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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI  
FROM: SAC, SAN ANTONIO (89-67) (P)  
RE: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY  
11/22/63, Dallas, Texas  
RE: JOHN W. JOHNSON - MISCELLANEOUS

Re San Antonio teletype to Bureau, et al, 11/29/63.

Enclosed for the Bureau are eight copies of a letterhead memorandum pertaining to JOHN W. JOHNSON who formerly resided at 315 North 12th Street, Waco, Texas. Two copies are being furnished Dallas and one copy furnished Secret Service, San Antonio.

Mrs. NELL W. HORNER, 1813 Piedmont Street, Austin, Texas, advised SA H. T. BURK on November 29, 1963, that she is a sister of JOHN W. JOHNSON. She explained that he formerly operated a radio-television service at Silsbee, Texas, and has been in trouble with the Internal Revenue Service over the failure to pay income tax. She informed that he had been living in Waco, Texas. She advised that he has a divorced wife, Mrs. CELESTE JOHNSON, who resides in Silsbee, Texas. She added that her brother has a close personal friend who is a doctor in Silsbee. His mother is Mrs. W. B. JOHNSON who is residing with a brother, THOMAS F. JOHNSON at 518 Coward Road, Handsboro, Mississippi. Another brother, FRED R. JOHNSON, resides in Philadelphia, Mississippi. She informed that JOHNSON is most likely to go to Silsbee and related that she does not expect him to go to Mississippi. She advised that she is very close to this brother and expects him to contact her in the future.

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Special Agent in Charge

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AT SILSBEE, TEXAS

Was requested by teletype dated 11/29/63 to obtain background information re JOHNSON and attempt to locate him through relatives for interview to determine his activity and whereabouts at the time of the assassination.