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TO : Mr. Mohr

DATE: September 30, 1964

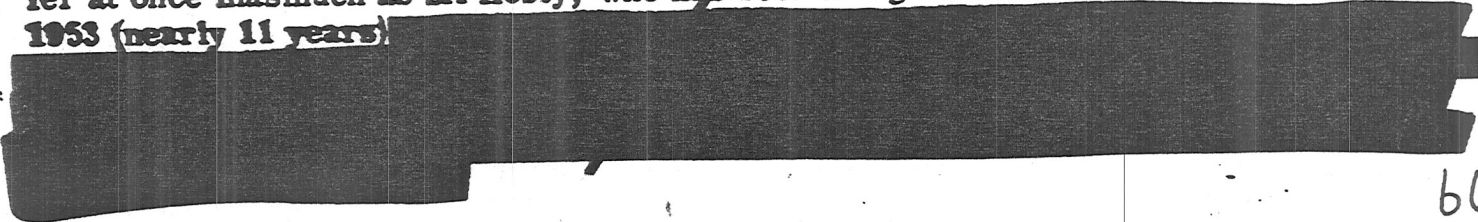
FROM : C. D. DeLoach

SUBJECT: TRANSFER OF SA JAMES P. HOSTY, JR.  
 EOD 1/21/52  
 DALLAS OFFICE  
 PRESS MATTER

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At 2:00 p. m. today SAC Shanklin telephoned and talked to Wick. He said he had just received the transfer letter from the Bureau for SA James P. Hosty, Jr., of the Dallas Office. Mr. Shanklin said he could definitely expect a deluge of telephone calls from news media asking questions concerning the transfer when it becomes known.

Shanklin said he had little doubt that news media would learn of the transfer at once inasmuch as SA Hosty, who has been assigned to Dallas since December 2, 1953 (nearly 11 years)



Shanklin said that newspapers have periodically carried stories and announcers have stated over the air that Hosty is still assigned to Dallas. Furthermore, Mr. Shanklin said he knows definitely that newsmen are making checks practically daily to determine if Hosty still resides on Genetta Drive.

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### ACTION TAKEN:

Wick told Shanklin that in the event he receives any inquiries from news media concerning the transfer of Hosty, he should answer all inquiries with a strict "No comment." He should also instruct SA Hosty to likewise answer any inquiries with "No comment."

Shanklin stated Hosty will be told he should go about this quietly but, of course, take all necessary action to make the move expeditiously.

- 1 - Mr. Callahan
- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
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