

MEMORANDUM

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To: Jeremy Gunn
Executive Director

cc: Bob Skwirot
CIA Team Leader

From: Michelle Combs
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Subject: CIA-IR-09 George Bush

A November 29, 1963 memorandum from FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover to the Director of the Bureau of Intelligence and Research at the Department of State refers to the fact that information on the assassination of President Kennedy was “orally furnished to Mr. George Bush of the Central Intelligence Agency.” At the request of the Review Board, the CIA made a search of its records in an attempt to determine if the “George Bush” referred to in the memorandum might be identical to President and former Director of Central Intelligence George Herbert Walker Bush. The CIA reported that the CIA had no association with George Herbert Walker Bush during that time frame.

The only other “George Bush” serving in the CIA in 1963 was a junior analyst who has repeatedly denied being the “George Bush” referenced in the memorandum. The Review Board staff did find one reference to an Army Major General George Bush in the October 4, 1961 calendar of Director of Central Intelligence Allen Dulles. There was no indication if this General Bush could be the referenced George Bush. This calendar page was designated as an assassination record for inclusion in the JFK Collection at the National Archives.