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Subject: The Tampa JFK Visit Advertisement

To All:I sent an e-mail concerning the Florida Johns Committee several days ago inorder to make the ARRB aware of the existence of this important collection ofFlorida State Archives cold war era records.In this e-mail I am addressing something pertaining to an ad which appeared inthe Tampa Tribune on Monday November 18, 1963 four days before Dallas and theKennedy assassination.Everybody who has read the Warren Report and many who haven't are aware of a"WELCOME MR. KENNEDY" ad which appeared in the Nov. 22, 1963 edition of theDallas Morning News. The ad was negative in tone to the president's visit andappeared on pg. 294 of the Warren Report. What the Warren Report and otherreports hadn't investigated was another negative ad which appeared in the Tampapaper four days earlier. The ads heading read, "TO THE PEOPLE OF TAMPA" andcoincided to the president's visit. This "other ad" went on and gave a historyof Tampa's Cuban-American history and its ties to the Cuban quest for freedomfrom both the Old World in the 19th century and the current struggle against theCommunist dictatorship of Fidel Castro. The ad finished with a terse reminder tothe visiting president about the free world's indifference to the plight ofCuba.When I visted the Tampa Tribune for the purpose of finding out who placed thisad, I was told there are no longer any records regarding the placement ofclassified ads. This ad is Tampa's counterpart to the Dallas "WELCOME MR.KENNEDY" ad. I would like the ARRB to use its investigative perrogatives for thepurpose of finding out from the Tampa Tribune the origin of the 11-18-63 Tampaad. Regards: Frank DeBenedictis PO Box 15818 Plantation, FL 33318-5818 Tel # 1-954-792-4223

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