish the Bureau appropriate letterhead memorandum.

New York in referenced airtel indicated appropriate inserts are being furnished to Dallas. However, the Bureau instructs the New York Office to submit a letterhead memorandum revealing the source of this film and additional background as to how it was acquired.

It is noted that upon receipt <sup>of</sup> letterhead memoranda revealing the above investigation, they will be furnished to the President's Commission who will also be advised the film is available if desired. All offices are instructed to handle this matter expeditiously.

NOTE: This matter pertains to information furnished by Mrs. Einar W. Glaver and Mrs. Nell D. Crane of Los Angeles who observed on television the day following the assassination, a film revealing two men running from the TSEDB Dallas, Texas. Investigation determined a film which may be the one referred to by Mrs. Glaver was located by New York which does depict two men running. However, they are not identifiable as their backs appear to the camera. Following the receipt of information from Los Angeles, Dallas and New York results will be furnished to the President's Commission at which time it will be indicated the film will be available for review by the Commission if desired and will be retained by the Laboratory. It appears the individuals described may be police officers who were in the immediate area of the TSEDB following the assassination.