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July 16, 1968

ASSASSINATION OF SENATOR ROBERT F. KENNEDY LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

Through Liaison channels, the Department of State furnished the FBI a copy of a memorandum dated June 19, 1968, captioned "Alleged Accusations Made Against Kennedy Family," which dealt with information furnished by a Mrs. Naomi Gross, 13 Russel Street, Toorak, Australia, concerning one Clifford Flitty, allegedly an American industrialist with the Amaerada Petroleum Company, Queensland, Australia. A copy of this memorandum is attached.

Investigation in the United States has failed to locate Flitty, who may be identical with an individual named Clifford Flittie, who was a passenger on board Qantas Airline, Flight 530, from Sidney, Australia, to New York City, on June 5, 1968.

Accordingly, it is requested that inquiry be made in Australia through State Department channels in an effort to identify this individual. If he is located in Australia, it is requested he be interviewed in order to determine if there was any significance to statements attributed to him by Mrs. Gross.

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Alleged Accusations made against Kennedy Family.

On June 12, 1958, Mrs. Macri Gross, 13 Bussel St., Teorak, Australia, (presently vacationing in London, Fagland) appeared voluntarily at the American Embassy London, and furnished the following information:

Mrs. Gross stated she boarded Quates flight 530 in Sydney, Australia at 7:00 MA, June 5, 1968, in route to London. Further, she said she was traveling first class and had sat next to a man who said his name was Clifford Flitty, an American industrialist with Amerada Petrolium Co. in premaland, Australia, (the company is supposedly an American Consdian venture) who worked out of the company's head office in Friebene. Mrs. Gross said Flitty also stated he was soon to become the new Vice-President of Union Carbide. Source described Flitty as a man of about 10 to 17 (he told her he was born in 1924), 5 feet 10 inches tell weight about 170 pounds, Gray hair, nedium build, and wore pleases. Source reported the flight en route to London stopped at Fiji Ecland, Honolulu, Sau Francisco, New York, then London. She said before the plane landed at Fiji Island, Flitty stated "I vish someone would put a bullet between Bobby Kennedy's eyes, and I would wish I could pull the trigger myself." Further, source stated that prior to their landing at Honolulu, the anouncement of the Kennedy shooting was announced to the passengers by the captain.

Source advised that when the plane landed in San Francisco, there was to be a four hour layover, and it was at this time the death of Robert Kennedy was announced. Further, she said Flitty stated he was going to send a telegram to Ted Kennedy which was to read "After Two how about you?" and said he may even sign it, and further stated "we will be rid of this trash forever." According to source Flitty talked about ordering champagne to celebrate the tragedy. (attached as exhibit # 1 is the alleged note to be sent to Ted Kennedy in Flitty's own handwriting).

Mrs. Gross reported Flitty disembarked at New York. She said he was traveling alone, and appeared to be in complete control of his faculties during the flight.

Mrs. Gross declined to give her London address, stating she did not wish to involve the people with whom she was staying.

It is the opinion of the reporting agent, that Mrs. Gross is a completely stable individual, was articulate in her speech, and gave every impression of being a highly intelligent woman.

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FROM

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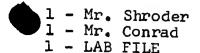
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Date: July 26, 1968

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Remarks: Since the postcard, Q28, does not appear to be directly related to the investigation being conducted by the District Attorney at Los Angeles, copies of this report are not being sent to the District Attorney.

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Q28 Postcard of the Harrison Hotel, Chicago, Ill., bearing address "To Federal Bureau of Investigation, 275 Peachtree St. N. E. Atlanta, Georgia," bearing various handwriting and hand printing notations

Result of examination:

The writing on Q28 was compared with the Anonymous Letter File and with the specimens submitted previously in this case without effecting an identification.

Much of the writing on Q28 is extremely scrawled and partially illegible. The following is the best possible interpretation for the writing on Q28:

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DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS UNITED STATES AIR FORCE WASHINGTON, D.C.

ATTN OF:

AFISIIA (71D24G-43)

SUBJECT:

Transmittal of Information

Honorable J. Edgar Hoover Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation United States Department of Justice

The attachments hereto contain information of possible interest to your agency. Reference is made to telecon, 27 June 1968, between Mr. Nick Stames of FBI Liaison and Mr. Robert E. Cunniff of OSI. -

- 2. Attachment 1 is a closed report of investigation regarding a series of telephone calls received by U.S. Air Force personnel at Athenai Airport, Greece, prior to 5 June 1968, concerning the assassination of Senator Robert F. Kennedy. Attachments 2. 3 and 4 reflect information appearing in the Greek press on 9 and 11 June 1968. It is not known whether the information reflected in the attached can be correlated.
- We are making no further inquiry into the matter at this time.

4. By separate correspondence, copies of the attached are being provided the U.S. Secret Service.

RUSSEL A. WICKMAN, Lt Colonel, USAF Asst Chief, Counterintelligence Division Directorate of Special Investigations (IG) 4 Atchs

- OSI ROI, file 71D24G-43, 14 Jun 68.
- Press article, Eleftheros Cosmos, 9 Jun 68.
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- Press article, Athens News, 11 Jun 68.

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### REPORT OF INVESTIGATION

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Investigation requested by Commander, Athenai Airport Greece, 7 June 1968 to determine circumstances surrounding receipt prior to 5 June 1968 of telephone calls relating to the assassination of KENNEDY. Armed Forces Radio Station (AFRS) announcer reported receiving two inquiries prior to 5 June 1968 asking if information regarding the assassination would be broadcast. Telephone switchboard operator reported receiving telephone call prior to 5 June 1968 from Greek national saking about the assassination of KENNEDY. Greek national's call switched to Security Police office and same information was requested by the person calling. As the assassination had not occurred at the time of the calls, all of the above advised the caller that they had no information related to his inquiries. Caller could not be identified by name.

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- 1. This investigation was requested by the Commander, Athenai Airport Greece, 7 June 1968 to determine the circumstances surrounding the receipt of telephone call(s) by Athenai Airport personnel prior to 5 June 1968 concerning the assassination of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY.
- 2. On 7 June 1968, JAMES CRAIG BARNES, AlC, AF 2140th Communications squadron, radio announcer with AFRS at Athenai Airport advised that he had received two telephone calls prior to 5 June 1968 which were related to the assassination of KENNEDY. BARNES reported the information to CONSTANTINOS KOLLINZAS Captain, Air Force Liaison Office, Athens, Greece who in turn notified the OSI.
- 3. On 8 June 1968, BARNES was interviewed by SA SHERMAN A. ROE and the writer. BARNES furnished a signed sworn statement regarding his receipt of the telephone calls. The text of BARNES statement is set forth verbatim as follows:

I am a radio announcer assigned to AFRS at Athenai Airport, Greece. I was on duty the evenings of 30 and 31 May and 2 June 1968 at the radio station between the hours of 1745 and 0100. As best I can recall, between the hours of 1830 and 2300, I received two telephone calls. Both calls had to be plugged into extension 5625 by the base operator. The first of these calls was not received directly by me but was taken by the operator who asked me the information. I did not talk to the party making the first call. The operator was the military operator who inquired as to an assasination attempt on Senator Kennedy somewhere on the West Coast of the United States. I answered the operator that nothing to that effect had been broadcast by AFRS and that if they would wait one moment I would check my UPR and APR lines. I did such and found no information concerning any attempt of that sort on Kennedy. The operator thanked me and terminated the call. I received a second call later that evening that was put directly into my extension, 5625. party calling made a similar inquiry and asked about an assassination attempt on Senator Kennedy. If memory serves me correctly, this party asked about a specific city which may have been Los Angeles or San Francisco. It would be my guess that the party calling did not speak English as a native tongue. Although it was a short conversation I think I can say the party spoke English in an educated manner. This person, a male, did not seem to be a Greek. Again I asked the party to wait while I checked my news sources and again there was no information concerning an assassination attempt on Senator Robert Kennedy. I returned to the telephone and informed the caller that no information of that sort had been received by the station and that something like that would be broadcast as soon as it was received. I did not know the exact time of either telephone call and can only say that both were received during the period 1830 to 2300 on one of the three mentioned nights. I am uncertain of which military operator was on duty at the base telephone switchboard on the evening in question.

I did not report these calls to anyone here at the radio station since there did not seem to be a reason at that time to report them. I did note them, however, as a matter of personal curiosity. The only person I have mentioned these calls to apart from the OSI investigators is Julie Swaner, an American citizen who has been



studying here in Greece and is now getting ready to return to the States. I mentioned these calls to her either the night I received the calls or the following day. She didn't think anything of these calls when I mentioned them to her. On 6 June 1968, after the shooting of Senator Kennedy, I sought out advice from a Captain at the JUSMAGG building as to whom I should report these incidents. He informed me that he was in the intelligence business and advised me immediately that anyone I should talk to further about this matter I should ask for identification. He identified himself through the usual military identification card and told me that I would be contacted probably that evening at work.

In reading the above paragraph I believe I should indicate that Julie Swaner did not think anything about the calls I mentioned to her at the time I mentioned them to her. However, since then, she has become aware of the fact I was concerned about the calls due to the actual assassination and due to the fact that upon being advised by an OSI investigator I have inquired of her when I actually mentioned the calls to her. She is aware that this subject has been reported. I have personally cautioned her against any mention of the calls and not to worry about the incidents.

I further certify that I requested Mr. Sherman A. Roe, Jr. to type this statement for me.

The original statement is being retained in the files of this district and will be released to proper authority upon request.

- 4. On 10 June 1968, SA ROE requested JULES E. COCHOIT, Captain FV 2140th Communications Squadron to furnish the names of the USAF military switchboard operators who covered the swing shifts at the Base Telephone Switchboard the evenings of 30 and 31 May and 2 June 1968. Of the two airmen, investigation revealed Sgt LARRY Luverne foences, AF was subsequently found to have knowledge of one telephone call.
- 5. On 11 June 1968, TOENCES was interviewed and furnished a signed sworn statement which is set forth verbatim as follows:

I work as a telephone operator at Athenai Airport telephone exchange. I have been here since August 1966. For approximately the past two months I have been working the following shifts - On Sunday and Monday I work midnight shift from 2300-0700 hours. On Thursday Friday and Saturday I work the swing shift from 1500-2300 hours.

I cannot recall the exact date or which shift I was on but approximately 2 weeks to one month ago I received a telephone call on the base line 982-101. I was in the exchange by myself when I received the call. The call came from a person who gave his name, which I do not recall but I am sure was a foreign name. He said he was a Greek national and he spoke good English. He didn't sound drunk or anything like that but sounded like a normal intelligent person. He mentioned he had been in the United States. He told me he heard Kennedy had been shot and asked if there

would be coverage on the radio that night or if it would be on the next morning. I told him I didn't know anything about it but to wait a minute and I would connect him with someone else. I plugged in the line to the Security Police so he could talk to them. From what I heard of the conversation, he told the security police approximately what he had told me. The Security Police then told me to connect him with the radio station. While I was making the connection and before the connection was made, the person calling hung up his phone. I talked to the person at the radio station whom I do not know by name, and he seemed like he was in a hurry, said he didn't have anything at the time but if he did get something he would put it on the air.

I called Adana Turkey AFRTS and asked if they had heard anything about Kennedy being shot. They said they hadn't but would call back if they heard anything.

Either that same night or the next day I told Sgt Larry Hurd, of the Communications Center about the phone call. I also told other persons in my section about the call.

On 6 June HURD told me that I should call the OSI and tell them about the phone call. I called the Staff duty officer to find out who the OSI Duty Agent was. I didn't call the OSI as I didn't want to bother the duty agent at his home. I called the Security Police also and talked to the Flight Supervisor, who said he recalled something about the phone call and that the Flight Supervisor who was on duty the night of the phone call would be on day shift the "day after tomorrow" which should have been 8 June, Saturday. He said they got a lot of calls like that which didn't amount to anything and he didn't think it was necessary to call the OSI. I asked him to contact the man who had been on duty and see if he felt it was important to call OSI about it. I didn't hear anything more about this until today. There is no way I can recall which day I received the call. I believe it may have been on a week end as things were pretty slow that night. The call came while I was in the exchange alone which is normally on the midnight shift and it came in before the radio station goes off the air for the night which I believe is at 0100.

I can't recall anything more about the incident at this time.

The original statement is being retained in the files of this district and will be released to proper authority upon request.

6. On 11 June 1968, Miss JULIE CLAIRE SWANER, U.S. Passport was interviewed by SA RAYMOND J. REINER and the writer. SWANER furnished a signed sworn statement which is set forth verbatim as follows:

I have been in Greece approximately 14 months with a couple of trips to other parts of Europe. Since July 1967 I have been residing at #17 Lycavittos St., and then at #42 Xenocratos St. in Athens. I have been attending "College Year in Athens"

school which is a one year college. I am due to depart Greece on 13 June going to Rome then to Amsterdam and then to New York with a departure date from Amsterdam on 24 June. My address in the United States is 555 - 13th Ave., Salt Lake City, Utah. I have known JAMES CRAIG BARNES since approximately October 1967.

Sometime during the week May 26-30, I was informed by CRAIG BARNES of his having received a telephone call or calls at the AFRTS Station. I believe a period of one or two days elapsed before I was informed of the calls. He said the calls were inquiring as to whether the Radio Station had information on the alleged assination of ROBERT KENNEDY. I responded rather negatively to this piece of information due to the fact it was not an actuality. We were then informed of KENNEDY's assination on the evening of June 6. Several hours later CRAIG mentioned whether there was a possible connection with the phone calls and the incident. We could not decide on a precise date of his telling me about the calls.

On Friday morning June 7 in the Tameion bldg in Athens, CRAIG encountered a man with whom he desired to have a private conversation. I surmised it was some person with whom he was relaying the incident of the phone calls.

I have nothing else to add at this time.

The original statement is being retained in the files of this district and will be released to proper authority upon request.

7. On 11 June 1968, NORMAN DUFRESNE, MSgt, AF Operations Sergeant, Security Police furnished the names of the Flight Sgt and Dosk Sgt of each Security Police Flight. MICHAEL A. GYOKERES, AIC, AF Stated that prior to the KENNEDY assassination he had, while on duty, received a telephone call during which an unknown person inquired about a rumor that Senator KENNEDY had been assassinated. GYOKERES furnished a signed sworn statement relating to his receiving the telephone call. The text of his statement is set forth verbatim as follows:

I was assigned to duties as "D" Flight Desk Sgt on 11 May 68. I received a call while working a swing shift a couple of days there after possibly 15, 16 or 17 of May. From a man who identified himself as "a Greek who had been in the United States" and he asked whether or not rumors he had heard in downtown Athens concerning Senator Kennedy being assissinated were true or not. I told him I had no knowledge as to whether it was true or not. I can't remember or not whether we called the Radio Station to confirm or deny this. Mr. Dozis, Flight Interpreter, was also listening in on the call. TSgt Gogola was also in the office at the time of the call and he was immediately notified. No entry was made in the desk blotter due to the fact that it was only a rumor. The caller did not identify himself, anymore than saying "He was a Greek who had been in the United States". No other calls of this nature had been received prior to or after this one call.

The original statement is being retained in the files of this district and will be released to proper authority upon request.

8. On 12 June 1968, LARRY W. HURD Sgt, AF 2140th Communications Squadron was interviewed concerning his conversations with TOENGES about the matter being investigated. HURD stated that he was on duty in the Communications Center the evening TOENGES told him he received a telephone call inquiring about KENNEDY being assassinated. He had no first hand knowledge of the conversation and could only recall that TOENGES told him the telephone call was from a Greek national inquiring about KENNEDY being shot. He believes he was told about this by TOENGES on 17 May 1968.

The day after KENNEDY was shot he contacted TOENGES and advised him he should contact the OSI with his information but that TOENGES called the Security Police instead. HURD could add nothing more that he felt pertinent to this investigation.

9. On 12 12 68, SA ROE telephonically contacted 71-CSI-1 and inquired as to whether that activity had any information relating to this inquiry. SA ROE was informed no similar reports had been received locally by that activity.

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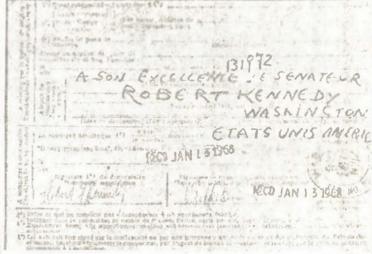
Είς την έπιστολήν αύτήν, της άποίας άπλο άντίγραφον μας έκοι-νοποίησεν, του έγνωριζεν ότι είχε προδλέψει επίστης καί τον θάνατον του άδελφου του, έννέα μήνας πρίν συμόη το τραγικό αυτό γγγονός. Δια τον ίδιον, άναφέρει ότι αὶ προ-δλέψεις του είναι αι έξης:

α'Απόπειρα δολοφονίας έναν-τίον σας, θα σημειωθή τον δον ή δον μήνα του 1968, κατά τον προεκλογικόν σας αγώνου, Καί καταλήγει: «Είμαι είς θέσιν, έ-άν με καλέσετε, να άποτεψω αὐτήν την άπόπειραν. Θα σας δοηθήσω με την δύναμιν μου καί

σας και βαυμαστης της πολιτικής του άξιμνηστου αδελφού σας προξέρου των Η.Π.Α. Τζών Κεννεντυ, του όποίου προείδα του βανατον άκριδώς έννέα μήνας πρό της τραγικής δολοφονίας του. Τον είδοποιησα δι΄ έπιστολής που αλλά δυστυκός δεν ένασε σούαρως όπι όψις την πρόδλεψίν μου.

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με κάτι το όποιον θα σας δώσω να φορέσετε έπάνω σας, έαν με καλίσετε πλησίον σας».
Το κ. Καθδαδάς, δεν Ελαδεν, έν τούτοις, την πρόσκλησιν που δυστοις, την πρόσκλησιν που δυστοις.

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Έν 'Αθηναις τη 13η 'Ιανουαρίου 1968.

1968. « Έξοχώτατε, ΄Ονοπαζουα Καδόα-δάς. Είμαι Έλλην, Είς το τπάγγελ-μα μεντιουμ, μέλος της 'Ελληνικής Ψυχοκοινωνιολογικής Έταιρίας, κα-βώς και της Έλληνικής Πνευματι-κής Έταιρίας και Ίταλικής Α-καδημίας Μέ την Ιδιότητά μου αυτή έπιθυμω να σας γνευρίου τα προγνωστικά μου δια το 1968. Τοῦ-το πράττω διότι είμαι θαυμαστής

Συγκικριμένως κατά το άρξαμε νον έτος 1968 θα συμδουν τα έτης: Υποδάλλετε υπουποιότητα διά προέρος τών ΗΠΑ. Η προεκλογική έκστρατεία σας είνοι Ένας πραγματικός θρίαμδος. Κερδίζετε σχεδόν παμμηφεί και αίγμαλωτίζετε την καρδία του άρερικανικού λαού. Κατά τόν προκκλογικόν σας άγωνα προδέπω ότι σας πασαμονινοί διακατός. Κάποιος θα απόπειραθη νά σας δολοσωήση και το άπλισμένο χερι του θα σας χτυπόσ θανάσιμα, "Εξοχώτατε, είμαι είς θεσίν, έκαν απότρεω αυτήν την άποτεραν. Θα σας δοπορομένο το στο δυτάν το δολοφονικόν από το δώσω να φορέτετε έπακω σας "Ετσί θα γίνετε άπροσόλητος άπό την δολοφονικόν σφοιρών. Περιμένω διακότησίν σας και έίμαι πρόθυμος να σας διατότη το δολοφονού σας Καί τουνο διότι ή "Αυτοική καί η "Ανθρωπότης σας έχουν καί υψηλών δοξών καί ίδανικών σας Ένας ταπτίνός θαυμαστής σας."



Free Translation of Article Appearing ELEFTHEROS COSMOS (Free World), Athens, Greece, Sunday, 9 June 1968

### (( An Athenian Medium Maintains that:

HE NOTIFIED MR. R. KENNEDY OF HIS MURDER!

Photo

With a letter in an unsuspicious time

A MEDIUM of Athens, notified by letter, sent in an unsuspicious time, Mr. Robert Kennedy about his murder. This is what Mr. Odysseas Kavvadas maintains in a letter of his, saying that he sent Robert Kennedy a registered letter dated 13 January 1968 (receipt for the letter is phototyped).

In his letter, a copy of which was sent to us, he notified him that he also had forseen the assassination of his brother nine months before the tragis event. He is stating that for him (Robert) his forecast tasias follows:

"An assassination attempt against you will take place in the 5th or 6th month of 1968 and during your pre-electoral campaign." And he reported:
"I am able, if you call me, to avoid that attempt.
I'll assist you with my power and with something I will give you to wear, if you call me to come."

Mr. Kavvadas did not receive the invitation he awaited.

The Letter

Athens, 13 January 1968

"Dear Sir,

My name is Odysseas Kavvadas. I am Greek. I am a professional madium, a member of the Greek Psychological Corporation as well as the Greek Spiritual Corporation and the Italian Academy. With this qualification, I wish to let you know of my prognestications for 1968. I am doing this because I am your admirer and an admirer or your brother's policy while President of the United States of America. I forsaw John Kennedy's death nine months before his assassination. I notified him by letter but unfortunately he did not pay any attention to my predication.

" THE CRIMINALS of your brother are still among you and they are a new threat against you. An assassi-



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nation attempt against you will take place in the 5th or 6th month of 1968 during your pre-electoral campaign.

Concretely, the following events will take place beginning in 1968: You will be a candidate for President of the United States. Your pre-electoral campaign is a real triumph. You win all the vetes and you captivate the heart of the American people.

During your pre-electoral campaign, I forsee that death awaits you. Someone will attempt to murder you and his armed hand will strike you mortally.

"Dear Sir, I am able, if you will call ma, to come to you, to thwart that attempt. I'll assist you with my power and with something I will give you to wear. In this way you will be unattackable from any bullet. I am waiting for your answer and I am willing to defend your life against your killer.

And this because American and humanity need you because of your beautiful and high ideas and ideals."

Odysseas Kavvadas Medium

TRANSLATED BY:

PANAYIOTIS HARYDAS OSI District 71

TRANSLATION APPROVED BY:

SHERMAN A. ROE, JR. Special Agent, OSI

OSI District 71

An Athens medium, Odyssefs Kavvadas, announces that he had warned Senator Robert F. Kennedy that on attempt would be made on his life, first as he had forecast the assassination of Pre. sident John F. Kennedy nine months before it happened, a Greek press report said yester. day. Kavvadas wrote to Robert Kennedy that an assassin's bullet would fatally injure him in May or June this year, during his pre-electoral campaign. He had addressed his letter to Kennedy in January 1968, and had told the Senator that he was in a position to protect him if the latter would send him an invitation. In such a case, he would she said, also give him a talisman to wear that would deflect any assassin's bullet.

The above Article Appeared in the Athens News on Tuesday, 11 June 1968

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On 7/15/68 inquiry was made at the Calif. Bureau of Criminal Identification and Investigation (CII), to determine if the fingerprint card for SIRHAN was available. Mr. ADDIS R. DOUGLASS, Supervisor, Fingerprint Section, CII, advised that due to the sweeping order issued by the Los Angeles Court Judge, the fingerprint card for SIRHAN, xerox copies previously furnished to the Bureau, had been removed from the files and sealed, and could not be released.

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ro : DIRECTOR, FBI (87-58275)

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FROM

SAC, LOS ANGELES (87-17374) (RUC)

SUBJECT:

KHAIBAR KHAN, aka
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Re Los Angeles airtel to the Bureau dated 7/2/68.

On 6/17/68, KHAIBAR KHAN was interviewed in the KENSALT case by SAs LESLIE F. WARREN and LLOYD O. BOGSTAD. KHAN said he wanted to furnish certain documents concerning his background and activities to the FBI for completion of the FBI file on him. Consequently, he furnished copies described below, which are enclosed for New York. KHAN said he did not want the documents returned, and they may be disposed of when their purpose has been served. These documents are:

- (1) Copies of correspondence dated May 15 and 17, September 23, October 15, and November 26, 1965, from SAMUEL W. BLOCK, Attorney, Chicago, re "The Khaibar Khan," to Attorney RICHARD H. WELS, New York.
- (2) Copies of letters dated April 21 and October 11, 1965, from Attorney WELS to JOHN L. MC CLELLAN, U. S. Senate.
- (3) Copy of letter dated 8/22/66 from McGraw-Hill, Inc., New York, to Attorney WELS re "The Swiss Banks" relating to KHAIBAR KHAN.

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- (4) Copy of document headed "United Patriots For Justice" dated February 15, 1965.
- (5) Copy of memorandum re agreement between House of Pahlavi and its individual members (not dated).
- (6) Copy of document headed "The Pseudo-Bakhtiaris" (not dated).

On 7/5/68, KHAN phone the Los Angeles FBI Office and asked SA WARREN to call him at 474-4561, Extension 242. When call returned, KHAN related he was out on \$4,000.00 bail and the INS hearing had been continued until 7/19/68 at Los Angeles. KHAN's Los Angeles attorney was not familiar with the deportation case, and INS, Los Angeles, did not appear to have all the facts here. KHAN's attorney at the INS hearing will be DAVID CARLINER, 902 Warner Building, Washington, D. C.

KHAN continued that INS Agents arrested him about an hour after he was interviewed by detectives of the Los Angeles Police Department concerning the KENSALT case. KHAN claimed the Los Angeles Police Department wanted him to take a lie detector test when he told them he, on basis of a photo identification, thought he had seen SIRHAN SIRHAN at the Senator KENNEDY campaign headquarters 6/4/68. They also wanted him to go to the Los Angeles County Jail to personally view SIRHAN SIRHAN. KHAN said he declined both requests until he could consult with his attorney.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

DATE:7-17-68

Re: KENSALT

TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES

Invoice of Contents.

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REEL NUMBER 29084 (TWO REELS OF TAPE RECORDING OF INTERVIEW BY LOS ANGELES POLICE DEPT. WITH SIRHAN BIRHAN SIRHAN ON 6-6-68

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ONE REEL TAPE RECORDING OF PORTION OF HILLY ROSE RADIO SHOW, STADLON-ment

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# Memorandum

TO

Director, FBI (62-587)

DATE: July 16, 1968

FROM

Legat, Mexico City (62-166) (RUC)

SUBJECT:

KENSALT

ReBuAirtel 6-20-68.

The following sources who are familiar with various aspects of subversive activities in Chihuahua were alerted on the dates indicated to the allegation that SIRHAN SIRHAN had been in that city in 1960:

MEX 231 on 7-1-68

MEX 288 on 6-28-68

MEX 262 via MEX 33 on 7-1-68

To date no information has been developed by the above sources indicating that SIRHAN has ever been in Chihuahua.

Inasmuch as all outstanding leads in Mexico have now been completed, this case is being RUC'd subject to reopening if further leads are received or information is received from alerted sources bearing on this case.

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This concerns information developed during the course of our investigation into the Kennedy shooting to the effect that Hoffa had once plotted to kill Kennedy and had around Memorial Day, 1967, while in Federal prison, reportedly made statement he had "contract" on Kennedy if he ever got to the primaries or got elected. Although there appears to be little substance to the allegation, we corresponded with the Department on 7-5-68, and requested advice as to whether Hoffa and close associates should be interviewed to completely resolve the allegation. Hoffa is presently appealing his recent conviction. We will interview Hoffeand associates who may conceivably have knowledge of such a plan.

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# FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

Mr. Evelle J. Younger
District Attorney
600 Hall of Justice
Los Angeles, California 9000

July 24, 1968

REGISTERED AIRMAIL

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This examination has been made with the understanding that the evidence is connected with an official investigation of a criminal matter and that the Laboratory report will be used for official purposes only, related to the investigation or a subsequent criminal prosecution. Authorization cannot be granted for the use of the Laboratory report in connection with a civil proceeding.

Re: Assassination of Senator Robert F. Kennedy

John Edgar Hoover, Director

YOUR NO.

FBI FILE REC-125 62-587- 83

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Examination requested by:

FBI, Los Angeles and

FBI, Sacramento

Reference:

Letters dated 7/15/68, 7/17/68

Examination requested:

Document

Specimens:

Specimen received 7/19/68, from FBI, Los Angeles

Kc22

Certified photocopy of California driver's license signed "Sirhan Sirhan"

Specimen received 7/17/68, from FBI, Sacramento

Additional photocopy of Kc22

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### Result of examination:

The signature on Kc22 is too limited to be of value for further comparison with the unidentified questioned writing on the specimens submitted previously in this case. No additional conclusions were reached as a result of the examination of the signature on Kc22.

The certified photocopy submitted by FBI, Los Angeles, is being returned to FBI, Los Angeles. This specimen has been photographed. The photocopy submitted by FBI, Sacramento, is being retained.

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By memorandum A. Rosen to DeLoach 6-12-68, it was recommended and approved by the Director that certain procedures be followed in reporting results of examinations by the FBI Laboratory or Identification Division in Reports of results of examinations of evidence submitted by captioned case. FBI field offices are to be addressed to the Los Angeles County Prosecuting Attorney, E. J. Younger, with copies to pertinent FBI Divisions and Offices. Administrative data and other information of special Bureau interest would not be sent to Younger.

The attached Laboratory report relating to a voice comparison examination contains information showing handling of evidence only. questioned materials consisted of a tape recording of an unknown caller to the Hilly Rose Radio Show, Station KNEW, Oakland, California. material consisted of recordings of S. B. Sirhan made by the Los Angeles The transmittal page contains administrative data for Police Department. investigative guidance revealing that the voice of Sirhan differs in significant characteristics from the voice of the anonymous caller to Radio Station KNEW, and it is not likely they are the same speaker. It is, therefore, felt that since no purpose would be served by submitting this report to the Los Angeles County officials, the report should be sent directly to the contributor, the Los Angeles FBI Office, in accordance with normal procedures.

#### ACTION:

It is recommended that the attached report be sent directly to

the FBI Los Angeles Field Office.

1 - Mr. Mohr

1 - Mr. DeLoach

1 - Mr. Rosen

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BAC, New York (44-1640)

July 22, 1968

Director, FBI (62-587)-837

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RE: INVESTIGATION TO LOCATE CLIFFORD PLITTY



Re Los Angeles airtel 7/18/68.

Prior to requesting legat to make inquiry in Australia in an attempt to identify Clifford Flitty, it is desired that New York contact the office of the Amerada Petroleum Corporation in New York in an attempt to identify Flitty and determine his current location in the United States.

In the event it is impossible to locate Flitty through logical investigative channels in the United States, Los Angeles thereupon resubmit your request to have appropriate inquiry unde in Australia by Legat.

2 - Los Angeles (56-156) 2 - Washington Field

RKB:**jls**(8)

NOTE:

flitty made innocuous statement while on airplane flight indicating he knew something concerning shooting of Senator Kennedy. To insure that this is completely run out we are attempting to locate and interview Flitty even though the only information we know is that Flitty allegedly works for the Amerada Petroleum Corporation. Prior to requesting Legat to travel to Australia, it is felt appropriate to have our stateside leads run out.

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NIMPLTO:

DIRECTOR, FBI (62-587)

FROM:

SACTIOS ANGELES (56-156)

RE:

KENSALT

RE: INVESTIGATION TO LOCATE CLIFFORD

Re Bureau airtel to New York 7/1/68; New York airtel to Bureau 7/5/68; New York airtel to Bureau 7/9/68 and Honolulu airtel to Bureau 7/11/68.

Enclosed for Washington Field are copies of referenced communications in this matter.

In connection with the identification and location of FLITTY it is requested that the Bureau, through appropriate Legat, make inquiry at Brisbane, Australia, through the Amerada Patroleum Corporation of Australia Ltd, to further identify CLIFFORD FLITTY and if possibly to determine his location in the United States.

The New York Office is requested to determine if there is an office of the Amerada Patroleum Corporation of Australia Ltd., in New York and if so through this office attempt-to identify FLITTY and determine his current locations in the United States.

The Washington Field Office is requested to check passport records to determine if FLITTY holds a United States Passport and to furnish all background information available. on FLITTY.

- Bureau

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Approved: .

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TO: DIRECT:

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(ATTENTION: FBI LABORATORY)

FROM:

SAC, LOS AEGELES (9-3881) (P)

SUBJECT: UNSUB;

KARL UECKER -

VICTIN;

SENATOR EDWARD KENNEDY -

VICTEM; CHILDREN OF

ROBERT F. KENNEDY -

VICTIMS EXTORTION

00: Los Angeles

Re Los Angeles teletype to Bureau, 6/20/68.

Enclosed for the Bureau is the original and one xerox copy of an envelope postmarked "Frankfurt Am AIN" bearing German postage stamps and addressed to "HERIGI KABL VECKER" and a one-page, undated, handwritten letter in the German language.

Also enclosed herewith are five copies of a letterhead memorandum (LHM) captioned as above, one copy of which is to be disseminated to U. S. Secret Service, Washington, D. C.

KARL UECKER is the only person known to have handled the enclosed letter. He said he has no idea who was responsible for preparation and transmittal of the enclosed items.

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59 JUL 3 181968 Agent in Charge

LA 9-3881

## REQUEST OF THE BUREAU

The Latent Fingerprint Section is requested to process originals for latent fingerprints of value. In latent fingerprints of value are obtained, will compare them with the fingerprints of KARL UECKER, described as a white male, born 3/9/32 at Dusseldorf, Germany. The Latent Fingerprint Section is requested to retain unidentified fingerprints for future comparison in the event further investigation will be conducted in this matter.

The enclosed items are submitted for search and inclusion in the Anonymous Letter File.

It is requested that the enclosures be translated and results furnished to the Los Angeles Office.



In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

## UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION Los Angeles, California June 20, 1968

UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
EARL UECKER - VICTIM;
SENATOR EDWARD KENNEDY - VICTIM;
CHILDREN OF ROBERT F. KENNEDY VICTIMS
EXTORTION

On the evening of June 19, 1968, Karl Uecker, Waiter, Ambassador Hotel, 3400 Wilshire Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, advised he received an unsigned, anonymous, handwritten, air mail letter earlier in the day. The letter and envelope were written in the German language. The envelope was addressed to Karl Uecker, Ambassador Hotel, Los Angeles, and was postmarked Frankfurt, Am-Main-June 16, 1968. It contained German postage stamps. The return address on the envelope was given as the German Arabic Committee.

Mr. Uecker is a former German national. He said the letter contained a threat to his life and also contained a threat to murder Senator Edward Kennedy and the children of the late Senator Robert F. Kennedy.

The facts of this matter were presented to U. S. Attorney W. Matthew Byrne, Jr., on June 19, 1968, who said he would withhold prosecutive opinion pending discussion with the Department of Justice in Washington, D. C. Mr. Byrne said he would notify the Los Angeles Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) of his opinion at the earliest possible date.

The previously described letter and envelope were forwarded to the FBI Laboratory in Washington, D. C., for examination.

This will confirm the information furnished to U. S. Secret Service Special Agent Thomas Nagle on June 20, 1968.

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UNKNOWN SUBJECT; EARL UECKER - VICTIM; SENATOR EDWARD KENNEDY - VICTIM; CHILDREN OF ROBERT F. KENNEDY -VICTIMS EXTORTION

A xerox copy of the previously described letter and envelope was furnished to U. S. Secret Service Special Agent Robert Barker on June 20, 1968.

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.

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July 22, 1968

Miss Julietta Groeber 2029 Amanda Drive Springfield, Ohio 45506

Dear Miss Groeber:

I have received your letter of July 15th and want to thank you for your thoughtfulness in furnishing me your views concerning the death of Senator Robert F.

Kennedy.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Bufiles contain no record of correspondent.

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July 15th, 1968 2029 Amanda Dr. Springfield, Ohio 45506

J. Edgar Hoover F.B.I. Washington D.C.

KENSALT

Dear Sir:

I have never written a letter to your department before, but I feel like this one must be written as I can't get it off of my mind. Just tear the letter up as you probably have checked every angle of Robert Kennedy's death and I am sure you have checked the following, but sometimes one can's see the trees for the forrest.

Did you notice, the morning that Roberty Kennedy was shot, of the film they showed right away for his victory or acceptance speech that as he was getting off the platform with Ethel they both started to go one way and someone stopped them, and they turned the other way. Ethel talked with someone first and then went on. Who did she talk to and who told them to turn around and go the other way. Perhaps it was for his safety, but perhaps the one that told them was with the one that

I feel so silly writing this letter but I can't get it off of my mind, but you people probably have already checked this possibility. At least I got it off my mind if by some chance you did not notice it. We thought so much of the Kennedy's that I felt that it was my duty to write this. For give me for bothering you. I know you are busy men.

Yours respectfully,

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Julietta Groeber

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TO:

DIRECTOR, FBI (62-587)

FROM:

SAC. NEW ORLEANS (173-994) (P)

SUBJECT:

KENSALT

ALLEGATIONS BY EDWARD HUGH POLE CONCERNING JAMES RIDDLE HOFFA

Re Bureau airtel, 7/17/68, which transmitted Departmental memorandum, 7/11/68.

New Orleans has no prior correspondence in this matter and prior to requested interviews with EDWARD GRADY PARTIN and DON GEORGE, New Orleans should have the benefit of Denver's communications, 6/14 and 6/17/68 which set forth in detail results of interview with EDWARD HUGH POLE on 6/14/68.



Bureau is requested to furnish copies of referenced Denver communications, as well as any other copies of pertinent correspondence germane to this matter.

- Bureau

1 - Denver (Info)

2 - Los Angeles (56-156)

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ALLEGATIONS BY EDWARD HUGH POLE CONCERN ING JAMES RIDDLE HOPFA

7/19/68. Re Bureau airtel 7/17/68 and New Orleans airtel

Los Angeles furnish New Orleans with requested communications.

2 - New Orleans (173-994)

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NOTE:

Prior to interviews with Edard Grady Partin and Don George, New Orleans requests background information contained in above Denver communication. It would facilitate things to have this material provided by Los Angeles who is origin in this matter rather than attempting to extract same from Bureau files.

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TO

: Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation

Washington, D. C.

Attention: Mr. Bernard @

FROM : Chief, Division of Protective Security

SUBJECT: Transmittal Notice

The attached material, which is described below, is transmitted for your information and retention.

Department of State Refugee Relief Program, Report of Investigation:

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TO DIRECTOR (62-587)

FROM LOS ANGELES (56-156)

SUMMARY. KENSALT

Mr. Sullivan Mr. Tavel .. Mr. Trotter ... Tele. Room\_ Miss Holmes. Miss Gandy.

Mr. Tolson .. Mr. DeLoach ..... Mr. Mohr ... Mr. Bishop. Mr. Casper. Mr. Callahan Mr. Conrad ...

Mr. Felt. Mr. Gale ...

Mr. Rosen.

SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN.

MARY/SIRHAN. MOTHER OF SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN. ACCOMPANED Y VISITED SIRHAN IN HIS NEW LOCATION ON THIRTEENTH FLOOR OF HALL OF JUSTICE.

ON JULY TWELVE LAST IN CONNECTION WITH ANOTHER ASPECT INVOLVING THIS CASE. MARY SIRHAN WAS INTERVIEWED AND VOLUNTEERED INFORMATION TO BUAGENT THAT DURING HER RECENT VISIT WITH SIRHAN. HE HAD INDICATED TO HER HE HAD ACTED ALONE IN THIS MATTER CONCERNING ASSASSINATION OF SENATOR KENNEDY.

MISCELLANEOUS.

A RECORD OF TELEPHONE TOLL CALLS WELX-105

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Police Vepartment RNING TELEPHONE NUMBERS AT SIRHAN RESIDENCE

AT SIX NINE SIX EAST HOWARD, PASADENA, WHICH IS LISTED UNDER

NAME OF ADEL SIRHAN. THE OLD NUMBER SEVEN NINE EIGHT DASH

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TWO ONE THREE SIX WAS CHANGED AT REQUEST OF ADEL AFTER SHOOTING

DUE TO NUMBER OF CALLS RECEIVED BY FAMILY. NEW NUMBER AT RESIDENCE

IS SEVEN NINE ONE DASH FOUR ONE THREE NINE. TOLL CALLS WERE

SECURED BY PD CONCERNING BOTH OLD AND NEW NUMBERS.

THE GUN STORE OWNER, BEN HERRICK, WHO REPORTEDLY SOLD AMMUNITION TO SIRHAN SIRHAN, WHICH WAS USED IN ASSASSINATION OF SENATOR KENNEDY, IS CIRCULATING PETITION'S AGAINST PROPOSED GUN CONTROL LEGISLATION. HERRICK IS DESPLAYING THE PETITIONS AT HIS STORE, EIGHT NINE SEVEN TWO HUNTINGTON DRIVE, SAN GABRIEL, IN COOPERATION WITH COMMITTEE FOR THE PRESERVATION OF FIREARMS OWNERSHIP. HERRICK INDICATED HE COLLECTED FIVE HUNDRED SIGNATURES LAST WEEK.

HERRICK QUOTED AS SAYING "WE HAVE DONE WHAT WE CAN TO GET THE PUBLIC AROUSED IN ORDER TO TRY TO STOP THIS HYSTERICAL LEGISLATION AGAINST GUN CONTROL."

COPIES OF LA REPORT DATED SEVEN ONE SIXTY EIGHT FURNISHED TO DISTRICTATIONNEY AND UNITED STATES ATTORNEY.

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TO DIRECTOR (62-587) (PLAINTEXT)
FROM LOS ANGELES (56-156)

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Mr. Trotter
Tele. Room
Miss Holmes
Miss Gandy

PROSECUTION OF SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN

SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN WAS SUBDUED IMMEDIATELY AFTER
HIS SHOOTING OF SENATOR ROBERT F. KENNEDY ON EARLY MORNING OF
JUNE FIVE LAST AT AMBASSADOR HOTEL. SIRHAN HELD BY WITNESSES
TO SHOOTING AND TURNED OVER TO OFFICERS, LAPD. SIRHAN TRANSPORTED
FROM AMBASSADOR HOTEL TO RAMPART DIVISION, LAPLON AND BOOKED
AS JOHN DOE BY LAPD EARLY MORNING JUNE FIVE LAST. CHARGED WITH
ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER. LATER IDENTIFIED AS SIRHAN
BISHARA SIRHAN. TRANSFERRED TO LOS ANGELES COUNTY CENTRAL JAIL
(LACGJ) ON SAME DATE, JUNE FIVE LAST, AND CONFINED IN SPECIAL CELL
OF HOPITAL SECTION OF COUNTY JAIL.

CASE PRESENTED TO LOS ANGELES COUNTY GRAND JURY HUNE
SEVEN LAST BY LOS ANGELES COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S (LACDA)

OFFICE. INDICTMENT RETURNED CHARGING STRHAN FIVE COUNTS OF ATTEMPT

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