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Also attached hereto is a list of "code names" which were also furnished by Detective FORE.

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| April 3, 1979 @ 1330 Hrs Tuesday: | | |
| SYNOPSIS: This report pertains to informati | ion given by a confidential informant regarding | the |
| John F. Kennedy assassination. The suspect | claims to have been active in the Central | |
| Intelligence Agency and also claims to have | been in many other activities which involves | |
| National security affairs. | | |
| FACTS: | | ., . |
| In the late part of 1976, suspect, Clau | ude Barnes Capehart moved to Chowchilla and made | |
| his residence at 13300 Ave. 21 1/2. He then | n started a well drilling business and also work | ed |
| at different jobs throughout the Madera Coun | nty area. | |
| During this time R/O got to know Capeha | art and felt he was a good citizen and a normal | |
| business man. The image he portrayed was lo | ow-keyed and he made no attempt to bring attention | on |
| to himself. R/O had many conversations with | h him about normal things, and grew well acquain | ted |
| with him during the late 1976 and early 1977 | 7. | |
| In early September Capehart contacted R | R/O regarding some men coming to Chowchilla look | ing |
| for him. He claimed the men were from New Y | York or Cleveland, and were trying to kill him. | |
| The investigation brought out that two men w | wearing suits were in one of the restaurants | |
| inquiring about the whereabouts of Capehart. | | |
| Capehart offered no explanation as to w | why the men were looking for him. After a check | |
| throughout the city failed to produce any su | uspects that were looking for Capehart, he then | |
| thought possibly it might have been someone | he knew. | |
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| became very irr | itated_and demanded_that | the Sheriff's Dept. give him some type of protection |
| a gainst these-m | en. | |
| This time | the City was searched for | r strangers matching the descriptions of out-of-town |
| style persons, | but again failed to prod | ice anyone. |
| R/O asked | Capehart why the men wou | ld be looking for him and why they would be trying to |
| kill him. Cape | hart then told R/O that I | ne had worked for the Central Intelligence Agency on |
| The state of the s | | perty to discuss any of the activities. He did tell |
| | | ver throw during the Kennedy administration. At this |
| | | rust R/O with this information and was comfortable |
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| | m about the matter. | |
| | | sh of the FBI at the Merced Office, and asked for a |
| background chec | k on Capehart. Both Off | icers felt the information was prefabricated by Capel |
| and required no | further action. | |
| During the | latter part of October | an informant came to R/O wanting to give information |
| concerning Cape | hart's activities. | |
| She relate | d the following account: | |
| In the ear | ly part of July, the infe | ormant saw a number of photos in the Fresno Bee news |
| the title of th | e article was asking for | public identification assistance in naming the peop |
| in the photos. | | |
| The agency | asking for the assistan | ce was the House Select Committee, conducting the |
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| | her of the informa | tion_R/O_had. | R/O advised | her of the al | leged invol | vement in | the CIA that | er pri |
| | . Capehart talked ab | out, and some | of the boasts | he was makin | g regarding | the Kenne | dy killing. | Mrs |
| | Brady wasn't sure | of what actio | n she could ta | ke at this ti | me, but wou | ld return | R/O call as | soon |
| | as she found out. | | | | | | | |
| | R/O then re-c | ontacted_the_ | informant to c | btain further | information | n involvin | g Capehart's | ; |
| | activities in the | assassination | of Kennedy. | The informant | stated, Cay | pehart boa | sted he was | in |
| | the depository with | h_Oswald_when | the_president | was shot and | Oswald wası | n't the on | ly one invol | .ved |
| | at that time. The | photos of Ca | pehart was tak | en_during_tha | t time. | | of Programmers and the Control of | |
| | Approximately | three_days_1 | ater R/O recei | ved a call fro | om Mrs. Brad | dy wanting | further | |
| | information. R/O | then relayed | the above info | rmation obtain | ned earlier | from the | informant. | Mrs. |
| | Brady inferred tha | t the Committ | ee_did_rule_th | ere_were_more | people invo | olved then | had been | AND HE ST MALIANAS I |
| | determined before. | | | | | , | who agreements the target and advantage and a second | |
| | R/O_then_advi | sed her where | _Capehart_coul | d be found, a | nd also why | he left t | he Chowchill | .a |
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| | . R/O further a | dvised.MrsB | rady that he h | ad interviewe | d the inform | mant and h | ad a taped | |
| | statement of the i | nterview. Sh | e suggested wh | en R/O arrive | d in Washin | gton_D.C. | to call her | and |
| | she and another co | mmittee membe | r wouod meet F | VO and obtain | the inform | ation. | en en en secondo de la companya del companya de la companya del companya de la co | |
| | January 5, 19 | 79, the infor | mant contacted | l R/O again an | d gave him a | a list of | the Codes | ** |
| | obtained from Cape | hart during t | he past two ye | ears. The infe | ormant indi | cated that | _twenty some | • |
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| January 6, 1979 @ 8:00 P.M. | · | | | | | |
| On arrival at the Twin Br | idges Motel, in | Washington D. | C., R/O co | ontacted M | rs. Brady | and |
| Dick Billings, both on the Ass | assinations Comm | ittee. The i | nformation | n was disc | ussed and | i all |
| information was turned over to | the Committee M | embers for st | udy. Mrs | . Brady adv | vised R/(|) they |
| would contact him at a later of | ate once they de | termined what | action co | ould be tab | ken after | the |
| information was studied. Both | were advised RV | 0 would be at | the Natio | onal FBI Ad | cademy in | n Quantiα |
| .Va. | | | | | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | |
| Approximately February 20 | , 1979, R/O cont | acted Mr. Dic | ek Billing | s at the Co | ommittee | |
| building approximately four bl | ocks from the Ca | nnon Building | g in Washir | ngton D.C. | | - None or agency of the second |
| During the visit to the A | ssassination Con | mittee buildi | ng R/O had | d FBI Agent | t Dutch S | Schultz, |
| assigned to the St. Louis R.A. | , in St. Louis M | o. Schultz v | as acting | as a couns | selor for | the |
| National Academy class in Quar | tico, Section #2 | | | | The matter to take the second country and opposite the second | |
| Once at the Committee bui | lding R/O and ag | ent Schultz o | contacted 1 | Mr. Dick B | illings a | and |
| talked with him about the info | rmation given to | him by R/O c | on January | 6, 1979. | in community with the particular statement of the community of the communi | |
| Mr. Billings along with 1 | is supervisor ad | lvised R/O to | take the | information | n to the | FBI |
| headquarters in Washington D.C | . and have them | llok at it. | R/O and A | gent Schul | tz was to | old by B |
| Billings , that their committee | e was only invol | ved in the re | eport for | the Senate | and that | t |
| they were busy getting it prep | ared before Marc | h 23, 1979, s | so the Uni | ted States | Attorney | 7 |
| General Bell could review it. | | | | | | • • • • |
| Mr. Billings then gave mo | | | • | | | |
| refused to give the code list | back. R/O insis | sted on the co | ode sheet, | but Billi | ngs afte | r a lew |
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| could not return them. | | | | | |
| Officers then left | enroute to the FBI | Duilding. | Once at the | building (Hoove | er Building |
| Agent Schultz contacted | | _ | · | | |
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| other then it appeared the | nere was some type | e problem an | out who was t | o take the inic | ormation an |
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| Agent Schultz and R | /O then left the b | Hoover build | ing enroute t | o the National | Academy to |
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| April 13, 1978, R/O | contacted_Dick_Bi | illings_by_F | hone and inqu | ired if any fu | cther actio |
| had been taken regarding | the information. | Billings a | dvised as far | as he knew, no | othing erse |
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| In the early part o | f March, R/O was c | contacted by | an FBI Agent | out of the Ale | exandra Va. |
| Office. He identified h | imself and advised | 1 R/O he was | to take a co | mplete report a | and submit |
| to the FBI main office fo | or review. A numb | per of meeti | ngs were set, | but due to R/O | ompletion |
| the Academy R/O advised | the agent he would | d give the r | eport to the | local FBI offic | ce on his r |
| to California. A reporty | would be sent to (| California b | y the agent i | n Alexandra ad | vising the |
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On July 31, 1978, a photograph was published in the Fresno Bee with a request from the Senate Assassination Committee, for assistance in identifying the people in the photograph. One of the photos was of Capehart, this disturbed the informant. Later when Capehart was confronted, he at first denied but later admitted that it was a picture of him. He made a statement to the effect that Oswald was not the one that shot J.F.K., that there were two other people in the building with him. Capehart stated that he was there but never would tell the informant just why. He stated you and I know I was there, but every one else believes I was in Corpus Christy, Texas.

Concerning what is referred to as the C.I.A. Codes, the informant stated they were copied from a paper in Capehart's filing cabinet, without his knowledge.

After his photo came out in the Fresno Bee, Capehart moved from the Chowchilla area, he told the informant he was going to Arizona, but he didnot, instead he went to Las Vegas.

During this same period Capehart eften called someone named Lee in Reno, When pressed by the informant, Capehart identified Lee as a friend named LeBaron, who had obtained a ring for him when he married Barbara. Informant stated that Capehart never would furnish any additional information about this person, and was reductant to discuss him.

Informant recalls an article in the National Enquirer on January 23, 1979, stating that Ervil LeBaron, a fugitive was a suspect in the J.F.K. case.

In the past the informant told Capehart that a letter had been written, setting out everything, and that if any thing happened to him the letter would be sent to the authorties Capehart has returned to Chowchilla on two occasions, once in October 1978—he assaulted

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| believes he would harm him if he knew he has spoken to the law. | | dada da alian da angan da ang |
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| informant avoided him. On March 18, 1979 he was again in Chowchilla, and found the info | ormant at a | friends |
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| background check | on Capehart. Both Officers | felt the infor | mation was | prefabricat | ed by Capenart |
| and required no | further action. | | | , | |
| During the | latter part of October an inf | ormant came to | R/O wanting | g to give i | nformation |
| concerning Capeh | art's activities. | | | | |
| She related | the following account: | | | | |
| In the earl | y part of July, the informant | : saw a number_ | of photos i | n the Fresn | o Bee newspape |
| the title of the | article was asking for publi | c identificati | on assistan | ce in namir | ng the people |
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| | The informant showed the photos to R/O | and advised him that Capehart c | laimed one-of-the |
| | photos to be him. The photo was taken at Da | ily Plasa, Dallas Texas when Ker | nedy was shot. — — |
| | The informant stated that Capehart became ver | ry upset when he saw the photos, | _claiming_no photos_ |
| | of him existed. Capehart then threatened the | e informantonly he and the inf | formant_knew-about |
| | the photos and the informant had better keep | her_mouth_shut. The_informant | indicated once |
| | Capehart saw the photos, that he decided he | should leave town. He didn't wa | ant to be matched up |
| \ | with the photos in the newspaper. | | |
|) · | The informat then advised R/O that Capel | hart's whereabouts_was_not_known | , and he did leave |
| | town for a long period of time. The informar | nt then told R/O about some other | er_activities that |
| | Capehart was involved in. First the information | nt indicated he was involved in | the Hoffa killing |
| e E | and that HOffa was buried in an animal shelte | er located in a large junk yard | in Queens New York |
| | The informant further stated, there is a code | e sheet which lists many codes i | dentifying_different |
| | actions he was involved in. The informant was | anted to know if Capehart was wo | orking for the Central |
| | Intelligence Agency or not. | | |
| ~ | R/O advised informant that he was going | g to attend the National FBI Aca | demy in Washington |
| | D.C. on January 5, 1979 and would take the av | vailable information with him. | , |
| | In the latter part of October R/O felt i | it necessary to find out about C | apehart and see |
| | what information the other agencies had on the | ne assassination of Kennedy, and | if Capehart could |
| | be involved. / | | |
| | R/O called Mrs. Brady (202-225-7853) an REPORTING OFFICERS RECORDING OFFICER | officer of the Assassination Co | |
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| her of the inform | ation R/O had | d. R/O advise | ed her of the a | alleged inv | olvement in | the CIA that |
| Capehart talked a | bout, and so | me of the boas | sts he was mak | ing regardi | ng the Kenn | edy killing. |
| Brady wasn't sure | of what act | ion she could | take at this | time, but w | ould return | R/O call as |
| .as she found out. | | 149000 | | | | • |
| R/O then re- | contacted_the | e informant to | obtain furthe | er informat | ion involvi | ng Capehart's |
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| at that time. Th | - | - | | | | |
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| information. R/C |) then relayed | d the above in | nformation obta | ained_earli | er from the | informant. |
| Brady inferred th | at the Commit | ttee_did_rule | there were mon | re people i | nvolved the | n had been |
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| R/O_then adv | vised her when | re_Capehart_co | ould be found, | and also w | hy he left | the Chowchill |
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| R/O further | advised Mrs. | Brady that he | e had interview | wed the inf | ormant and | had a taped |
| statement of the | interview. | She suggested | when R/O arriv | ved in Wash | ington D.C. | to call her |
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| On arrival a | at the Twin Bri | dges Motel, i | n Washington | D.C., R/O c | ontacted M | irs. Brady and |
| Dick Billings, bo | oth on the Assa | ssinations Co | mmittee. The | e informatio | n was disc | ussed and all |
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| would contact him | <i>:</i> | | | | • | |
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| | ly February 20, | 1979 R/O cc | ntacted Mr. 1 | Dick Billing | s at the C | Committee |
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| | | | | | | nt Dutch Schultz, |
| assigned to the S | St. Louis R.A., | in St. Louis | Mo. Schult: | z was acting | as a cour | selor for the |
| National Academy | | | •, | | | |
| Once at the | Committee buil | ding R/O and | agent Schultz | z contacted | Mr. Dick F | Billings and |
| talked with him a | about the infor | mation given | to him by R/O | on January | 6, 1979. | |
| Mr. Billings | s along with hi | s supervisor | advised R/O | to take the | information | n to the FBI |
| headquarters in V | Washington D.C. | and have the | m llok at it | $\mathbf{R}/0$ and \mathbf{A} | gent Schul | tz was told by B |
| Billings , that t | their committee | e was only inv | olved in the | report for | the Senate | and that |
| they were busy ge | etting it prepa | ared before Ma | rch 23, 1979 | , so the Uni | ted States | Attorney |
| General Bell cou | ld review it. | en e | | | | |
| Mr. Billings | s then gave mos | st of the info | rmation back | to R/O for | the FBI to | review, but |
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| Agent Schultz and R/O | then left the Hoov | er building ε | nroute to | the Nation | nal Acade | my to |
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| April 13, 1978, R/O con | ntacted_Dick_Billi | ngs_by_Phone_ | and inqui | red if any | further | action |
| had been taken regarding the | e information. Bi | llings advise | d as far a | as he knew | , nothing | eise h |
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April 4, 1979 @ 1830 hrs, Wednesday:

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Previously referred to confidential informant arrived at the Chowchilla office after being contacted for additional information. At this time Tom Walsh, former FBI agent and now a licensed private investigator, was present at the informant's request.

During this interview the informant stated that Walsh had been retained as a security consultant and advisor.

The informant during the two hour interview re-confirmed *** the information previously furnished and recorded.

In synopsis—the informant has known Claude Barnes Capehart since 1976-77. Early in 1977 two unidentified males came to Chowchilla looking for Bob Capehart. When so informed Capehart became very upset. After some time he stated he was in trouble with them, because of a C.I.A. assignment in New York.

If was at this time Capehart displayed to informant a photo from a newspaper of the two men, as well as an assortment of firearms—hand guns, shot guns and what is described as a machine pistol. One of the guns was equipped with a silencer, which Capehart stated came from the C.I.A. The informant advised that Capehart carries a gun most of the time, either on his waist or in a shoulder holster, and always has one in his vehicle.

About June 1977 he married a girl named Barbara from Bakersfield, at Reno. All during this period, he would come and go and was often gone for days.

During 1978 he told informant that he had been to Chile during the trouble there, and had worked on the Hughes barge on the Soviet submarine recovery attempt.

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On July 31, 1978, a photograph was published in the Fresno Bee with a request from the Senate Assassination Committee, for assistance in identifying the people in the photograph. One of the photos was of Capehart, this disturbed the informant. Later when Capehart was confronted, he at first denied but later admitted that it was a picture of him. He made a statement to the effect that Oswald was not the one that shot J.F.K., that there were two other people in the building with him. Capehart stated that he was there but never would tell the informant just why. He stated you and I know I was there, but every one else believes I was in Corpus Christy, Texas.

Concerning what is referred to as the C.I.A. Codes, the informant stated they were copied from a paper in Capehart's filing cabinet, without his knowledge.

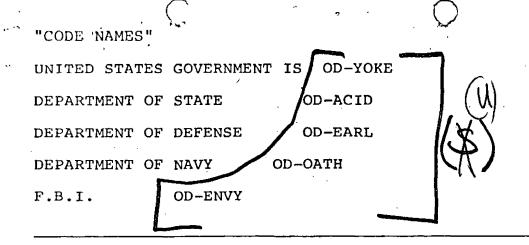
After his photo came out in the Fresno Bee, Capehart moved from the Chowchilla area, he told the informant he was going to Arizona, but he didnot, instead he went to Las Vegas.

During this same period Capehart aften called someone named Lee in Reno, When pressed by the informant, Capehart identified Lee as a friend named LeBaron, who had obtained a ring for him when he married Barbara. Informant stated that Capehart never would furnish any additional information about this person, and was reluctant to discuss him.

Informant recalls an article in the National Enquirer on January 23, 1979, stating that Ervil LeBaron, a fugitive was a suspect in the J.F.K. case.

In the past the informant told Capehart that a letter had been written, setting out everything, and that if any thing happened to him the letter would be sent to the authorties Capehart has returned to Chowchilla on two occasions, once in October 1978—he assaulted

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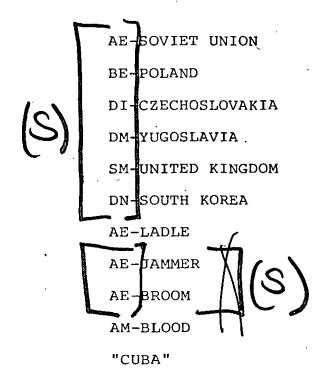
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