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FILE # I-2295

PERSON INTERVIEWED: CHAPMAN, J. MR DATE/TIME _____

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RESIDENCE ADDRESS _____ PHONE _____

BUSINESS ADDRESS IBM corp P.O. Box 10 PRINCETON N.J. PHONE 201-329 1000

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

Contact to determine if he was present.
A Jane Chapman, same address,
was not present @ Ambassador
Hotel (10/29/68)

INVESTIGATORS MAKING INTERVIEW:

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, NEWARK

DATE: 11/19/68

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

SUBJECT: KENSALT
OO: Los Angeles

RE: Mr. J. CHAPMAN
IBM Corporation
P. O. Box 10
Princeton, New Jersey
Telephone: 201-329-1000

The above captioned person was observed at the Ambassador Hotel, Los Angeles, California, on 6/4/68.

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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, each report being prepared by Los Angeles.

Trial date is tentatively set for the first part of December 1968, and it would be appropriate 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.

23 copies of the FD-302 should be submitted.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, WASHINGTON FIELD (173-135)

DATE: 11/19/68

FROM: *W. J. [unclear]* SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

SUBJECT: KENSALT
OO: Los Angeles

Re Washington Field airtels to Los Angeles dated 10/10/68 and 10/11/68.

As the election is now over and DUDNICK may have now returned to a normal schedule, it is requested that the Washington Field Office again attempt to locate DUDNICK and interview him for his information concerning this matter.

As LAWRENCE E. O'BRIEN has possibly also returned to a more normal schedule, it is requested that Washington Field Office again attempt to locate and interview him concerning his knowledge of this matter.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, CHICAGO (89-61)

DATE: 11/19/68

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

SUBJECT: KENSALT
OO: Los Angeles

Re Chicago letter to Los Angeles dated 10/9/68.

Re letter included an enclosure of 22 copies of an FD-302 reflecting results of an interview with Mrs. NORMAN YERETSKY.

In this interview, Mrs. YERETSKY advised that her sister, CHARLOTTE CHERRY of 729 Sheridan Road, Evanston, Illinois, was also registered in the Ambassador Hotel, Los Angeles, California, on 6/4 and 6/5/68.

LEAD

CHICAGO

AT EVANSTON, ILLINOIS: Will interview CHARLOTTE CHERRY for any information she may have concerning the shooting of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Los Angeles, California

November 22, 1968

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN

On June 5, 1968, at 12:15 A.M., Senator Robert F. Kennedy, United States Senate, was at the Ambassador Hotel, Los Angeles, California, celebrating his victory in the primary elections for the selection of a Presidential candidate for the Democratic Party for the forthcoming elections in November 1968. At that time Senator Kennedy was shot and killed, and the assassin was taken into custody. The assassin was identified as Sirhan Bishara Sirhan, and he is presently awaiting prosecution in the custody of the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Office, Los Angeles, California.

The Los Angeles Police Department, Los Angeles, California, was furnished a letter addressed to John Weidner, 1380 North Lake Street, Pasadena, California, from one Mr. Esbes, Poste Restante Utrecht, Bernardpluin, Utrecht, Holland, which is believed possibly to have been intended for Sirhan Bishara Sirhan. A copy of the letter, envelope, and a copy of a letter sent by the Los Angeles Police Department to the Hoofdbureau, Gemente Politie, Utrecht, The Netherlands, are attached.

The Los Angeles Police Department are most interested in making a determination as to:

1. The identity and background of Mr. Esbes.
2. The identity of the person for whom the letter was intended.
3. If the letter was intended for Sirhan Bishara Sirhan, all information that might be in the possession of Mr. Esbes concerning this individual.

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② - Los Angeles (56-156)
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July 30, 1968

Hoofdbureau
Gemente Politie
Utrecht, The Netherlands

Enclosed is a copy of a letter which was received by an ex-employer of Sirhan B. Sirhan.

Sirhan B. Sirhan, is in custody of the Los Angeles Sheriffs Office for the alleged assassination of United States Senator Robert F. Kennedy.

We are attempting to determine the authenticity of this letter and also the date it was sent from Holland to the United States. Our crime lab interpreted the post mark as being 21 VI 10, 1968. A clarification of this date is requested.

It is further requested that Mr. Eshes, be interviewed and that all information possible with respect to the writer of this letter and his alleged acquaintance with Sirhan be forwarded to this department.

At present there is serious doubt that said writer knew Sirhan. Investigation thus far indicates this letter is a hoax. Please be assured of our cooperation in all matters of mutual interest.

THOMAS REDDIN
Chief of Police

ROBERT A. HOUGHTON, Deputy Chief
Commander, Detective Bureau

Attachment (3)

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#36

Utrecht May 5th 1968

My dear friend

Thanks for Your letter of April 29 but am I surprised to read that You have completely changed your mind

What has gone into You, Sirh??

I know You have always been a kind of pessimistic even since the first time I know You back in '64

But You can't live on that way, why don't You try to change it?

I know arabian thinking is different than american thinking, but don't forget, You have a real free life and You can do whatever You like to.

Why don't You talk to your girl friend about it? She will understand You. As far as I can see, it is a pretty girl. Why don't You send me some more or better pictures from both of You? Are You going to marry her?

I hope she will give You the life You want. Maybe You will have some kids then after a few years and You will see everything looks different then.

You wouldn't like it the way it is right now in the U.S.?
or do you??

Look what happened to Dr King a couple of weeks ago

I know to be rich is nice but I had so many bad
luck in my life that I finally got used to it, and
I am satisfied with what I have right now, and besides
that my old boss came to me to ask me back to work

Well so you see, not having too much money, having a
lot of risks and all that stuff, all of a sudden the tide turns
The 1st of June I will start there and I know I am going
to enjoy it

Well dear Sir I hope you won't do anything you will
be sorry for later and please give me finally your real
address I even believe that this address is not complete
without the name of the street I thought Los Angeles was
so big that this could hardly be enough.

Why don't you get married right away then you can
have your own address. Moving from one to the other isn't
good at all.

My daughter is growing up fine. She will be 9 years
old at the 6th of August. Send her a nice card will you?

Well Sir I am going to bed now because it
is pretty late and tomorrow I have a lot of work to do.

I hope you will write pretty soon so we will have
better contact with each other than in the past.

I wish you and your girl all the best for the future

Many Greetings

Your friend

Family

Send to Mr. ESBES.

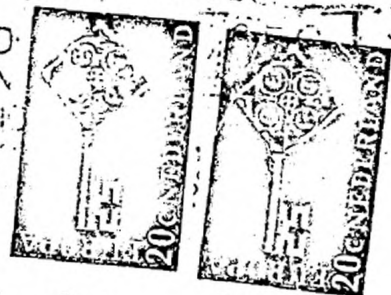
Poste Restante Utrecht

Bernard plain.

Utrecht - Holland.

P.S. Next time I send you some pictures.

VERMELD
STUKKEN
POSTBUS
IT POSTEN



1380 N. Lake
PASADENA, CALIF.
Mr. J. B. Surhan

John Weidner

Carson

Angels, Cal

U.S.A.

11/22/68

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AIR MAIL

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

Re: MR. ESBES
Poste Restante Utrecht
Bernardplain
Utrecht, Holland

Enclosed for the Bureau are six (6) copies of a letterhead memorandum (LHM) concerning the captioned person, who was in contact with JOHN WEIDNER, the employer of SIRHAN B. SIRHAN, from The Netherlands.

The letter from Mr. ESBES was made available by the Los Angeles Police Department, who, under date of 7/30/68, were in contact with the Hoofdbureau, Gemente Politie, Utrecht, The Netherlands, but as yet have not received any reply to their inquiry.

It is requested that the Bureau forward the LHM to Legat, Bonn, in order that a routine inquiry might be instituted as to the identity and background of Mr. ESBES.

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CITY OF LOS ANGELES
CALIFORNIA

OFFICE OF THE
CHIEF OF POLICE
THOMAS REDDIN



SAM YORTY
MAYOR

DEPARTMENT OF
POLICE
150 N. LOS ANGELES ST.
LOS ANGELES, CALIF. 90012
PHONE: 624-5211

IN REPLYING PLEASE GIVE
OUR REF. NO. 1.6

November 13, 1968


Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Special Agent in Charge
Federal Bureau of Investigation
1340 West Sixth Street
Los Angeles, California

An interagency meeting of the Sirhan Investigation has been set for 9:00 AM on December 3, 1968 in the Executive Dining Room in the Cafeteria of Parker Center.

This will undoubtedly be the last meeting prior to trial, so we hope to finalize our coordination at that time.

I understand that a telephonic check with your office has indicated you will be able to be present. Any key personnel you may wish to bring with you are invited.

THOMAS REDDIN
Chief of Police


ROBERT A. HOUGHTON, DEPUTY CHIEF
Commander, Detective Bureau

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Rm 311, Parker Center

Messenger Mail

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Special Agent in Charge
Federal Bureau of Investigation
1340 West Sixth Street
Los Angeles, California

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 11/4/68

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (44-1640)

SUBJECT: KENSALT
OO: LA

Re LAlet to NY 9/16/68 requesting NY to interview T. C. Sorensen, 575 Madison Ave, NY, NY. That address is the law firm of Paul Weiss, Goldberg, Rifkind, Wharton, and Garrison of which Theodore Sorensen, former aide to Pres. John Kennedy, is a member. NY is therefore of the opinion that T. C. Sorensen and Theodore Sorensen are identical.

LA advise NY whether or not Theodore Sorensen has been previously interviewed in this matter. If he has, is LA still desirous of having him interviewed.

2 - Los Angeles (56-156)
1 - New York (44-1640)

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Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on Your Payroll Savings Plan

See Ser 2502
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teller sent to
NY to
9th Sorensen
(encl)
KENSALT

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A. D. Richardson *WOS*



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Los Angeles, California

November 12, 1968

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

COMMUNICATION ADDRESSED TO RICHARD NIXON
AND HUBERT HUMPHREY, NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS,
WILLARD HOTEL, WASHINGTON, D. C., SIGNED
BY SHARIF B. SIRHAN

On October 28, 1968, representatives of Secret Service Headquarters furnished a copy of a communication addressed to Richard Nixon and Hubert Humphrey, National Headquarters, Willard Hotel, Washington, D. C. This communication was allegedly signed by Sharif Bishara Sirhan and was postmarked Pasadena, California, October 22, 1968. The return address was given as Sharif B. Sirhan, 696 East Howard Street, Pasadena, California, and the envelope was addressed to Nixon. A Xerox copy of the letter is attached.

On November 7, 1968, Sharif Bishara Sirhan was contacted at his residence, 1659 North Lake Avenue, Pasadena, California, by two Special Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), Los Angeles, California. Also present at this time was his brother, Saidallah B. Sirhan, who shares a flat with him at this address, and Mr. Anthony Sherman, Jr., a representative of the United States Secret Service Agency, Los Angeles branch.

Sirhan was advised by the FBI Agents that the inquiry related to the authorship of a two-page written document addressed to President Elect Richard Nixon and Vice President Hubert Humphrey, bearing the signature Sharif B. Sirhan. Mr. Sirhan was then orally advised by the FBI Agents of his rights. He was then asked to read an Advice of Rights Form. Mr. Sirhan interrupted this to say, "Before I say anything, I want to see the letter." A copy of the above-mentioned letter was given to him to read. He read it slowly, line by line, his hands visibly shaking, although he showed no other signs of emotion.

Mr. Sirhan then said, "I did not write this. It is not mine." He then indicated he was certainly in agreement with some of the political statements contained in the letter and had himself expressed some of these ideas, but he would not

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HUBERT HUMPHREY, NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS, WILLARD
HOTEL, WASHINGTON, D. C., SIGNED BY SHARIF B. SIRHAN

specify which of these points he was referring to. He stated he also disagreed with some of the points in the letter.

Mr. Sirhan said he had no knowledge as to who the author of the letter could be. He said he did not dictate the letter to anyone or cause it to be written in his name. He denied that the signature at the end of the letter was his and added that the signature appearing on the letter was not a good copy or facsimile of his own. In this connection, he said he sometimes signs himself Sharif B. Sirhan, sometimes Sharif Sirhan.

Mr. Sirhan declined to furnish a signed statement attesting that the letter and signature were not his. He refused to furnish any samples of his signature, stating, "You have my signature and you have your experts. See to it yourself!"

Mr. Sirhan said he did not have a typewriter in the flat but added that there was a typewriter in his mother's home in the room formerly occupied by his brother, Sirhan B. Sirhan. He said he did not know what kind of typewriter this was and described it by dimensions as being a standard size typewriter. He indicated that he did not use it.

Mr. Sirhan said he does not know about any such organization in the United States as "the Palestine Commandos" but was certain there were many of this type in his homeland.

Mr. Sirhan said the lines drawn at the bottom of page two of the letter beneath the signature have no significance to him as Arabic or any other type of symbol and could not comment on them.

Mr. Sirhan said "No" to the question as to whether he had any reason to believe the letter in question could have been written by another member of his family or anyone of his acquaintance.

Mr. Sirhan turned to the contents of the letter and said the thoughts expressed in the letter could be the thoughts

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of a majority of persons living in the United States. He then with some emotion bitterly described the manner in which he had been treated since the assassination of Senator Robert Kennedy. He spoke of people "staring at him everywhere he went", of people coming to his home and asking him questions. He said, "They say my brother killed him. Why do they have to come to me with all their questions? I didn't kill him." At this point Mr. Sirhan was reminded of the purpose of the interview and the reasons therefor, but he appeared upset and said he had nothing to add on this matter, and the interview was terminated.

This document contains neither recommendations nor conclusions of the FBI. It is the property of the FBI and is loaned to your agency; it and its contents are not to be distributed outside your agency.

10/25
N.Y.
Received 10/25/68
Nixon Agency H.O.
Willard Hotel
Norman Beebe
Press Dir.

Mr. Richard Nixon and
Mr. Hubert Humphrey
National Headquarters
Willard Hotel
Washington, D. C., 20004

1. How do you justify taking one land from one people (Palestinians) and giving it to another (Zionist Jews)?
2. In the name of what justice do you justify the Palestinian refugees living in the desert in tents and suffering from hunger, disease, and dying away from their homeland after being the owners of the land in Palestine?
3. How do you justify the Zionist Jews coming from other countries and taking the place of the real owners (Palestinians) who have fled to different parts of the world from Zionist terrorism and aggression?
4. How do you justify the killing and murders that take place and are still taking place in Palestine?
5. How do you justify giving and supporting the Zionist State with military aid as phantom jets so that they kill more innocent and peaceful people (Palestinians)?
6. How would you like someone forcing you out of your house and throwing you in the backyard and giving it to someone else that is not the owner?
7. How would like someone to strip you from your country and consider you as a second class citizen after you were a first class citizen? This is what happened in Palestine.

Palestine belongs to Palestinians just as America belongs to the Americans whether you like it or not (it depends on your conscience whether you believe in justice or not). We as Palestinians are ready to die for our beloved country (Palestine) and the only peaceful solution for our people is that Palestinians should go back to their homes and the Zionist Jews should go back to their original countries where they come from. If the Zionist Jews come from paradise, let them go back to paradise and if they come from hell let them go back to hell and the Palestinian Refugees should go back to their homes and land.

I am not a communist and I hate communism. You know and it is very clear that there is no communist practices or organizations in the Arab World. If there is communism in the Arab World, they were forced to accept and ask for help from Russia in order to liberate Palestine from Zionism because the United States has turned against them and if there is communism in the Middle East, American politicians are to blame because they are using good hearted American people for their own glory and fame. It is a shame to mention this but it is the truth. American politicians should look for America's greatness, fame and glory and not for themselves. It is also a shame to see American Presidential candidates bow and kneel to Zionism to get in the white house.

Communism is using new techniques in modern warfare which is (kill yourselves) as for example what happened in Viet Nam where American soldiers were killed and not one Russian soldier's blood was shed.

Zionism is using America and taking advantage by claiming that America should fight communism for their aim which is the destruction not only for America but for the whole world. For example, the killings, murdering, and robbing and inhuman barbarian and animalistic and criminalistic acts and behavior that they committed against the innocent peace-loving Palestinians is illegal. Also, Zionism in America is blurring the vision of good hearted Americans so that they cannot see black from white and keeping them away from the truth. The disorder and violence, crime, hunger in America is caused by Zionism through their propaganda and by sending millions of American dollars to the Zionist State. I wonder how they can be loyal to two countries, America and Israel? Is America their country or the Zionist State which is called Israel?

I not only love America but I am ready to die for America. I hate to see America being used by Communism and Zionism. Communism is destroying America on the outside, and Zionism is destroying America on the inside.

I have asked these questions to Senator Robert Kennedy in May 1968 but he ignored us and went on promising the Zionists with jets so that he gets more votes to get to the White House, here I find myself asking the same questions to you again. Please do not force us to believe in political assassination which is against our heritage and culture unless we are pressed from you. Let it be clearly known that I have ordered and directed by Palestinian Commandos to destroy every American politician who supports or negotiates any kind of help to the Zionist State. We are aware of Dayan's visit to the United States in December 1968. This will be his last visit.

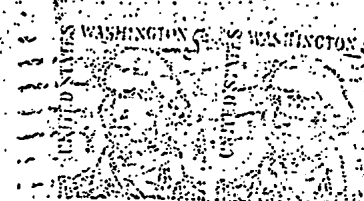
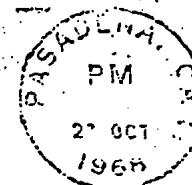
I further more beg and ask again and again please do not make us believe in political assassinations. And as I mentioned above, I am willing to die for America as for Palestine. I hate to see America destroyed by Zionism and Communism. We think in America that we are above Communism and Zionism. The truth is not that, but we are lost in between.

We thank you for giving this matter the greatest consideration hoping that you will be against the aggressors (Zionists) for the sake of justice and the world peace, thank you.

Sincerely Yours,

Sharif Sinan
Sharif Sinan

Sharif B. Sirhan
898 East Howard Street
Pasadena, California



Mr. Richard Nixon
National Headquarters
Willard Hotel
Washington, D. C. 20004
U. S. A.

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DIRECTOR, FBI (62-587)

11/12/68

SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

KENSALT

Re: Communication Addressed to RICHARD NIXON
and HUBERT HUMPHREY, National Headquarters,
Willard Hotel, Washington, D. C.

ReBulet 10/31/68.

Enclosed herewith to the Bureau are five (5) copies of a letterhead memorandum (LHM) concerning the captioned matter and interview with SHARIF B. SIRHAN on 11/7/68. Also enclosed are two copies of FD-376 for transmittal of the LHM to Secret Service, Washington, D. C.

SHARIF B. SIRHAN has denied writing the letter or causing it to be written but indicated he did not repudiate the thoughts that were expressed in the letter.

A copy of the LHM is being made available to Secret Service locally, inasmuch as one of their agents was present during the interview. The interview will also be made available to the Los Angeles Police Department in the next report, submitted in the form of an FD-302.

Los Angeles will attempt to secure typewriting specimens from the typewriter maintained at the residence of Mrs. MARY SIRHAN in Pasadena, California. The Bureau will be kept advised.

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November 12, 1968

Director
United States Secret Service
Department of the Treasury
Washington, D. C. 20220

**COMMUNICATION ADDRESSED TO RICHARD
NIXON AND HUBERT HUMPHREY, NATIONAL
HEADQUARTERS, WILLARD HOTEL,
WASHINGTON, D.C., SIGNED BY
SHARIF B. SIRHAN**

Dear Sir:

The information furnished herewith concerns an individual who is believed to be covered by the agreement between the FBI and Secret Service concerning Presidential protection, and to fall within the category or categories checked.

1. ☒ Has attempted or threatened bodily harm to any government official or employee, including foreign government officials residing in or planning an imminent visit to the U. S., because of his official status.
2. ☐ Has attempted or threatened to redress a grievance against any public official by other than legal means.
3. ☐ Because of background is potentially dangerous; or has been identified as member or participant in communist movement; or has been under active investigation as member of other group or organization inimical to U. S.
4. ☐ U. S. citizens or residents who defect from the U. S. to countries in the Soviet or Chinese Communist blocs and return.
5. ☐ Subversives, ultrarightists, racists and fascists who meet one or more of the following criteria:
 - (a) ☐ Evidence of emotional instability (including unstable residence and employment record) or irrational or suicidal behavior;
 - (b) ☐ Expressions of strong or violent anti-U. S. sentiment;
 - (c) ☐ Prior acts (including arrests or convictions) or conduct or statements indicating a propensity for violence and antipathy toward good order and government.
6. ☐ Individuals involved in illegal bombing or illegal bomb-making.

Photograph ☐ has been furnished ☐ enclosed ☐ is not available
☐ may be available through _____

Very truly yours,

John Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover
Director

2 - Bureau (62-587)

1 - Special Agent in Charge (Enclosure(s))

U. S. Secret Service

1 - Los Angeles (56-156) **Los Angeles**

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, HONOLULU

DATE: 11/19/68

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

SUBJECT: KENSALT
OO: Los Angeles

RE: LARRY LINDBERG
Don Ho, Hilton Lagoon Apts.
Penthouse No. 2
Waikiki, Hawaii
Telephone: 941-5051

The above captioned person was observed at the Ambassador Hotel, Los Angeles, California, on 6/4/68.

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The Los Angeles Police Department has requested the assistance of the Bureau in the location and interview of individuals who were observed in the Hotel on the night of the assassination to determine whether or not any of these individuals might be in possession of any information regarding the possible conspiracy, might know SIRHAN, or might have seen him about the Hotel on the night of 6/4/68.

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

CONTACT Through: DON HO
 HILTON LAGOON APARTMENTS
 PENTHOUSE # 2
 WAIKIKI, HAWAII
 PHONE - 9415051

INVESTIGATORS MAKING INTERVIEW:

APPROVED BY:

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, PORTLAND

DATE: 11/19/68

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

SUBJECT: KENSALT
OO: Los Angeles

RE: KATHY TAYLOR
26 South East 71st St.
Portland, Oregon

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

The Los Angeles Police Department has requested the assistance of the Bureau in the location and interview of individuals who were observed in the Hotel on the night of the assassination to determine whether or not any of these individuals might be in possession of any information regarding the 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, each report being prepared by Los Angeles.

Trial date is tentatively set for the first part of December 1968, and it would be appropriate 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.

23 copies of the FD-302 should be submitted.

- 2 - Portland (Encl. 1)
- ① - Los Angeles

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FILE # I-2670

PERSON INTERVIEWED: TAYLOR, Kathy DATE/TIME

SEX	RACE	HAIR	EYES	HT	WT	DOB

RESIDENCE ADDRESS _____ PHONE _____

BUSINESS ADDRESS 26 South East 71st, Portland Oregon PHONE

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

INVESTIGATORS MAKING INTERVIEW:

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INTERVIEWS

FILE # T-2646

PERSON INTERVIEWED: FLUERETTE LE BOW

DATE/TIME 8-9-68 7⁰⁰PM

SEX F RACE CAUC HAIR BLND EYES BRN HT 5-5 WT 130 DOB 8-28-43

RESIDENCE ADDRESS 970 N. PALM AVE #116 L.A.

PHONE -

BUSINESS ADDRESS 637 S. CARONDELET L.A.

PHONE 3882377

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

KENNEDY ACTION CORE

VOLUNTEER - YOUNG PROFESSIONALS FOR KENNEDY

SHE ARRIVED AT THE AMBASSADOR HOTEL WITH THAD
HEATH (1949) AT APPROX 8:30 P.M. & WENT TO THE EMBASSY
ROOM. AT THE TIME OF THE SHOOTING SHE WAS LOCATED
APPROX 15' S/E OF THE STAGE. SHE DID NOT GO INTO THE
KITCHEN. SUBT DID NOT SEE SIRHAN, AND SHE NEITHER
TOOK PICTURES NOR SAW ANYONE ELSE TAKE ANY.
SHE HAS NOT BEEN INTERVIEWED BY THE PRESS
OR ANY OTHER POLICE AGENCY. SUBT LEFT FOR HOME
AT 1:45 AM. PERSONS OBS. BY SUBT AT HOTEL - LISTED BELOW

X DONALD READ - 334 W 54 ST # PL 25811

X SUSAN & CHUCK ALLEN - 1917 FAIRFAX #2961549

X JANE SPITSER - 6522856

X KATHY TAYLOR - 26 SOUTH EAST 71ST - PORTLAND OREGON

INVESTIGATORS MAKING INTERVIEW:

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APPROVED BY:

L.T. Higley

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, Los Angeles (56-156)

FROM : SAC, San Francisco (62-5481) (RUC)

SUBJECT: KENSALT
(OO: LA)

DATE: 11/20/68

Re LA airtel to SF, 11/14/68.

Reairtel requests the status of leads to this office to interview Dr. PHILLIP D. BONNET, JAMES L. DENNIS, Mr. and Mrs. ATTILLIO GRANITO, and FRANK L. SNELL. By airtel 11/14/68 addressed to your office, leads were set out for other offices to conduct the interviews of these persons.

Reairtel also requested information concerning a lead to this office for an interview of VIRGINIA M. SATER. By airtel dated 11/18/68, addressed to your office, a lead was set out for the San Diego Office to interview Mrs. SATIR.

The results of the interview of KENNETH HUMPHREYS as referred to in reairtel were forwarded to your office by cover letter dated 11/20/68.

Reairtel also refers to a request for an interview by this office of an AMY F. TALISMAN. Enclosed with our letter to your office dated 10/9/68 were 21 FD-302s including an FD-302 covering interview with a HENRY R. KING on 9/24/68. It will be noted that the requested interview with AMY F. TALISMAN was handled in this FD-302.

All investigation requested of this office in connection with this investigation has now been completed.

② Los Angeles
1 San Francisco

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC L.A. (56-156)

DATE: 10-8-68

FROM : SA Leslie F. Warren

SUBJECT: Kensalt

Re John Pilger
Pilger

Re WFO Air tel to L. A. 9-28-68 re interview with John Pilger of the London Daily Mirror in DC and WFO obtaining an address for him at the Beverly Carlton Hotel, L. A. Pilger was a guest in Ambassador Hotel at time of Kensalt.

On 10-7-68, Maria Coats, desk clerk, above hotel, 9400 W. Olympic Bl., Beverly Hills, Cal. # 275-5221, advised the correct spelling of the name is John Pilger. He checked out 10-5-68 on a trip to Arizona and New Mexico on an assignment for from 2 to 3 weeks. He left no forwarding address. His reservation was made by a ~~XXXX~~ Suzanne Harris, # 278-3766.

A call to above # 278-3766, 10-7-68 by Agt. ascertained this was the Number of Mrs Geraldine Harris, mother of Suzanne, the latter age 19 and who worked for the Senator/Campaign press office in L. A. She agreed to have Suzanne call Agt. Kennedy

Sue Harris called 10-8-68, said she lived at 1489 Canfield Av., L. A. # 273-0410. She had formerly worked in office of Dick Kline, Director of public relations for Sen. Robt. F. Kennedy in So. Calif. She said John Pilger, a free lance journalist was on an assignment in Arizona and vicinity, was on the move and she did not know where he could be reached. He is expected back in 2 to 3 weeks to L. A. He could best be contacted through his New York office, 220 E. 42nd St., NYC, N.Y., phone (212) MU-72666. She said Pilger had been interviewed several times re Kensalt and was getting "teed off" about it. Seems they had been calling him long distance. She did not know if the FBI had interviewed him or not but knew the LAPD had interviewed him as she had his name in a press book which the LAPD took and interviewed every one whose name was in it.

(Sue Harris was interviewed by Agent (see serial 1336 and 4th report page 181.)

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Maria Coats, above, 10-8-68 said the hotel had a letter for Pilger from his NY of the London Daily Mirror. He is in contact with his NY office by phone most every day and that office would know his whereabouts. Pilger's residence address is 138 Long Acre, London England.

Lead: L. A. @ LAPD : Ascertain if Pilger has been interviewed.

Lead

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Date: 11/15/68

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

TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)
FROM: SAC, BALTIMORE (44-684)
SUBJECT: KENSALT
OO: LOS ANGELES

Re Baltimore letter dated 11/8/68.

Enclosed are 22 copies each of amended IRF's
to replace those enclosed in relet reflecting interviews
of IRA KAPENSTEIN and CARMINE BELLEINO.

2- Los Angeles (Enclosure 44)
1- Baltimore
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Special Agent in Charge

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 11/18/68

FROM : SA R. J. LA JEUNESSE, JR.

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re WILLIS F. EDWARDS, United States Serial Number
[REDACTED] Fort Gordon, Georgia:

On 11/15/68, Sergeant MC DEVITT, Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD), SUS Unit, made available a copy of a letter dated 10/9/68, addressed to "To whom it may concern." The letter sets forth that the writer, Private WILLIS F. EDWARDS, United States Serial Number [REDACTED] Unit D-8-3, Fort Gordon, Georgia, received a letter requesting that he contact the LAPD regarding the shooting of the late Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY. In the letter, Private EDWARDS suggested that any questions concerning what he allegedly saw should be directed to him at the above military installation. MC DEVITT explained he does not know the reason for EDWARDS having written to the LAPD, but requested that appropriate investigation be conducted to locate and interview him in connection with any information he may have regarding the assassination.

A copy of the LAPD interview form and above described letter is attached hereto.

*Letter to
Savannah 11/27/68
w/ Xerox copy of
attached letter
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L & L. Bureau key.

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BUSINESS ADDRESS D-8-3 (Ft. Gordon, Ga.) PHONE

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CHIEF'S OFFICE

9 Oct 68

To Whom it may concern:

I received a letter asking
me to let you know that I saw
the shooting of Bobby Kennedy
on June 4 in Los Angeles, Calif.

If any question please contact
me at this address

P.O. Box 7 Edwards

D-8-3
Fort Gordon, Ga.

William Edwards



Los Angeles Police Dept

SAC, SAVANNAH

11/21/68

SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

KENSALT

Re: Pvt. WILLIS F. EDWARDS
ASN US [REDACTED]
D-8-3 Fort Gordon, Georgia

The Los Angeles Police Department has furnished a copy of a letter dated 10/9/68 from captioned individual which indicates that he has knowledge with regard to the fatal shooting of Senator KENNEDY. A Xerox copy of this letter is enclosed.

Savannah is requested to interview Pvt. EDWARDS at Fort Gordon, Georgia, and furnish the results to Los Angeles in the form of an FD-302. It is requested that this be given expeditious handling.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 11/20/68

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (44-1640)

SUBJECT: KENSALT
(OO:LA)

ReLAlet to NY 9/16/68 requesting NY to interview James J. Dunn. Enclosed for LA are 22 copies of an FD 302 containing the results of an interview with Dunn. In the FD 302 Richard Brown is mentioned. NY is attempting to locate and interview Brown. *make card*

ReLAlet to NY 10/17/68 requesting NY to interview Mrs. Frank Roberts. Enclosed for LA are 22 copies of an FD 302 containing the results of an interview with Mrs. Frank Roberts. In the FD 302 Eda Wallenberger is mentioned. By letter to LA dated 11/12/68 NY forwarded 22 copies of an FD 302 containing the results of an interview with Mrs. Eda Wollenberger. *ok check*

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1 - New York (44-1640)

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Indices: ☐ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases

KENSALT

Character of case

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Complainant

Unknown

Complaint received

☐ Personal ☒ Telephonic Date 11/25/68 Time 11pm

Address of subject

Complainant's address and telephone number

Subject's
Description

Race

Sex

☐ Male

☐ Female

Height

Hair

Build

Birth date and Birthplace

Age

Weight

Eyes

Complexion

Scars, marks or other data

Facts of complaint

Unknown called and advised that he knows that the night Kennedy was shot Sirhan Sirhan received a ride to the hotel from a Preacher LNU who is really a criminal type but preaches as a cover. Party stated that he received this information from a Bill Powers who works at Shamel Ranch, Temecula, 15 miles south of Lake Elsinor. Sirhan rode with this preacher for along time before the murder. The preacher borrowed Powers truck and gave Sirhan a ride to the hotel in it.

Powers is in South Dakota but will be back to the ranch in about a week. the phone is 714-676-3762.

See Ser 2689

Lead

This undoubtedly refers to Jerry Lee Owens a preacher whose story has been modeled by all our characters check out

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Action Recommended

EB McCarthy

(Agent)

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, Los Angeles (56-156)

FROM : SAC, San Francisco (62-5481) (P)

SUBJECT: KENSALT
(OO: LA)

DATE: 11/20/68

Re: KENNETH HUMPHREYS
California Veterinary Medical Association
3630 Park Boulevard, Oakland, California

Re LA let to SF, 10/17/68.

Attached are 22 copies of an FD-302 covering the interview of HUMPHREYS.

2 Los Angeles (Encs. - 22)
1 San Francisco

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SAC, RICHMOND (62-2248) -RUC-

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 11/20/68

(OO:Los Angeles)

Re Los Angeles letter to Newark, 9/16/68, and Newark letter to Richmond, 10/1/68.

Enclosed for the Los Angeles Division are 30 copies of an FD-302 reflecting the interview of JOHN FARMER, Managing Editor, "Newark News", Newark, New Jersey. *and pulled*

Numerous unsuccessful attempts were made to interview Mr. FARMER and it is noted that prior to the date of FARMER's telephonic interview, 11/6/68, he was engaged in covering the Presidential Campaign for his newspaper and remained out of town until 11/6/68. There being no further investigation remaining within the Richmond Division, this matter is considered RUC.

② - Los Angeles (Enc. 30)
1 - Richmond
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20535

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

November 7, 1968

**ASSASSINATION OF UNITED STATES
SENATOR ROBERT F. KENNEDY,
AMBASSADOR HOTEL, LOS ANGELES,
CALIFORNIA, JUNE 5, 1968**

The following information ~~was~~ furnished on
October 31, 1968, by Joseph M. Roland, Consul, American
Consulate, Auckland, New Zealand:

On October 9, 1968, Mrs. Desmond Alfred Hadden, 34 Selwyn Avenue, Mission Bay, Auckland, New Zealand, confirmed that she and Mr. Hadden were guests at the Ambassador Hotel in Los Angeles, California, at the time of the assassination of Senator Robert F. Kennedy. She stated that she and Mr. Hadden had retired to their room and were asleep at the time of the shooting, of which they were unaware until the following morning. Mrs. Hadden advised that at no time did she or Mr. Hadden see either Senator Kennedy or Sirhan Bishara Sirhan.

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J. Smith (lt)

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Date 11-22-68

RE: **KENSALT**

☐ For information ☐ Retention optional ☒ For appropriate action ☐ Surep, by _____

☐ The enclosed is for your information. If used in a future report, ☐ conceal all sources, ☐ paraphrase contents.

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DIRECTOR, FBI (62-587)

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LEGAT, MANILA (175-4) (RUC)

KENSALT

RE: INTERVIEW OF GUESTS AT THE
AMBASSADOR HOTEL

Re Los Angeles airtel, 9/17/68.

Enclosed are four copies for the Bureau and two copies for Los Angeles of a letterhead memorandum dated 11/7/68, reflecting the results of the interview of Mrs. DESMOND ALFRED HADDEN, 34 Selwyn Avenue, Mission Bay, Auckland, New Zealand, on 10/9/68.

The information contained in the memorandum was furnished on 10/31/68 by JOSEPH M. ROLAND, Consul, American Consulate, Auckland, New Zealand.

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Interpolsektionen
Box 12256
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Date: 30.10.1968
Fecha:

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Bureau Central National Suédois
de l'O.I.P.C.-Interpol
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DATE 8-12-86 BY 6-1 BJA/NO

C.N. 255,315

Ref.: Re: Assassination of United States Senator Robert F. Kennedy
on June 5, 1968

Texte:

Text:

Texte:

With reference to your letter of October 8, 1968, we wish to inform you that Mr Dieter STRAND, born on October 23, 1936, is a journalist employed by the Swedish newspaper "Aftonbladet". He is at present stationed in the U.S.A. as correspondent for this paper and can thus be contacted at their editorial office in New York. Sven Thorander, Detective Superintendent in the C.I.D. of the Stockholm Police, has advised an attaché of the American Embassy in Stockholm, Mr Mike Phillips, that it was possible for the New York editorial office to invite Mr. Strand to get into touch with the nearest office of the F.B.I. This proposal was accepted and on October 23, 1968 one of the editors of "Aftonbladet" informed the Police that Mr Strand had been invited to contact an office of the F.B.I.

H. Gruvfors
H Gruvfors

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20535

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

November 5, 1968

ASSASSINATION OF UNITED STATES
SENATOR ROBERT F. KENNEDY,
AMBASSADOR HOTEL, LOS ANGELES,
CALIFORNIA, JUNE 5, 1968

On October 25, 1968 ~~Detective-Sergeant~~ MAURICE WENHAM,
New Scotland Yard, London, interviewed ~~JOHN MART~~ AKASS,
born July 16, 1933, a representative of "The Sun" News-
paper, London.

Mr. AKASS advised he was at the Ambassador Hotel on
the night of the shooting but was only aware of the
commotion following the shooting. He did not see the gun-
man, hear the shots or see Senator KENNEDY after the shoot-
ing.

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A.G. Richard	

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, Los Angeles (56-154)

DATE: November 22, 1968

FROM : Director, FBI

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Attached are copies of an LHM prepared by Legat, London relative to the interview of John Ewart Akass. Also attached is a copy of Legat's letter pertaining to the interview of Mr. Dieter Strand.

Enclosures (4)

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P. Keilly Dml

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Date **11-22-68**

RE: **KENSALT**

☐ For information ☐ Retention optional ☒ For appropriate action ☐ Surep, by _____

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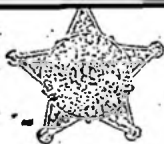
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TREASURY DEPARTMENT
UNITED STATES SECRET SERVICE

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20226

CO-2-52,444

Date: November 6, 1968

BY LIAISON R.W. Jones *pij*

TO : Federal Bureau of Investigation
ATTN: Special Agent Ragner
FROM : JAMES J. ROWLEY, DIRECTOR
SUBJECT: Sharif Sirhan

Reference is made to your request concerning an original letter which might have been sent by Sharif Sirhan to Vice President Humphrey. A copy of the letter was sent to Mr. Richard Nixon and was postmarked Pasadena, California, October 22, 1968.

Inquiries have been made with the Vice President's Office and they advised that a check with their office has not revealed an original letter from the subject. If received, it will be immediately furnished to this Service and you will be advised.

Attachments

cc to Los Angeles

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P. Keilly *DMH*

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Date: 11/22/68

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TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)
FROM: *RL* SAC, ALBANY (175-12) (RUC)
SUBJECT: KENSALT
(OO: LOS ANGELES)

Full done

Re Los Angeles airtel to Albany 11/14/68.

Enclosed herewith for the Los Angeles Office are
22 copies of an FD-302 containing results of interview
with Mrs. ALICE (H. ERVIN) HOCH.

② Los Angeles (Enc. 22)
1-Albany
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TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

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KENSALT

RE: RICHARD ALLEN COHEN

Re Los Angeles airtel to St. Louis 11/13/68.

Enclosed for the Los Angeles Office are 22 copies of an FD-302.

The indices of the St. Louis Office contain no information identifiable with RICHARD ALLEN COHEN mentioned in this communication. According to the current St. Louis County Polks Street Directory, RICHARD ALLEN COHEN is the son of STANLEY M. COHEN. President of the Central Hardware Company, a large hardware chain operating in the St. Louis area.

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Re San Francisco airtel to Los Angeles dated
11/14/68.

Enclosed for Los Angeles are 22 copies of an FD 302
regarding the interview of Dr. PHILLIP D. BONNET.

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