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TO : Mr. DeLoach

DATE: 3/2/67

FROM : R. E. Wick

SUBJECT: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT
JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY
11/22/63, DALLAS, TEXAS

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With the arrest by the New Orleans District Attorney's Office of Clay Shaw as a suspect in instant case, and the disclosure by District Attorney Garrison in New Orleans of numerous additional names of individuals who are allegedly involved in the "plot" to assassinate President Kennedy, my office has received a flood of inquiries this morning from newspapermen and representatives of TV and radio desiring comments by the FBI on the various individuals whose names have been disclosed, as well as either "on the record" or "off the record" background information on the individuals named.

To all of these inquiries this office is maintaining a strict "no comment" policy and we will continue this policy. In addition, SAC Rightmyer of the New Orleans Office and SAC Shanklin of the Dallas Office were again cautioned by my office on the morning of 3/2/67 to maintain such a "no comment" policy.

RECOMMENDATION

None. For information.

- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Rosen
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. Jones

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"no comment" policy must be meticulously followed.

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