

*Don  
B. Liffman*

Mr. White

June 18, 1974

C. F. Downing

*[Handwritten signature]*

[Redacted]

NEW YORK CITY  
MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION CONCERNING

*L.H. Oswald  
[Handwritten signature]*

On June 12, 1974, Special Agent Lyndal L. Shaneyfelt of the Document Section of the FBI Laboratory received a telephone call from [Redacted] who identified himself as [Redacted] which he indicated was [Redacted]. He was calling from his office [Redacted].

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He stated that he had been furnished a copy of a document purported to be an official communication bearing the heading of the FBI and Department of Justice, specifying the Office of the Director, and this letterhead contained a seal which he could not state was the Bureau seal. It was furnished to him by an individual he preferred not to name who has been for the last several years doing extensive research in matters relative to the assassination of former President John F. Kennedy. The copy he had furnished was dated November 24, 1947, and appeared to be divided as though two separate papers put together. It contained an illegible scrawled signature and an initial suggesting the dictator "LS." At the bottom it had a notation "return to file" and was marked "sensitive." The basic information furnished in this document was that one Jack Rubenstein of Chicago, who is a potential witness for hearings before the House Un-American Activities Committee, is performing information functions for the staff of Richard M. Nixon, Republican of California. It recommended that Rubenstein not be called as a witness.

- 1 - Mr. McDermott
- ① - Mr. Wannall
- 1 - Mr. White
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- 1 - Mr. Shaneyfelt

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Memorandum to Mr. White

Re: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] asked whether or not this was a communication prepared by SA Shaneyfelt (it is assumed that he obtained the name of SA Shaneyfelt from the Warren Commission material and associated that with Jack Rubenstein, which was the family name of Jack Ruby). SA Shaneyfelt advised him that the communication was completely foreign to him and not prepared by him since he was in fact not an FBI Agent in November, 1947. [REDACTED] stated that he was given the impression that the copy obtained was of recent vintage. [REDACTED] asked if SA Shaneyfelt had any particular comment to make about it and was advised that without seeing it, there was little comment that could be made. [REDACTED] then volunteered to send a copy and SA Shaneyfelt told him that he would be interested in looking at it but gave him no encouragement and indicated low-key interest. [REDACTED] said he would send a copy and did not ask for any evaluation or reply and gave the impression of sending it as a matter of cooperation with the FBI.

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RECOMMENDATION:

None. For information only. You will be advised if there are further developments.