

1 - Mr. DeLoach
1 - Mr. Wick
1 - Mr. Rosen
April 21, 1967

The Attorney General

Director, FBI

1 - Mr. Sullivan
1 - Mr. Branigan
1 - Mr. Lenihan

**ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT
JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY**
NOVEMBER 22, 1963
DALLAS, TEXAS

I have previously furnished to you information this Bureau has received in connection with the investigation of the assassination of the late President John Fitzgerald Kennedy, which is being conducted by New Orleans District Attorney James C. Garrison.

In my letter of April 7, 1967, I reported information that this Bureau had received on a highly confidential basis from [redacted]

[redacted] who had been in recent contact with New Orleans District Attorney James C. Garrison. I enclosed a copy of an interview of Perry Raymond Russo by Andrew J. Sciambra, an investigator on the staff of New Orleans District Attorney Garrison.

On April 18, 1967, our source made available to us a three-page memorandum prepared by Andrew J. Sciambra which sets forth results of an interview of Perry Raymond Russo at Mercy Hospital in New Orleans when Russo allegedly had undergone an injection of sodium pentothal. Our source also made available to us a thirteen-page memorandum which sets forth questions by Dr. Esmond A. Fatter, private physician associated with the New Orleans Coroner's Office (Dr. F), and answers by Perry Raymond Russo (PR), at which time Russo allegedly was under hypnosis by Dr. Fatter. A copy of each of these memoranda is enclosed.

Additional pertinent information concerning this matter that comes to our attention will be furnished to you.

62-109060

REL: as
(12)

MAILED 2
APR 21 1967
COMM-FBI

EX 106

SEE NOTE PAGE TWO

APR 24 1967

TELETYPE UNIT

APR 24 1967

Handwritten: 50922
SEE NOTE PAGE TWO
APR 24 1967
[Signatures]

The Attorney General

This data is also being furnished to Mrs. Mildred Stogall at the White House.

Enclosures - 2

- 1 - Mr. Harold Barefoot Sanders, Jr. (Enclosures - 2)
Assistant Attorney General
- 1 - Mr. Fred M. Vinson, Jr. (Enclosures - 2)
Assistant Attorney General
- 1 - Mr. J. Walter Yeagley (Enclosures - 2)
Assistant Attorney General

NOTE:

See memorandum Mr. Wick to Mr. DeLoach dated April 18, 1967, captioned "Assassination of President John F. Kennedy, November 22, 1963, Dallas, Texas." The source mentioned herein is [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] who made data described herein available to Supervisor H. P. Loinbaugh. The enclosures give further evidence that the testimony of Russo at Clay Shaw's hearing was largely based upon data furnished him by members of Garrison's staff.

1 - Mr. Lenth

4/21/67

Airtel

To: SACs, New Orleans (89-69) (Enclosures - 2) (PERSONAL ATTENTION)
Dallas (89-43) (Enclosures - 2) (PERSONAL ATTENTION)

From: Director, FBI (62-109060)

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT
JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY
NOVEMBER 22, 1963,
DALLAS, TEXAS

ReBairtel 4/12/67 which advised you that [redacted] made available to a Bureau Official data he had received in connection with his inquiries of the investigation of the assassination being conducted by New Orleans District Attorney James C. Garrison.

On April 18, 1967 [redacted] contacted the Bureau and made available a three-page memorandum prepared by Andrew J. Sciambra which set forth results of an interview of Perry Raymond Russo at Mercy Hospital in New Orleans when Russo allegedly had undergone an injection of sodium pentothal. [redacted] also made available a thirteen-page memorandum which sets forth questions by Dr. Esmond A. Fatter, private physician associated with the New Orleans Coroner's Office (Dr. F) and answers by Perry Raymond Russo (PR) at which time Russo allegedly was under hypnosis by Dr. Fatter. A copy of each of these memoranda is enclosed for each the New Orleans and Dallas Office.

MAILED 24
APR 19 1967
COMM-FBI

The information furnished by [redacted] should be closely held in each office and must not be disseminated outside the Bureau. You have previously been informed that [redacted]

REL:as
(6)

- Tolson _____
- DeLoach _____
- Mohr _____
- Wick _____
- Casper _____
- Callahan _____
- Conrad _____
- Felt _____
- Gale _____
- Rosen _____
- Sullivan _____
- Tavel _____
- Trotter _____

NOTE: Memorandum Mr. Wick to Mr. DeLoach dated 4-18-67 reported that [redacted] furnished the data being sent herewith to New Orleans and Dallas to Supervisor H. P. Leinbaugh. The enclosures give further indication that Garrison's key witness Russo is a fraud. Copies of the enclosures have been disseminated to the White House and the Attorney General by separate communication.

62-109060-5093

62 APR 25 1967

MAIL ROOM TELETYPE UNIT

REC-8
EX 106

APR 21 1967

Red