

TELETYPE

ROUTINE

CLEAR

- 1 - Mr. Held
- 1 - Mr. Adams
- 1 - Mr. McDermott

1/5/77

- 1 - Mr. Gallagher
- 1 - Mr. Ingram
- 1 - Mr. Peelman
- 1 - Mr. Giaquinto
- 1 - Each Assistant Director

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FM DIRECTOR (62-117290)

TO ALL SACS AND LEGATS (ROUTINE)

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HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON ASSASSINATIONS

REFERENCE BUREAU TELETYPE NOVEMBER 24, 1976.

REFERENCED BUREAU TELETYPE SET FORTH THE FACT THAT THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON ASSASSINATIONS (HSC) HAS BEEN CREATED BY THE NINETY-FOURTH CONGRESS TO INVESTIGATE THE DEATHS OF JOHN F. KENNEDY AND MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

IN CONNECTION WITH THE HSC INVESTIGATION THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE HAS INSTRUCTED THE BUREAU TO MAKE AVAILABLE, FOR REVIEW BY THE HSC STAFF INVESTIGATORS, ALL MATERIAL REGARDING THE JOHN F. KENNEDY ASSASSINATION AND MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR., ASSASSINATION AS WELL AS CLOSELY RELATED CASES.

IN ORDER TO PREPARE FOR THE HSC REVIEW, YOU ARE REQUESTED TO PREPARE AN INVENTORY OF ALL MATERIALS AVAILABLE IN YOUR

OFFICE REGARDING THE CASES SET FORTH BELOW. IT IS NOTED THAT VIA

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Dep. AD Inv. \_\_\_\_\_

Asst. Dir.: \_\_\_\_\_

Adm. Serv. \_\_\_\_\_

Ext. Affairs \_\_\_\_\_

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S. & T. Serv. \_\_\_\_\_

Spec. Inv. \_\_\_\_\_

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MAIL ROOM  TELETYPE UNIT

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BUREAU TELETYPE DATED DECEMBER 9, 1975, TITLED "MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.," BUREAU FILE 100-106670, YOU WERE REQUESTED TO INVENTORY ALL PERTINENT MATERIAL RELATIVE TO THE MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR., ASSASSINATION. IT IS, THEREFORE, NOT NECESSARY FOR FIELD OFFICES AND LEGATS TO REINVENTORY THAT MATERIAL AT THIS TIME. FILES TO BE INCLUDED IN YOUR CURRENT INVENTORY ARE:

(1) THE ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY  
NOVEMBER 22, 1963

OO: DALLAS

BUREAU FILE 62-109060

(2) LEE HARVEY OSWALD

IS - R - CUBA

OO: DALLAS

BUREAU FILE 105-82555

(3) MARINA N. OSWALD

IS - R

SOBIR

BUREAU FILE 100-126032

(4) JACK RUBY

LEE HARVEY OSWALD - VICTIM

CIVIL RIGHTS

BUREAU FILE 44-24016

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(5) PRESIDENT'S COMMISSION ON THE ASSASSINATION OF  
PRESIDENT KENNEDY (WARREN COMMISSION)

BUREAU FILE 62-109090

IN PREPARING FIELD OFFICE INVENTORIES FOR ALL MAIN  
FILES RELATING TO ABOVE, THE FOLLOWING SPECIFIC ITEMS MUST  
BE INCLUDED: (A) FIELD OFFICE FILE NUMBER, INCLUDING OFFICE  
PREFIX; (B) TITLE AND CHARACTER OF FILE; (C) VERY BRIEF  
DESCRIPTION OF FILE CONTENTS, INCLUDING WHETHER IT CONTAINS  
ANY TAPED, ELECTRONIC SURVEILLANCE LOGS AND/OR TRANSCRIPTS,  
PHOTOGRAPHS, BULKY EXHIBITS AND ANY OTHER SIMILAR MATERIAL  
WHICH IS IN ADDITION TO ROUTINE CORRESPONDENCE. IF ANY OF  
THE ABOVE (TAPES, ETC.) IS NOTED, VERY BRIEFLY DESCRIBE.  
INCLUDE STATEMENT DESCRIBING ALL SUBFILES RELATING TO THE  
MAIN FILE; (D) ACCOUNT FOR SIZE/SCOPE OF FILE AND RELATED  
MATTERS. FOR EXAMPLE, INDICATE NUMBERS OF SECTIONS AND  
SERIALS IN FILE; VOLUME OF LOGS/TRANSCRIPTS AND BULKY  
EXHIBITS; ETC.

IT IS FURTHER NOTED THAT IN REFERENCED BUREAU TELETYPE

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OF NOVEMBER 24, 1976, YOU WERE REMINDED OF THE FACT THAT RECORDS POSSESSING EVIDENTIARY, INTELLIGENCE OR HISTORICAL VALUE SUCH AS THE KENNEDY AND KING ASSASSINATION INVESTIGATIONS ARE EXCLUDED FROM OUR DESTRUCTION OF FILES AND RECORDS PROGRAM AND SHOULD NOT BE DESTROYED.

YOU ARE, THEREFORE, INSTRUCTED TO REPLY BY TELETYPE SETTING FORTH YOUR INVENTORY REGARDING THE ABOVE LISTED JOHN F. KENNEDY ASSASSINATION FILES. IN ADDITION, YOU ARE REQUESTED TO ADVISE WHETHER ANY MATERIAL RELATIVE TO THE MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR., ASSASSINATION (MURKIN) AND THE ABOVE LISTED FILES RELATED TO THE JOHN F. KENNEDY ASSASSINATION MAY HAVE BEEN DESTROYED UNDER THE DESTRUCTION OF FILES AND RECORDS PROGRAM. IF SO, INCLUDE A LISTING OF SAID FILES. THE HANDLING OF THIS MATTER MUST BE UNDERTAKEN IMMEDIATELY AND GIVEN THE HIGHEST PRIORITY. SUTEL YOUR RESULTS ATTENTION GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION, CIVIL RIGHTS SECTION, CONGRESSIONAL INQUIRY UNIT.

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NOTE: The HSC has begun its review of Bureau files relative to the assassination investigations of John F. Kennedy and Martin Luther King, Jr. This advises all SACs and Legats of the HSC review, Bureau policy regarding file destruction and a request for an inventory of what assassination material is in our Field Offices and Legats. In addition, all SACs and Legats are requested to advise, if possible, whether any material has been destroyed under our Destruction of Files and Records Program. Receiving offices have been requested to sutel the results of their inventory.

APPROVED:

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