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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI
ATTENTION: FBI LABORATORY
FROM : SAC, DALLAS (89-43)
SUBJECT: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT
JOHN F. KENNEDY, 11/22/63
DALLAS, TEXAS
AFO

DATE: 11/30/63

There are being transmitted under separate cover by air express the following items which were received from Captain JAMES DOUGHTY, Crime Laboratory, Dallas Police Department, Dallas, Texas on November 28, 1963.

(1) Gray man's jacket with M size collar, laundry mark 30, zipper opening, name tag "Created in California MAURICE HOLMAN". On inside of jacket are initials of Police Officers, WEB and GMD. There is also a laundry tag on bottom of jacket B 9738.

(2) Four 38 caliber hulls, two of which have stamp R-P 38 SPL and two stamped, Western 38 SPL.

(3) Four live 38 caliber cartridges, two having stamp Western 38 SPL, and two stamped R-P 38 SPL. (U. S. Secret Service, Washington, D.C. has remaining two live cartridges, making a total of six live cartridges found in the 38 caliber revolver which was taken from LEE HARVEY OSWALD at the time he was apprehended by the Dallas Police Department, November 22, 1963.

(4) Five live cartridges found in the front pants pocket of LEE HARVEY OSWALD by the Dallas Police Department at the time he was apprehended by the Dallas Police Department on November 22, 1963. All five cartridges have stamped on them, Western 38 SPL.

(5) One Le Coultre wrist watch taken from OSWALD at time of his apprehension by Dallas Police Department November 22, 1963.

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(6) One nickel colored ring with three clear stones, taken from OSWALD during the apprehension by the Dallas Police Department, Nov. 22, 1963.

The FBI Laboratory is requested to make comparisons of above mentioned 38 hulls and live ammunition with 38 Smith & Wesson, serial number 510210, previously submitted to the Laboratory, which gun was taken from LEE HARVEY OSWALD at the time of his apprehension on Nov. 22, 1963 by the Dallas Police Department.

The Laboratory is also requested to make comparison tests of the above described jacket for any fibers which may have been found on the rifle previously submitted by this office. This is rifle #C 2766, believed to have been used by OSWALD.

The Laboratory is requested to make examination of the watch and ring for any residue of any type.

The above items have not been examined by anyone.