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TO : Mr. Rosen

DATE: 12/6/63

FROM : J. L. Handley

SUBJECT: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY

Handley

At 2:33 a.m. Midnight Supervisor William E. Assmus received a telephone call from [redacted] Stratford Hotel, Washington, D. C., regarding the President's assassination.

[redacted] stammered, his speech was disorganized and he gave every indication of being mentally deranged. He insisted that President Kennedy was not dead and that the whole affair had been staged to force him, [redacted] into the Armed Services.

[redacted] indicated that he had received orders to report for induction and that he did not realize he was such an important person until this whole affair was staged for his benefit.

Conversation with [redacted] was terminated upon the receipt of another telephone call by SA Assmus.

The only reference to a [redacted] in Bureau indices is a [redacted] Bufile 52-0-3405, which reflects that [redacted]

[redacted] It would not appear that this [redacted] is identical with instant caller in view of the age difference, [redacted] being 38 years of age.

Master Card made in [redacted]

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