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**Report of a  
Warning on  
JFK Death**

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The Justice Department is investigating charges that the FBI was warned that an assassination attempt would be made on President Kennedy in Dallas on Nov. 22, 1963, according to an FBI spokesman.

The charge focuses on a report first made in 1968 that a message warning of such an attempt was sent from FBI headquarters in Washington to southern FBI field offices on Nov. 17, 1963.

The source of the charges is William S. Walter, now a bank vice president in Morgan City, La. Walter reportedly was a security clerk in the FBI's New Orleans office at the time of the assassination and was in the office when the warning was teletyped in.

Walter, in a televised news segment on CBS last night, was said to be alone in the office when the message came, and quoted it as saying that "A militant revolutionary group may attempt" to assassinate the President during his visit to Dallas.

Walter said that FBI offices in New Orleans, Mobile and Dallas acknowledged receipt of the message.

FBI Director Clarence M. Kelley said yesterday that the charges had been looked into in 1968 and again during the past month but that no evidence has been developed, CBS reported.

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