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In Reply, Please Refer to
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ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT
JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY
NOVEMBER 22, 1963
DALLAS, TEXAS

Re: A. E. "Al" Borschel

On September 29, 1964, an individual who requested his identity be treated with confidence, but who stated he had no first-hand knowledge concerning the information he furnished, telephonically advised Special Agent Lewis E. Glenn as follows:

On September 24, 1964, at a rally for Senator Barry Goldwater held at the Municipal Airport, Mason City, Iowa, A. E. "Al" Borschel, 1601 North Shore Drive, Clear Lake, Iowa, reportedly made the following statement publicly: "The assassination of President Kennedy was the best thing that ever happened to this country."

The individual who furnished this information stated he had not heard Borschel make this statement and that he had received this information from [redacted]

[redacted] a resident of [redacted] He stated that [redacted] who is a student at [redacted] is reported to have heard this statement by Borschel.

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