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TO : Mr. W. C. Sullivan

FROM : Mr. W. A. Branigan

DATE: August 30, 1967

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

W.A. Branigan
Frankenfield
E. L. ...

The purpose of this memorandum is to report an allegation that Ross Scaccia, an Assistant United States Attorney in New Orleans, recently planned to hold a secret meeting with Clay Shaw and Eugene Davis, both of whom have received considerable publicity in connection with James C. Garrison's probe in New Orleans, Louisiana. Letter to Department attached. *La*

On August 23, 1967

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Clay Shaw is the individual who has been charged by Garrison as being involved in a conspiracy to assassinate President Kennedy. Garrison claims Shaw is identical to the Clay Bertrand who allegedly contacted New Orleans attorney Dean Andrews immediately after the assassination and requested Andrews to go to Dallas to defend Lee Harvey Oswald. Andrews has denied that Clay Shaw is Clay Bertrand and has been

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RE: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY
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convicted of perjury in the Criminal Court, Parish of Orleans, New Orleans, Louisiana. Eugene Davis is a homosexual who owns Wanda's Bar in New Orleans. At one time Andrews claimed Davis was Clay Bertrand. Davis has denied this.

Ross Scaccia has been an Assistant United States Attorney in New Orleans since early June, 1967. Prior to that, from November, 1963, to March, 1967, he worked for New Orleans District Attorney James C. Garrison.

OBSERVATIONS:

It is not known if the information furnished in this matter by [redacted] is correct. Our contacts with [redacted] have been insufficient to determine his reliability. If the allegations of [redacted] are correct, it would appear that Scaccia is involved in some manner with the Garrison probe in New Orleans. It is felt we should disseminate this information to the Department but that we not initiate any active investigation to attempt to ascertain the validity of the allegations or the significance of Scaccia's activities involving Shaw and Eugene Davis, if the allegations are true.

ACTION:

Attached for approval is a letter to the Department summarizing the information set forth herein.

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Sullivan
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W. C.
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