

Memorandum

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 Mr. Mohr
 Mr. Bishop
 Mr. Casper
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 Mr. Conrad
 Mr. Felt
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 Mr. Sullivan
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TO : Mr. Mohr

DATE: February 12, 1964

FROM : C. D. DeLoach

SUBJECT: ASSASSINATION OF THE PRESIDENT
WARREN COMMISSION

At 5:10 p. m., 2-11-64, Julius Frandsen, who is head of the United Press International Bureau here in Washington and is a very good friend of the FBI, advised Wick that he had written a letter to Chief Justice Warren. Background of the matter is that Mr. Frandsen was appointed to serve this year as Chairman of the National Committee on Freedom of Information of Sigma Delta Chi, national professional journalism fraternity. Wick is a member of Sigma Delta Chi, which holds monthly meetings attended by top news, radio and television men in the Washington area at the National Press Club. *Fail D*

Frandsen told Wick that in his capacity as Chairman of the Freedom of Information Committee he had written a letter to Warren. He wondered if he had done the right thing. He said that about 10 days ago he became increasingly concerned about the Warren Commission's stifling of information and the seemingly incongruous action of Warren little by little giving snide hints of what the Commission would find, and yet at no time indicating when findings of the FBI and other investigating agencies would be made available to the American public. Frandsen therefore wrote a letter about 10 days ago asking the Chief Justice for an expression of his reasons for keeping the public in the dark and asking at what time he intended to make available to the public what newsmen are inclined to believe the American public should have based on a completed FBI investigation. He told the Chief Justice that in his position as Chairman of the Sigma Delta Chi National Committee on Freedom of Information he would expect a reply.

Frandsen says that to date the Chief Justice has not seen fit to answer his letter and in the words of Frandsen, "I guess he didn't like it too much."

ACTION:

For information.

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Rosen
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- 1 - M. A. Jones

REW:amr

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I think Frandsen acted properly.

Wick

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