



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

408 Post Office Building
Baltimore, Maryland 21202

May 26, 1964

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT
JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY

RE: Anonymous Letters Alleging
Cover-up In Assassination

By letter dated May 23, 1964, Mr. R. H. ROECKER, Manager, Baltimore Office, Pinkerton's National Detective Agency, Incorporated, 509 One Charles Center, Baltimore 1, Maryland, forwarded to the Baltimore Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) two handwritten, anonymous letters, which had been postmarked at Baltimore and received by his office. Mr. ROECKER explained that four such "crank" letters had been received, beginning approximately three weeks previously, but that they had been destroyed by clerical personnel in his office. He understood that past letters had referred to the assassination of the late President KENNEDY, and indicated that investigations of the assassination had been covered up. In addition, the letters had claimed that FBI Director, J. EDGAR HOOVER, was an advocate of communism and, therefore, responsible for the President's assassination. Mr. ROECKER had no information concerning the identity of the letter writer.

The texts of the letters, which are partially illegible, are as follows:

"May 20, 1963

"The use of the Sheraton Belvedere Hotel by Freemasons is ruse for extensive coverup operations, while the insane or Pschyo, and his many rabid Pschvo's continue there undercover violence on homes, and all over, the same as before there murder of President KENNEDY, the Policeman and OSWALD."

"May 12, 1963

"Article F.B.I. (HOOVER) coverup, article how F.B.I. protected, coverup. There is a (deadly shade) thats power covered. The hidden old insane Pschyo Plate continues his rabid insane force on

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homes and in his vicinity. Dob used by him to promote rabid force. This deadly shade power is all over committing rabid insane harm. This done before (as now) his/there/ RUBYS) murder of President KENNEDY, the Policeman, OSWALD. They might rework the OSWALD case again, same as they have done before manovering statements that theytwist, all of the same extensive coverup."

On May 26, 1964, the Baltimore Office of the FBI received by mail from the William J. Burns Detective Agency, 1800 North Charles Street, Baltimore, Maryland, handwritten copies of foregoing letters which had been similarly mailed anonymously to the Burns Agency.

The Burns Agency had no information concerning the identity of the letter writer.