## Memoranaum

Mr. C. Sullivan

TROM J. Brennan, Jr. F.

SUBJECT:

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN FITZGURALD KENNEDY NOVEMBER 22, 1963, DALLAS, TEXAS 1 - Mr. DeLeach 1 - Mr. Rosen

DATE: 2/21/67

1 - Mr. Wick

1 - Ir. Sullivan I - Ir. Branigan

1 - Liaison

1 - Mr. Bartlett

Assistant to the Director Burrill Peterson, U. S. Secret Service, telephoned Liaison Supervisor Bartlett on 2/21/67 and made reference to the recent articles in the press coming out of New Orleans, Louisiana, alleging new information would be forthcoming concerning the assassination of President Kennedy.

Mr. Peterson said that Secret Service Director James J. Rowley received a telephone call on 2/20/67 from Malcolm Kilduff, who was Assistant Press Secretary to the President and was the Acting Press Secretary at Dallas, Texas, on 11/22/63. (Kilduff is now a partner in the public relations firm of Horton & Kilduff, Washington, D. C.). Kilduff reported that he had received a telephone call from Harold Weisberg, Damascus, Maryland, the author of "Whitewash I" and "Whitewash II," two books on the assassination critical of the Warren Commission Report. Weisberg told Kilduff that the New Orleans reports are true and that he was in possession of information along this line if Kilduff desired to review it. Kilduff made no commitment to Weisberg.

Mr. Peterson said Secret Service planned no action, and Kilduff was taking no action and that he was passing on this information to the Burcau for any action we desired.

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