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Re Baltimore airtel dated 12/9/63 captioned
ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY, Dallas, Texas,
11/22/63, AFO.

Interview of Mrs. ROSE HYLTON was conducted at her home, 3472 Hill Street, Huntington Park, California, on 12/11/63 by SA's FREDERICK E. RODERICK and HARRY H. WHIDBEE. Mrs. HYLTON stated that she is in her 70's; that she lives alone and from the outset of the interview stated that during the entire time that CARLOS MARADIAGA and his wife, DORA lived at the residence at the rear of her house that she was extremely afraid of them.

She recalled that on one occasion that she had had a violent argument with CARLOS MARADIAGA and she called the local police to keep the peace at her residence.

It was noted during the interview that Mrs. HYLTON was highly excitable and was given to exaggerating to the point that she was uncertain of details regarding the conversations she had had with Mrs. MARADIAGA as well as to exactly when these took place. She admitted that she had assumed that CARLOS MARADIAGA had come from Cuba but that in fact she did not know anything regarding his origin. Mrs. HYLTON was very opinionated regarding the MARADIAGAS and admitted that when they first moved to her rental house that she thought they were Negroes.

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She advised the last known address of the MARADIAGAS in Saugus, California. When pressed for details Mrs. HYLTON apparently was confused with information she first allegedly heard from Mrs. MARADIAGA that her husband's uncle allegedly was involved in the shooting of three men in his native country for which he received a political position and that he would have to kill "the President" to further himself in that country, with a plan to kill the President of the United States.

She could not advise any details regarding any political meetings and was confused as to the dates when Mrs. MARADIAGAS repeated to her that "the President" was to be killed. She stated that the MARADIAGAS moved on 12/1/63, and then that they moved on 12/3/63. When asked what Mrs. MARADIAGAS told her after President JOHN F. KENNEDY was killed she became confused and stated that she had not seen Mrs. MARADIAGAS after Mr. KENNEDY ~~after Mr. KENNEDY~~ was killed.

It was apparent that Mrs. HYLTON is approaching senility, because she talked on at length without any continuity.

The Los Angeles Office indices were negative for names, CARLOS MARADIAGA, DORA MARADIAGA, Mrs. ROSE HYLTON and TONY SCORSONE. The latter is allegedly an uncle of CARLOS MARADIAGA and resides in Compton, California.

Report follows.