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ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY, DALLAS, TEXAS, 11/22/63 MISCELLANEOUS - INFORMATION CONCEENING

Edgar Eugene Bradley, West Coast representative of Dr. Carl McIntire, the New Jersey radio broadcaster, contacted the Los Angeles FBI Office 1/8/71 and stated that one of his informants had advised him that Harold Weisberg is writing another book about the assassination of President Kennedy.

Weisberg is the man who has written several books critical of the Warren Commission, the FBI, Secret Service, police agencies and other branches of the Government relating to the assassination investigation. His writings have contained inaccuracies, falsehoods, and deliberate slanting of facts to fit his purpose. He was one of the employees fired by the Department of State during 1947 because of suspicion of being a communist or having communist sympathies. Later, he was allowed to resign but was not restored to his former position. In recent months Weisberg has made various requests of the Department of Justice for access to documents and exhibits relating to the deliberations of the Warren Commission, which are in the custody of the Archives.

According to Bradley's informant, Weisberg, in his next book, will place the blame for the assassination on the FBI. According to the informant, Weisberg stated he received the information placing blame on the FBI from a high official in the Secret Service whom Weisberg did not identify.

Mr. Bradley stated that Weisberg had been closely associated with New Orleans District Attorney James Garrison and Bradley stated he felt Weisberg was not worthy of belief.

When Weisberg's book is published, it will be read and analyzed as has been done with prior publications by that person.

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