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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, NEWARK (62-3072) (C)

SUBJECT: [REDACTED] *0*
 INFORMATION CONCERNING *Assassination of*

Re Newark airtel dated 1/18/64.

Dr. [REDACTED] Neuro-Psychiatrist, New Jersey Reformatory, Bordentown, New Jersey, advised SA DANIEL E. BRANDT on 1/21/64 that he had examined [REDACTED] on a number of occasions while [REDACTED] was confined in the reformatory.

He stated [REDACTED] was discharged from the U. S. Navy on 2/23/56 as being "unfit for service" and his condition was diagnosed as "schizophrenic reaction simple type." [REDACTED] said [REDACTED] was received at Bordentown on 3/24/61 and through tests it was determined that he was of average mentality but had a convulsive disorder which he described as "chronic brain syndrome associated with convulsive disorder epilepsy grand mal" and described his personality trait disturbance as a "passive aggressive personality."

He stated [REDACTED] has a superior mental level and was a "sophisticated manipulator" who was emotionally disturbed but was not psychic. He said [REDACTED] used his superior mental level to tell fanciful stories to impress his fellow inmates who were of a lower mental level.

[REDACTED] advised that in view of his knowledge of [REDACTED] mental condition he would be of the opinion that the story furnished by [REDACTED] as set forth in referenced Newark

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airtel was a figment of [redacted] overactive imagination.

[redacted] was interviewed on 1/21/64 and advised he and [redacted] had close daily contact for a six-month period until [redacted] release. He denied all knowledge of the assassination of President KENNEDY other than what he saw on television after the assassination took place and denied telling anyone that the assassination was going to take place. [redacted] said there were many rumors in the reformatory after the assassination to the effect that there would be future attempts on President JOHNSON's life and recalled talking to [redacted] about the elaborate security precaution taken when President JOHNSON visited the United Nations in New York.

[redacted] admitted telling [redacted] about the alleged discovery of a cache of weapons in East Haven, Connecticut, but denied being a member of the COMMUNIST PARTY and denied the rest of the story as set forth in referenced Newark airtel.

All information has been furnished to [ALBERT ELIAS, Superintendent] of the Bordentown Reformatory, and the results of [redacted] interview will be furnished to Secret Service locally.

No further investigation being conducted by Newark.