MEMORANDUM FOR MR. TOLSON

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MR. BULLIVAN

I called Supervisor James L. Handley and told him the wire in from the Embausy in Mexico City gives me a little bit of concern because, when I turned down the request to send someone down there yesterday, I had not received any such wire as that. I said he may be one of those pseudo investigators, a Shorlock Holmes, but that he has made a lot of statements which, if true, throw an entirely different light on the whole picture. I said I wondered if we shouldn't send someone down to Mexico City who is familiar with the case at this end and who preferably understands and speaks Epanish. Mir. Handley said he didn't think we would have shything to lose.

I asked Mr. Handley if we have anybody available who speaks Spanish, and he indicated he would check at once to see who is available. I instructed Mr. Handley to make the arrangements, preferably someone who speaks Spanish war crowders per men martin comment of a state of the state of the

THAN AS HE DESCRIPTION BY FA. Mr. Handley indicated he thought it should be a security agent. I said yes, we should take somebody in security work and preferably who knows Spanish and at the same time knows the case, who can assist and help our Legal Attache down there because regardless of what the report shows, with all the details given, if we haven't gone into them and exploded them, the Ambassador may some day decide to write a book and show what

he notified this Government of and that no action was taken. Note -Collahan The Ambassador 109060-1 Pelosch Tole ... Sullives John Edgar Hoover Tovel Director, AAIL AQUO TELETYPE UNIT

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1emorandum DATE: November 27, 1963 Mr. Belmont SUBJECT: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT KENNEDY NOVEMBER 22, 1963 DALLAS, TEXAS Mr. Hoover called and advised that since receipt of this cablegram from the Ambassador in Mexico City he is very much concerned. He suggested that we should send an Agent immediately to Mexico to explode or to prove this situation completely. He instructed that arrangements be made to get an Agent to Mexico as quickly as possible and an Agent who has some background knowledge of the case and internal security and can speak Spanish. Mr. Hoover was informed we would immediately get on this, find an Agent who can meet these requirements and get him en route as quickly as possible. Personal Region Portion 1 - Mr. Sullivan 53 DEC4

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