

CIA - Behavior Modification?

To Quin Shea from Harold Weisberg JFK assassination appeals 3/29/79

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Attached FBIHQ 620109060-7227 may appear to relate to a nut and may in fact be nutty. I'll explain why I can't dismiss it out-of-hand.

It is filed in FBIHQ's assassination file, with no other FBIHQ file indicated.

It is a repetition of a 1971 complaint. This was prior to any general knowledge of the CIA's work of this nature. (Of course this does not preclude the invention of the story.)

Dallas provided no relevant records from 100-10461. There is no filing designation for that House intelligence committee on this record. There is no reference to the extensive files of related nature that must exist in the Baltimore Field Office because of the extraordinary involvements of Ft. Detrick and Aberdeen, CDM. There were and are court cases.

Although it was kept as a close secret and everyone else appears to have missed it some years ago I found a Commission record, a report from Helms, going into the USSR's use of and skills with such procedures. It concluded that the USSR could not come up with a Manchurian Candidate (this language not used by Helms) and that we were then at least five years ahead of the USSR. This, not the fate of my neighbor Olson, whose older son I knew, is what triggered my interest in such mind-toying protections of the nation.

The references to earlier relevant records never make retrieval possible with any certainty. Especially with the "previously processed" entries for scantily itemized pages.

There also should be later records, with no way of recognizing them.

If I do not dismiss this out of hand I also believe that it is a nut complaint and I would like my files and archives to eliminate this mythology if it is that.

Interestingly enough there is no content that suggests JFK assassination. I regard the excisions, if for privacy, as justified. However, Baltimore's omission of this while providing it in the caption is provocative.

While this is not of a priority nature I would like to have it resolved and would accept written assurances if the FBI is reluctant to provide the relevant records. My major interest is in not leaving a provocative and misleading record. Perhaps also very unfair to both CIA and FBI.