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TO: SAC, NEW YORK (44-1640)

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

KENSALT

RE NEW YORK AIRTEL TO LOS ANGELES JUNE TWELVE LAST.

NEW YORK IS REQUESTED TO SUBMIT FD THREE ZERO TWO'S
CONCERNING INFORMATION RECEIVED FROM NORMAN WEXLER.LOS ANGELES HAS NO INFORMATION TO DATE THAT
WEXLER WAS ACTUALLY AT THIS EVENT, BUT IN EVENT
WEXLER SHOULD EVER FURNISH THIS INFORMATION TO PRESS
OR OTHER OUTSIDE SOURCES, IT IS FELT FD THREE ZERO TWO
SHOULD BE PREPARED.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-587)-SVM
SAC, SEATTLE - PJW

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

KENSALT.

REBUTEL JUNE TWELVE LAST TO LOS ANGELES. (Tamara Corovich)

FOR INFORMATION SEATTLE, VERONICA DEEMS, EIGHT FIVE TWO B. TENTH STREET, SANTA MONICA, CALIFORNIA, TELEPHONED THE FBI, NEW YORK CITY, FROM CALIFORNIA ON JUNE NINE LAST SAYING THAT TAMARA COROVICH WAS ON AMERICAN AIRLINES FLIGHT FOUR DEPARTING LOS ANGELES FOUR THIRTY PM AND ARRIVING NEW YORK TWELVE SEVENTEEN AM, JUNE TEN LAST. DEEMS MENTIONED THAT ON JUNE SEVEN LAST AT THE MIRAMAR HOTEL, SANTA MONICA, A SUITCASE WAS CONFISCATED, WHICH DEEMS BELIEVED BELONGED TO COROVICH AND ALSO THAT COROVICH IS THE "MISSING GIRL" IN THE KENNEDY CASE. SHE SAID

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SHE LEARNED OF COROVICH'S DEPARTURE THROUGH BELLBOY AT MIRAMAR HOTEL. DEEMS COULD FURNISH FBI, NEW YORK CITY, NO REASON WHY SHE BELIEVED COROVICH IS "MISSING GIRL".

COROVICH NOT LOCATED ABOARD FLIGHT.

REBUTEL INSTRUCTS THAT DEEMS BE IMMEDIATELY INTERVIEWED TO RESOLVE MATTER OF "MISSING GIRL" IN CAPTIONED CASE AND SUTEL RESULTS.

LAPD INTERVIEWED DEEMS ON JUNE NINE LAST. DEEMS ADVISED CONCERNING FEMALE GUEST AT MIRAMAR HOTEL WHO MADE PURCHASE BY PHONE TO BOUTIQUE SHOP AT HOTEL AND PAID BELLBOY BY EXTENDING ARM THROUGH DOOR TO HER ROOM, NUMBER TWO THREE SIX. SHE SAID THAT FEMALE GUEST HAD WIG SENT OUT TO BE STYLED. ^{ALSO} DEEMS TOLD LAPD THAT HER FRIEND, PETER KALVODA, EMPLOYEE OF MIRAMAR HOTEL, HAD BEEN ACTING WEIRD SINCE KENNEDY SHOOTING. SHE SAID SHE FOUND NOTE IN KALVODA'S POCKET READING "TAMARA COROVICH, SUNDAY, FOUR THIRTY, AAL TWO NINE NINE".

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DEEMS ALSO TOLD LAPD OF SUITCASE LEFT AT MIRAMAR
AND LATER TURNED OVER TO POLICE. ^{SANTA MONICA}

LAPD OFFICER RATHBURN ADVISED THAT DEEMS FURNISHED
NO INFORMATION WHICH APPEARED TO TIE INTO INSTANT CASE
AND SHE SEEMED "KOOKY".

COROVICH HAS NOT BEEN IDENTIFIED NOR LOCATED.

INVESTIGATION DEVELOP^{ED} DEEMS IS IN SEATTLE,
WASHINGTON, ADDRESS UNKNOWN, DUE TO MOTHER'S ILLNESS.
NAME AND ADDRESS OF MOTHER ALSO UNKNOWN. DEEMS IS
REPORTEDLY WITH KALVODA.

LOS ANGELES WILL ~~ENDAVOR~~ TO ASCERTAIN EXACT ADDRESS
OF DEEMS AND ADVISE SEATTLE.

SEATTLE WILL, IF CONTACTED BY DEEMS, INTERVIEW HER FOR
ALL INFORMATION RELATIVE TO THIS CASE. ~~ASCERTAIN IF SHE~~
~~SUSPECTS KALVODA~~. INTERVIEW KALVODA. IDENTIFY COROVICH
AND DETERMINE IF SHE IS INVOLVED IN THIS MATTER.

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TO: SAC, BOSTON *mjm*
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156) (P)

KENSALT.

SIRHAN SIRHAN TOLD TWO SPANISH INDIVIDUALS OUTSIDE OF KENNEDY HEADQUARTERS SHORTLY BEFORE THE ASSASSINATION THAT HE HAD BEEN AT THE HEADQUARTERS OF DR. MAX RAFFERTY, STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF INSTRUCTION, WHO WAS RUNNING FOR AND SUBSEQUENTLY WON THE NOMINATION FOR U. S. SENATOR FROM CALIFORNIA. SIRHAN TOLD THESE TWO SPANISH INDIVIDUALS OF AN INCIDENT WHERE HE HAD TIPPED A HOSTESS WITH A TWENTY DOLLAR BILL AFTER BUYING A DRINK AT THE BAR IN THE RAFFERTY HEADQUARTERS. THERE WERE NO FEMALE HOSTESSES CONNECTED WITH THE BAR ON DUTY, HOWEVER, THERE WERE SEVERAL YOUNG WOMEN WHO WERE ASSISTING RAFFERTY, ONE OF WHICH IS GEORGIA BOSTWICK, AN AMERICAN AIRLINES REPRESENTATIVE WHO CAN BE LOCATED THROUGH THE AMERICAN AIRLINES TICKET OFFICE IN BOSTON.

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BOSTON INTERVIEW BOSTWICK AND DETERMINE IF SHE HAS ANY KNOWLEDGE OF AN INCIDENT INVOLVING A TWENTY DOLLAR TIP BY SIRHAN OR ANY OTHER INDIVIDUAL AT THE BAR AT THE RAFFERTY HEADQUARTERS THE NIGHT OF THE CALIFORNIA PRIMARY.

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TO: *Director &*
SAC, WASHINGTON FIELD RM

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

KENSALT

LLOYD WINEBURN, ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT TO CONGRESSMAN
THOMAS J. REES, ADVISED THIS DATE THAT REES WAS ON THE
PODIUM AT THE AMBASSADOR HOTEL AT THE TIME SENATOR KENNEDY
GAVE HIS VICTORY SPEECH. REES LEFT THE PODIUM IN THE
OPPOSITE DIRECTION FROM KENNEDY AND WAS NOT PRESENT AT THE
TIME OF THE ASSASSINATION. REES PRESENTLY AT HOUSE OFFICE
BUILDING, WASHINGTON, D. C.

WASHINGTON FIELD INTERVIEW REES REGARDING ASSASSINATION,
and any knowledge he may have regarding a change
of plans which caused Senator Kennedy to proceed to
the Colonial room to meet the press rather than to
go to Ambassador room in opposite direction which
56-156 RPD/asi was originally scheduled plans U.A.C.B.
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI *RM* ATTN: NAME CHECK SECTION
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (62-

RUSSELL E. PARSONS. MISCELLANEOUS - INFORMATION
CONCERNING.

REBUTELCAL TO LOS ANGELES TODAY.

FILE CAPTIONED "RUSSELL EDWARD PARSONS, AKA LESTER
HARRIS, DEPARTMENTAL APPLICANT", LOS ANGELES FILE
SEVEN SEVEN DASH TWO ZERO EIGHT, BUFILE SEVEN SEVEN
DASH NINE ZERO SIX ZERO, DESTROYED IN LOS ANGELES
OFFICE.

THE RUSSELL E. PARSONS DEFENDING SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN
IS NATIVE OF LOS ANGELES AND, ACCORDING TO MARTINDALE HUBBELL,
WAS BORN IN EIGHTEEN NINETY FIVE. INFORMATION IN LOCAL
PRESS TODAY REFLECTS PARSONS BORN IN DOWNTOWN AREA LOS
ANGELES, SON OF HARRY PARSONS, CONTRACTOR AND BUILDER,

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AND ~~LILLIAN BLACKBURN~~ PARSONS, NATIVE OF PETALUMA, SONOMA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA.

PARSONS ATTENDED LOCAL GRAMMAR SCHOOLS, LOS ANGELES HIGH SCHOOL AND UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA, BOTH UNDERGRADUATE AND LAW SCHOOLS.

PARSONS FIRST EXPERIENCE IN PUBLIC OFFICE WAS HIS ELECTION AS COUNTY ATTORNEY OF BEAVER COUNTY, UTAH, IN NINETEEN SEVENTEEN. HE SERVED TWO TWO-YEAR TERMS AND ALSO SERVED AS CITY ATTORNEY FOR BEAVER CITY.

HE RETURNED TO LOS ANGELES IN MID THIRTIES TO PRACTICE LAW AND HAS BECOME NATIONALLY KNOWN AS TRIAL LAWYER IN AREA OF CRIMINAL LAW. MADE LEGAL HISTORY IN CALIFORNIA AS ATTORNEY WHO GOT STATE SUPREME COURT TO RULE THAT EVIDENCE ILLEGALLY SEIZED BY POLICE OFFICERS CANNOT BE USED AGAINST DEFENDANT IN CRIMINAL CASE. THIS WAS KNOWN AS CAHAN DECISION.

IN NINETEEN THIRTY EIGHT, PARSONS JOINED LOS ANGELES COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE, WHERE SERVED AS TOP PROSECUTOR ASSIGNED TO SPECIAL CASES.

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IN NINETEEN FIFTY HE PERMITTED NAME TO BE ENTERED
AS "PEOPLE'S CANDIDATE" IN MAYORALTY RECALL ELECTION
AGAINST MAYOR FLETCHER BOWREN. RECALL FAILED.

PARSONS IN RECENT YEARS HAS DEVOTED HIS TIME TO
PRACTICE OF BOTH CIVIL AND CRIMINAL CASES, WITH OFFICES
AT TWO ZERO FIVE SOUTH BROADWAY, LOS ANGELES.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-587) *RM*
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

KENSALT.

RE SANDRA SERRANO.

LAPD ATTEMPTING CONTACT WITH SERRANO FOR INTERVIEW
EVENING HOURS THIS DATE. POLYGRAPH EXAMINATION WILL
BE GIVEN IF SERRANO ^{still} CONSENTS. BUREAU WILL BE ADVISED
RESULTS.

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SAC, CINCINNATI (175-6)

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

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KENSALT.

RE CINCINNATI AIRTEL TO BUREAU JUNE FOURTEEN LAST
CONCERNING INTERVIEW OF ROBERT LEE DRIGGS.

LASFOUR SIX EIGHT EIGHT DASH S ADVISED JUNE TWENTY
INSTANT HE WAS ONE OF THE MEMBERS OF LOS ANGELES AREA
COUNCIL OF THE W. E. B. DE BOIS CLUB (DCA) AS OF JULY
NINETEEN SIXTY FIVE AND HE CAN NOT RECALL ANY PARTY IN PASADENA
ON JULY FOUR, NINETEEN SIXTY FIVE! FURTHER, HE DOES NOT
RECALL SEEING SIRHAN AT ANY DCA OR ANY OTHER TYPE OF FUNCTION.

THAT INFORMANT'S FILE REVEALS ON JULY FOUR LAST JOHN
HAAG, WHO WAS LOS ANGELES AREA COORDINATOR OF DCA AT THAT
TIME ATTENDED A DCA MEETING IN LOS ANGELES AT WHICH THERE
WERE FOUR PEOPLE, ALL IDENTIFIED. ON THAT SAME DATE,

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HAAG ATTENDED A LOS ANGELES COMMITTEE TO END THE WAR IN VIETNAM (LACWV) MEETING IN PACIFIC PALASADES AREA OF LOS ANGELES. ABOVE INFORMANT ATTENDED LACWV MEETING. ON THAT SAME DATE, INFORMANT ALSO ATTENDED "PEOPLE'S WORLD" PATIO PARTY IN WEST LOS ANGELES, AT WHICH HAAG WAS NOT PRESENT. IT IS NOTED WEST LOS ANGELES AND PACIFIC PALASADES ARE ABOUT TWENTY FIVE MILES WEST OF PASADENA, CALIFORNIA.

IN VIEW OF ABOVE, IT DOES NOT APPEAR DRIGGS HAS CORRECT INFORMATION.

UACB, LOS ANGELES IS CONDUCTING NO FURTHER INVESTIGATION CONCERNING DRIGGS RECOLLECTIONS.

CINCINNATI, IF DEEMED ADVISABLE, REINTERVIEW DRIGGS FOR DETAILS.

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TO: SAC, SACRAMENTO *TFM*
 FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES *(56-156)*

KENSALT.

DR. MAX RAFFERTY, STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF INSTRUCTION, WHOSE OFFICE IS IN SACRAMENTO AND WHO RECENTLY WON THE REPUBLIC NOMINATION FOR THE U. S. SENATE IN CALIFORNIA, HAS INDICATED THROUGH ONE OF HIS CAMPAIGN ASSISTANTS RICHARD MC GEE THAT HE MAY HAVE INFORMATION REGARDING THE ASSASSINATION, OR SIRHAN SIRHAN'S PRESENCE IN RAFFERTY HEADQUARTERS PRIOR TO THE ASSASSINATION OR INFORMATION REGARDING AN ALLEGED TWENTY DOLLAR TIP THAT SIRHAN GAVE TO A HOSTESS AT THE BAR AT THE RAFFERTY HEADQUARTERS JUST BEFORE THE ASSASSINATION.

SACRAMENTO IS REQUESTED TO INTERVIEW RAFFERTY FOR ANY INFORMATION RELATING TO THE KENNEDY ASSASSINATION OR THE SUBJECT ~~files this case as information available~~

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SAC, SEATTLE

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

KENSALT.

RE LOS ANGELES TELETYPE TO BUREAU AND SEATTLE
THIS DATE.ON THIS DATE VERONICA DEEMS TELEPHONED LOS ANGELES
OFFICE FROM SEATTLE.

SHE IS RESIDING AT MARCO POLO MOTEL, FOUR ONE ONE
FOUR AURORA AVENUE NORTH, HIGHWAY NINE NINE, SEATTLE,
WASHINGTON, TELEPHONE ME THREE FOUR ZERO NINE ZERO,
EXTENSION THREE TWO. SHE HAS OBTAINED WORK AS WAITRESS
AT "KINGS ROOF" AT EDGEWATER INN, BELIEVED AT PIER
SIX SEVEN OR SIX NINE, TELEPHONE MA FOUR SEVEN THOUSAND.

DEEMS WAS INFORMED FBI WOULD CONTACT HER. SHE SUGGESTED
BEING PHONED FOR APPOINTMENT.

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SEATTLE CONDUCT INTERVIEW AS REQUESTED IN RETEL
AND SUTEL RESULTS BUREAU AND LOS ANGELES.

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TO: SAC, ALBUQUERQUE (62-1295) *DAL*
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

KENSALT.

RE ALBUQUERQUE LETTER TO LOS ANGELES JUNE NINETEEN LAST.

ALL INTERVIEWS IN CONNECTION WITH THIS INVESTIGATION
SHOULD BE REPORTED ON FD THREE ZERO TWO'S. IT IS
REQUESTED THAT ALBUQUERQUE FURNISH LOS ANGELES FD
THREE ZERO TWO'S ON ALL INTERVIEWS WITH HUDSON ROLAND
MALLOY AND HIS WIFE, ANNETTE.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-587) *LRC*
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

KENSALT

RE SANDRA SERRANO.

CAPTAIN HUGH BROWN, HEAD OF SPECIAL TASK FORCE, LAPD, ADVISES THAT AFTER POLYGRAPH EXAMINATION AND LENGTHY INTERVIEW, SANDRA SERRANO HAS FINALLY ADMITTED THAT HER STORY OF SEEING GIRL IN POLKA DOT DRESS, SIRHAN SIRHAN, AND UNIDENTIFIED MALE ENTER HOTEL AND GIRL IN POLKA DOT DRESS AND UNIDENTIFIED MALE LEAVING HOTEL, IS COMPLETE FABRICATION.

CAPTAIN BROWN ADVISED SERRANO DID ACTUALLY GO OUT OF HOTEL AND DID SIT ON IRON STAIRS AS SHE HAD PREVIOUSLY ADVISED. SHE ALSO SAW SEVERAL PEOPLE UTILIZING THESE STEPS BUT THAT THIS WAS AFTER THE SHOOTING AND PERSONS

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IN THE BALLROOM WERE USING STAIRS AS MEANS OF EXIT. SHE HAD NOT SEEN ANYONE COME ~~OUT~~^{UP} THE STEPS AT ALL. AFTER THE SHOOTING, WHEN SHE REENTERED THE HOTEL, SHE OVERHEARD A NEWSMAN INTERVIEWING ONE OF HOTEL'S HELP, WHOSE NAME SHE DID NOT RECALL, WHO IS APPARENTLY VINCENT DI PIERRO, AND HEARD HIM MENTION THAT HE HAD SEEN^A GIRL IN POLKA DOT DRESS IN KITCHEN AREA. IT WAS AT THIS TIME SHE DECIDED TO SAY SHE HAD SEEN SIRHAN, UNIDENTIFIED MALE, AND GIRL IN POLKA DOT DRESS COME INTO HOTEL AND THAT TWO OF THEM LATER FLED DOWN THE STEPS. SHE ALSO ADVISED THAT AT NO TIME DID SHE HEAR ANYONE MAKE STATEMENTS TO EFFECT "WE SHOT HIM", OR ANYONE EVER RESPOND TO HER WHEN SHE ASKED WHO WAS SHOT "KENNEDY". SHE ADVISED THIS WAS ENTIRELY MADE UP.

CAPTAIN BROWN ADVISED THAT INTERVIEWING OFFICER, WHO IS ALSO OF MEXICAN ORIGIN, HAD GREAT DIFFICULTY WITH SERRANO INASMUCH AS SHE WAS EXTREMELY FEARFUL AS TO WHAT WOULD HAPPEN TO HER IF SHE ADMITTED STORY SHE HAD ORIGINALLY TOLD WAS FALSE. IT WAS ONLY AFTER REPEATED ASSURANCES

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FROM LAPD THAT THEY WOULD NOT BOTHER OR PROSECUTE HER IF SHE TOLD THE ENTIRE TRUTH THAT SHE FINALLY ADMITTED THE TRUTH.

THE ENTIRE LENGTHY INTERVIEW WAS PUT ON TAPE AND A SPECIAL GROUP IS NOW TYPING UP THE RESULTS WHICH WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE TO LOS ANGELES OFFICE WHEN COMPLETED. BUREAU WILL BE KEPT ADVISED.

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TO: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (62-5481) *MXG*

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

KENSALT.

RE YOUR AIRTEL JUNE TWENTY LAST CONCERNING CHERYLE
PIERCE.

SUBMIT FD THREE ZERO TWO'S.

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FROM: LOS ANGELES (56-156)

KENSALT

~~REURAIRTEL JUNE TWENTY LAST CONCERNING INTERVIEW OF
TYRONE CHAPMANN.~~

SUBMIT FD THREE ZERO TWOS.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI *EPH*~~SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (62-5481)~~~~SAC, CHICAGO~~

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

KENSALT.

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
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LA
RE ~~LOS ANGELES~~ TELETYPE TO BUREAU, MIAMI, AND SAN
FRANCISCO JUNE NINETEEN LAST RE MAY TWENTYONE LAST MEETING
OF LOS FELIZ PEACE AND FREEDOM PARTY (LFPFP) AT THREE EIGHT
ZERO ZERO AMESBURY, *LA* ~~LOS ANGELES~~.

LA
PAUL GROSSBERG, FOUR THREE ONE SIX FINLEY, ~~LOS ANGELES~~,
INTERVIEWED ~~JUNE NINETEEN LAST~~ AND ADVISED HE ARRIVED LATE
AT MAY TWENTYONE LAST MEETING SPONSORED BY LFPFP ^{AT} THREE
EIGHT ZERO ZERO AMESBURY, LOS ANGELES, AND INCLUDING CUBAN
PRESENTATION BY PAUL SHINOFF. GROSSBERG DESCRIBED HIMSELF AS
LIBERAL AND ANTI COMMUNIST IN POLITICAL BELIEFS. SHORTLY

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AFTER GROSSBERG ARRIVED, AND AS SHINOFF WAS PREPARING SLIDE PRESENTATION, JOSE DUARTE STOOD UP AND REQUESTED TIME TO PRESENT VIEWS ON CUBA. A LOUD DEBATE FOLLOWED DUARTE'S REQUEST, AND GROSSBERG, IN FAVOR OF ALLOWING DUARTE TO SPEAK, ADMITTED BEING LOUD AND OUTSPOKEN IN CRITICISING THOSE OPPOSING TALK BY DUARTE. →

→ THOSE PRESENT THEN VOTED TO ALLOW DUARTE TO SPEAK AFTER SLIDES.

GROSSBERG DESCRIBED SHINOFF'S PRESENTATION AS EXTREMELY ONE SIDED AND DEFINITELY PRO CASTRO. FOLLOWING SLIDES, DUARTE SPOKE FOR TEN OR FIFTEEN MINUTES. GROSSBERG STATED ALTHOUGH THOSE REMAINING FOR DUARTE'S TALK REMAINED ORDERLY, SIX OR SEVEN INDIVIDUALS, UNKNOWN BUT DESCRIBED AS "LEFTISTS" BY GROSSBERG, CONTINUALLY CRITICIZED STATEMENTS BY DUARTE.

GROSSBERG DOES NOT RECALL SPECIFIC COMMENTS BY THESE INDIVIDUALS, BUT FEELS SOME PRO-CASTRO. GROSSBERG VAGUELY RECALLS STATEMENTS ACCUSING DUARTE ^{OF} ~~AS~~ BEING CIA AGENT AND BELIEVES MADE BY INDIVIDUAL SEATED IN CENTER OF ROOM WHO INQUIRED WHY DUARTE LEFT CUBA. GROSSBERG FEELS DUARTE

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PROBABLY AGGRAVATED CRITICISM BY RETURNED ⁷³⁶SHOUTS WHENEVER
CRITICIZED. GROSSBERG STATED ALTHOUGH DUARTE AND THESE
INDIVIDUALS ARGUED VIGOROUSLY, AT NO TIME DID ANY SCUFFLE
TAKE PLACE. GROSSBERG SHOWN PHOTOGRAPHS OF SIRHAN, AND IS
CERTAIN NONE OF INDIVIDUALS HE OBSERVED AT MEETING, INCLUDING
THOSE ARGUING WITH DUARTE, RESEMBLE THESE PHOTOS.

MARIA CHRISTINA NALDI, ^{1336 N. DRACONA, LA,}
~~ONE THREE THREE SIX NORTH~~
~~KINGSLEY, LOS ANGELES,~~ INTERVIEWED JUNE ~~TWENTY~~ LAST AND
ADVISED SHE AND HUSBAND JOHN NALDI ATTENDED ABOVE MAY
TWENTYONE LAST LFPFP SPONSORED MEETING. NALDI ESTIMATES
SIXTY PERSONS ATTENDED THIS MEETING, INCLUDING APPROXIMATELY
TEN LFPFP MEMBERS AND A GROUP ^{OF} APPROXIMATELY TEN ~~MAY~~ CUBANS
INDIVIDUALS HEADED BY JOSE DUARTE, PREVIOUSLY UNKNOWN TO
NALDI.

ATTENDING FROM LFPFP WERE RON AND ELLEN SCHNEIDERS,
ROBERT AND RAQUEL LAEMLE, PAUL GROSSBERG, SIDNEY PLOTNICK,
AND ERNA BUDZISLOWSKI.

NALDI RECALLED THAT DURING SLIDE PRESENTATION ON CUBA,
~~BY PAUL SCHNOFF,~~ SHE BECAME AWARE OF A SLIGHTLY BUILT WHITE

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MALE INDIVIDUAL SEATED IN A ROW OF CHAIRS IN FRONT OF DOUBLE DOORS LEADING TO OUTDOOR PATIO, AND APPROXIMATELY TEN FEET FROM FRONT OF ROOM. NALDI FURTHER DESCRIBED THIS INDIVIDUAL AS YOUTHFUL IN APPEARANCE, EIGHTEEN TO NINETEEN YEARS, FIVE FEET FIVE INCHES, DARK CURLY UNKEM^{3/4" 1/2"} HAIR, MEDIUM TO DARK COMPLEXION, AND WEARING WHITE T-SHIRT AND JEANS. SHE ASSUMED THIS INDIVIDUAL WAS CUBAN. NALDI FURTHER RECALLED THAT AS A SLIDE DEPICTING TRAFFIC CONGESTION IN CUBA WAS SHOWN, ONE OF THE CUBAN INDIVIDUALS REMARKED IN JEST, "THERE'S MY CAR," AND THE ABOVE T-SHIRTED INDIVIDUAL COMMENTED TO THE EFFECT THAT ONLY THE RICH PEOPLE IN CUBA HAD CARS.

FOLLOWING SLIDE PRESENTATION, DUARTE SPOKE FOR APPROXIMATELY TEN MINUTES. CONSIDERABLE SHOUTING ^{LOUD NOISE} PREVAILED AS DUARTE SPOKE, AND ALTHOUGH NALDI RECALLS THAT ABOVE T-SHIRTED INDIVIDUAL OCCASIONALLY SHOUTED CRITICAL REMARKS AT DUARTE, SHE DOES NOT RECALL WORDS SPOKEN. TOWARD THE END OF DUARTE'S TALK, THIS T-SHIRTED INDIVIDUAL BECAME VERY EXCITED AND ANGRY, GOT UP FROM HIS CHAIR, AND PROCEEDED TO WITHIN SEVERAL FEET

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OF DUARTE. DUARTE AND THIS INDIVIDUAL ARGUED BACK AND FORTH BUT NALDI DOES NOT RECALL WHAT WAS SAID, NOR DID SHE OBSERVE ANY SCUFFLE. →

→ MEETING THEN ADJOURNED FOR COFFEE AND NALDI LEFT AT THIS POINT.

NALDI SHOWN PHOTOGRAPHS OF SIRHAN AND ADVISED SAME CLOSELY RESEMBLED ABOVE T-SHIRTED INDIVIDUAL, ALTHOUGH NOTING THAT LATTER INDIVIDUAL LIGHTER COMPLECTED ^{THAN} ~~IN~~ PHOTOS.

SIDNEY PLOTNICK, FOUR FIVE FOUR TWO AVOCADO, ^{LA} INTERVIEWED JUNE TWENTY LAST. IT IS NOTED THAT PLOTNICK'S ACCOUNT OF ABOVE MEETING WAS REplete WITH INCONSISTENCIES AND INCOHERENT RAMBLING STATEMENTS.

PLOTNICK, WHO WAS DRESSED AS A CLOWN FOR NO APPARENT REASON, AND WHOSE RESIDENCE CONTAINED NUMEROUS ~~SECRETITIOUS~~ POSTERS, ^{attacking religions} ACKNOWLEDGED HE ATTENDED ABOVE MAY TWENTYONE LAST LFPFP MEETING. →

→ PLOTNICK STATED HE OBSERVED SLENDER, DARK COMPLECTED MALE INDIVIDUAL SITTING IN ROW OF CHAIRS NEAR DOORS LEADING TO OUTSIDE PATIO, AND THAT HE BELIEVES THIS INDIVIDUAL LATER

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APPROACHED AND ARGUED WITH JOSE DUARTE AS DUARTE ATTEMPTED TO SPEAK. PLOTNICK UNABLE TO FURTHER DESCRIBE THIS INDIVIDUAL OR RECALL COMMENTS MADE.

PLOTNICK SHOWN PHOTOS OF SIRHAN AND ADVISED HE NOW RECALLS ABOVE INDIVIDUAL ^{somewhat} RESEMBLED THESE PHOTOS.

LA FOUR TWO ZERO ZERO DASH S ADVISED ABOVE MAY TWENTYONE LAST MEETING DISCUSSED BRIEFLY AT JUNE ELEVEN LAST LFPFP MEETING WITH ONLY ONE UNKNOWN INDIVIDUAL INDICATING HE OBSERVED INDIVIDUAL AT MAY TWENTYONE LAST MEETING WHO MAY HAVE RESEMBLED SIRHAN. SOURCE ATTEMPTED TO IDENTIFY OTHERS ATTENDING MAY TWENTYONE LAST MEETING. [X]

MIGUEL HADDAD, ESTABLISHED SOURCE RE CUBAN MATTERS IN ~~LOS ANGELES~~ ^{LA} AREA, ADVISED THAT ALTHOUGH NOT PERSONALLY ACQUAINTED WITH JOSE DUARTE, HE IS AWARE OF ACTIVITIES AND REPUTATION OF THIS INDIVIDUAL. HADDAD DESCRIBED DUARTE AS A "PUBLICITY SEEKER", AND PERSONALLY SUSPECTS, ALTHOUGH WITHOUT FACTUAL KNOWLEDGE, DUARTE FABRICATED HIS IDENTIFICATION OF SIRHAN AS ATTENDING ABOVE MEETING FOR PURPOSE OF OBTAINING FAVORABLE PUBLICITY FOR HIS ANTI CASTRO ACTIVITIES. →

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→ HADDAD NOTED THAT DUARTE AND FOLLOWERS HAVE ATTENDED OTHER MEETINGS ON CUBA TO OBTAIN REPUTATION FOR THEIR ACTIVITIES.

~~LA~~ HIRAM GOMEZ, ESTABLISHED SOURCE RE CUBAN MATTERS IN ~~LOS ANGELES~~ AREA, WHO AT ONE TIME ASSOCIATED WITH DUARTE, ADVISED ALTHOUGH HE HAS NO RELIABLE KNOWLEDGE OF ABOVE MEETING, HE HAS HEARD UNFOUNDED RUMORS THAT DUARTE AND FOLLOWERS WHO HAVE IDENTIFIED SIRHAN AS ATTENDING SAME, ARE NOT POSITIVE IN THEIR IDENTIFICATION AND MAY HAVE ONLY OBSERVED SOMEONE RESEMBLING SIRHAN.

INVESTIGATION CONTINUING RE ABOVE MEETING.

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[X] [LA 4200-S;] 6/13/68; orally to SA FRANK L. BELSANTE.

MIGUEL HADDAD; 6/20/68; orally to SA RICHARD J. RAYSA.

HIRAM GOMEZ; 6/20/68; orally to SA RAYSA.

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KENSALT..

RE ~~LOS ANGELES~~ ^{LA} TEL TO BUREAU JUNE TWENTY-ONE LAST RE 5/21/68
LOS FELIZ PEACE AND FREEDOM PARTY (LFPFP) MEETING AT THREE
EIGHT ZERO ZERO AMESBURY, LOS ANGELES.

EDNA BUDZISLAWSKI, TWO ZERO FOUR ZERO RODNEY, ~~LOS~~ ^{LA}
~~ANGELES~~, INTERVIEWED AND ADVISED SHE ATTENDED MAY TWENTYONE
 LAST LFPFP MEETING AT ABOVE ADDRESS ARRIVING APPROXIMATELY
 EIGHT THIRTY P.M. ^{BUDZISLAWSKI} ~~SHE~~ ~~NOTED SHE~~ IS SEVENTYTWO YEARS, HARD
 OF HEARDING, AND VERY NEARSIGHTED. SHE RECALLS THAT FOLLOWING
 TALK ON CUBA BY UNKNOWN YOUTH, UNKNOWN CUBAN INDIVIDUAL
 ATTEMPTED TO SPEAK AND, AFTER A NOISY DISCUSSION, WAS TOLD
 TO WAIT UNTIL AFTER THE SLIDE PRESENTATION BY ABOVE YOUTH.
 SHE DID NOT SEE OR HEAR ANYONE IN PARTICULAR ARGUE WITH
 THIS CUBAN INDIVIDUAL. ^{BUDZISLAWSKI} ~~WAS~~ LEFT MEETING IMMEDIATELY AFTER
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SLIDE PRESENTATION, NOT WAITING FOR CUBAN TO SPEAK. ~~WAS~~ ^{BUDZISLAWSKI}
~~WAS~~ SHOWN SIRHAN PHOTOGRAPHS AND ADVISED SHE DID NOT OBSERVE
ANYONE AT ~~THE~~ MEETING RESEMBLING THESE PHOTOGRAPHS. ~~WAS~~ ^{BUDZISLAWSKI}
NOTED THAT APPROXIMATELY TEN DAYS AGO, SHE WAS TELEPHONED
BY LFPFP MEMBER MARIA NALDI WHO STATED SHE OBSERVED INDIVIDUAL
RESEMBLING SIRHAN AT THIS MEETING. BUDZISLAWSKI RELATED THIS
INFORMATION TO RON SCHNEIDERS, CHAIRMAN, LFPFP.

BUDZISLAWSKI FURTHER RECALLS MAKING STATEMENT IN JEST
TO NALDI DURING ABOVE MEETING TO EFFECT THAT A WELL DRESSED
ELDERLY GENTLEMAN PRESENT LOOKED LIKE A CIA AGENT, BUT DOES
NOT BELIEVE ANYONE ELSE HEARD THIS STATEMENT.

JOHN NALDI, TWO ZERO FOUR FOUR DRACENA, INTERVIEWED AND
ADVISED HE ACCOMPANIED WIFE, MARIA NALDI, TO ABOVE MAY TWENTY-
ONE LAST LFPFP MEETING, BUT WAS DISINTERESTED AND SAT BY
HIMSELF TOWARD REAR OF ROOM. NALDI, NOT ACQUAINTED WITH
OTHERS PRESENT, REMEMBERS ABOVE MEETING NOISY ~~WAS~~ ^{AS} UNKNOWN
CUBAN SPOKE FOLLOWING SLIDE PRESENTATION BY UNKNOWN AMERICAN
YOUTH, BUT UNABLE TO RECALL COMMENTS MADE OR ANYONE IN
PARTICULAR ARGUING WITH CUBAN.

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NALDI SHOWN SIRHAN PHOTOGRAPHS AND ADVISED CANNOT
RECALL ANYONE AT MEETING RESEMBLING SAME.

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RE WFO TEL TO BUREAU, SAN FRANCISCO AND LOS ANGELES
JUNE SEVENTEEN LAST RE ARTICLE CONTAINED JUNE FOURTEEN LAST
IN EVENING STAR, WDC RE MAY THIRTY LAST SAN FRANCISCO RADIO
PROGRAM.

TAPES OF LAPD INTERVIEW OF SIRHAN AVAILABLE AT LOS
ANGELES.

SAN FRANCISCO WILL FORWARD AVAILABLE TAPE OF RE RADIO
PROGRAM TO RADIO ENGINEERING SECTION, FBI LAB FOR VOICE
COMPARISON WITH SIRHAN TAPES.

SAN FRANCISCO ADVISE LOS ANGELES WHEN TAPE OBTAINED AND
FORWARDED.

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~~①~~ JUNE TWENTY FOUR LAST, LARRY GLENN, NEW YORK TIMES REPRESENTATIVE, LOS ANGELES, ADVISED ~~WALLACE~~ WALLACE TURNER IS ASSIGNED TO THE SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF ~~THE~~ NEW YORK TIMES, SUITE NINE TWO FIVE, FOX PLAZA, PHONE NUMBER SIX EIGHT SIX-EIGHT SIX SIX TWO, AND ~~WALLACE~~ ~~HE~~ WAS IN LOS ANGELES COVERING SENATORIAL CANDIDATE MAX RAFFERTY IN PRIMARY ELECTIONS JUNE FOUR LAST. PREVIOUS INFORMATION REFLECTS TURNER WAS IN THE COLONIAL ROOM OF THE AMBASSADOR HOTEL AT APPROXIMATE TIME OF SHOOTING.

GLENN ALSO ADVISED JOHN HEBBERS, NEW YORK TIMES REPRESENTATIVE FROM NEW YORK, WAS COVERING SENATOR KENNEDY, AND ~~JOHN~~ JOHN MORRIS PLUS MORRIS' WIFE, MIDGE WERE ON THE SCENE

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IN THE AMBASSADOR AT TIME OF SHOOTING. MORRIS IS NEW YORK TIMES PICTURE EDITOR BUT WAS NOT ASSIGNED TO THE PRIMARY ELECTIONS. *Morris resides 170 West End, NYC. tel # 212-874-7187*

ON JUNE TWENTY FOUR LAST, ART KEVIN, KHJ TV, LOS ANGELES, ADVISED THAT HE RECALLS SEEING STEVE BELL, AN ABC RADIO REPORTER AT THE AMBASSADOR HOTEL AT APPROXIMATE TIME OF SHOOTING.

NEW YORK AT NEW YORK - WILL INTERVIEW JOHN HERBERS PLUS JOHN AND MIDGE MORRIS, AND STEVE BELL.

SAN FRANCISCO AT SAN FRANCISCO - WILL INTERVIEW WALLACE TURNER.

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~~THE~~ HANDWRITTEN NAME JOHN DAY APPEARS IN NOTEBOOK OF SIRHAN B. SIRHAN. JOHN HANSON, LOCAL HEAD OF TRPB ADVISED THIS DATE ~~THAT~~ HE IS UNAWARE OF ANYONE IN LOS ANGELES AREA WITH NAME JOHN DAY, HOWEVER, STATES ONE JOHN I. DAY IS ASSOCIATED WITH THOROUGHBRED RACING ASSOCIATION NEWS, ROOM NINE ONE NINE, TWO TWO ZERO EAST FORTY SECOND STREET, NEW YORK CITY, NEW YORK, AND IS WIDELY KNOWN IN RACING CIRCLES.

NEW YORK ~~IS~~ REQUESTED TO INTERVIEW DAY, ~~AND~~ DETERMINE ANY POSSIBLE ASSOCIATION WITH OR KNOWLEDGE OF SIRHAN THAT HE MAY POSSESS, PARTICULARLY REGARDING POSSIBLE MOTIVE FOR ASSASSINATION OF ROBERT F. KENNEDY. SUBMIT FD THREE ZERO TWO TO LOS ANGELES.

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RE ~~SAN FRANCISCO~~ TEL TO BUREAU AND ~~LOS ANGELES~~ JUNE
LA TWENTYONE LAST AND ~~LOS ANGELES~~ TEL TO BUREAU AND ~~SAN FRANCISCO~~ *SF*
JUNE EIGHTEEN LAST RE INTERVIEW PAUL SHINOFF.

UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE AT STUDIO CITY, CALIFORNIA, RESIDENCE
OF PAUL SHINOFF ADVISED SHINOFF REMAINS OUT OF TOWN.

UACB, SAN FRANCISCO ~~WILL~~ ATTEMPT TO LOCATE SHINOFF
AND INTERVIEW IN ABSENCE OF ATTORNEY CHARLES R. GARRY.
SHOULD SHINOFF REFUSE INTERVIEW WITHOUT GARRY PRESENT, SAN
FRANCISCO WILL ATTEMPT TO DETERMINE DATE OF SHINOFF'S RETURN
TO LOS ANGELES AREA.

IT IS FELT THAT ~~SHINOFF~~, THE PRINCIPAL *pl* SPEAKER AT
MAY TWENTYONE LAST LOS FELIZ PEACE AND FREEDOM PARTY MEETING
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AT THREE EIGHT ZERO ZERO ^{LA}AMESBURY, ~~LOS ANGELES~~, WOULD HAVE
BEEN IN POSITION TO OBSERVE ANYONE RESEMBLING SIRHAN, WHO ⁷¹
~~JOSE DUARTE~~ AND THREE COMPANIONS CLAIM ATTENDED THIS
MEETING. PURPOSE OF SHINOFF INTERVIEW WOULD BE TO OBTAIN HIS
OBSERVATIONS RE SIRHAN PRESENCE AT THIS MEETING, AND NOT TO
DISCUSS SHINOFF'S ~~OWN~~ ACTIVITIES.

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TO DIRECTOR (62-587), SACS DENVER, NEW HAVEN, NEW YORK
 FROM SAC LOS ANGELES (56-156)(P)
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RE NEW YORK TEL JUNE THIRTEEN LAST AND LOS ANGELES TEL
 JUNE FOURTEEN LAST, BOTH RE JOHN M. LAWRENCE, AKA JOHN M.
LAURENCE, HEAD OF FEDERATED AMERICANS AGAINST ISRAELI RACISM
(FAIR).

LOS ANGELES SHERIFF'S OFFICE OFFICER JERRY SIMS REPORTS
 TODAY LAWRENCE KNOWN TO PD, DANBURY, CONNECTICUT, AND REPORTEDLY
 CONFINED APRIL TWENTY FOUR, SIXTY TWO, ON QUOTE WRIT OF
 COMMITMENT UNQUOTE, DENVER, COLORADO.

NEW HAVEN AND DENVER SUTEL RESULTS OF APPROPRIATE CRIMINAL
 CHECKS. DENVER ADVISE OF ANY PSYCHIATRIC HISTORY DEVELOPED.
 NEW YORK EXPEDITE CHARACTERIZATION OF FAIR.

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TO: SAC, NEW YORK *RM*
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

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NEW YORK OBTAIN RELEASE OF RESTRICTIONS FROM "LIFE
MAGAZINE" REGARDING PHOTOGRAPHS TAKEN BY BILL EPPRIDGE AND
PETER SPENCER BERKSON TO ALLOW FBI TO DISTRIBUTE PHOTOGRAPHS
TO LAPD. LAPD HAS REQUESTED COPY OF PHOTOS AND LOS ANGELES
RECOMMENDS COPIES BE FURNISHED. SUTEL

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TO: SACS, WASHINGTON FIELD *LRC*
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FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

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RE MEMBERS OF OFFICIAL KENNEDY PARTY.

IMMEDIATELY ADVISE LOS ANGELES WHEN PERTINENT FD DASH
THREE ZERO TWOS AND INSERTS REFLECTING INTERVIEWS OF
OFFICIAL MEMBERS OF KENNEDY TRAVELLING PARTY, INCLUDING
PRESS MEMBERS, WILL BE FORWARDED LOS ANGELES.

ANTICIPATION WILL BE INCLUDED IN NEXT REPORT NOW
BEING COMPILED.

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KENSALT.

RE WASHINGTON FIELD TEL TO BUREAU, LOS ANGELES, NEW
 YORK AND RICHMOND DATED JUNE TWENTY SIX INSTANT.

FOR INFORMATION WASHINGTON FIELD, ROY RINGER AND ~~THE~~
~~SECRETARY~~, JUDY ROYER, HAVE BEEN INTERVIEWED. ASSISTANT
 MANAGER, UNO TIMANSON, AMBASSADOR HOTEL, ALSO HAS BEEN
 IDENTIFIED AND INTERVIEWED. JESSE UNRUH INTERVIEWED BY
 SACRAMENTO OFFICE. VICTIMS ELIZABETH EVANS AND BILL WEISEL
 BOTH INTERVIEWED AT LOS ANGELES.

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KENSALT.

PURSUANT TO PREVIOUS INSTRUCTIONS, WASHINGTON FIELD IS REQUESTED TO INTERVIEW HUGH MC DONALD OF KENNEDY STAFF. EXACT INVESTIGATION IN WASHINGTON, D. C. UNKNOWN. HAROLD EDWARD HUGHES, POLITICAL EDITOR, "THE OREGANIAN", PORTLAND, OREGON, ADVISED THAT MC DONALD WAS IN THE IMMEDIATE AREA OF SHOOTING AT AMBASSADOR HOTEL.

DAVE MURRAY, REPORTER, "CHICAGO SUN TIMES", ADVISED THAT TOM LITTLEWOOD, WASHINGTON CORRESPONDENT OF THAT PUBLICATION, WAS ALSO PRESENT AT TIME OF ASSASSINATION.

WASHINGTON FIELD LOCATE AND INTERVIEW MC DONALD AND LITTLEWOOD.

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FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES

KENSALT.

RE NEW YORK TEL TO DIRECTOR, JUNE TWENTY FOUR LAST.
JERRY SIMS, UNKNOWN TO "LIFE" OR "TIMES" STAFF IN
LOS ANGELES. NO INFORMATION AS TO IDENTITY OR LOCATION.

WASHINGTON FIELD TO ESTABLISH HIS LOCATION FOR INTERVIEW
AND SET OUT APPROPRIATE LEADS.

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FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

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RE MIAMI AIRTEL JUNE TWENTY FIVE LAST CONCERNING
INTERVIEW OF DOCTOR NATALIE GUNKEL.

SUBMIT FD THREE ZERO TWO'S OF INTERVIEW.

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FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

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RE LOS ANGELES TEL TO BUREAU JUNE TWENTY FOUR LAST
REGARDING MAY TWENTY ONE LAST LOS FELIZ PEACE AND FREEDOM
PARTY MEETING AT THREE EIGHT ZERO ZERO AMESBURY, LOS ANGELES,
CALIFORNIA.

EVIDIO PEREIRA ACOSTA INTERVIEWED BY CHICAGO DIVISION,
ACKNOWLEDGED ATTENDANCE AT REFERENCED MEETING AND, AFTER
VIEWING PHOTOGRAPHS OF SIRHAN, STATED HE IS SEVENTY PER CENT
CERTAIN THAT SIRHAN IDENTICAL TO INDIVIDUAL ATTENDING THIS
MEETING. ACOSTA SUGGESTED THAT ONE FRANK GUITIERREZ, A CUBAN
KNOWN TO OTHERS IN CUBAN GROUP ATTENDING MEETING, MIGHT BE
ABLE TO IDENTIFY INDIVIDUAL ACOSTA BELIEVES IS SIRHAN. SEARCHED

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CARLOS HURTADO, ALBERT VELAZCO, AND JOSE DUARTE RECONTACTED TO IDENTIFY GUITIERREZ. GUITIERREZ UNKNOWN TO HURTADO AND VELAZCO AND DUARTE VAGUELY RECALLS THIS INDIVIDUAL AS ATTENDING THIS MEETING WITH HIS GROUP, AND ALTHOUGH UNABLE TO FURTHER IDENTIFY, FEELS GUITIERREZ MEMBER OF JOHN BIRCH SOCIETY. DUARTE SUGGESTED SOCIETY MEMBER HUGO BYRNE, FOUR ZERO THREE FIVE MONROE, LOS ANGELES, MAY KNOW GUITIERREZ' LOCATION.

EFFORTS CONTINUING TO LOCATE GUITIERREZ.

LOS ANGELES VOTERS REGISTRATION RECORDS REFLECT ROBERT AND RAQUEL LAEMMLE, RON AND ELLEN SCHNEIDERS, MARIA CHRISTINA NAZDI, PAUL GROSSBERG, AND ERNA BUDZISLAWSKI REGISTERED MEMBERS OF PEACE AND FREEDOM PARTY.

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RE LOS ANGELES AIRTEL CONCERNING PHOTO ON PAGE FOUR
 OF AMERICAN OPINION REPRINT ENTITLED, "THE GRAPES."
CAESAR CHAVEZ, DIRECTOR, UNITED FARM WORKERS
 ORGANIZING TOGETHER, AFL DASH CIO, WAS CONTACTED *6-27-68* AT
 CHOWCHILLA, CALIFORNIA, AT WHICH TIME HE STATED THAT HE
 DID NOT HAVE THE PHOTO INVOLVED AND COULD NOT FURNISH
 THE IDENTITY OF THE INDIVIDUAL ALLEGED ~~TO~~ TO BE SIRHAN
 SIRHAN. HE STATED THAT INQUIRIES SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO
 UNITED FARM WORKERS ATTORNEY, JERRY COHEN, DELANO,
 CALIFORNIA, HOME PHONE NO. SEVEN TWO FIVE DASH EIGHT SEVEN
 TWO EIGHT, OFFICE PHONE SEVEN TWO FIVE DASH ONE THREE ONE
 FOUR. HE INDICATED THAT PERSONS IN DELANO COULD PROBABLY
 IDENTIFY THIS INDIVIDUAL.

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SACRAMENTO, AT DELANO, CONTACT ATTORNEY JERRY COHEN
RE PHOTOS.

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NEW YORK, SAN DIEGO *DTN*
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)
RE: KENSALT

RE DN TEL JUNE TWENTY SEVEN LAST CONCERNING
JOHN L. PAWLUK, AKA JOHN M. LAWRENCE, JOHN LAWRENCE
PAWLUK, HEAD OF FEDERATED AMERICANS AGAINST ISRAELI
RACISM, NEW YORK CITY.

DN SUBMIT FD THREE ZERO TWO COVERING INFO
(CHS)
DEVELOPED COLORADO STATE HOSPITAL RE MENTAL HISTORY
JOHN M. LAWRENCE AND PREVIOUS CHECK OF PD RECORDS
FOR BOTH LA AND NY.

FOR INFO SD CSH RECORDS INDICATE LAWRENCE
WAS PSYCHOPATHIC PATIENT UNIDENTIFIED HOSPITAL, SAN
DIEGO, CALIF., APPROXIMATELY MARCH, NINETEEN FORTY
NINE. LAWRENCE DESCRIBED IN CSH RECORDS AS MALE BORN

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