



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

Boston, Massachusetts

September 13, 1968

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LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA
JUNE 5, 1968

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Said Abdel-Malek
Sales Manager in Nigeria for
Middle East Airlines
Okunola House
17 Martins Street
Lagos, Nigeria

Business Telephones: 26832
24420

Residence: Post Office Box 1117

Telephone: 27057

BS 44-646

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Date: 9/13/68

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FROM: SAC, HOUSTON (175-13)(RUC)
SUBJECT: KENSALT
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Enclosed for Los Angeles are 30 copies each of
FD-302 reflecting interview of JOSEPH WILLIARD "PAPPY" LUKE
and 30 copies of insert reflecting investigation at Raywood,
Texas.

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C. C. Bishop

Approved: _____ Sent _____ M Per _____

61 SEP 26 1968 Special Agent in Charge

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (62-587)

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

SUBJECT: *0* KENSALT

DATE: 9/18/68

not
Re Bureau letter to Los Angeles, 8/23/68,
requesting New York to contact CIA and interview a
CIA source.

not
Inquiry has been made ^{by} of the New York Office
of CIA for such interview. CIA is in the process of arranging
such.

New York will follow this lead as set forth in
Bureau letter to Los Angeles 8/23/68.

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

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OTHER FILE REFERENCES: REF. AUTRES DOSSIERS:	DIVISION "C"	DATE 23 AUG 68	RCMP FILE REFERENCES: REF. DOSSIERS GRC: 680IS-790-165 PCR: 2 JULY 68
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RE:
OBJET:

Senator Robert F. KENNEDY - Murder of
Assistance to F.B.I.

22 AUG 68

1. Investigations were conducted at the Montreal Harbour by myself and Cpl. SCHULTZ with negative results in identifying the female person.

2. The tape shown as item #1 on Exh. Rep. #68/44 was removed from the exhibit locker and is now held on the working file. Forms C246 attached.

CONCLUDED HERE:

(J.I.B. P) Sgt.
i-c ltl CIB-OIS.

Cpl.
(M.F.T. Power) 19416.
Montreal CIB-OIS.

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Legat, Ottawa

10/9/68

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Director, FBI

1 - Mr. Schutz

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KENSALT

Attached is a copy of a communication which originated with the RCMP and was forwarded the Bureau by Legat Ottawa.

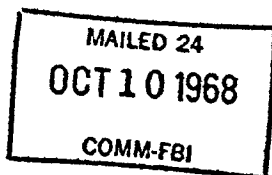
Based on information contained therein, Bureau is unable to identify material to which it refers.

Please clarify and advise.

Enclosure

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SAC, WFO

9/17/68

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Director, FBI

1 - Mr. Conrad

1 - Mr. Schutz

KENSALT

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For the assistance of WFO, there is attached a translation from Serbian of a communication dated June 11, 1968, Paris, France, from "an anonymous Serbian." There is also attached a copy of a letter from Legat, Paris dated 8/29/68 and enclosures thereto dealing with this matter.

It is requested that Secret Service be contacted and a determination made as to whether the photograph contained in the 1/22/68 letter to President Johnson from Djuro Stokic is identical with the photograph that apparently was enclosed in the 6/11/68 anonymous communication. It is noted that Secret Service did not furnish a photograph in its referral to the Bureau.

Copies of the above-referred-to material are likewise enclosed for the information of the Los Angeles Office.

An examination is being conducted by the FBI Laboratory of the handwriting in both communications and you will be advised of the results.

Enclosures (4)

2 - Los Angeles (Enclosures 4)

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NOTE TO FBI LABORATORY:

Reference is made to FBI Laboratory report dated August 23, 1968, Laboratory number D-680816084 AT. It is requested that the handwriting on the attached material be compared with that previously examined and Los Angeles, WFO, Legat, Paris, and Secret Service be advised of the results.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 8/29/68

FROM : LEGAT, PARIS (62-204) (P)

SUBJECT: KENSALT

ReBulet to Paris 8/16/68, enclosing copies of anonymous communication dated 6/11/68 at Paris, France, addressed to Senator EDWARD KENNEDY, and the translation of this communication.

By referenced letter, Paris was requested to attempt to identify the author of the above-mentioned letter.

For information of the Bureau and Los Angeles, the Paris Office recently received from CIA, Paris, a photograph and letter in the Serbo-Croatian language (Cyrillic script). A partial translation of this letter identified the writer as DJURO STOKIC. As the letter alluded to a threat to President JOHNSON, the original letter and the photograph were furnished to the Paris office of the Secret Service.

Enclosed for the information of the Bureau and Los Angeles is one copy each of Paris letter dated 8/7/68 to ALS (CIA), with copies to Secret Service and Visa Section, American Embassy, Paris. Enclosed for the Bureau is one copy of the Serbo-Croatian letter dated 1/22/68 at Paris, with photograph of DJURO STOKIC.

It is to be noted that there are numerous similarities between the letter written to Senator KENNEDY and the STOKIC communication. Both of these letters were written in the Cyrillic script of the Serbo-Croatian language and both enclosed photographs. Both letters alluded to the fact that

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- 5 - Bureau (Encs. - 9)
 - (1 - Liaison Section)
 - (2 - Los Angeles, Info.)
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the writer had been refused a visa to immigrate to Chicago and both letters ended with the words "long live" (ziveo). In the letter to Senator KENNEDY, the author stated he had been born in the same year as the Senator. It is to be noted that Senator KENNEDY was born 2/22/32, while STOKIC, according to information contained in Paris Secret Service file, is listed as having been born [REDACTED] at Dolovo, Yugoslavia.

Enclosed for the information of the Bureau and Los Angeles is one copy each of Secret Service, Paris, report and American Embassy, Paris, Visa Section memorandum dated 5/26/66 pertaining to STOKIC. It is to be noted that the source of the Secret Service report is the Police Judiciaire (Criminal Police), Surete Nationale, Paris, and that it denotes that STOKIC had been placed in a psychiatric hospital in France in 1965. This same report also states that STOKIC appears to have very strong leanings toward writing letters to certain heads of foreign states.

STOKIC's visa file at the American Embassy, Paris, reveals that his application for an immigrant visa to the United States was rejected as he was found medically ineligible, class "A." According to the Visa Section, classification "A" is a classification given on the basis of mental or physical inability seldom overcome.

Based on the information set out in this letter, it is believed that the author of the letter to Senator KENNEDY may be possibly identical with DJURO STOKIC.

The Bureau is requested to have the FBI Laboratory make a comparison of the handwriting between the letter addressed to Senator KENNEDY, dated 6/11/68, with those written by STOKIC, dated 1/22/68, and the one STOKIC wrote in 1966 on the front and back of a World Council of Churches letter dated 5/24/66. Copies of these three letters are enclosed.

It is to be noted that the original STOKIC letter of 1/22/68 was furnished to the Paris Office of the Secret Service on 8/7/68 and they have, in turn, forwarded this letter to their headquarters in Washington. The original STOKIC letter of 1966 is located in the American Embassy, Paris, visa file.

In addition to the Laboratory comparison, the Bureau is requested to determine from Secret Service headquarters in

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Washington, D. C., if the photograph or picture enclosed with the letter to Senator KENNEDY (see page three, next to last line of translation letter) was that of the author. In the event this was the case, the Bureau is requested to compare the photograph of STOKIC with that contained in the letter to Senator KENNEDY.

A copy of the translation of the letter to Senator KENNEDY has been furnished to the Ambassador's office in view of information that the author plans to contact Mrs. SHRIVER in the future. Copies of this same communication were also furnished to the Secret Service, Security Office and the Visa Section of the American Embassy, Paris.

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REV. 1-5-68

ROSS' LEE INNES,
c/o UNITED STATES EMBASSY,
100 WELLINGTON STREET,
OTTAWA, ONTARIO.

FOR TRANSMITTAL TO: DIRECTOR, F.B.I.

YOUR FILE

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RCMP FILE

BUFILE

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ALS

Attention: Mr. George A. Eoublik

6/7/68

Norman W. Philcox
Legal Attache

Djuro STOKIC

Reference is made to your memorandum of July 24, 1968, enclosing a photograph and letter in the Serbo-Croatian language - Cyrillic script, received by the Embassy in Paris.

Due to the handwriting, a complete translation cannot be made; however, portions of the letter indicate subject to be possibly a mental case. The photograph attached to the letter is that of the subject. It is to be noted that the letter is dated January 22, 1968, at Paris, and signed "Long live Djuro Stokic, the Jew."

The first sentence of the letter indicates that subject plans to get even with President Johnson by stealing his wealth. He also claims to have a list of names of 13 American millionaires, the first being President Johnson and the 13th Governor Nelson Rockefeller. Subject claims he has been forced to this action because President Johnson is responsible for his being turned down a thousand times for a visa to enter the United States. Subject also claims that women and other people are always looking at him and following him. Subject states that, although he likes women, he loves money, "dollars," more.

Our Paris records contain no information identifiable with the subject.

In view of the threat against President Johnson, the original letter and photograph are being furnished to Mr. John H. Hanly, U. S. Secret Service, Paris.

A copy of the letter and photograph are also being furnished to the Visa Section in view of the statement by

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subject of having applied for a visa to enter the United States. The Visa Section is requested to advise the Secret Service office in the event they have any information pertaining to the subject.

A copy of the letter and photograph are also being furnished your office for completion of your records.

Enclosures - 2

cc: Mr. John H. Hanly
U. S. Secret Service
D-406
(Enclosures - 2)

Mrs. Margaret V. Barni
Visa Section
(Enclosures - 2)

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : VISA OFFICE / SYO
FROM : VISA OFFICE / Investigations
SUBJECT: Immigration and Naturalization Service

DATE: 26 May 1966

*Revised by INS
5/10/66
indefinite class*

STOKIC, Djura.

Official French police records reflect that STOKIC, Djura born [REDACTED] at Dolovo, Yugoslavia is unmarried.

A Serbian Nationalist, STOKIC claims to be supporter of the reestablishment of the monarchy in his homeland.

Manifestly obsessed with Yugoslav political problems, he often reads to his compatriots some letters which he is addressing to the high dignitaries of the actual Yugoslavian regime, even to the Yugoslavian Ambassador in France. In these letters, STOKIC, denounces with violence the "Regime Concentrationnaire de la Yougoslavie". These letters are oft-times incoherent with vague threats.

Concerning his private life, this foreigner is unfavourably noted in the Records of the Prefecture de Police. He is generally reported as unstable in his job, hot-headed and poses as a homosexual. He lives with a Russian citizen, MAZESKO, Michel, born [REDACTED] at Tchenscokoff, a butler, well-known for his peculiar mores ("moeurs speciales"). USSR

FRANCE

Your attention is directed to the fact that while this report bears no security classification its contents are of a personal nature and should be handled on a need-to-know basis and must be secured accordingly.

NO INVESTIGATION OTHER THAN
A SEARCH OF AVAILABLE RECORDS
HAS BEEN MADE

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TRANSLATION

NOTE

U. S. SECRET SERVICE
AMERICAN EMBASSY
PARIS, FRANCE

SUBJECT: Information concerning the Yugoslav national, Djura STOKIC.

yes
Djura STOKIC, born on [REDACTED] at Dolovo, Yugoslavia, son of Zorco and Julijana STOKIC, Yugoslav national, is employed with the "Bar Cleaning" establishment, 18, Rue Chaussee d'Antin, Paris 9. He resides at 28, Rue Guillaume Tell, Paris 17. FRANCE

~~STOKIC~~
STOKIC entered France on January 21, 1963. He is considered to be of good repute by his circle of friends. He is the holder of a residence permit valid until 3-18-67 and of Political Refugee Card No. 142-460/5636.

STOKIC is very well thought of by his employer; he is a hard worker, sober and honest.

However, following a demonstration, he was taken to the Psychiatric Institution of the Prefecture de la Seine in May 1965 and was then transferred to the Psychiatric Hospital of Pery-Vaucluse, Seine et Oise, where he stayed for two months.

STOKIC shows temporary signs of abnormality, relating that his uncle is a minister; that his father was a superior officer in the National Yugoslav army, but compatriots from the same district confirm that he comes from an agricultural family. However, STOKIC is widely knowledgeable. He can read but not write French. He appears to have a rather strong leaning towards writing to certain Heads of Foreign States.

He is in letter contact with some of his compatriots and is said to correspond with Vladimir ZOCHEVICH, 1913 W Schiller Street, Chicago 22, Illinois.

In general, Djura STOKIC is not subject of bad information and despite his occasional mental deficiency, is not considered as a dangerous person.

U. S. SECRET SERVICE
AMERICAN EMBASSY
PARIS, FRANCE

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BUREAU D'ÉMIGRATION

C. I. M. A. D. E.

176, Rue de Grenelle, PARIS-7^e

Is

Monsieur Djura SIBAC
28, rue Guillaume Tell
PARIS 17^e

Paris, le 24 Mai 1966

Monsieur,

Nous avons le regret de vous informer que le département d'Immigration américain a rejeté votre demande d'émigration pour les Etats Unis.

Les raisons du refus ne nous sont jamais communiquées.

Recevez, Monsieur, nos meilleures salutations.

Prevod:

Gospodine,

Philip Moreland
Délégué à l'Emigration

Sa zaljenjen vam javljamo da je Americko ministarstvo za useljenje odbacilo vasu molbu za useljenje u SAD.

Nikad nam se ne saopstavaju razlozi za ovo odbijanje.

Primiti gospodine nase najlepse pozdrave.

Prosto otkazali su vam za ulazak u SAD. Razlozi nam nisu nikad saopstavljeni. Primiti gospodine naše najlepše pozdrave.

Philip Moreland, Gdug.

From Charles Lee Kenney,

to George Barker, his wife and daughter, and to the Kenney family.

Report, respectfully, to the Commission on the Status of Women, and to the United Nations, and to the people of the world.

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⑩ 1976 creation of the Department of the Interior

⑪ 1977 creation of the Department of Justice

⑫ 1978 creation of the Department of State

⑬ 1979 creation of the Department of Defense

⑭ 1980 creation of the Department of Energy

⑮ 1981 creation of the Department of Transportation

⑯ 1982 creation of the Department of Labor

⑰ 1983 creation of the Department of Veterans Affairs

⑱ 1984 creation of the Department of Social Security

⑲ 1985 creation of the Department of the Environment

⑳ 1986 creation of the Department of the Treasury

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Date: 9/19/68

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-587)

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (44-1640)

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re New York airtel to the Bureau dated 8/28/68, setting forth leads for New York to attempt to locate and interview HENRY RAMISTELLA, who listed residences in the Bronx in 1956 and 1957.

Enclosed for Los Angeles are 30 copies of an inset containing negative information as to attempts to locate and interview RAMISTELLA.

New York is taking no further action as to RAMISTELLA.

C. C. Bishop
3- Bureau
2- Los Angeles (56-156) (Encls. 30)
1- New York

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Approved: _____

55 SEP 30 1968

Special Agent in Charge

Sent _____ M Per _____

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (62-587)

DATE: 9/18/68

FROM : LEGAT, PARIS (62-204) (P)

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Remylet to Bureau 8/29/68.

Enclosed for the information of the Bureau and Los Angeles is one copy of a translation of information found in French police files pertaining to DJURO STOKIC which was made available by the Security Office, American Embassy, Paris, on 9/16/68.

It is to be noted that STOKIC is believed possibly identical with the author of the anonymous letter dated 6/11/68 directed to Senator EDWARD KENNEDY.

The enclosed information has already been furnished to the Secret Service and the Visa Section, American Embassy, Paris, by the Security Office.

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SEP 26 1968

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

TRANSLATION

September 10, 1968

SUBJECT: ~~STOKIC~~, Djuro aka: Duro or Djura

POLICE FILES CHECK

STOKIC, Djuro, the subject of the attached memorandum from Mr. Philcox, Legal Attaché, was identified as being STOKIC, Djura or Djuro, born [REDACTED] in Delovo, Yugoslavia, son of Zarko and Juliana Zizanov STOKIC. He came to France on January 21, 1963, bearer of Yugoslavian passport # [REDACTED] issued in Fuzia, Yugoslavia, on June 22, 1962.

Since his arrival in France SUBJECT has worked from time to time in large concerns such as the Simca Automobile Works, with cleaning contractors, and even at the Préfecture de Police Snack Bar as dishwasher. However, it can be said that he has lived mostly from his wits, only keeping a regular job during short periods when he could not do otherwise.

An ultra-Serbian nationalist, partisan of the re-establishment of the monarchy in Yugoslavia, he for that reason joined the Mouvement National Yougoslave RAVNA GORA, of monarchist trend, with premises at 123 Bld. Davout, Paris 20. He also is a member of the National Serbian Committee in Exile, an extremist organization with headquarters at Chicago, but which is forbidden to operate in France by Order of the Minister of the Interior dated August 2, 1962.

However, the violence of his speech, his continual threats and provocation toward many political personalities, has resulted in STOKIC being kept at a distance by most of his compatriots who fear the consequences of a too boisterous action. STOKIC in fact shows himself above all to be an exacerbated anti-communist to the point where he is considered not to be in his right mind.

He was interpellated by the police on the Champs Elysees, Paris, on April 24, 1965, when waving a placard representing de Gaulle, Pétain, Goldwater, and Brigitte Bardot.

Examined by a psychiatrist, he was interned as schizophrenic paranoid and politically delirious in an asylum at Vaucluse, near Epinay-sur-Orge. He came out of that asylum on April 16, 1966.

He then continued to send numerous letters to Chiefs of State and known international personalities.

During 1965 he adhered to the extreme right-wing movement called "Occident" ("West"), which was created during 1964 and operated by Pierre SIDOS, ex-protagonist of "Le Jeune Nation" ("Young Nation") mouvement.

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September 10, 1968

Briefly, his violent anti-communist opinions, added to his unbalanced mental state, make this foreigner liable to a more or less outstanding hostile act at the time of international political events.

He is looked-upon most unfavorably in his private life. Well-known as a homosexual, he 'cohabits' with a Russian refugee named Michel YARESKO, born on [REDACTED] in Tchenscokoff, USSR, Maitre d'Hotel, also well-known to the Special (Morality) Section of the Paris Police. *File 1166*

STOKIC was interpellated on February 22, 1967 for public exposure (when exhibiting his sexual organs in a public place). Brought before the 24th Chamber of the Seine Tribunal, Paris, on February 23, 1967, he was sentenced to 3-months' imprisonment.

An Expulsion Order was issued by the Ministry of the Interior on January 19, 1968. However, it appears that on intervention of the French Office for Refugees and Stateless Persons, Paris, a new Order was issued on May 13, 1968 revoking the previous Order.

On June 7, 1968 STOKIC was granted temporary permission to stay in France (four months) enabling him either to find work, to quiet down more normally, or to leave France.

On August 5, 1968 he applied for a visa to go either to the USA, to Japan or to Israel. When making that application he stated he was domiciled at 28 rue Guillaume Tell, Paris 17, where he shares a room with the above-mentioned Yaresko.

FBI

Date: 9/20/68

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

Mr. Tolson	✓
Mr. DeLoach	✓
Mr. Mohr	✓
Mr. Bishop	✓
Mr. Casper	✓
Mr. Callahan	✓
Mr. Conrad	✓
Mr. Felt	✓
Mr. Gale	✓
Mr. Rosen	✓
Mr. Sullivan	✓
Mr. Tavel	✓
Mr. Trotter	✓
Tele. Room	✓
Miss Holmes	✓
Miss Gandy	✓

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

SUBJECT: KENSALT **ASSASSINATION OF SENATOR**
ROBERT F. KENNEDY

On 9/19/68, Los Angeles County Deputy District Attorney JOHN HOWARD advised that Los Angeles County Superior Court Judge RICHARD SCHAUER has assigned Superior Court Judge HERBERT WALKER to preside over the upcoming trial of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN.

According to HOWARD, Judge WALKER is a man of many years experience and completely competent to preside over these proceedings. The previously scheduled 10/4/68 appearance in Superior Court for SIRHAN will takeplace as scheduled to permit the court to maintain jurisdiction over this matter.

On 9/20/68, HOWARD was again contacted at which time he confidentially advised (not for dissemination) that Los Angeles Attorney GRANT COOPER, currently engaged in representing one of the defendants in the Friar's Club prosecution in United States District Court, Los Angeles, is expected to participate as defense attorney for SIRHAN.

HOWARD continued by stating that Attorney RUSSELL PARSONS apparently has the SIRHAN family "in his pocket". HOWARD explained that he is convinced PARSONS has legally obtained the family permission to represent them in any books, stories, or publications which may be subsequently written.

HOWARD has received no information nor has he heard any rumors which would indicate that any other attorney of national prominence is being considered to represent SIRHAN.

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The Los Angeles Division will continue to follow this matter and specifically, all court appearances of SIRHAN so that the Bureau may be kept appropriately advised.

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September 23, 1968

GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

The attached summarizes the present prosecutive status with respect to Sirhan Sirhan, the accused assailant of the late Senator Robert F. Kennedy.

With respect to the Friar's Club prosecution referred to herein, this is the case investigated by FBI Los Angeles involving electronic cheating devices at the Beverly Hills Friar's Club where well-known industrialists and show business people were victimized. John Roselli, Cosa Nostra hoodlum and four others have been standing trial in U. S. District Court since June, 1968.

Grant Cooper is attorney for one of the hoodlums involved. Recent investigation indicates Cooper as well as others had access to Grand Jury transcripts and it is conceivable Cooper himself may be subject to Federal prosecution for Obstruction of Justice at the trial's conclusion.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (62-587)

DATE: 9/17/68

FROM : LEGAT, SANTO DOMINGO (89-3) (RUC)

SUBJECT: KENSALT

ReBulet 7/29/68 with enclosures.

On 8/15/68, Legat furnished copies of Los Angeles LHM dated 7/22/68, entitled "JOSE A. PEREZ QUESTA, Calle Maria B. Sanchez, Number 46, Enriquillo, Dominican Republic," to CAS and the U.S. Consulate, Santo Domingo.

On 8/20/68, information as is contained in the LHM was verbally furnished to the following officers: Capt. CAONABO REYNOSO ROSARIO, Dominican National Police, and REGULO MEJIA, Dept. of National Investigations.

On 8/23/68, DOM-2 made the same information available to LUIS MENENDEZ DENO, Dominican Immigration.

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

Re: Interview of Guests at the Ambassador Hotel

(LEGAT, TOKYO)

Enclosed herewith are five copies each of three letter-head memoranda (LHM) concerning three individuals who were guests at the Ambassador Hotel, Los Angeles, California, at the time Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY was fatally wounded on 6/5/68.

The Bureau is requested to have Legat, Tokyo, make arrangements for the interview of these persons and to furnish results to Los Angeles in a form suitable for dissemination to the Los Angeles Police Department.

(LEGAT, MANILA)

Enclosed are five copies of a LHM concerning an individual who was a guest at the Ambassador Hotel, Los Angeles, at the time Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY was fatally wounded on 6/5/68.

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(LEGAT, LONDON)

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Auckland, New Zealand



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Rafael B. Mares and Family
ADO. Auensa, Pan American
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Mr. T. Morinaga
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33,1,2, Chome
Nishi-Shinbashi
Minato-Ku, Tokyo, Japan

or

99 Unoki-Machi
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Minato-Ku, Tokyo, Japan



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