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TO DIRECTOR (62-109060) AND NEW ORLEANS (89-69)

FROM HOUSTON (62-2115)

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY, MOVEMBER TWENTYTWO NINETEEN SIXTYTHREE, DALLAS, TEXAS.

REBUAIRTEL' JULY, SEVEN LAST.

RUDOLPH RICHARD DAVIS, JR. LOCATED AND INTERVIEWED AT HOUSTON.

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DENIED KNOWLEDGE OR ASSOCIATION WITH MINUTEMEN ORGANIZATION AT NEW ORLEANS, HOWEVER, DID RECEIVE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FROM JOHN BIRCH SOCIETY. NEW ORLEANS.

DAVIS RECALLED TWO CONTACTS WITH LEE HARVEY OSWALD WHILE RESIDING IN NEW ORLEANS DURING THE FALL OF NINETEEN SIXTYTHREE WHILE DAVIS ACTIVE IN ANTI CASTRO ACTIVITIES. DAVIS HAS NO INFORMATION RE MINUTEMEN ACTIVITY BY Q

APPROXIMATELY TWO MONTHS AGO DAVIS INTERVIEWED BY 14 JUL 21 19671 REPRESENTATIVES OF JIM GARRISON, NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT ATTORNEY,

AT HOUSTON IN CONNECTION WITH GARRISON'S PROBE.

APPROXIMATELY FOUR MONTHS AGO DAVIS RECEIVED FIVE HINDRED

ARS FROM TIME-LIFE CORP. TO DIVULGE LOCATION OF TRAINING

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BITE AT NEW ORLEANS UTILIZED BY DAVIS TO TRAIN EXILED CUBANS.

PURPOSE OF TRAINING WAS TO KEEP EXILED CUBANS BUSY WHILE IN

UNITED STATES AND NOT FOR INVASION PURPOSES. TRAINING SITE

LOCATED ON DE LA BARRE ESTATE NEAR LACOME, LOUISIANA.

DE LA BARRE ESTATE CLOSELY ASSOCIATED WITH JOHN BIRCH SOCIETY

ACCORDING TO DAVIS.

DAVIS STATED TIME-LIFE CORP. PREPARING DETAILED STORY REGARRISON PROBE AND INCORPORATING PHOTOS OF DAVIS'S TRAINING CAMP IN ARTICLE. HOUSTON INDICES NEGATIVE ON DAVIS. DAVIS ADVISED HE HAD BEEN INTERVIEWED IN PAST BY FBI, NEW ORLEANS.

NEW ORLEANS IMMEDIATELY REVIEW INDICES AND ASCERTAIN THAT ALL Lefter hand Memo PERTINENT INFORMATION FURNISHED BUREAU. LHM FOLLOWS.

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