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To: SAC, Dallas (100-10461)

From: Director, FBI (105-82555) ^{REC-11}

LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka. ¹³¹⁴
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Reurairtel 1-9-64 and enclosed letterhead memorandum same date captioned "Assassination of President John Fitzgerald Kennedy, 11-22-63, Dallas, Texas, Miscellaneous - Information Concerning" relating to alleged observations of Richard Randolph Carr.

The purpose of submitting a letterhead memorandum in this matter is not clear. It would appear this inquiry should be handled as a regular investigative development under the above caption and not under the caption of referenced airtel.

Prior to considering this matter resolved, the allegations made by Carr should be specifically repudiated. It is noted one of the original allegations is that Carr stated Oswald did not assassinate the President and that he and four or five other steel workers witnessed the assassination and presumably they could substantiate Carr's statements.

Carr should be recontacted and an appropriate signed statement taken regarding his observations. He should be confronted with the inconsistencies noted, particularly those based on personal observation by Dallas Agents. You should also be alert to any violation of Title 18, U. S. Code, Section 1001.

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Airtel SAC, Dallas
RE: LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA.
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When the investigation is completed, it should be appropriately reported bearing in mind the Presidential Commission is being furnished copies of investigative reports. A letterhead memorandum need not be submitted.

NOTE:

Dallas received and reported in LHM form information Carr had initially stated Oswald did not assassinate President Kennedy inasmuch as he, Carr, was seeking work at a building under construction and Carr and four or five others observed the assassin. This individual was also alleged to be seen getting in a car driven by a Negro. During interview on 1-4-64, Carr denied making any statements to the effect he had seen the assassin fire a gun from the building or that he observed anyone getting into a car. However, he did state that while in a new building under construction, he observed an individual looking out of a top floor window of the Texas School Book Depository Building and shortly thereafter he believed he saw the same individual in the street near the building. Dallas Agents made observations from the building where Carr allegedly saw this activity and state impossible to observe area where assassin believed to have shot Kennedy.

Dallas being instructed to resolve all discrepancies and inconsistencies and promptly report same. It is possible a violation for furnishing false information to a Federal officer could be developed. At the present time there does not appear to be any need or justification for disseminating this information.