

The Attorney General

Director, FBI

1 - Mr. DeLoach
1 - Mr. Wick
1 - Mr. Rosen
April 21, 1967

1 - Mr. Sullivan
1 - Mr. Branigan
1 - Mr. Lenihan

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT
JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY
NOVEMBER 22, 1963,
DALLAS, TEXAS

I have previously furnished to you information this Bureau has received in connection with the investigation of the assassination of the late President John Fitzgerald Kennedy, which is being conducted by New Orleans District Attorney James C. Garrison.

In my letter of April 7, 1967, I reported information that this Bureau had received on a highly confidential basis from [redacted]

[redacted] who had been in recent contact with New Orleans District Attorney James C. Garrison. I enclosed a copy of an interview of Perry Raymond Russo by Andrew J. Sciambra, an investigator on the staff of New Orleans District Attorney Garrison.

On April 18, 1967, our source made available to us a three-page memorandum prepared by Andrew J. Sciambra which sets forth results of an interview of Perry Raymond Russo at Mercy Hospital in New Orleans when Russo allegedly had undergone an injection of sodium pentothal. Our source also made available to us a thirteen-page memorandum which sets forth questions by Dr. Esmond A. Fatter, private physician associated with the New Orleans Coroner's Office (Dr. F), and answers by Perry Raymond Russo (PR), at which time Russo allegedly was under hypnosis by Dr. Fatter. A copy of each of these memoranda is enclosed.

Additional pertinent information concerning this matter that comes to our attention will be furnished to you.

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This data is also being furnished to Mrs. Mildred Stegall at the White House.

Enclosures - 2

- 1 - Mr. Harold Barefoot Sanders, Jr. (Enclosures - 2)
Assistant Attorney General
- 1 - Mr. Fred M. Vinson, Jr. (Enclosures - 2)
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- 1 - Mr. J. Walter Yeagley (Enclosures - 2)
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NOTE:

See memorandum Mr. Wick to Mr. DeLoach dated April 18, 1967, captioned "Assassination of President John F. Kennedy, November 22, 1963, Dallas, Texas." The source mentioned herein is [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] who made data described herein available to Supervisor H. P. Leinbaugh. The enclosures give further evidence that the testimony of Russo at Clay Shaw's hearing was largely based upon data furnished him by members of Garrison's staff.