

Memorandum

TO: Mr. Rosen

DATE: October 28, 1966

FROM: R. I. Shroder

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

- 1 - Mr. Rosen
- 1 - Mr. Malley
- 1 - Mr. Shroder
- 1 - Mr. McGowan
- 1 - Mr. Raupach
- 1 - Mr. Conrad
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan (Mr. Lenihan)

Mr. Tolson	
Mr. DeLoach	
Mr. Mohr	
Mr. Bishop	
Mr. Casper	
Mr. Callahan	
Mr. Conrad	
Mr. Felt	
Mr. Gale	
Mr. Rosen	
Mr. Sullivan	
Mr. Tavel	
Mr. Trotter	
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Miss Gandy	

This is to advise a copy of a transcript captioned "A Re-examination of the Warren Commission Findings: a Minority Report," has been obtained. This is a transcript of a show to be telecast on 11/12/66, over WNEW-TV, New York City, and will be seen on WTTG, Channel 5, Washington, D. C., at 9 P. M., 11/12/66. A detailed memorandum will be submitted following a review of this transcript.

BACKGROUND:

A United Press International release indicated a three-hour panel discussion program is to be aired on 11/12/66, by WNEW-TV, dealing with the criticisms of the Warren Commission Report on the assassination of President Kennedy.

The program entitled "A Re-examination of the Warren Commission Findings: a Minority Report," is to feature five authors of books and articles on the Commission Report.

The participants in this program are: Jacob Cohen, Penn Jones, Mark Lane, Leo Sauvage and Harold Weisberg. The show will be hosted by Jim Bishop.

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It is to be noted four of the five authors have been critical of the findings of the President's Commission and have been seeking notoriety to sell their publications and articles. Mr. Cohen indicated he defends the President's Commission. Mr. Bishop also agrees with the Commission.

The New York Office, through an established source, obtained a copy of the transcript of the television show which was recorded 8/30/66, and is to be telecast 11/12/66, at 9 P. M., over WNEW-TV, New York, and

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will be aired over WTTG, Channel 5. (an independent network) in
Washington, D. C., at 9 P.M., 11/12/66.

Copies of this transcript have been prepared, which are being reviewed by the Domestic Intelligence Division, the Laboratory Division, and the Criminal Section and Civil Rights Section of the General Investigative Division. These Divisions will review this transcript for any pertinent information concerning investigation or examinations conducted relating to phases of investigation of the assassination of President Kennedy, which included Lee Harvey Oswald and Jack L. Ruby.

The Domestic Intelligence Division, the Laboratory Division and the Civil Rights Section of the General Investigative Division will submit rough draft reviews of observations relating to examinations or investigations conducted by their Divisions, to the Criminal Section of the General Investigative Division by Thursday, 11/3/66. Thereafter, the Criminal Section, General Investigative Division, will coordinate and prepare a memorandum, setting forth the results of this review.

The telecast program to be aired on 11/12/66, will be observed and monitored. Enclosures forwarded separately.

ACTION:

For information.

Rosen *MR* *AS*