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INSPECTOR JAMES R. MALLEY

JACK LEON RUBY, aka
LEE HARVEY OSWALD - VICTIM

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At approximately 8:50 PM, this date, Assistant to the Director BELMONT telephonically advised that the Director has talked to the President again and the President approved the idea that we make a report showing the evidence conclusively tying OSWALD in as the assailant of President KENNEDY.

In addition, the President wants us to make a report on the killing today of OSWALD by RUBY.

The Dept. of Justice is putting out a press statement tonight to the effect that following the death of President KENNEDY, President JOHNSON requested the Director of the FBI to conduct an investigation and following the matter of OSWALD, asked the Director of the FBI to conduct investigation.

The first report on the assassination of President KENNEDY will be along the lines we have previously discussed and the two supervisors are proceeding immediately to Dallas for this purpose.

The second report on RUBY should show the events that transpired today in the killing of OSWALD and the results of our inquiry into RUBY's background as well as our inquiries into the Civil Rights aspects of this matter.

The Director stated that the President feels there will be considerable pressure on both of these matters in the next day or so, and consequently, desired that both reports be furnished to the Dept. of Justice this Tuesday. The Director noted that this would be a burden, but that we would have to put as many men as possible on at this time.

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