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

The following is supplied as a matter of interest re-
garding possible surveillance capabilities of District Attorney
for Orleans Parish James C. Garrison. No investigation is to be
conducted.

The 3/12/68 issue of "Request for Bids" (a listing of
solicitation of bids by state and local authorities for a
wide variety of equipment) has the following item:

Bureau of Purchasing, Dept. of Finance, George Will III,
Purchasing Agent, Room BE10 City Hall, New Orleans, La.
70112 - Items are as per Specs.
INVESTIGATIVE ELECTRONIC DEVICES - Prop. #5779-BP -
March 27th - 6 items, of: 2 each #10-8 Tracer Automobile
Systems, complete; 1 each #236-L Wall socket Transmitter,
110v, 40 to 50 megacycles; 1 each #252 FM Sub-Miniature
Wearable Transmitter, 30 to 50 megacycles; 1 each #235
Sub-Miniature Room Transmitter, 30 to 50 megacycles; 1
each #272 Interior Automobile Conversation Transmitter,
30 to 50 megacycles; 2 each #195 Transmitter Locator
Meters. (#'s indicated are those of Investigative
Products, Inc. or eq.).

Tracer Investigative Products, Inc., 256 Worth Avenue,
Palm Beach, Florida 33482 has been engaged for several years
in the commercial manufacture and sale of good quality
microphone and telephone surveillance equipment. In the
last few years the #10-8 automobile tailing device and the
#195 concealed transmitter detector (neither of which are
thoroughly reliable) have been added to Tracer's products.

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Item 236-L is in the form of a cube tap which is plugged into a 110-volt outlet. The #252 is a thin pocket transmitter about the size of a large book of paper matches. The #235 is a miniature microphone transmitter about the size of a rectangular lump of sugar. The #272 is an adaptation of the #252 for concealment in automobiles and operation off a car battery. All are FM transmitters and the bid solicitation specifies a frequency range of between 30 to 50 megacycles. On special order, other frequencies may be obtained.

NOTE:

Above letter predicated on memorandum R. W. Swartz to Mr. Conrad 3/22/68. Mr. Matter coordinated with R. E. Lenihan of Division 5.