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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (62-109060)

FROM : SAC, BALTIMORE (89-30)

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

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At 1:10 PM on 12/26/67, [redacted] Baltimore, Maryland, telephoned this office and identified himself as an electronics engineer who does technical writing for [redacted] on [redacted] Street in Baltimore, Maryland. He said he was compiling facts concerning the assassination of President JOHN F. KENNEDY. He stated that the source of his information was mainly photographs which appeared in various news media, as well as the reports and exhibits compiled and published in the Warren Commission Report.

[redacted] said that there were four assassins. He said the FBI must know the true identity of the assassins as it is very obvious. He refused to elaborate further, stating he would only divulge his information to three people, namely, J. EDGAR HOOVER, Senator RICHARD RUSSELL of Georgia, and President LYNDON B. JOHNSON. He requested that an appointment be made with President JOHNSON or Mr. HOOVER, and he mentioned that he had attempted to telephonically contact these individuals unsuccessfully. [redacted] would furnish no further background information concerning himself, other than to state that he had two sons, was recently divorced, and lived alone at the [redacted] address. He said he was telephoning from a telephone booth in front of Leeds Pharmacy in Baltimore.

C.C. Bishop

At approximately 4:00 PM on 12/26/67, [redacted] was located in the vicinity of Leeds Pharmacy, 910 Leeds Avenue, Baltimore, Maryland, by two agents of the Baltimore Office. He admitted

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that he was the [redacted] who called the Baltimore Office at approximately 1:10 PM. The Agents asked [redacted] to furnish pertinent information he had concerning the assassination of President KENNEDY. He said he only wished to talk to the President of the United States or to the Director of the FBI, as he felt the knowledge he had was to be furnished at a high level. He was informed by interviewing agents that they would immediately report his information to the proper authorities in Washington. [redacted] then asked one of the agents his religious background. He was advised that that was a personal question, and was in no way related to the interview. [redacted] then asked the second agent his religious affiliation, and he was advised that the question was irrelevant. [redacted] then took the attitude that the religious belief of the interviewing agents was pertinent, and if he was satisfied with their answers, he would consider furnishing the information he possessed. [redacted] was asked if he was implying that agents of certain religious affiliations would not properly perform their duties in reporting facts concerning the assassination. [redacted] denied that he was implying that, but went on to relate that he concluded there were four assassins involved in the murder, and his conclusion was based on scientific analysis of the Warren Commission Report, as well as other books and magazine periodicals written on the subject.

[redacted] then related that he was a Baptist, and that in his opinion, Catholic FBI Agents, as well as Catholic Secret Service Agents, and other Catholics in the White House, were engaged in a conspiracy to suppress information concerning the assassination. He was asked what proof or evidence he had to support such allegations, and he had none.

[redacted] said that he is presently unemployed, but has an education equivalent to that of a Bachelors Degree in Electronic Engineering. He said his principal source of income is from preparation of technical data in the electronics field. He said he had repeatedly tried to make appointments with the President unsuccessfully, and had also met with no success in attempts to make appointments with Senator RUSSELL of Georgia. He pointed out that he was born and raised in Georgia, although he spent the last 25 years of his life in Baltimore. He requested the interviewing agents to make an appointment for him with Director HOOVER or with President JOHNSON, and he was advised that such arrangements could not be made by interviewing agents. He said he would probably then come to see the Special Agent in Charge of the Baltimore Office.

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It is noted that Mr. BURKE is a white male, 53 years of age, who was coherent during the interview, and denied that he had ever received any psychiatric treatment or had ever been a patient in a mental hospital.

Baltimore Office files reflect a judgment filed by the United States of America vs. [REDACTED] on [REDACTED] in the Circuit Court of Baltimore County, in the amount of \$678.76. The file does not show the nature of this judgment, and has no additional identifying information.

On 2/2/54, [REDACTED] made a complaint to the Baltimore Office that one [REDACTED], a Baptist Minister, aided [REDACTED] wife in breaking into his home following a divorce and removed articles of furniture belonging to her. At that time, [REDACTED] alleged that [REDACTED] made a remark that he "belonged to the FBI." Investigation determined this to be either a misinterpreted or facetious comment.

In articles appearing in the Baltimore Sun, 8/14/59, and the Afro-American, 8/15/59, information was reported that the NAACP had asked the State Board Public Welfare to disregard a ruling of the Attorney General of Maryland and begin integration of Maryland's four training schools for delinquents. Opposing integration of the schools was one [REDACTED] Avenue, who said he was "appearing here in my own interest as a tax payer to protest the Board holding a hearing on this question when the Attorney General has already ruled on it."

The above information is furnished in the event [REDACTED] comes to the attention of the Bureau, and no further investigation is being conducted by this office.