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Thank you for your recent letter in which you offered to assist in the current Department of Justice review of the House Tolla Select Committee on Assassinations report on the assassination of President John F. Kennedy. We also appreciate your referral of certain information which you felt might be relevant to the Department's inquiry.

The Federal Bureau of Investigation is currently conducting an investigation into several aspects of the assassination. It is envisioned that scientific analysis of physical evidence related to the assassination will be conducted by private sector scientists in the near future. Although there appears to be no need at this time to assign you to an investigative team or to interview you, your cooperation in forwarding any relevant information now in your possession to the Department of Justice would be appreciated.

We appreciate your concern in this important matter.

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Sincerely,

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U.S. Department of Justice Benjamin R. Civiletti, Attorney GeneraJAN 23 1980 Room 5111 Washington, D.C. 20530

Dear Sir:

It has recently come to my attention that the Justice Department is opening the murder investigations of President John F. Kennedy and Dr. Martin Luther King. I would like to offer my services in this investigation.

My interest in the Kennedy murder started in 1966 when I met an Air Force Master Sergeant at St. Albans Naval Hospital, Queens, New York. This sergeant, an elderly man, was suffering from terminal cancer. He stated that on November 22, 1963 he was attached to Air Force One as an electronics technician. He further stated that after the President was shot a message was received over a military frequency that multiple assassins had attacked the President.

For the past thirteen years, I have studied the Kennedy assassination and have accrued a vast library on the subject. My research, although not original, has turned up some viable leads. For instance, a Secret Service agent, 70 stationed in the Dallas-Fort Worth area disappeared on November 22, 1963 yet his family still receives his paychecks. The disappearance of an in-1963 yet his family still receives his payeneeks. The distribution became aware dividual is not unusual except it has been said that been unof an assassins plot against the president. An assassins plot had been unearthed in Chicago a short time before President Kennedy's Dallas trip.

Please do not misconstrue this letter. I am not a crank; but I am sincerely interested in this crucial investigation. I am willing to join an investigative team and if that is not possible, will make myself available for an interview by investigative officers.

Sincerely yours DEPART .. 121621 Dec. Init 10 Ofc. of LSS

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