

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

1Date November 25, 1963

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Mr. FORREST V. SORRELS, Special Agent in Charge of U. S. Secret Service, 505 North Ervay Street, advised that he recalled that approximately the first week of November, 1963, there appeared articles in the Dallas newspapers indicating it was anticipated President KENNEDY would, in his visit to Texas later in the month, visit Dallas. He advised that he later learned the President was to speak at a luncheon which was to be sponsored by the Dallas Citizens Council, Dallas Assembly and the Science Research Center on November 22, 1963. Mrs. KENNEDY, Vice-President LYNDON B. JOHNSON and Mrs. JOHNSON were scheduled to accompany him.

On November 18, 1963, Mr. SORRELS stated he and a member of the Secret Service detail met with officials of the Dallas Police Department to look over a proposed site for the luncheon at the Trade Mart.

Mr. SORRELS stated that on November 19, 1963, confirmation was received that the Trade Mart location was acceptable, and a route from the Love Field Airport to the Trade Mart was selected and the Dallas Police Department was so informed.

Mr. SORRELS stated that on November 20, 1963, the route which had been selected from Love Field Airport to the Trade Mart was published in the Dallas newspapers. He stated that public announcements concerning the luncheon and all other announcements were handled by the Bloom Advertising Agency, 512 South Akard, Dallas.

Mr. SORRELS stated that the advance White House detail that came down from Washington, D. C., preceding the arrival of President KENNEDY should be consulted if additional details concerning these matters are desired as he does not have a copy of their report.

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W. H. PATTERSON, Special Agent, U. S. Secret Service, advised that the route taken by the presidential motorcade prior to the assassination of JOHN F. KENNEDY on November 22, 1963, was as follows:

Leaving by the Love Field main entrance, the motorcade proceeded south to Mockingbird, east on Mockingbird to Lemmon, south on Lemmon to Turtle Creek, south on Turtle Creek to Cedar Springs, south on Cedar Springs to Harwood, south on Harwood to Main, west on Main to Houston, north on Houston to Elm, and west on Elm, following which the President was shot.

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