

SA 56-102

Height	5'11"
Weight	165 pounds (183 in June, 1968)
Hair	Brown
Eyes	Hazel
Marital Status	Single
Home Address	235 25th St., Hermosa Beach, California
Father	ROBERT T. HODGES, 132 1/2 Galleon, Venice, California
Mother	HELEN R. HODGES, 235 25th St., Hermosa Beach, California
Brothers	ROBERT R. HODGES, 531 21st St., Manhattan Beach, California DAVID HODGES, 235 25th St., Hermosa Beach, California

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Date: 10/11/68

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority)

TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM: SAC, WFO (173-135) (P)

KENSALT
(OO:LA)

Re HERBERT DUDNICK, a registered guest at the Ambassador Hotel, Los Angeles, 6/4/68.

Inquiry at NBC, Washington, D. C., instant, revealed that HERBERT DUDNICK is in travel status with the Richard Nixon Presidential Campaign. Duration of travel status and itinerary unknown.

Because of foregoing, no additional investigation being conducted by WFO concerning DUDNICK. Additional effort to locate DUDNICK is being left to discretion of LA.

- ② - Los Angeles (AM)
1 - New York (44-1640) (Info)
1 - WFO

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11/15/68 Letter sent to WFO to find out if Dudnick was in LA

Find out from Flores when is he on duty

Approved: _____

Special Agent in Charge

Sent _____

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Per _____

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SAC, PORTLAND (62-2864) (P)

SUBJECT: KENSALT
(OO: Los Angeles)

DATE: 10-9-68

Re: EDWARD MOSKOWITZ
1440 S. W. Huntington
Portland, Oregon
503-MI 4-6084

Re Los Angeles letter to Portland 9-16-68,
titled as above.

Transmitted herewith are 22 copies of FD-302
covering interview with EDWARD MOSKOWITZ.

② Los Angeles (Enc. 22)
1-Portland

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : *[Signature]*
SAC, LOUISVILLE (89-78) (RUC)

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 10/11/68

OO: Los Angeles

Re Los Angeles letter to Louisville, dated 9/16/68.

Enclosed herewith are nine copies each of FD-302s reflecting interviews with the following individuals:

Mrs. OPAL OAKLEY
Morgantown, Kentucky
9/24/68

Mrs. MARY RUTH SALING
Morgantown, Kentucky
9/24/68

Mrs. PHYLLIS HARVEY
Lexington, Kentucky
10/3/68

Mrs. ALLEYNE MADDOX
Lexington, Kentucky
10/3/68

With reference to lead to interview [REDACTED] Morgantown, Kentucky, it is to be noted that this individual is the eight-year-old daughter of Mrs. MARY RUTH SALING. Interview was not had with this girl in view of her age and in view of the fact that she was in company with her mother and grandmother during their visit to Los Angeles.

Also, investigation to locate Mrs. VICTORIA AYERS, Lexington, Kentucky, revealed that she is currently spending the winter in Florida, address Apartment 3, 1395 Aia Boulevard, Satellite Beach, Florida. However, she, according to interview with Mrs. PHYLLIS HARVEY and Mrs. MADDOX, does not possess

② - Los Angeles (Enc. 36) *[Signature]*
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any information in addition to that furnished by these two individuals. Consequently, lead is not being set forth to interview Mrs. AYERS, this being left to the discretion of the OO. It is further noted that Mrs. AYERS roomed with Mrs. HARVEY and Mrs. MADDOX during the course of their stay in Los Angeles.

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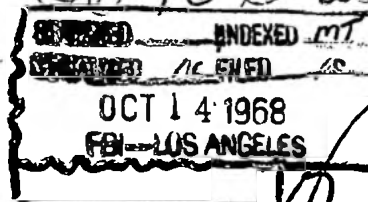
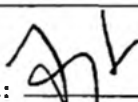
TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)
FROM: SAC, MIAMI (44-1880) (RUC)
RE: KENSALT
(OO: Los Angeles)

Re Los Angeles letters to Miami, 9/16/68.

Re ETHEL GILBERT & EMMA FAUST, Ambassador Hotel
guests, Los Angeles, Calif., 6/4-5/68.

Enclosed for the Los Angeles Division are 22 copies
each of 2 FD-302s reflecting interviews of ETHEL GILBERT
and EMMA FAUST who were guests at the Ambassador Hotel,
Los Angeles, Calif., on 6/4-5/68.

② - Los Angeles (Enc. 44)
1 - Miami
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Approved: 

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Per _____

Special Agent in Charge

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : *[Signature]* SAC, NEW HAVEN (62-2477) (P)

SUBJECT: KENSALT
OO:LOS ANGELES

DATE: 10-11-68

RE: Los Angeles letters, 9-16-68, one with the subcaption "WILLIAM R. RAY" and the other subcaptioned "AL PENROD."

Enclosed for the Los Angeles Office are 22 copies each of the FD 302s setting forth the results of the interviews of RAY and PENROD. The originals of these FD 302s are being maintained in the New Haven Office.

As soon as the balance of the investigation outstanding in the NHO is completed, it will be furnished to Los Angeles.

2 - Los Angeles (Encs. 44) *[Signature]*
2 - New Haven
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Date: 10/11/68

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Via _____
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TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM: SAC, WFO (173-135)

KENSALT
(OO:LA)

ReLalet re STEWART ISENBERG, State Department,
Washington, D.C., registered guest on 6/4/68, at the
Ambassador Hotel, Los Angeles, California.

Investigation at the following agencies to
locate ISENBERG were negative. No such person could
be located under the name of ISENBERG or EISENBERG at
the following agencies as of 10/11/68:

BERNARD L. BROOKS, Clerk, Personnel File Room,
Services Division, Department of State

RUSSELL B. BOOZER, Clerk, Personnel Locator,
Personnel Service Division, Department of State

Mrs. BETTY K. PIZZARELLE, Staff Assistant,
Office of Security, Agency For International Development
(AID), Department of State.

Mr. WILLIE PEEBLES, Clerk, Personnel File Room,
Office of Personnel and Manpower, AID, Department of State

② Los Angeles
1- WFO

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Contact Hotel for more info

Approved: Joseph D. Purciss Sent _____ M Per _____

Special Agent in Charge

WFO 173-135

Mrs. MELODY MILLER, Secretary, Office of Senator
EDWARD M. KENNEDY, WDC.

In view of the above, no further investigation is
being conducted re ISENBERG by WFO.



COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES
DEPARTMENT OF CHIEF MEDICAL EXAMINER - CORONER

HALL OF JUSTICE, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA 90012

THOMAS T. NOGUCHI, M. D.
CHIEF MEDICAL EXAMINER-CORONER

October 2, 1968

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Special Agent In Charge
Federal Bureau of Investigation
1340 West 6th Street
Los Angeles, California 90017

Dear Mr. Grapp:

Submitted herewith are the following documents and photographs relating to the Robert F. Kennedy case, coroner's number 68-5731.

- Part No. 1 - One rough draft copy of the composite gross protocol.
- Part No. 2 - One rough draft copy of the "Neuropathology Report."
- Part No. 3 - One rough draft copy of "Descriptions of Photographs" numbered A-1 through B-6, excluding B-2.
- Part No. 4 - One rough draft copy of "Descriptions of Photographs" numbered C-1 through C-32.
- Part No. 5 - Five sets each of 178 photographs relative to the Kennedy case.

The charge for the photographs is \$143.08 at the rate of 43 cents each.

Sincerely,

Thomas T. Noguchi
Thomas T. Noguchi, M.D.
Chief Medical Examiner-Coroner

TTN:HM:etf

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OFFICE OF CHIEF MEDICAL EXAMINER-CORONER

HALL OF JUSTICE

LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA 90012

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- Part No. 5 - Five sets each of 178 photographs relative to the Kennedy case.

Received By (F.B.I.)

Released By Chief Medical Examiner-Coroner

Date

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HALL OF JUSTICE, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA 90012

THOMAS T. NOGUCHI, M. D.
CHIEF MEDICAL EXAMINER-CORONER


October 4, 1968

Mr. Wesley Grapp
Special Agent In Charge
Federal Bureau of Investigation
1340 West 6th Street
Los Angeles, California 90017

Dear Mr. Grapp:

With reference to the letter dated October 2, 1968,
Part No. 5 should reflect "two sets each of 178 photographs
relative to the Kennedy case."

Sincerely,


Thomas T. Noguchi, M.D.
Chief Medical Examiner-Coroner

TTN:etf

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SUPERVISOR FRANCIS M. MULLEN, JR.

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 10/16/68

On 10/16/68, Mrs. JEAN JONES, 8125 De Venir, Downey, California, telephone TO 3-1267, telephonically contacted the Los Angeles Office at 3:55 PM, at which time she advised that she had information indicating there was a plot in the KENNEDY murder. Mrs. JONES was asked to be more specific, however, she declined to discuss the matter any further on the telephone and requested that she be contacted in person by an agent.

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LOS ANGELES

AT DOWNEY, CALIFORNIA Will contact Mrs. JONES.

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10/14/68

AIRTEL

TO : SAC, WFO
FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (89-61)
SUBJECT: KENSALT
(OO: Los Angeles)

Re Los Angeles letter to Chicago, 9/10/68, re
Mr. and Mrs. JOSEPH KRAFT, Hall Syndicate, 400 North Michigan
Avenue, Chicago.

Enclosed for the WFO is one copy of the above
letter with its enclosures.

On 9/26/68, THOMAS HEARY of the Scribner Agency,
which handles the Office Building, 400 North Michigan
Avenue, advised the Hall Syndicate had been in this building
but folded about three years ago.

On 10/3/68, it was determined the Chicago phone
number 321-2795 is listed to the Chicago Sun Times. Contact
with the Chicago Sun Times Employment Office, 10/10/68,
revealed Mr. JOSEPH KRAFT is employed by the Sun Times as
a columnist and resides in Washington, D. C., address 3021
E Street Northwest, phone number 965-2871.

WFO handle lead set out in referenced letter.

- 2 - WFO (Encls. 5)
① - Los Angeles (56-156)
1 - Chicago

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Date: 10/15/68

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)
SUBJECT: PAUL SCHAAP
GENERAL DELIVERY
COLTON, CALIFORNIA
RESEARCH (CORRESPONDENCE AND TOURS)

Re Los Angeles airtel to the Bureau dated 10/8/68.

SCHAAP again picked up mail at Colton, California, Post Office 10/14/68, and was advised to immediately contact FBI, which SCHAAP has not done to date.

Surveillance maintained at Colton Post Office 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. 10/15/68 with negative results.

Bureau will be advised of results of this investigation by weekly airtel.

3 - Bureau
2 - Los Angeles

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Special Agent in Charge

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156) DATE: 10/14/68

FROM : SAC, MINNEAPOLIS (56-64) (RUC)

SUBJECT: KENSALT
(OO: Los Angeles)

Re Los Angeles letter to Minneapolis dated 9/16/68.

Enclosed to the Los Angeles Office are 22 copies of an FD-302 regarding interview of JOHN D. THOMAS, Alexandria, Minnesota, 10/2/68.

② - Los Angeles (Enc. 22)
1 - Minneapolis
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Memorandum

TO :

SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 10/14/68

FROM :

SAC, MINNEAPOLIS (56-63)

SUBJECT:

KENSALT
(OO: LOS ANGELES)

Enclosed herewith for the Los Angeles Division are
22 copies of an FD-302 reflecting the interview with NANCY A.
WIEBOLD

2 - Los Angeles (Enc. 22)
1 - Minneapolis
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Memorandum

TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM: SAC, MINNEAPOLIS (56-60) (RUC)

SUBJECT: KENSALT
OO: LOS ANGELES

DATE: 10/11/68

ReLAlet to MP 9/16/68.

On 10/1/68 JOHN CALGUIRE (protect identity), Post Office, Columbia Heights, Minnesota, (suburb of Minneapolis, Minnesota) advised his records reflect RICHARD D. KIRCH, 6115 Woody Lane, has left a forwarding address of Kenwood Manor, Sioux Falls, South Dakota.

Enclosed for Los Angeles are 22 copies of FD-302 covering interview with RICHARD KIRCH.

- ② - Los Angeles (Encs. - 22)
- 1 - Minneapolis

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

In connection with the autopsy of ROBERT F. KENNEDY, the following is enclosed for the Bureau:

1. 178 photographs of ballistic examination and autopsy of ROBERT F. KENNEDY.

2. 1 rough draft copy of the composite gross
protocol.

3. 1 rough draft copy of the neuropathology
report.

4. 1 rough draft copy of descriptions of photo-
graphs numbered A1 through B6, excluding B2. autopsy

5. 1 rough draft copy of descriptions of photo-
graphs numbered C1 through C32. Autopsy

In view of current pending legislation and court order concerning these specific photographs no dissemination of this information or of the photographs should be made outside the Bureau.

3 - Bureau (Enc. 5) (AM-RM)
2 - Los Angeles

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10/15/68

AIRTEL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-587)
FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (44-1640)
SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re Los Angeles letter, 9/16/68, identifying persons registered at the Ambassador Hotel, Los Angeles, 6/4-5/68.

PAUL MATHIAS, 22 East 67th Street, NYC, is a US Correspondent of "Paris Match". MATHIAS telephonically contacted the NYO, 10/14/68, from Cape Kennedy, Florida, and advised he was not at the Ambassador Hotel 6/4/68. He had covered Senator KENNEDY's campaign until about 6/2/68, when he returned to NYC. He did return to Los Angeles later on 6/5/68, but after notice of the assassination was made in NY. He has no knowledge of the events leading up to the shooting or of SIRHAN SIRHAN.

MATHIAS, however, furnished the following as being of possible interest:

BERNARD GIQUET, a correspondent for "Paris Match", about one year ago was in New Orleans, doing a story on District Attorney, JIM GARRISON. On his return to NYC, he quoted an attorney (or former attorney) of JAMES HOPPA as making the statement at that time, "If BOBBY ever runs we'll knock him off first". The attorney was not identified by name by GIQUET, to MATHIAS'S recollection, and he does not know of any connection between this statement and

3 - Bureau
② - Los Angeles (56-156)
1 - New York

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the assassination.

GIQUEL was not in Los Angeles at the time of the assassination and is presently in Paris on home-leave. He will return to NYC, in November.]

The above is being submitted for the information of the Bureau and Los Angeles.

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Date: 10/17/68

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FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

SUBJECT: PAUL SCHAAP
GENERAL DELIVERY
COLTON, CALIFORNIA
RESEARCH (CORRESPONDENCE AND TOURS)

Re Los Angeles airtel to Bureau dated 10/15/68.

Enclosed herewith is one copy of FD-302 reflecting interview with PAUL SCHAAP on 10/16/68. Results of interview will be incorporated in next report submitted in KENSALT matter.

3 - Bureau (Encl.1)
② - Los Angeles
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Complaint Form
FD-71 (Rev. 7-21-67)

NOTE: Hand print names legibly; handwriting satisfactory for remainder.

Indices: ☐ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases

ROBERT IAFEMILE

Character of case

SM-C

Complainant

MRS. ARTHUR MICHELS

Complaint received

☐ Personal ☒ Telephonic Date 10-15-68 Time 9-06am

Address of subject

3800 Amesbury Road, L.A.

Complainant's address and telephone number

3709 Amesbury Road, L.A. 27 661-7778

Subject's Description	Race	Sex	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace
	Cauc.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Male				
	Age	<input type="checkbox"/> Female	Weight	Eyes	Complexion	
Scars, marks or other data						
Asst. mgr. Los Felix Theatre						

Facts of complaint

C related she is concerned over something she heard about the S and his family. C said the S had married a Mexican woman some time ago, who had 5 children, presumably by a previous marriage. She said both the S and his wife are members of the Peace and Freedom Party, and are said to have held P&F meetings at the above residence. She said there are continually "hippie" types hanging around the property. C said she has heard that both the S and his wife claim they are Communists and are proud of it. C said she has also heard they have just moved to the "beach area" (location unknown) for a six month period. She felt the FBI might want to know about this.

Indices reflect several 134-ref. on S.

Action Recommended

Philip S. Andrist

(Agent)

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

DATE: 10/15/68

FROM : *KD*
gma SAC, KANSAS CITY (62-8651) -RUC-

SUBJECT: KENSALT

OO: Los Angeles

Re Kansas City letter dated October 3, 1968.

Referenced communication inadvertently marked Pending, and should be RUC. No further investigation being conducted and case is considered RUC.

2 - Los Angeles
1 - Kansas City
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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (ATTN: CRIME RECORDS)

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (94-304)

SUBJECT : COLUMBIA BROADCASTING SYSTEM (CBS)
POLICY REGARDING ALL REQUESTS FOR
INTERVIEWS OF CBS PERSONNEL BY
GOVERNMENT INVESTIGATORS
EFFECTIVE 9/19/68
RESEARCH MATTER

Captioned policy was personally outlined to SA LESLIE F. WARREN 10/16/68 by Mr. GRANT HOLCOMB, Manager, News Division of CBS owned KNXT-Channel 2, 6121 Sunset Boulevard, Los Angeles. This was a result of a request to interview three employees of the KNXT News Division, potential witnesses in the KENSALT case. They had been reported present at the Ambassador Hotel at the time of KENSALT by a potential witness, PATRICK TIFFANY MC LAUGHLIN, interviewed by the Memphis Office 9/30/68. The employees were ELIZABETH HERMAN, Junior News Writer; JOE DYER, former Reporter now in the Community Relations Department and JIM BROWN, News Reporter.

A further request had been made by SA WARREN to monitor a tape of a television program aired by CBS-Los Angeles, 10/12/68, "The Insider-Outsider", on which LA 5045-R (PROB) had appeared along with certain "black militants".

4 - Bureau (AIR MAIL - REGISTERED)
 1 - New York (INFO) (AIR MAIL - REGISTERED)
 3 - Los Angeles
 (1 - 56-156) (KENSALT) (INFO)
 (1 - 170-147) (LA 5045-R) (PROB) (INFO)

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W. J. Nolan

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Special Agent in Charge

LA 94-304

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Date

With respect to the requests, Mr. HOLCOMB called Mr. WILLIAM WHITTSETT, Senior Attorney in CBS Legal Department, CBS-TV City, 7800 Beverly Boulevard, Los Angeles, who requested SA WARREN be placed on the phone and in a three-way conversation Mr. WHITTSETT explained captioned policy which he said became effective following a top level CBS Executive Conference at CBS headquarters in New York City and was currently being applied to all CBS personnel. In effect it requires a subpoena be served by a government investigator to interview CBS personnel. Mr. WHITTSETT said he would be willing to appeal to CBS New York headquarters to rescind the policy on behalf of the FBI upon request of the FBI in the KENSALT inquiry. However, he voiced the opinion such an appeal might more effectively be made on a request by the FBI headquarters direct to CBS headquarters, New York City. He instructed Mr. HOLCOMB to make a copy of the CBS memo outlining the new policy available to SA WARREN for review but not furnish him a copy. In substance, contents of the memo were:

The memo dated 9/19/68 was from Mr. WOOD (ROBERT D. WOOD, President, Columbia Television Stations)(CTS) to Mr. BEINDORF (RAY L. BEINDORF, Vice President and General Manager, KNXT-Channel 2, Los Angeles), et al (other CBS-TV department heads on West Coast).

It mentioned CBS "experiencing many requests for news personnel to be sources of information as well as witnesses in civil and certain investigatory proceedings. You may consider the following an interim policy and how to fill such requests."

"CND (Columbia Network Division)-a number of requests have been received from government investigators to furnish names, and correspondence of news involved in coverage of events being investigated, e.g. recent violence in Chicago." In addition approval has been made directly to CND employees by government investigators, these pending and requiring urgent action. CND requested guidance as to how to handle these requests for names etc and how employees should be advised to respond directly to approaches by government investigators."

"The logic underlying policy adopted at meeting #80, August, 1968, for handling requests for, as broadcast news material and outtakes, is generally applicable to requests for the observations, recollections and notes of CND, CTS and CRD (Columbia Radio Division) news; went as follows:"

"All request for interviews by government investigators, involved in coverage of events under investigation, should be reviewed with the Law Department by an officer of the division involved."

"Criteria:

"A. Nature of Inquiry."

"B. Whether, what is requested is essential to the establishment of facts pertinent to the inquiry."

"C. Whether compliance would in any way impair our ability to obtain such news stories in the future."

"If a determination is made to comply with a request, the investigator will be asked to obtain and serve a subpoena."

The CBS personnel in all departments in the Los Angeles area have been most cooperative with the Los Angeles FBI Office during past investigation conducted at CBS and a cordial relationship currently exists.

RECOMMENDATION

The above is for the Bureau's information and appropriate action at CBS headquarters in New York to attempt to gain a recension of the CBS policy with respect to FBI interview of CBS personnel, advising the field offices accordingly.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, Los Angeles (56-156)

FROM : *WJG* SAC, Milwaukee (157-548) -RUC-

SUBJECT: *WJG* KENSALT

DATE: 10/17/68

OO: LOS ANGELES

Re Los Angeles letter to Milwaukee 9/16/68.

Enclosed are 22 copies of FD-302 covering
interview of PATRICK J. LUCEY, Madison, Wis.,
which is self explanatory.

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1-Milwaukee (157-548)
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Memorandum

TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM: SAC, SACRAMENTO (62-76) (RUC)

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 10/17/68

Re Los Angeles letters dated 9/16/68, Sacramento letter to Los Angeles, 9/30/68, and Sacramento airtel to Los Angeles, 10/4/68.

Enclosed for the Los Angeles Division are 22 copies each of the following FD-302s:

DONALD L. WAHL
LEWIS FRANK BROWN
BERNARD JOSEPH FITZPATRICK
MARLENE CALVERT
EVERETT T. CALVERT
ALAN SHORT
RICHARD BRUCE DOUGHTY

ROY HEATLY
MAUREEN J. ROSS
ROBERT W. JOHNSON
VICTOR "VIC" BIONDI
MICHAEL M. BOYD
TERRY M. MC GANN
DAVID WAGNER
FLOYD E. THORNTON

An FD-302 pertaining to the interview of Mrs. LOUISE FITZPATRICK was furnished the Los Angeles Division on 7/18/68.

On 10/4/68, Detective JAN DEVENY, Sacramento, California PD, advised that one WILLIAM AMOS DEAN had been arrested on a drunk charge. He added that DEAN, who has a five-page arrest record almost all for being drunk, had sent a postcard to the Sacramento PD in June, 1968, bearing the following message:

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"Three weeks ago in Sac. I tried to warn your officers. I just come down from Portland the morning I went beserk. Sunday I guess it was. Well they did shoot him. Hope he lives".

No record of this alleged warning could be found. DEVENY advised he was calling in the event DEAN might have some information regarding the killing of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY.

On 10/4/68, DEAN was interviewed by SA NORMAN P. LE CLAIR at the Sacramento City Jail. DEAN identified the postcard as his handwriting, but had no recollection of sending it or of advising any police officers in Sacramento that he knew anything about any planned killing. He stated he knew nothing at all about the killing of Senator KENNEDY and that the postcard had nothing to do with the Senator's murder. He had no idea why he wrote the postcard, but noted he always writes to friendly PDs where he has previously been incarcerated.

DEAN is described as follows:

Name	WILLIAM AMOS DEAN , aka William H. Dean
DOB	2/22/21 , at Kansas
Hair	Brown
Eyes	Brown
Height	5'10"
Weight	154
FBI #	103250B
CII #	865567
Sacramento PD#	19785
Los Angeles PD#	248972

The above information is being furnished the Los Angeles Division for information in the event DEAN's name should come up in captioned matter.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: October 16, 1968

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FROM : SAC, NEW HAVEN (62-2477) (RUC)

SUBJECT: KENSALT
(OO: LOS ANGELES)

Re Los Angeles letter dated 9/16/68 captioned
as above with the sub caption, CHARLES A. WIEL.

Enclosed for the Los Angeles Office are 22
copies of an FD 302 setting forth the results
of the interview of CHARLES A. WILL, Cologne
Life Reinsurance Company, Stamford, Connecticut.
The original of this FD 302 is being retained by
the New Haven Office.

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TO: SAC, BOSTON

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (44-1640)

SUBJECT: KENSALT
(OO: LOS ANGELES)

ReLAlet to NY, 9/16/68, a copy of which is enclosed for Boston, requesting NY to interview JOHN MARQUAND, 205 West 57th St., NY, NY.

On 10/16/68, Mrs. JOHN MARQUAND, wife of MARQUAND, stated to SA HERBERT W. KILGORE that MARQUAND is at his home in Edgartown, Massachusetts, and will be there until Thanksgiving. MARQUAND does a considerable amount of traveling out of Edgartown, but the best place to locate and interview him is at Edgartown.

Boston handle interview of MARQUAND as instructed in enclosed letter.

MARQUAND's telephone number in Edgartown is 617 627-5387.

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2-Los Angeles (56-156)
2-New York

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 10/16/68

FROM : *JFM*
ray SAC, NEW YORK (44-1640)

SUBJECT: KENSALT

ReLAlets (3) to NY dated 9/16/68, requesting NY to interview HAROLD MATHEWSON; DICK HEFFNER; and Mr. DJORNSON.

Enclosed for LA are 22 of each FD-302 of interviews with HAROLD MATHEWSON and RICHARD HEFFNER.

HEFFNER stated that neither hemor EDEE DJORNSON were in LA on 6/4-5/68, consequently, no further efforts will be made to interview DJORNSON.

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2-New York

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 10/18/68

FROM : *JFM*
Ry SAC, NEW YORK (44-1640)

SUBJECT: KENSALT
(OO: LOS ANGELES)

ReLAlet to WFO, 9/16/68; and WFOairtel to NY,
9/27/68, requesting interview of ALAN WALDEN, Metromedia,
Washington, D. C.

Enclosed are 22 copies of FD-302 of interview
with WALDEN. WALDEN stated that DAN BLACKBURN was in area of
shooting. No lead has been set out for WFO to interview
BLACKBURN. LA set out lead to interview BLACKBURN if he has
not been interviewed.

2/15/69
advising
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Blackburn interviewed
See memo from Dept
Serial 1054

2-Los Angeles (ENC. 22)
2-New York

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : *JFM/ry* SAC, NEW YORK (44-1640)

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 10/16/68

ReLAlet to NY dated 9/10/68, requesting NY to interview Mr. (FNU) ADKINS, 17 Avon Place, Yonkers, NY; ReLAlets (3) to NY dated 9/16/68, requesting NY to interview PAUL ALTMAYER; ALBERT SHEPARD; and ESTHER SHEPARD.

Enclosed are 22 copies of each of the following FD-302s:

Interview of STEVEN ATKINS	10/2/68
Interview of PAUL ALTMAYER	10/1/68
Interview of ALBERT SHEPARD	10/2/68
Interview of ESTHER SHEPARD	10/1/68

ALTMAYER, in his interview, mentions two other people present at the shooting and film taken. No action is being taken by the NYO as to interviewing such people or reviewing such film unless requested by LA.

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2-New York

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156) DATE: 10/17/68

FROM : *[Signature]* SAC, BUFFALO (175-20) (RUC)

SUBJECT: KENSALT
(OO: LOS ANGELES)

Reurlets to Buffalo, 9/16/68 and Buffalo airtel to Boston, 10/9/68, concerning LINDA WEISS.

Enclosed for the Los Angeles Division are 66 copies (22 copies of each) of FD-302s pertaining to interview with KEITH H. CARLTON, Mr. VINCENT KLACZYK, and CLARA T. KLACZYK.

Buffalo indices contain no identifiable information to KEITH H. CARLTON, KATHERINE CARLTON, VINCENT KLACZYK, CLARA T. KLACZYK, or LINDA WEISS.

Captioned case is being placed in RUC status to Los Angeles since there are no remaining leads in the Buffalo Division.

- ② - Los Angeles (Encls. 66) *[Signature]*
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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : *aw* SAC, DENVER (62-2416) (RUC)

SUBJECT: KENSALT

OO: LOS ANGELES

DATE: 10/17/68

Re Denver letter to Los Angeles, 10/2/68.

Enclosed for Los Angeles are 22 copies of a FD 302 reflecting interview of Mr. W. A. WILLS, Pueblo, Colorado, who was interviewed instead of his wife, although it was his wife who was registered at the Ambassador Hotel, Los Angeles at the time of the shooting of Senator ROBERT KENNEDY. It is noted Mr. WILLS requested that his wife not be interviewed because of her poor physical condition.

No additional interviews remain within the Denver Division and this matter is being considered RUC.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 10/18/68

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (44-1640)

SUBJECT: KENSALT
(OO:LA)

Re LA letters (3) to NY 9/16/68 requesting interviews of Paul Mathies; Miss J. J. Sawicki; and Mr. I. Southhall.

Enclosed for LA are 22 copies of each FD 302 of interviews with Paul Mathies and Miss J. J. Sawicki.

Sawicki stated that Mr. Ivan Southhall knew nothing first hand of the assassination, thus NY will make no further efforts to interview Southhall.

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2 - New York (44-1640)

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Memorandum

TO : WASHINGTON FIELD

DATE: 10/18/68

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156) (P)

SUBJECT: KENSALT
OO: Los Angeles

Los Angeles investigation to locate RAFET UMAR RAMZI, a possible acquaintance of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN, negative to date.

On 8/7/68, Mrs. MARION ROBBINS (protect), Supervisory clerk, Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS), Los Angeles, California, made available the file of RAFET UMAR RAMZI which reflects the following:

INS file	[REDACTED]
Date of Birth	10/5/40
Place of Birth	Amman, Jordan
Height	5'10"
Weight	140 pounds
Hair	Black
Eyes	Brown
Foreign Address	First Circle Amman, Jordan
Passport No.	204071 Issued by Jordan
Expiration Date	8/7/67
Social Security Number	[REDACTED]
Marital Status	Single
Arrival Date	Arrived in U. S. 9/21/60 at New York City New York
Last Known Residence Address	P. O. Box 2232 Alhambra, California

This file further reflects that by letter dated 5/27/66, RAMZI wrote to J. ZERHAND, Foreign Student Advisor, California State College at Los Angeles (CSCLA), 5151 State College Drive, Los Angeles, California, requesting that he

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advise the INS that he wanted to extend his stay in the U. S. until 6/30/67. He explained he wanted to complete his studies in the field of international relations. He further indicated in this letter that he planned to depart from the U. S. in the spring of 1968. The temporary stay for RAMZI was extended to 6/30/67. The last address card filled by RAMZI on 6/2/65 listed his residence address as 5409 Dobbs Street, Apartment 36, Los Angeles, California.

On 8/16/68, M. S. CHRISTIANSON, Operations Officer, Union Bank, 760 South Hill Street, Los Angeles, California, advised that RAFET OMAR RAMZI terminated his employment with the above bank on 1/25/65. CHRISTIANSON advised that this employee record would be available at the Computer and Service Center, located at Hope and Olympic Streets, Los Angeles.

On 8/16/68, M. J. REK, Records Section clerk, Union Bank, made available the personnel file for RAMZI, which reflects the following:

RAMZI was hired on 10/7/63 as a messenger and was terminated on 1/25/65. He is not eligible for rehire. The last residence address listed for RAMZI was 5409 Dobbs Street, Apartment 15, Los Angeles, California, as of February, 1964. RAMZI listed his only relative as JODET SHUQUOM, 121-A, North Pennsylvania Avenue, Glendora, California. He also listed a reference as GEORGE A. KASEM, Attorney at Law, 260 Glendora Avenue, West Covina, California.

On 8/12/68, ROBERT UNDERWOOD (protect) Lieutenant, Campus Security, CSCLA, 5151 State College Drive, advised that RAFET OMAR RAMZI, Student File No. 111958, attended the above mentioned school on a student "F" visa and was last registered during the fall term, 1966. The last address listed for RAMZI was P. O. Box 2232 Alhambra, California. The last foreign address listed was Amman, Jordan.

On 9/6/68, RALPH L. MC KENNA (protect), Superintendent, U. S. Post Office, 175 North Vermont, Glendora, California, advised that his records do not show a change of address for JODET SHUQUOM from 121-A North Pennsylvania Avenue, Glendora, California.

On 10/1/68, Mrs. R. DOTY, owner of the property located at 121-A North Pennsylvania Avenue, Glendora, advised that she has owned and managed this property since December, 1965. She reviewed

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the tenant's records and could find no record identifiable with JODET SHUQUOM.

On 10/1/68, GEORGE A. KASEM, 260 Glendora Avenue, West Covina, phone number 966-454, advised that he represented RAFET OMAR RAMZI in the fall of 1963. He advised this matter concerned an automobile accident in which RAMZI was involved, but he has had no contact with him since that matter was settled in the late fall of 1963.

On 8/14, 9/6, 9/27/ and 10/10/68, FAIZULAH KAHN, 944 East. Stocker, Glendale, California, was contacted regarding the present whereabouts of RAMZI. KAHN advised that he had attempted to locate RAMZI's brother, JODET SHUQUOM at Pasadena City College, Pasadena, California, with negative results. He explained that it was his understanding that JODET SHUQUOM was a student at the previously mentioned college several years ago. KAHN further advised he also contacted JAY ZEPHAN, Foreign Student Advisor, CSCLA, and he advised that he had not had any contact with RAMZI since the fall of 1966.

The records of the below listed agencies were reviewed on the dates indicated with negative results regarding RAMZI:

Los Angeles Police Department	8/9/68
Los Angeles Sheriff's Office	8/12/68
Los Angeles Traffic Violation Bureau	8/9/68
Alhambra Police Department	8/9/68
Los Angeles Retail Merchants Credit Association	8/9/68

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WASHINGTON FIELD

AT WASHINGTON, D. C.: Will review the records of the Central Office, INS, Washington, D. C. for any record of RAFET OMAR RAMZI leaving the U. S., noting date and place of departure.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, NEW YORK

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES

SUBJECT: KENSALT
OO: LOS ANGELES

DATE: 10/17/68

RE: Mrs. P. BAGGS
1114 East 31st Street
Brooklyn, New York

On 6/4/68 the above captioned person was a registered guest at the Ambassador Hotel, Los Angeles, California.

At 12:15 a.m. on 6/5/68, SIRHAN B. SIRHAN, at the conclusion of a victory rally by the late Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY (D-New York), in the kitchen area leading off the Embassy Ballroom shot and killed Senator KENNEDY, utilizing a .22 caliber revolver.

The Los Angeles Police Department requested the assistance of the Bureau in the location and interview of guests of the hotel in an effort to determine whether or not any of the guests might be in possession of any information concerning a possible conspiracy, might know SIRHAN, or might have seen him about the hotel on the night of 6/4/68.

All information, negative or positive, should be incorporated into an FD-302, as all information is being disseminated to the District Attorney, Los Angeles County, in report form, such reports being prepared by Los Angeles.

Trial date is tentatively set for the first part of December 1968, and it would be appreciated if the lead is covered in an expedite fashion. For your assistance, there is enclosed a diagram of the hotel area and location of the shooting.

22 copies of FD-302 should be submitted.

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FILE # I-2613PERSON INTERVIEWED: BAGGS, MRS P.

DATE/TIME _____

SEX _____ RACE _____ HAIR _____ EYES _____ HT _____ WT _____ DOB _____

Betty World Travel inc
91st + STATE LINE RD.
KANSAS CITY, MO.

RESIDENCE ADDRESS 1114 E. 34th ST.

PHONE _____

BUSINESS ADDRESS BROOKLYN, NEW YORK

PHONE _____

INFORMATION: (WHO, WHAT, WHEN, WHERE, WHY & HOW)

INVESTIGATORS MAKING INTERVIEW:

APPROVED BY:

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, CHICAGO

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES

SUBJECT: KENSALT
OO: LOS ANGELES

DATE: 10/17/68

RE: Mr. and Mrs. R. BRADFORD
Trans World Airlines (Tours)
Chicago, Illinois

On 6/4/68 the above captioned person was a registered guest at the Ambassador Hotel, Los Angeles, California.

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The Los Angeles Police Department requested the assistance of the Bureau in the location and interview of guests of the hotel in an effort to determine whether or not any of the guests might be in possession of any information concerning a possible conspiracy, might know SIRHAN, or might have seen him about the hotel on the night of 6/4/68.

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INTERVIEWS

FILE # I-2628

PERSON INTERVIEWED: BRADFORD, R. ^{MR.}_{MRS.} DATE/TIME _____

SEX _____ RACE _____ HAIR _____ EYES _____ HT _____ WT _____ DOB _____

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RESIDENCE ADDRESS _____ Chicago PHONE 312-734 1425

BUSINESS ADDRESS _____ PHONE _____

INFORMATION: (WHO, WHAT, WHEN, WHERE, WHY & HOW)

GUEST AT HOTEL

INVESTIGATORS MAKING INTERVIEW:

APPROVED BY:

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, NEW YORK

DATE: 10/17/68

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES

SUBJECT: KENSALT
OO: LOS ANGELES

RE: D. BURKSON
ABC TV-Network News
New York City, New York

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The Los Angeles Police Department requested the assistance of the Bureau in the location and interview of guests of the hotel in an effort to determine whether or not any of the guests might be in possession of any information concerning a possible conspiracy, might know SIRHAN, or might have seen him about the hotel on the night of 6/4/68.

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1 Los Angeles

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FILE # I-2607PERSON INTERVIEWED: BURKSON, D.

DATE/TIME _____

SEX _____ RACE _____ HAIR _____ EYES _____ HT _____ WT _____ DOB _____

RESIDENCE ADDRESS _____

PHONE _____

BUSINESS ADDRESS ABC TV- NETWORK NEWS

PHONE _____

NEW YORK CITY

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SPRINGFIELD

DATE: 10/17/68

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES

SUBJECT: KENSALT
OO: LOS ANGELES.

RE: Mr. and Mrs. FLOYD COVERT
c/o VIVIAN THOMAS
Peoria Travel Bureau
433 Main Street
Peoria, Illinois

On 6/4/68 the above captioned person was a registered guest at the Ambassador Hotel, Los Angeles, California.

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1 - Los Angeles

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INTERVIEWS

FILE # I-2615

PERSON INTERVIEWED: COVERT, MR. & MRS. Floyd DATE/TIME _____

SEX _____ RACE _____ HAIR _____ EYES _____ HT _____ WT _____ DOB _____

*c/o VIVIAN THOMAS
PEORIA TRAVEL BUREAU
443 MAIN ST
PEORIA, ILL.*

RESIDENCE ADDRESS _____ PHONE _____

BUSINESS ADDRESS _____ PHONE _____

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