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Synopsis: MARK LANE resides 164 W. 79th St., NYC, and is an attorney-at-law with offices located at 156 5th Ave., NYC. LANE is also National Chairman of the Citizens' Committee of Inquiry located at 156 5th Ave., NYC. LANE reportedly: addressed convention of IADL, Budapest, Hungary, 4/5/64; received funds from "National Guardian" 1964; was Co-Chairman of the National Committee on the Integration of the Legal Profession of the National Lawyer's Guild, 5/64; was of 8/17/64, was Vice Chairman of the NYCAHUAC; received support of the NY branch of the WWP, 1964 and travelled throughout the US during 1964, speaking on his theories regarding the assassination of President JOHN F. KENNEDY. LANE travelled to Europe in April and May, 1964, during which time he spoke on the KENNEDY assassination in various countries. In Italy LANE supported by elements of the Italian CP. LANE interviewed by FBI agents 4/29/64, at which time he was uncooperative. LANE reportedly writing a book on the KENNEDY assassination to be called "Rush to Judgment." In early 1964, LANE formed the Citizens' Committee of Inquiry in NYC with branches in other sections of the US and Europe.

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On May 21, 1964, by means of a suitable pretext by a Special Agent of the FBI, it was determined MARK LANE would leave New York City via air on May 22, 1964, for a six week trip to Europe. It was learned MARK LANE expected to make appearances relating to the LEE HARVEY OSWALD case on May 25, 1964, at Copenhagen, Denmark and on May 27, 1964, at Paris, France. It was determined that LANE expected to visit Denmark, Belgium, England, and the cities of Milan, Florence and Rome, Italy.

On June 18, 1964, Mr. DANIEL STRAYER, Chief, Records and Information Section, Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS), 20 West Broadway, New York City, furnished information which reflected MARK LANE departed the United States on May 22, 1964, as a passenger on Scandinavian Airlines System, Incorporated, flight number 912 en route to Copenhagen, Denmark.

(u) (X) [On July 27, 1964] NY T-89, [a confidential source abroad, advised MARK LANE resided at 61 Rue Bonaparte, Paris, France, from May 27, 1964 to June 2, 1964 and again on June 12, 1964.] (S)

(u) (X) [On July 17, 1964] NY T-90, [a confidential source abroad, advised MARK LANE arrived in Florence, Italy, on June 17, 1964, in company with a Danish citizen named ANNALISE DABELSTEEN, who was born on May 15, 1941, in Denmark.] (u)

NY T-90 advised [that on the evening of June 17, 1964, LANE held a press conference at the Cultural Center in Florence on the subject "How Was President Kennedy Killed?"] NY T-90 stated LANE departed Florence, Italy, on June 18, 1964. (u)

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Synopsis:

MARK LANE resides 164 W. 79th St., NYC, and is an attorney-at-law with offices located at 156 5th Ave., NYC. LANE is also National Chairman of the Citizens' Committee of Inquiry located at 156 5th Ave., NYC. LANE reportedly: addressed convention of IADL, Budapest, Hungary, 4/5/64; received funds from "National Guardian" 1964; was Co-Chairman of the National Committee on the Integration of the Legal Profession of the National Lawyer's Guild, 5/64; as of 8/17/64, was Vice Chairman of the NYCAHUAC; received support of the NY branch of the WWP, 1964 and travelled throughout the US during 1964 speaking on his theories regarding the assassination of President JOHN F. KENNEDY. LANE travelled to Europe in April and May, 1964, during which time he spoke on the KENNEDY assassination in various countries. [In Italy LANE supported by elements of the Italian CP.] LANE interviewed by FBI agents 4/29/64, at which time he was uncooperative. LANE reportedly writing a book on the KENNEDY assassination to be called "Rush to Judgment." In early 1964, LANE formed the Citizens' Committee of Inquiry in NYC with branches in other sections of the US and Europe.

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On May 21, 1964, by means of a suitable pretext by a Special Agent of the FBI, it was determined MARK LANE would leave New York City via air on May 22, 1964, for a six week trip to Europe. It was learned MARK LANE expected to make appearances relating to the LEE HARVEY OSWALD case on May 25, 1964, at Copenhagen, Denmark and on May 27, 1964, at Paris, France. It was determined that LANE expected to visit Denmark, Belgium, England, and the cities of Milan, Florence and Rome, Italy.

On June 18, 1964, Mr. DANIEL STRAYER, Chief, Records and Information Section, Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS), 20 West Broadway, New York City, furnished information which reflected MARK LANE departed the United States on May 22, 1964, as a passenger on Scandinavian Airlines System, Incorporated, flight number 912 en route to Copenhagen, Denmark.

(U) (S) [On July 27, 1964, NY T-89, a confidential source abroad, advised MARK LANE resided at 61 Rue Bonaparte, Paris, France, from May 27, 1964 to June 2, 1964 and again on June 12, 1964.] (S) (U) (S)

(U) (S) [On July 17, 1964, NY T-90, a confidential source abroad, advised MARK LANE arrived in Florence, Italy, on June 17, 1964, in company with a Danish citizen named ANNALISE DABELSTEEN, who was born on May 15, 1941, in Denmark.] (S) (U)

(S) NY T-90 [advised that on the evening of June 17, 1964, LANE held a press conference at the Cultural Center in Florence on the subject "How Was President Kennedy Killed?"] NY T-90 [stated LANE departed Florence, Italy, on June 18, 1964.] (S) (U)

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