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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-New)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED] b7c

SUBJECT: UNSUB, aka
Robert Gene Gándroz
ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION OF
SENATOR ROBERT F. KENNEDY,
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA
6/5/68

Writer received a telephone call at approximately 4:00 A.M., 6/5/68, from an individual who identified himself as RONALD R. HUNTLEY, [REDACTED] Portland, Oregon, no telephone number. b7c

HUNTLEY advised that he was Senator KENNEDY's personal bodyguard during the Senator's campaign for the Oregon primary and that a week ago from this past Tuesday he was with the Senator at the Benson Hotel, Portland, at which time the Senator was congratulating Senator MC CARTHY on his primary victory.

HUNTLEY stated that as the Senator was attempting to leave the hotel he, HUNTLEY, was clearing a path through the crowd and had occasion to push two males out of the way of Senator KENNEDY. As he pushed one of the men out of the way he felt a weapon under the man's suit coat and immediately shoved the man up against a wall. THE MEN CAUSED NO FURTHER PROBLEM AND KENNEDY WAS NOT ADVISED OF THE INCIDENT.

HUNTLEY stated that he was presently observing television and observed a photograph of the man the Los Angeles Police Department had arrested as a suspect in the attempted assassination of KENNEDY. HUNTLEY advised that he is certain this individual is identical to one of the two men he shoved out of the way of KENNEDY's path at the Benson Hotel. INDEX

HUNTLEY stated that the other individual was approximately 24 years old, possibly of Latin American extraction, 5' 4", 195 pounds, dark brown hair, very stocky build.

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HUNTLEY advised that he would be available for interview by FBI Agents at [REDACTED] Hillsboro, Oregon, telephone [REDACTED] and would wait at this address until contacted by Agents.

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This information was telephonically furnished to the Bureau by Supervisor WILLIAM JOHN NOLAN. The Bureau instructed that this information should be telephonically furnished the Portland Office with instructions that HUNTLEY should be immediately interviewed and that the results thereof should be telephonically furnished the Bureau and Los Angeles.

Writer immediately contacted Portland and spoke to Night Security Clerk [REDACTED] who advised he would immediately contact his SAC regarding the matter.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: UNSUB; AKA, ROBERT GENE GENDROZ
ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION
OF SENATOR ROBERT F. KENNEDY,
AMBASSADOR HOTEL,
LOS ANGELES, CALIF.
6/5/68
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Writer, while listening to news broadcast over KHJ 24 hour news station, obtained first info that an attempt had been made on the life of KENNEDY. No further details were available as there was considerable confusion at the scene. This was at 12:16 AM, 6/5/68.

Writer at this time, attempted to contact LAPD but could get no answer. Details were obtained as far as possible from radio and television. Continued attempts to contact LAPD were negative.

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Writer, at approximately 12:30 PM, writer received call from Supervisor NOLAN who stated he had heard about situation on TV and that he was ready to come to office should SAC so desire.

Writer contacted SAC who stated SUP. NOLAN should be brought into office and that he should arrange for necessary number of personnel to handle situation. SAC stated Bureau should be advised.

Writer contacted NOLAN who stated that Supervisor [REDACTED] SA's [REDACTED] and should be contacted to come into office.

Writer then contacted Bureau, SA [REDACTED] and advised of info known to date.

Writer then was switched over to SA [REDACTED] Division 5 and he was also apprised of info to date.

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The only info known at this time was that obtained from new media to the effect that KENNEDY had been shot twice, once behind the left ear and once in the shoulder. A number of other persons were also hit by gunfire, however their identity unknown at this time. Info was also obtained, at approximately 12:30 AM, over television, that LAPD had suspect in custody, name and description unknown.

Writer determined that KENNEDY was being taken to the Central Receiving Hospital across from the office. SA [REDACTED] was sent over to obtain up to date info re KENNEDY's condition.

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At approximately 12:45 AM, KENNEDY was transferred to the Good Samaritan Hospital and SA'S [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] were dispatched there to keep writer advised of KENNEDY's condition.

At approximately 12:50, after continued attempts to contact LAPD were negative, writer contacted Supervisor [REDACTED] regarding his contacting an official at LAPD in effort to obtain info on suspect they allegedly had in custody.

SA [REDACTED] at Bureau kept advised by writer of facts as they became available.

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-~~60~~-new)

FROM : SUPERVISOR WILLIAM JOHN NOLAN

SUBJECT: SENATOR ROBERT F. KENNEDY

DATE: 6/5/68

Liaison with L.A.P.D.

At 1:30 A.M. Assistant to the Director C. D. DE LOACH was advised that the ~~KENNEDY~~ party, in the persons of ~~TED SORENSEN~~ and ~~PIERRE SALINGER~~, had requested that he contact Chief U. S. Marshal MC SHANE and have him go to the KENNEDY home to stay with the family. Mr. DE LOACH said he would take care of this. Mr. DE LOACH advised that under no circumstances should we give the impression that we are investigating this matter; that we are rendering every possible assistance that we can.

At 3:40 A.M. Assistant Director TOM BISHOP contacted the writer and advised that in the event of any press inquiry, we are to give the statement that the FBI is rendering every possible assistance to the local authorities.

At 3:35 A.M. the writer contacted Colonel W. H. STUART, 382-4808, at Norton Air Force Base to arrange for a military flight to take the fingerprints of the subject of this case back to Washington, D. C., along with an Agent. This call was based upon a call at 3:30 A.M. from [REDACTED] Division 6 at the Bureau, on the instructions of Mr. DE LOACH that the fingerprints of the unidentified killer were to be flown back immediately via military, inasmuch as commercial flights would not leave at the very earliest until 8:30 A.M. The Colonel advised that it would take him some time to attempt to find a craft ready for flight, and that he would contact the writer.

The prints were turned over to SA [REDACTED] by the Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD) in view of the fact that the perpetrator of the shooting had no identification and had no record in the LAPD and Los Angeles County Sheriff's Office.

It was ascertained that the Speed Photo machine in the Identification Division was inoperative. Upon clearance

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Liaison with Kennedy party

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by [REDACTED] with Mr. DE LOACH, it was arranged that the photographs of the prints would be transmitted to the Bureau via UPI, and the originals would be flown back by military aircraft, accompanied by an Agent, or commercial airline, whichever flight was the earliest.

The following arrangements have now been made:

A private line, telephone 483-0357, has been installed between this office and the fifth floor of the Good Samaritan Hospital and placed into operation at approximately 3:30 A.M.

Supervisor [REDACTED] and SA [REDACTED] are handling liaison with the KENNEDY party at the Good Samaritan Hospital.

Supervisor [REDACTED] upon his arrival at the office immediately went to handle liaison with Chief of Police REDDIN, replacing SA [REDACTED] visitor from Tampa, and SA [REDACTED]

SA [REDACTED] has handled the UPI transmittal of the prints and advised at 4:06 A.M. that the prints and photograph of the unidentified individual were now transmitted.

The Bureau has been advised of the identities of five persons known to be wounded and their condition, as known as of 3:00 A.M.

Supervisor [REDACTED] by telephone furnished the following as concerns the President of the United States:

The President at 3:30 A.M. to Staff Assistant TED SORENSEN expressed his sympathy and deep regret and thereafter stated immediately he was invoking security precautions for all candidates of all political parties because Secret Service was not large enough in staff to handle, and the President stated he would even consider using military. Comment was made by SORENSEN to the effect no mention of FBI made in conversation concerning security.

This information was received by Mr. SORENSEN at about 3:40 A.M., and Supervisor [REDACTED] relayed the data to the office at about 4:00 A.M. The Bureau ([REDACTED] Division 6) was advised.

As of 3:30 A.M. Senator KENNEDY was in the operating room with a bullet in the mastoid area at the rear, causing pressure on the brain. Physicians were uncertain as to whether pressure was caused by the bullet or a blood clot. If it were a blood clot, it was operable, and if caused by a bullet, it would be most serious.

At 4:10 A.M. Colonel WILL STUART advised that he had a T 39 flight laid on for 5:30 A.M. departure time at Norton Air Force Base. The pilot would be Captain [REDACTED] and pursuant to Bureau instructions, an Agent was assigned to carry the prints. SA [REDACTED] has departed for Washington, D.C.

At 4:18 A.M. Supervisor [REDACTED] called and advised that the progress report on the Senator is as follows: He is in surgery. They have removed bone splinters from the head. All organs are performing strongly. Condition good.

At 4:18 A.M. SA [REDACTED] advised that the LAPD had discovered a car key in the unidentified person's pocket and had tied it up to a car which they believe belongs to ROBERT GENE GENDROZ. SA [REDACTED] Division 6 at the Bureau, was advised of the above at 4:30 A.M. He requested that we attempt to develop more background information on GENDROZ. He will call back.

[REDACTED] Photo Lab, UPI, 1542 West Olympic, Los Angeles, on this date transmitted on general wire fingerprints of suspect in this matter to UPI, Washington, for delivery to the FBI. Photographs of victim, suspect and other individuals in attendance at the shooting of Senator KENNEDY were made available by UPI and have been forwarded to the Bureau with fingerprints.

SA [REDACTED] was driven to Norton Air Force Base by SA [REDACTED] and was airborne in Air Force T-39, Aircraft #647 at 5:49 AM, ETA Andrews Air Force Base, 2:30 PM, our time.

The weapon utilized in the crime was determined to be a .22 caliber Iyer Johnson revolver, eight shot model, serial #53725, which was sold on 8/10/65, according to the records of the California Department of Justice, as checked by the Los Angeles Police Department, to ALBERT LESLIE HERTZ, [REDACTED] Alhambra. HERTZ advised the Police Department, when contacted, that he gave the gun to his son-in-law in San Francisco, who lost it shortly afterwards. Chief REDDIN, at the time this information was made available, did not have the name of the son-in-law.

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It should be noted that arrangements were made with the Pacific Telephone Company to install a private line between this office and the Fifth Floor of the Good Samaritan Hospital, to be utilized by SA [REDACTED] and SA [REDACTED]. The number of the telephone is 483-0357.

At approximately 6:00 AM, Mr. REX SHRODER, of the Bureau called and advised that Mr. ROSEN wanted the VIN and the car of the unidentified individual processed and any latents or other evidence sent to the Bureau. It was pointed out to Mr. SHRODER that this might present a problem in view of the fact that the car would be in the custody of the Los Angeles Police Department, but that Chief REDDIN would be contacted and the necessary results secured.

A separate memo concerning call of Mr. SHRODER at 8:10 AM has been prepared concerning taking active part in this investigation which is at variance with previous instructions furnished by Mr. BISHOP and Mr. DE LOACH.

At 8:20 AM, SA [REDACTED] of the Bureau telephonically advised that Mr. ROSEN desired that all the CBS and NBC television films be secured or reviewed for any possible suspects. It was pointed out that the individual who did the shooting was already in custody. [REDACTED] advised that it was the desire of the Bureau to review and identify all suspicious persons in the films and if necessary, secure a copy of the films. It was pointed out to [REDACTED] that

TV film is video tape and to transcribe it into black and white film suitable for movie projection would cost ten cents a running foot. He advised that if this cost were necessary, to consider that I had authority to extend these instructions unless he telephonically advised me to the contrary.

SA [REDACTED] was given the assignment of securing additional personnel to handle this phase at the studios.

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At 7:50 AM, Supervisor [REDACTED] advised that the Police Department now has ascertained that ROBERT JENE GINDROZ, born 1/5/32 in Switzerland, [REDACTED] Hollywood, is the owner of the 1958 Chrysler, described as 6'1", 200 pounds, and is employed as an Assistant Chef at the Ambassador Hotel. This information was made available to the Bureau. SA [REDACTED] advised further that the Unsub had on his person in addition to a car key, some loose change and four \$100 bills. The Bureau requested the serial numbers be secured.

The Bureau also suggested that they had a call from the surgeon stationed at Fort Holabird who suggested that urine and blood samples be taken of the subject to determine if he were on drugs. SA [REDACTED] was advised of this and told to pass it along in the form of a suggestion from the surgeon and not from the FBI.

At 8:44 AM, pursuant to the instructions of ASAC ROGGE, Sacramento Supervisor [REDACTED] was requested to check CII on the fingerprint classification as given by the Los Angeles Police Department. Supervisor [REDACTED] advised this would be done.

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DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : *P* ASAC RICHARD D. ROGGE

SUBJECT: UNSUB, aka
Robert Gene Gendroz
ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION OF
SENATOR ROBERT F. KENNEDY,
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA,
6/5/68

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At 7:48 A.M., 6/5/68, Assistant to the Director CARTHA D. DE LOACH and Assistant Director AL ROSEN called. Mr. DE LOACH stated that Attorney General RAMSEY CLARK has communicated with him on numerous occasions since 4:00 A.M. this morning and insists that the FBI have a representative during every pertinent interview in this matter, including any interrogations of the suspects. The Attorney General has advised that he has been in contact with Chief of Police TOM REDDIN who has indicated they are taping and filming every activity of the suspect; however, the Attorney General feels that the possibility of allegations being made against the Los Angeles Police Department in regard to civil rights violations make it necessary for an FBI representative being available at all times.

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DE LOACH also insisted that the Los Angeles Office maintain at least two Agents at police headquarters since the Director had been so advised. DE LOACH was notified there are more than two Agents at headquarters handling various aspects of this case. He was also advised liaison of the closest nature is being maintained at Good Samaritan Hospital with PIERRE SALINGER and TED SORENSON.

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DE LOACH stated that if there should be any reluctance on the part of Chief of Police REDDIN to permit the FBI to participate fully in this, he will handle it at Washington, D.C. I told DE LOACH there was no indication at all that there would be any reluctance on the part of REDDIN and that our liaison was very effective and functioning properly. DE LOACH instructed that he be advised of all pertinent developments.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SUPERVISOR WILLIAM JOHN NOLAN

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At 8:10 AM, REX SHRODER of the Bureau, advised that Mr. ROSEN had directed that agent personnel "sit in" in all interviews of the subject of this case. He also advised that the code name of the case was now known as KENSALT and that in connection with information furnished to him that ROBERT JENE GINDROZ of [REDACTED] b7c Hollywood, was an Assistant Chef at the Ambassador Hotel. He advised that Mr. ROSEN has instructed that agents sit in on all other interviews.

Mr. SHRODER was specifically asked whether or not this meant that the FBI was to tell LAPD Chief REDDIN that we are actively investigating this matter. SHRODER read a copy of a teletype that was coming out to the field which stated that the FBI was rendering every possible assistance to local authorities and that all leads were to be handled immediately.

It was pointed out to Mr. SHRODER that this did not seem to conform, in view of the previous instructions that I had received that we are not actively investigating this matter. Mr. SHRODER stated that we were to advise the press pursuant to the teletype and that the term "all leads should be immediately covered" meant that we are actively investigating the matter. He was advised that should this question come up with Chief REDDIN, the Chief would be so informed.

SHRODER also indicated that he had previously informed the writer that a report would have to be submitted with 302s and that we are actively investigating the matter. The writer pointed out to Mr. SHRODER the fact that all previous information was that I had not understood him to give such instructions previously, but that in view of his instructions, we would undertake active investigation.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-New)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SUPERVISOR [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSAULT

At 11:55 A.M., 6/5/68, BERT ALTFILLISCH, Owner, Granja Vista Del Rio Farms, 13200 Citrus Avenue, Norco, California, telephone [REDACTED] telephonically advised as follows:

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Granja Vista Del Rio Farms is a horse training farm where thoroughbreds are trained for horse racing. He said that his office manager, a female, who is presently recovering from a broken back, observed a photograph on television of SIRHAN SIRHAN and identified this individual as a former employee at the farm.

ALTFILLISCH said that SIRHAN was employed at the farm as an exercise boy on 6/2/66. He said complete employment records were not immediately available and he could, therefore, not determine the exact date that SIRHAN terminated his employ nor background information furnished when applying for the job.

ALTFILLISCH described SIRHAN as a very intelligent individual who said he was a political science student. While working at the farm, SIRHAN was injured, resulting in a compensation claim being made. This claim was handled by the Industrial Accident Commission in Los Angeles and SIRHAN received a settlement about three or four months ago. ALTFILLISCH said that this matter was handled by his insurance broker, which is Miller and Ames Insurance Company, Los Angeles, telephone 386-2360. He said that Miller and Ames Company would have considerable background information (ALTFILLISCH also owns the Altfillisch Construction Company; however, the records of farm employees are entirely separate).

ALTFILLISCH said that he was attempting to locate the farm's employment records in order that they would be readily available to the FBI.

(3) [REDACTED] advised -
[REDACTED] call in info
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SUPERVISOR [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At 12:46 p.m. this date, SA [REDACTED] Sacramento Office, advised the writer that his office was forwarding CII prints on SIRHAN B. SIRHAN to Los Angeles and the Bureau. He advised that the prints were being placed aboard PSA flight 288 at 1:00 p.m. this date and would arrive at Los Angeles at 2:05 p.m. this date. One copy was to be placed aboard TWA flight 98 which is due to leave Los Angeles at 3:00 p.m., 6/5/68 and to arrive at Dulles Airport, Washington, D.C. at 10:40 p.m.

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12⁵⁵/PM [REDACTED] Sacramento advised another flight is now #182 PSA - due 1:50 PM. Plane #529 via Capt [REDACTED] - [REDACTED] advised 12⁵⁸/P

6/5/68 - PSA Plane met. material delivered to TWA Flight 98 and given to pilot, Capt. [REDACTED] for delivery to WFO agents. Memo prepared - [REDACTED]

FINGER PRINTS TO WASHINGTON
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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/5/68 Investigator [REDACTED] INS, Los Angeles, advised SA [REDACTED] that INS records revealed SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN, date of birth 3/19/44, Jerusalem, entered the U.S. in 1957 as a citizen of Jordan, in which status he still maintains. His last known address was 696 E. Howard Street, Pasadena. INS also has records on brothers of SIRHAN.

LEAD

Complete copies of all INS records for SIRHAN SIRHAN and all members of his family should be immediately handled. This lead is being covered by SA [REDACTED]

INS RECORDS ON SIRHAN

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

Indices: ☐ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases SIRHAN SIRHAN			Address of subject b7C, b7D 7		Character of case KENSALT
Complainant [REDACTED] USC Medical Center 1200 State St. LA			Complainant's address and telephone number Ex: [REDACTED]		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-5-68 Time 1/05pm
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Birth date and Birthplace
	Age	Weight	Eyes	Complexion	
	Scars, marks or other data				
Facts of complaint C. stated the subject was a patient at the hospital in 1964 in the psychiatric ward. C. has the record chart on the subject in her possession and in the FBI desires to see the chart please contact her at the above telephone. C. also stated she would like the FBI to contact her as soon as possible and inform her if the FBI wants the chart.					
<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div> Action Recommended [REDACTED] b7C _____ (Agent) </div> <div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> 56-156-8 SEARCHED _____ INDEXED _____ SERIALIZED _____ FILED _____ JUN 5 1968 FBI - LOS ANGELES </div> b7C </div> </div>					

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

SA [REDACTED] who is interviewing ADEL SIRHAN, furnished the following information:

SIRHAN SIRHAN worked as an exercise boy at an unknown race track. About one year ago he fell from a horse and sustained a head injury. After this injury his behavior changed considerably and he became hard to get along with. SIRHAN was at the family residence on 6/4/68 and about 12 noon left. ADEL has not seen him since.

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According to ADEL, SIRHAN has never been arrested. Records of the Pasadena Police Department reflect SIRHAN's middle name is BISHARA. He was apparently a victim of a disturbance, date and details unknown. He was also a suspect in "outside assist" and on 3/7/68 was involved in a violation of PC 415.

LEADS

(1) Obtain copies of all records at Pasadena Police Department involving SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN.

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(2) Obtain full details re SIRHAN SIRHAN's employment as an exercise boy. In connection with this, [REDACTED] telephone [REDACTED] advised this information can be obtained through a [REDACTED]

Lead #1 [REDACTED] ADWING
Lead #2 [REDACTED] ADWING

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At 2:20 PM ASAC JIM MORLAN, San Francisco, telephonically advised that [REDACTED] California Department of Industrial Relations, San Francisco, advised they had a claim by SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN, 696 East Howard, Pasadena as a result of a fall from a horse on 9/25/66.

This claim was settled on 3/27/68 for \$2,000 and the referee in the settlement was ERNEST A. LACKMANN, California Industrial Relations, Los Angeles, telephone [REDACTED]

In view of the \$100 bills in possession of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN this \$2,000 settlement could be of significance.

LEAD

Immediately interview ERNEST A. LACKMANN and obtain details of claim against California Industrial Relations Board and their diagnosis as to the extent of head injury to SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-New)

FROM : *P* ASAC RICHARD D. ROGGE

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/5/68

At 11:57 A.M., 6/5/68, ASAC DONALD W. MOORE, JR.,
Dallas, furnished the following information:

b7D [redacted] Mission Viejo,
California, telephone [redacted] telephonically contacted
[redacted] in Dallas, Texas, after
she had heard suspect SIRHAN SIRHAN's name mentioned on
television.

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b7C According to [redacted] an individual with the
same name of SIRHAN SIRHAN, whom she met, was in Dallas
in April, 1968 and at this time SIRHAN claimed to be attend-
ing SMU and had a brother employed at the Ambassador Hotel
in Los Angeles, California.

ASAC MOORE stated that the Bureau has instructed
that [redacted] be immediately located and interviewed for full
details concerning [redacted] alleged meeting with SIRHAN SIRHAN.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-new)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At 11:00 AM today the writer talked with a man who came personally to the office. He exhibited a press card issued by Fairchild Publications, Inc. of New York City, in the name of [REDACTED]. The bearer said he was [REDACTED] and that his local office was located at [REDACTED] Los Angeles, telephone [REDACTED]. He said he represented the publication "ELECTRONICS".

[REDACTED] said he had been at the Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD) this morning and had been told that the fingerprint impressions of the suspect in custody in connection with the above matter had been flown to Washington, D.C. [REDACTED] wanted to know why this was done rather than having the usual electronic equipment set up for this purpose utilized.

The writer advised [REDACTED] he had no knowledge in this regard and suggested to him that he contact the LAPD for the answer.

[REDACTED] asked for whatever information was available in connection with captioned matter. The writer advised him that he had no information to give him, that if and when a press release was issued by this office, the appropriate news media would be notified.

[REDACTED] indicated he might call back telephonically to determine if there was any information available.

Nothing identifiable our indices [REDACTED] or Fairchild Publications, Inc.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-NEW)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

SA [REDACTED] Sacramento RA, telephonically advised SA [REDACTED] that a review of DMV records on file at Sacramento reveal the following vehicles owned by individuals believed to be relatives of SIRHAN B. SIRHAN:

1964 Chevrolet Coupe, California license OLS 910, registered to SHARIF SIRHAN, brother, 696 East Howard Street, Pasadena, California. (Lead assigned to SA [REDACTED])

1961 Volkswagen, California license JYT 419, registered to ADELE B. SIRHAN, 696 E. Howard Street, Pasadena, legal owner [REDACTED] San Francisco, California - [REDACTED] (Lead assigned to SA [REDACTED])

1955 De Soto, California license 2TP 455, registered to SIDELAH B. SIRHAN, possible relative, 1659 North Lake Avenue, Pasadena, California.

1956 De Soto, California license JWS 093, registered to SIRHAN B. SIRHAN, 696 East Howard Street, Pasadena, California.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-NEW)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : *(P)* ASAC RICHARD D. ROGGE

SUBJECT: KENSALT

b7D { At 2:53 PM on 6/5/68, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Los Angeles County, USC Medical Center, 1200 North
State Street, Los Angeles, telephone [REDACTED] extension [REDACTED]
contacted the writer. [REDACTED] was desirous of locating
the individual she had spoken to earlier concerning her
voluntary advice that suspect SIRHAN SIRHAN had a medical
record at her hospital. [REDACTED] was quite excited since

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b7C* [REDACTED] instructed that no information
was to be furnished to anyone, including the FBI, and local
police without hospital authority. [REDACTED] was concerned
that the FBI might act on her prior advice and contact the
administrative officer, which could conceivably result in her
losing her position.

[REDACTED] was assured the information she furnished
would be handled in confidence and that she would be recontacted
when details were developed.

SA [REDACTED] who is assigning leads
in this matter, advised that this specific lead was assigned
to SA [REDACTED] who is currently enroute to inter-
view [REDACTED]. He is in a non-radio car. [REDACTED]
he personally recontacted [REDACTED] and alerted her to the
arrival of SA [REDACTED]

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AS PER FULL SPIRITUAL HEALER [REDACTED] SINCE THE APPEARANCE OF ROBERT KENNEDY'S PICTURE AT TV ALL OPERATIONS WHICH HE WILL UNDERGO WILL BE SUCCESSFUL NO DANGER FOR HIS LIFE AND GOD CURE HIM. IF NEED MORE INFORMATION CALL QUEBEC C [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] FULL SPIRITUAL HEALER

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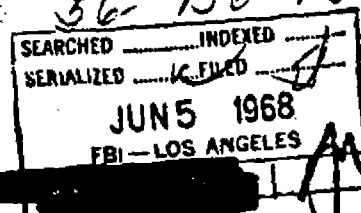
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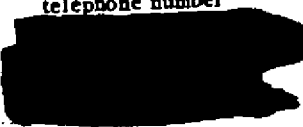
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Subject's name and aliases UNSUB; Lady in her 60's, at Ambassador Hotel night of Kennedy Sh oting		Address of subject		Character of case KENSALT	
Complainant CARL ERICKSON b7c		Complainant's address and telephone number 		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date <u>6-5-68</u> Time <u>2/50pm</u>	
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion
	Birth date and Birthplace				
Scars, marks or other data					

Facts of complaint

C. stated he is a close friend to Bob KENNEDY and as he was leaving the Ambassador Hotel, approx. 10/15pm, a lady in her 60's came up to him and stated, "Why is there such a young crowd here?" She also stated "I'm not for Kennedy." and "I feel something is going to happen to Kennedy." She then stated that she lives around the corner. C. stated he then left the Hotel. C. stated if he is needed he would be more than happy to assist the FBI in any way.

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Subject's name and aliases UNSUBS: 2 Men & 2 Women sitting at table B-7, West Side Room, Century Plaza Hotel.			Address of subject		Character of case KENSALT
Complainant  b7C b7D			Complainant's address and telephone number 		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date <u>6-5-68</u> Time <u>10/59am</u>
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Birth date and Birthplace
	Age	Weight	Eyes	Complexion	
	Scars, marks or other data				
<p>Facts of complaint</p> <p style="text-align: center;">b7C, b7D</p> <p>C. stated he is  at the West Side Room, Century Plaza Hotel and while working last night he briefly overheard the subjects talking about KENNEDY being shot. This was about 830pm to 9/pm. C. stated he has no idea who the subjects were and could not give the writer a description of the subjects. C. did state though, the he thought that this party had been seated at table "B-7". C. could furnish no further information at this time.</p>					
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Indices: ☐ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases			Address of subject			Character of case KENSA LT		
Complainant [REDACTED] - 67D-			Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED]			Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-5-68 Time 10:07am		
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace		
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion			
	Scars, marks or other data							

Facts of complaint

C said he has an investigative ~~XXXX~~ agency at the above address.

C said he received a call from a **[REDACTED]** Pasadena, telephone **[REDACTED]** this morning, and he said he saw on television where they are trying to connect some keys with a Chrysler car. C said he know someone who looks like the suspect, and he believe he could direct them to the proper car.

C said he has no further information, but feels **[REDACTED]** may be able to help this office.

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[REDACTED] *R. J. [signature]*

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

While waiting in the reception room of [REDACTED] Pasadena, telephone [REDACTED] this morning I overheard the doctor's secretary stating that the suspect in above case, SIRHAN SIRHAN, had been a patient of that office last year. This office is used jointly by [REDACTED] and from the conversation it appeared one of the doctors had treated SIRHAN's eyes. These doctors do X-ray work almost exclusively.

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Assign for investigation

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Reassign to [REDACTED]

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-New)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSAULT

[REDACTED] Culver City, California, telephonically advised at 2:20 P.M., 6/5/68, his mother [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Malibu, telephone [REDACTED] to the house where the KENNEDY family was staying this week while Senator KENNEDY was campaigning in Los Angeles.

According to [REDACTED] his mother was at the [REDACTED] in the evening of 6/3/68. At about 10:30 P.M. the doorbell rang and a man was at the door. [REDACTED] inquired why he was at the home, and he stated he was a telephone repairman. [REDACTED] became frightened and did not believe this person was a telephone repairman. She called the LASO, Malibu Station, and reported the incident. She was told by the Sheriff's Office that nothing could be done about the man coming to the door. [REDACTED] did not know whether the man got into the house or not. He was vague in answering questions concerning his mother's activities after the alleged contact and did not know what else she might have done.

[REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED] is a widow and lives at home with [REDACTED]. He stated his mother has a day off today and is at an unknown location in San Diego. She can be contacted tomorrow at [REDACTED] residence.

[REDACTED] said he is residing temporarily at [REDACTED] and does not have a phone at this address.

He said he was calling because he felt the FBI might have some interest in the fact that possibly an imposter was attempting to gain admission to the house next door to where KENNEDY was staying.

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Subject's name and aliases			Address of subject		Character of case KENSA LT
Complainant OLGA SEKULIC			Complainant's address and telephone number Compton, Calif no phone		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-5-68 Time 10:58a
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion
	Birth date and Birthplace				
Scars, marks or other data					

Facts of complaint

C said she was at the Ambassador Hotel last when Kennedy gave his speech. She said she was about five feet away from him while he was speaking. She said during his speech ~~xxx~~ she observed a young man, around 24 years of age, walking around while Kennedy was speaking. C said the man looked oriental or Philipino. C said after Kennedy finished his speech, and walked away, and after they heard the shots, the man said "let ~~xxxxxx~~ me go, I got to go". C said she lost sight of him after this due to the confusion in the hotel.

C said she will be visiting a friend this date at ~~_____~~ until around 2:30p this date, if someone wants to contact her.

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Subject's name and aliases Mother of Suspect, SIRHAN			Address of subject		Character of case KENSALT
Complainant [REDACTED] b7D			Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED] Pasadena, Calif. [REDACTED]		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-5-68 Time 11/05
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Birth date and Birthplace
	Age	Weight	Eyes	Complexion	
	Scars, marks or other data				
Facts of complaint b7D C. stated [REDACTED] at Westminster Presbyterian Church, 1757 N. Lake, Pasadena, Calif., telephone: 794-7111. At this church is also employed the mother of the suspect, (SIRHAN). C. stated the mother is not aware at this time her son's involvement in the KENSALT. C. stated [REDACTED] with suspects mother at the church now. C. stated that the mother will be kept at the church as long as can be but feels that if the FBI is intrested in interviewing her they should contact [REDACTED] soon as possible and inform him not wether or not the FBI is intrested in talking with the suspects mother. Writer was left with the impression that this office should call [REDACTED] and inform him one way or the other if this office wants to talk to suspects mother. [REDACTED] interviewed - 6-5-68 JAM [REDACTED] Advised 56-156-23 SEARCHED INDEXED SERIALIZED FILED JUN 5 1968 FBI - LOS ANGELES [REDACTED] JAM					
Action Recommended [REDACTED] (Agent)					

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Subject's name and aliases SUSPECT in KENNEDY Shooting			Address of subject		Character of case KENSALT
Complainant ELENORE SEVERSON			Complainant's address and telephone number W. LA. CITY		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-5-68 Time 12/25pm
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion
	Scars, marks or other data				
<p>Facts of complaint</p> <p>C. stated she had worked the main information desk at KENNEDY Headquarters in LA. A man by the Name of <u>KHAIBAR KHAN</u> had been bringing in volunteer workers to the headquarters for the past few days, these volunteers were of mid-eastern descent. C. stated on 6-3-68 in one of the groups of these volunteers a person identical to the suspect was brought in to work. All of the volunteers had had to fill out cards with their names and addresses on them and these cards are in the Desk of Mrs. <u>MARGARET SWEENEY</u>, telephone: 347-9910. <u>HILL HENEBRY</u> had worked with these groups as he spoke Arabic.</p> <p><u>KHAIBAR KHAN</u>, [redacted] gave his address for all of the volunteers address.</p> <p>[redacted]</p> <p>HILL HENEBRY: NR</p> <p><i>SEVERSON interviewed 6/4/68</i> <i>MARGARET SWEENEY " 6/6/68</i> <i>BILL HENEBRY " 6/6/68</i> <i>LARRY STRICK " 6/11/68</i> <i>SA [redacted] 6/12/68</i></p> <p><i>(see separate FD-302's dated 6/11/68)</i></p> <p>KHAIBAR KHAN interviewed 6/10-11/68</p> <p>Action Recommended FD302 dictated 6/12/68</p> <p>[redacted]</p> <p>(Agent)</p>					

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

SA [REDACTED] telephonically advised that he had learned that an ESTELLE STERN, a worker at the Kennedy Headquarters, 5600 Wilshire Boulevard, telephone number 937-6300, had stated that after seeing a photo of the individual who shot KENNEDY either in the newspaper or on TV that she had seen this individual with two other individuals at the Kennedy Headquarters on Tuesday afternoon, 6/4/68, at which time these individuals let it be known that they were Jordanian students.

ESTELLE STERN is presently at the Kennedy Headquarters and if not at the Kennedy Headquarters can be contacted through a Miss MARGUERITE SWEENEY at the Kennedy Headquarters, who has the addresses and phone numbers of all the workers in the Kennedy Headquarters.

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WAS SHE INTERVIEWED?

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Subject's name and aliases SIRHAN SIRHAN			Address of subject		Character of case KENSALT
Complainant LARRY STRICK			Complainant's address and telephone number Studio City, Calif.		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-5-68 Time 4/43pm
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Birth date and Birthplace
	Age		Weight	Eyes	
	Complexion				
Scars, marks or other data					

Facts of complaint

C. stated Mrs. SEVERSON had asked him to contact this office to verify a report she had made earlier this date. C. stated he was working at the desk with SEVERSON ~~the same~~ at KENNEDY Headquarters the same day she had stated KHAIBAR KHAN had brought in the subject to be a volunteer worker. C. stated after seeing the subjects picture on the TV he is positive that the subject was the person brought to the headquarters.

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STRICK INTERVIEWED 6/6/68
FD-302 dated 6/11/68

only Lecker interview KHAIBAR KHAN - done 6/10 + 6/11/68 - FD-302 Dictated
" " ELLENORE SEVERSON " 6/6/68 - FD-302 - DATED 6/11/68

SA [REDACTED] 6/12/68

GIRL ON CRUTCHES MENTIONED IN STRICK FD-302
IDENTIFIED AS 1/2 SISTER OF KHAN
MIRIAM KUSHAN, AKA ROSA KHAN
SHE WAS INTERVIEWED 6/11/68.

Action Recommended

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[REDACTED] RHW

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-New) ¹⁷³

FROM : *P* ASAC RICHARD D. ROGGE

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/5/68

At 7:48 A.M., 6/5/68, Assistant to the Director C. D. DE LOACH advised that our Identification Division had made the following observation concerning the number five finger (right little finger) of the unknown suspect. He stated the LAPD had indicated it was a 13 ridge count and the Identification Division had determined it was a 16 ridge count. The LAPD should be alerted to this fact and insure they search their records with the new 16 ridge count.

ALL b7C

The above information was telephonically relayed to Supervisor [redacted] who is liaison at police headquarters. [redacted] subsequently advised that the police department had established that there was, in fact, a 16 ridge count and that there were also unusual patterns on the left thumb and left middle finger (double loops). [redacted] stated that if the Identification Division desired they could call direct to the individual handling this matter at the LAPD, Captain *Robert* HOWE (213) MA 4-5211. This information was later relayed to Section Chief CARL VOELKER, Identification Division, SOG.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : NIGHT SUPERVISOR [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Writer received telephone call at 9:20 a.m. this date from REX SCHROEDER at the Bureau who advised that he had just observed Chief TOM REDDIN's press conference on the television and had observed REDDIN mention that during Los Angeles Police Department's (LAPD) interview of the suspect, the suspect had made reference to, on a number of occasions, the KIRSTIN (phonetic) or possibly spelled KIRSTINE (phonetic) murder case.

SCHROEDER stated that he wanted information developed regarding this murder case and the information telephonically furnished the Bureau immediately.

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The writer contacted Supervisor [REDACTED] at LAPD who advised that the suspect had referred during his interview by LAPD to the KIRSHKE murder case which was a sensational case involving a double murder in the Long Beach area. KIRSHKE was a Los Angeles County District Attorney and was accused of murdering his wife and his wife's paramour in his home one evening. KIRSHKE was convicted in a jury trial and the case is now on appeal.

[REDACTED] advised that the suspect was merely making small talk regarding this case and made inquiry of his interrogators, one of which was a Los Angeles County District Attorney, whether they thought KIRSHKE would beat the case on appeal.

[REDACTED] stated that there was no indication that suspect had any connection at all with this case.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED] and SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

This is to advise that at 10:15 AM [REDACTED] Cincinnati Office telephonically called and stated the Dayton Resident Agency had just received a call from a probation officer [REDACTED] (did not know name of officer). Probation officer stated he observed the picture of the suspect being held in this matter on TV. He said he recognized him as [REDACTED] born [REDACTED] WM, [REDACTED] lbs., brown eyes, brown hair. FBI [REDACTED] fingerprint classification [REDACTED]

According to probation officer [REDACTED] was confined to a State mental hospital, Dayton, Ohio and upon release traveled to Los Angeles.

[REDACTED] stated above to be confirmed by teletype.

No Action,

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/5/68

At 3:25 p.m. on 6/5/68, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Altadena, California, telephone [REDACTED]
appeared at the Pasadena Resident Agency, at which time he
related the following information:

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Earlier this afternoon, he stopped at a coffee
shop, name unknown, which is located on the south side of
Foothill Boulevard, about a half a block east of Santa Anita
Drive, Pasadena, California, at which time he overheard the
manager of the Richfield Service Station located on the corner
of Santa Anita Drive and Foothill Boulevard make the statement
that the man who shot Senator KENNEDY last night just recently
worked for this man. The man mentioned the fact that the
assassin was an excellent worker and was attending Pasadena
City College at night.

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[REDACTED] was unable to furnish any additional infor-
mation regarding this matter.

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[REDACTED] W/PS

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

b7D [REDACTED] working out of the office of [REDACTED] who requested his identity be protected as the source, stated he understood the LAPD had been receiving calls from persons wanting to furnish information concerning SIRHAN's political views. He believes contact with the Watch Commander, Wilshire Division, might develop some information in this regard.

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b7C Lt. Charles Hughes and Lt. Albin Hegge, Rampart advised 6/5/68 they had received no information re above and calls however calls are being logged.

Lt. James Lange, Wilshire PD and Lt. Beal, Watch Commander advised they had no information re: above. Lt. Beal stated these type calls would be handled at downtown main complaint desk.

SA [REDACTED] at LA PD Hqs - advised 6/5/68 that special PD switchboard set up to receive calls and are being referred to Rampart PD.

Sgt [REDACTED] at Rampart advised re: above and noted calls are being taken by many officers on independent notes. Lt. Hughes advises these will be assembled, logged, and sorted for pertinence. Log of call will be made available when prepared.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM: *P* ASAC RICHARD D. ROGGE

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

At 4:27 PM, 6/5/68, Supervisor [REDACTED] Domestic Intelligence Division, telephonically contacted the writer and made reference to New York teletype to the Bureau and Los Angeles this date captioned as above.

[REDACTED] stated he was instructed to inform Los Angeles in view of the information contained in retel, Los Angeles should insure appropriate local authorities alerted. [REDACTED] was advised it would appear such action had been taken, but that this information would be relayed to the appropriate desk.

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BY RUGGIERO 10 -

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Subject's name and aliases			Address of subject			Character of case KENSALT		
Complainant AN ONYMOUS			Complainant's address and telephone number			Complaint received <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Personal <input type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date <u>6-5-68</u> Time <u>2:33pm</u>		
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace		
	Age	Weight	Eyes	Complexion				
	Scars, marks or other data							

Facts of complaint

C, who refused to furnish his name, said he is a employee of Pabst Brewing Co., N. Main St., Los Angeles, California. He works the 3:30pm to 11:00pm shift. Last night C said they were setting around discussing sports, and one of the men from the midnight shift, male, white, late 40's, said "the big news will break in the morning." C said he said this at ~~xxxx~~ least twice, but he did not comment further to say what news, or what he meant.

C said he didn't know if it was of importance but thought this office may like to speak with him. C said he doesn't know his name.

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Indices: ☐ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases MISS [REDACTED] b7C			Address of subject [REDACTED] Pasadena, Calif.			Character of case KENSALT			
Complainant Would not give name			Complainant's address and telephone number			Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date _____ Time _____			
Subject's Description	Race	Sex	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace			
	Age	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Weight	Eyes	Complexion				
	Scars, marks or other data								
	Facts of complaint C. stated the subject knows the Kennedy shooting suspect and knows his brother real well. C. also stated she said she might know the motive for the shooting. C. stated SIRMAN got the gun either from an underworld Arab or from some Arab Bar. C. stated that if the FBI talked to this girl the FBI would get some good information on the suspect.								
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Action Recommended [REDACTED] b7C (Agent)									

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

SA [REDACTED] Las Vegas Office, called at 9:10 AM and advised that [REDACTED] Las Vegas, a [REDACTED], had telephonically contacted the Las Vegas Office and furnished the following information:

She said she saw a picture on television of the individual accused of assaulting Senator KENNEDY and that he looks like a person she knew in San Diego seven years ago. His name was [REDACTED] (LNU), a [REDACTED] who was a professional [REDACTED] and worked for [REDACTED]

She described him as 5'7"-5'8"; short, bushy black hair, olive complexion. She could furnish no further descriptive information. She stated if she saw a picture of this individual, she could be more accurate as to whether he is identical with [REDACTED] (LNU).

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No action.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: UNIDENTIFIED MALE, ALIAS ROBERT GENE
GENDROZ; ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION OF
SENATOR ROBERT F. KENNEDY
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA
JUNE 5, 1968

On 6/5/68, [REDACTED]

Palos Verdes Peninsula [REDACTED] telephonically advised:

At about 4:10 p.m. on 6/4/68, she was at the Palos Verdes Peninsula Library, Silverspur Road and Hawthorne, when she was approached by a woman wearing a ROBERT KENNEDY button. This woman stated that she was acquainted with a number of the Nuns at Marymount College and had met the Mother Superior there.

This woman stated that she had recently returned from Peru (perhaps within the past week) and some of her "people" were speaking about shooting ROBERT KENNEDY. She stated nothing further regarding this.

[REDACTED] stated that this woman gave her a business card which states [REDACTED] Lima, Peru". [REDACTED] described this woman as a female Peruvian, 45-50 years, 5'2", 135 lbs., heavy set build, dark hair, olive complexion, Indian appearance.

[REDACTED] stated that some time in the past year or two this woman has applied for a job as a Spanish teacher with instant school, and school records reflect address of [REDACTED] Palos Verdes Estates, where she resided with [REDACTED] who might be her daughter.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-New)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

SA [REDACTED] advised at 10:05 A.M., 6/5/68, that with respect to the gun used by the subject, it had originally been determined that ALBERT LESLIE HERTZ had given it to his son-in-law who had taken it to San Francisco, California, and subsequently lost it. According to the police, this is not accurate and that what happened was the wife or daughter of the son-in-law gave it to an individual who gave it to a person named JOE who works at Nash's Department Store.

Inquiry at Nash's Department Store determined that JOE's true name is MUNIR SIRHAN. They believed the subject is the brother of SIRHAN and desired indices checks and check of Bureau files. The brother is described as 25-28 years, 5' 6-7", no first name of other data.

SA [REDACTED] telephoned at 10:15 A.M. from the Pasadena Police Department and advised as follows:

One ADEL SIRHAN came to the Pasadena Police Department and identified the subject as his brother, SIRHAN SIRHAN, age 23 or 24. He just had a birthday but does not know the date. They came to this country in 1957 from Jerusalem but are Jodanians. Their father's name was BISHARA but he disappeared in 1957 and has not been seen since. Their mother's name is MARY. Other members of the family are brother, SHARIEF SIRHAN, age about 35 who resides in Highland Park, California; brother, SAIDALLH, age about 36 who lives on Lake Avenue in Pasadena; brother, MUNIR SIRHAN, who works at Nash's Department Store.

SIRHAN SIRHAN suffered a head injury about one year ago. He formerly attended Pasadena City College for about two years but did not graduate. This was in approximately 1962 - 64. He has not worked in three months.

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11:05 6/5/68
Call for
C.D. DeLoach-Rosen
[initials]

~~SIRHAN~~
~~SIRHAN~~

~~SIRHAN~~

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At approximately 11:20 a.m., [REDACTED]
Secretary, U.S. Postal Inspector's Office, Pasadena,
furnished the following information telephonically to
SA [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] who is carrier number [REDACTED] at
Pasadena Station C, advised the Postal Inspector's Office
that he had overheard a television appeal for any
persons who could aid in identifying the assailant in
this matter to notify authorities. Carrier [REDACTED] advised
that he has seen a person closely resembling this
individual frequently at the residence of [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Pasadena.

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Indices: ☐ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases				Address of subject		Character of case KENSA LT	
Complainant [REDACTED] b7D				Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED]		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-5-68 Time 10:46a	
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace	
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion		
	Scars, marks or other data						

Facts of complaint

C said she has a friend, [REDACTED] Calif., telephone number [REDACTED] that told her she was in her doctors office ~~about~~ about 1 1/2 months ago, a Cuban was in there who said there is a group that is planning an assassination in about a month. He did not say who they were planning to kill. She said he acted drunk, and she told her doctor about him, so she is sure if the doctor is checked he could say who it was. C doesn't know the doctors name but [REDACTED] could say.

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IC [REDACTED]
(Agent)

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At 10:00 a.m., this date, Supv. [REDACTED] Miami Office, advised that he received an anonymous phone call from an individual who claimed to recognize a photograph of the individual who assaulted KENNEDY. This individual stated that he worked with this fellow in Miami in the exterminating business and that approximately two years ago this fellow moved to Los Angeles where he got employment as a bartender. The caller could only remember the individual's first name as [REDACTED] but he had married a [REDACTED] in Miami about two years ago.

Based on this, the Miami Office had the marriage records searched for [REDACTED] and came up with the following information:

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There was an application filed 7/27/65, showing an [REDACTED] born [REDACTED] Texas, and [REDACTED] born [REDACTED] Texas. [REDACTED] address listed on the application was [REDACTED] Hialeah, Florida and [REDACTED] address was listed as [REDACTED] Hialeah, Florida.

[REDACTED] were married [REDACTED] by [REDACTED] Miami, Florida. Witnesses were listed as [REDACTED] (last name illegible) [REDACTED]

Supv. [REDACTED] advised Miami indices negative re [REDACTED]

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Subject's name and aliases			Address of subject			Character of case KENSALT		
Complainant <div style="background-color: black; width: 100px; height: 40px; margin: 10px;"></div>			Complainant's address and telephone number <div style="background-color: black; width: 150px; height: 50px; margin: 10px;"></div>			Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date <u>6-5-68</u> Time <u>10/25am</u>		
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace		
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion			
	Scars, marks or other data							
	Facts of complaint <p>C. stated he works for the Post office and is now on vacation. C stated he is a Mex. and had worked for the Mex. Police in Mexico City. C. stated he would like to volunteer to be planted in with the suspect to get information out of him. C. stated he speaks Cuban Spanish and possibly could be of some help to this office.</p> <p>C. was advised by the writer that the writer would inform the agents concerned of the Cs. volunteered services.</p>							

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FD-71 (Rev. 10-26-65)

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Subject's name and aliases			Address of subject			Character of case <i>Kencall</i>		
Complainant 			Complainant's address and  home)			Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date <i>6-5-68</i> Time <i>9:17a</i>		
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace		
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion			
	Scars, marks or other data							

Facts of complaint

C said yesterday, around noon, he observed a man hitchhiking on Foothill Blvd., Fontana, towards Los Angeles, that looked very similar to the ~~fixxx~~ picture of the suspect in the Kennedy shooting. C said he was about 5-9, slender, and was carrying something under his arm.

C could furnish no further information.

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Subject's name and aliases			Address of subject		Character of case <i>Kensalt</i>
Complainant [REDACTED]			Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED]		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date <u>6-5-68</u> Time <u>8:35a</u>
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Birth date and Birthplace
	Age		Weight	Eyes	
	Complexion				
Scars, marks or other data					

Facts of complaint

C said he was employed by [REDACTED] Gardena, California, until last Monday, when he quit. [REDACTED] said there is a man who works there that looks very similar to the suspect in the Kennedy ~~xxxxxxx~~ shooting. C said his name is [REDACTED] (LNU), and he ~~xxx~~ has [REDACTED] on his uniform. C said [REDACTED] is an assistant forman, and he works the 7:00a to 3:30p shift.

C could furnish no further information.

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Action Recommended

IC [REDACTED]

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : *P* ASAC RICHARD D. ROGGE

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At 2:45 PM, 6/5/68, Section Chief CHARLES D. BRENNAN, SOG, Domestic Intelligence Division, furnished the following information and instructions:

One [REDACTED] Los Angeles representative for the HCUA, reportedly contacted Washington headquarters of HCUA and stated that an unidentified member of the Los Angeles PD had told [REDACTED] they knew SIRHAN SIRHAN to be connected with the W.E.B. DuBois Clubs. BRENNAN stated Bureau files failed to indicate any such information. BRENNAN instructed:

1. If not already done, check indices on SIRHAN SIRHAN.
2. Locate and interview [REDACTED] for full details concerning this report.
3. If necessary, contact logical sources and informants who have knowledge of activities and membership of the DuBois Clubs.

BRENNAN was advised this would be done.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Information received from unknown source that a local radio station had radio tape recording of the shooting of Senator KENNEDY.

LEAD

Immediately attempt to determine station having recording and obtain copy.

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Subject's name and aliases		Address of subject		Character of case <i>Kenselt</i>	
Complainant [REDACTED] <i>b7D</i>		Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED]		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date <i>6-5-68</i> Time <i>9:38a</i>	
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build
	Age		Weight	Eyes	
	Scars, marks or other data				

Facts of complaint

C said the above company is a dress manufacturing company. C stated he employees a [REDACTED] a floor boy. Last week [REDACTED] was going around saying we're going to kill Kennedy. C said [REDACTED] *b7D*
[REDACTED] now one paid any attention to him, because he is kind of "kookies". This morning he was late to work, he is suppose to arrive at 9:00am and he arrived around 9:30am. C said he is never late, and when asked why he was late, he said something about having a card made. C said after he arrived he told a few of the employees he is glad the police didn't catch him last night.

C said [REDACTED] home address is [REDACTED] Los Angeles. He is from Peru, age 25-26, and single. [REDACTED]

C could furnish no further ~~xxxxx~~ information at this time.

Indices on [REDACTED]

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check out [REDACTED]

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IC [REDACTED]

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Writer received call on above date from woman who identified self as [REDACTED] phone [REDACTED]

b7D She advised that [REDACTED] Pasadena, and formerly attended [REDACTED]

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b7C About 6 weeks ago, suspect SIRHAN [REDACTED] attempted to cash a \$1200.00 insurance draft drawn on the downtown branch of Crocker Citizens, insurance company payor unknown. Stated that in such cases, the bank will take the check and send it to the insurance company for verification. If draft is valid, the company will send the bank back a cashiers check and the bank will then notify the payee that his money is ready.

b7D Stated that that was the situation in this case and that subject was paid the money about one week later. This is the only business transacted by suspect with the bank as far as is known by [REDACTED]

She continued that she is certain this was the suspect inasmuch as [REDACTED]

Above submitted for appropriate action.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM :

SUBJECT: KENSALT

See supervisor

[REDACTED] called Mr. DE LOACH from New York today and said that a friend of his (his identity he did not wish to give) told him that about one and one half hours prior to the time Senator KENNEDY was shot he had a serious altercation with CHAVEZ who heads the United Auto Workers Union approximately fifteen minutes before KENNEDY was shot. CHAVEZ was seen talking with a person believed to be subject [REDACTED] said that his source learned this information third hand from LAPD Intelligence.

LEAD

Immediately contact (FNU) CHAVEZ to determine whether or not he talked to SIRHAN SIRHAN prior to shooting of Senator KENNEDY.

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*Explore this immediately
& include in til tomorrow,
6/6/68*

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Chavez
did not see Kennedy
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Subject's name and aliases UNSUB; Person seen on Vido tape, on TV,			Address of subject		Character of case CR
Complainant 			Complainant's address and telephone number  Calif.		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date <u>6-5-68</u> Time <u>8/27am</u>
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Birth date and Birthplace
	Age		Weight	Eyes	
	Scars, marks or other data				
<p>Facts of complaint</p> <p>C. stated that he feels that another person was involved in the shooting of KENNEDY. C. stated he has been watching the entire thing on TV and he had noticed that a person, (subject) had had a smirk & grin on his face after KENNEDY was shot, while other persons XXXX had shocked expressions on their faces. The subject is on the vido tape after the UAW man was being carried out. The XXXXXX camera went back to the crowd, after UAW man being carried out, and showed the subject with a grin & smirk on his face. C. stated if the FBI took a look at the tape they would see why this is important to the case. C. also stated the subject looked like a person of the same race as the suspect arrested. C. also stated he thinks the shooting is a conspiracy.</p> <p>ALL b7C</p> <p><i>Fris</i></p> <p>56-156-50 SEARCHED INDEXED SERIALIZED FILED JUN 5 1968 FBI - LOS ANGELES</p>					
<p>Action Recommended</p> <p> (Agent)</p>					

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Subject's name and aliases			Address of subject			Character of case MENSALT			
Complainant XXXX ANONYMOUS			Complainant's address and telephone number			Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-5-68 Time 11:09a			
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace			
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion				
	Scars, marks or other data								

Facts of complaint

C said she has a friend who was at the Ambassador Hotel Sunday night. She told C that she is sure she saw the suspect then that night. He was walking back and forth from the kitchen door to the ~~main~~ main entrance to the lobby. She told C that he was dressed identical to the way they said the suspect was dressed, and she is sure it was the same individual.

C refused to give her name or friends name, saying she did not want to get involved. C was advised several times it would be confidential, but she still refused.

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Subject's name and aliases Suspect in Kennedy Shooting.		Address of subject		Character of case CR		
Complainant [REDACTED]		Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED]		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-5-68 Time 8/43am		
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion	
	Scars, marks or other data					

Facts of complaint

C. stated that last week she and her neighbor had been driving down the street when they had seen a person who looks like the suspect in the KENNEDY shooting, had walked in to Nazi Headquarters, on Beck Rd.. C. stated she can not be certain that this is the same person but he certinly did look like ~~him~~. ~~the~~ the suspect.

C. further stated ~~she would like~~ it would be ok if agents came to her house and talked to her concerning the above.

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Subject's name and aliases John Borrows Jr. High School		Address of subject McCadden Pl Off Wilshire, LA		Character of case CR	
Complainant [REDACTED]		Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED]		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date <u>6-5-68</u> Time <u>8/47am</u>	
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion
	Scars, marks or other data				

Facts of complaint

C. stated three weeks ago her daughter had come home from school and told her that the subject had told her and the class that some astrologist had predicted that KENNEDY would not be president because something tragic would happen to him.

C. stated she felt the FBI might be interested in the above.

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Subject's name and aliases UNSUB;		Address of subject		Character of case CR	
Complainant [REDACTED] b7D		Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED]		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date <u>6-5-68</u> Time <u>9/13am</u>	
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion
	Birth date and Birthplace				
	Scars, marks or other data				
Facts of complaint b7D C. stated he is [REDACTED] above cleaners and he wanted to report that he had found a list of peoples names in a suit that was left at his cleaners. The list was on a napkin. The list is as follows: Martin Luther King — Crossed out. Rap Brown Stockly Carmichael Earl Warren Roberty Kennedy Dorthy Healy Tom Kuchel C. stated he had received this suit about two weeks ago. C. stated he would like to have an agent take a look at the list to see if it could be of use to this office.					
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Action Recommended [REDACTED] (Agent)					

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO :

SAC, LOS ANGELES

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM :

SUPERVISOR [REDACTED]

SUBJECT:

ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION OF
SENATOR ROBERT F. KENNEDY
6/4/68

b7D

At approximately 8:40 a.m., 6/5/68, [REDACTED] Los Angeles, telephone [REDACTED] telephonically advised he observed the individual who allegedly shot Senator KENNEDY on television and he believes him to be an individual that he knew in Saint Peter, Minnesota, in 1961.

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[REDACTED] was employed [REDACTED] at the Saint Peter State Insane Asylum, Saint Peter, Minnesota, [REDACTED] 1961. He stated the person he saw on television as having shot Senator KENNEDY was identical to an inmate by the name of [REDACTED] (phonetic). He stated [REDACTED] was at the asylum for criminally assaulting a young child and was in the criminal ward of the hospital. He claimed [REDACTED] escaped in July, 1961, and as far as he knows was never located.

[REDACTED] has a small scar on his right forearm located about the middle of the forearm. He stated it appears to have probably been made by a cigarette burn.

[REDACTED] he was not positive of the identity but felt reasonably sure it is the individual he knew as [REDACTED] stated he could be reached at this telephone number any time during the day.

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Indices: ☐ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases Suspect in Kennedy Shooting				Address of subject		Character of case KENSALT	
Complainant 				Complainant's address and telephone number  house) girlfriends		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date <u>6-5-68</u> Time <u>10/16am</u>	
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace	
	Age	Weight	Eyes	Complexion			
	Scars, marks or other data						
Facts of complaint C. stated she and her girl friend go into LA every 24th. of each month to St. Marys Church, on Chicago St. C. stated she thinks she has seen the suspect at these meetings, or it is a person who very much looks like the suspect. ALL b7c File <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"><div>56-156-56</div><div>SEARCHED _____ INDEXED _____ SERIALIZED _____ FILED _____ JUN 5 1968 FBI - LOS ANGELES</div></div>							
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Indicate: ☐ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases		Address of subject		Character of case <i>Kennet</i>	
Complainant <i>[REDACTED] - b7D - [REDACTED]</i>		Complainant's address and telephone number <i>[REDACTED]</i>		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date <i>6-5-68</i> Time <i>8:29am</i>	
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion
	Scars, marks or other data				
Birth date and Birthplace					

Facts of complaint

C said that last night at approximately 10:45pm he was walking with a *[REDACTED]* telephone number *[REDACTED]* near Robertson and Wilshire. A man came up to them, that looked very similar to the pictures of the suspect in the Kennedy shooting, and asked for the directions to the Ambassador Hotel, Kennedy's headquarters. C said they told him and he left.

C said the man spoke with a accent, was very nervous, acted incoherent, and ^{had} a mole on his cheek. He was carrying a large book, a writing pad, and loose papers. C said he may have had a car, since when they gave him the directions he walked away from a bus stop where C thought he would go.

C said the man they talked to was very similar to the picture of the suspect on television, and this morning, he phoned *[REDACTED]* who said the same thing.

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Indices: ☐ Negative ☒ See below

Subject's name and aliases KENSAULT			Address of subject			Character of case		
Complainant JERRY LEWIS			Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED]			Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6/5/68 Time 6:32 PM		
Subject's Description	Race	Sex	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace		
	Age	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Weight	Eyes	Complexion			
	Scars, marks or other data							
Facts of complaint <i>12825 Ventura Blvd CALIF No. Hollywood 769-4700</i> C said that one <u>FRANK CULLEN</u> , a security guard at the Sportsman's Lodge, called him, LEWIS, and requested that LEWIS pass this information on to PETER LAWFORD: CULLEN allegedly saw the suspect in this matter on an elevator with Sen. KENNEDY some time during the campaign in California. CULLEN WOULD NOT would not give LEWIS any further information, and LEWIS said that he would not call LAWFORD with it. LEWIS said that he could not vouch for the veracity of anything that CULLEN said. LEWIS said that he could be reached at HO 2-3111 for the next few hours as he would be at Columbia Studios working. Indices re [REDACTED] in which [REDACTED] former Senator PIERRE SALINGER, contacted this office re referenced matter on 9/9/64. Unable to determine if ident. Also a 26 ref, destroyed. <i>office</i> 9000 Sunset BL. # 278-7977 [REDACTED] FRANCIS D. CULLEN [REDACTED] (Phone listing) Refer to Desk 13 for appropriate action. Action Recommended <i>also see FD 302 on JOSEPH G. [REDACTED] - 7/1/68 - night auditor at above Hotel.</i>								

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Indices: ☐ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases <i>Unsub - Robert Kennedy</i> <i>- Victim</i>			Address of subject			Character of case		
Complainant <i>PAUL KULKA</i>			Complainant's address and telephone number <i>[REDACTED]</i>			Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date <i>6/5/68</i> Time <i>8:10 A</i>		
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace		
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion			
	Scars, marks or other data							
Facts of complaint								
<p><i>Complainant called to state he had received a letter from a Cousin in Czechoslovakia written 5/16/68 + received by him at Benton address last Wednesday 5/29/68</i></p> <p><i>The letter stated that radio reports indicated Robert Kennedy was shot. The cousin requested that C. write details to him. Radio there under Czech. control.</i></p> <p><i>In view of advance information from cousin complainant feels might be some significance</i></p> <p><i>Letter obtained from Kulka + is attached.</i></p> <p><i>Cousin is 68 yr. old widow - Her name is <i>[REDACTED]</i> Vlasil, address <i>[REDACTED]</i> 56-156-59, Moravia, Czechoslovakia. She + all relatives there.</i></p>								
Action Recommended <i>[REDACTED]</i>						<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> SEARCHED <i>[initials]</i> INDEXED <i>[initials]</i> SERIALIZED <i>[initials]</i> FILED <i>[initials]</i> JUN 5 1968 FBI - LOS ANGELES <i>[initials]</i> </div>		

READ LETTER AND AET. IF PRAT.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Telephone call received from Bureau at 6:15 PM this date advised that subject SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN was a member of the Organization of Arab Students at Pasadena Junior College.

Los Angeles to follow through.

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*negative as to such an
organization on PCC campus*

6/10/68 per [REDACTED]

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At 9:45 AM SA [REDACTED] telephonically advised from NBC studio that NBC has original film only. They will make copies and will be available on 6/6/68. They did not film the shooting and do not believe they have photos of subject before shooting in their film. They do have pictures of him being led away from the scene after the shooting.

LEAD

SA [REDACTED] should obtain a copy of the NBC film. ✓

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case: ☐ Negative ☒ See below

Subject's name and aliases KENSAULT		Address of subject		Character of case	
Complainant [REDACTED] b7D		Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED]		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6/5/68 Time 5:31 PM	
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion
	Scars, marks or other data				
Facts of complaint					
<p>b7D C advised that he was formerly with [REDACTED] in Washington, D. C., and also Madison, Wisconsin. He said that he has investigated the W.E.B. DuBois Clubs in Wisconsin, and testified before a U. S. Senate Internal Security Committee some years ago. He says that he is a close person friend of [REDACTED] Crime Records Division.</p> <p>C wanted to call our attention to the fact that NBC Newsman SANDER VAN OKER had interviewed a person at the Ambassador hotel early this morning, and that the girl had said that she was just outside the hotel at the time of the shooting; the girl said that a caucasian girl came running down the steps saying "We shot Kennedy! We shot Kennedy", and seemed quite pleased. This girl then allegedly met a Mexican-American and both left together. C said that VANOKER seemed stunned and did not realize the possible importance of this matter. C advised that the FBI should obtain the TV tapes and check this out.</p> <p>Indices reflect ref [REDACTED] which file is charged out to Bul ky, which is locked.</p> <p>ALL b7C</p>					
Referred to Desk 13 for appropriate action.					
Action Recommended [REDACTED]		[REDACTED]			

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7:15 AM 6-6-68
Have info for
Manning
R/B

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Indices: ☐ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases UNSUB; Mex. Girl being interviewed by NBC News-caster SANDY VANDAKER on TV.				Address of subject		Character of case CR	
Complainant [REDACTED]				Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED]		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date <u>6-5-68</u> Time <u>9/47am</u>	
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace	
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion		
	Scars, marks or other data						
Facts of complaint C. stated he had been watching the TV concerning the shooting of KENNEDY and that SANDY VANDAKER had interviewed a Mexican girl who stated she had seen a woman leaving the scene scene and as this woman went by her she had said, "we killed him" C. stated the FBI should talk to this Mex girl and try to find out who that woman was. ALL b7c							
Action Recommended [REDACTED] (Agent)							

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SEE [REDACTED]
PRIOR TO COURAGE
OF UNK OAKER
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Indices: ☐ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases Information Concerning			Address of subject		Character of case Misc.
Complainant [REDACTED] b7D			Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED]		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-5-68 Time 10:30AM
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Birth date and Birthplace
	Age		Weight	Eyes	
	Complexion				
Scars, marks or other data					
Facts of complaint:					
<p>b7D [REDACTED] telephoned that this morning he had received ^{two} communications through the mail:</p> <p>One envelope was addressed to [REDACTED] Los Angeles, Calif. It was postmarked 5-31-68, Pittsburg, Penn. and bore no return address. Inside was a whole sheet, color white, bearing yellow printing, reading, "Kindly see that your people keep a respectable distance from Senator Kennedy" There was no additional printing on the sheet and the message was in the form of a note. It bore no signature, nor date. The message appeared to be regular printing or a mimeograph job- not hand-printing.</p> <p>b7D The other communication was in an envelope bearing the address of [REDACTED] Los Angeles, Calif. The postmark is June (illeg.) 1968. (Possibly June 2), Bellevue, Pennsylvania. This envelope also contained a note which read: "Kennedy as an Attorney-General did nothing for you. Kennedy as a Senator did nothing for you. As President, what would he do for you? The same thing - NOTHING." The note was not signed and no further information appeared on the sheet which appeared to be cut down from regular size and cut in crooked fashion. The paper was white and unlined. In this instance the note was typewritten.</p> <p>[REDACTED] both communication were sent airmail; that one envelope appeared to be a business type envelope while the other was of a personal type. He has both letters in his possession. He advised that he has no knowledge who is the sender of them and knows of no others of this type.</p>					
<p>Action Recommended</p> <p>1- [REDACTED]</p> <p>1- [REDACTED] (Agent)</p> <p><i>amj</i></p> <p>SEARCHED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> INDEXED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SERIALIZED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FILED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> JUN 5 1968 FBI - LOS ANGELES [REDACTED] OBTAIN LETTERS 56-156-64</p>					

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

SA [REDACTED] advised that the Pasadena Police Department received a telephone call from GAYOMARD, MEHERGI [REDACTED] Pasadena. He called and furnished the following information:

He formerly knew subject at Pasadena City College and saw him last night, 6/4/68, at the Pasadena City College cafe around 6:00 PM with four other Arabs.

LEAD

Interview MEHERGI re full information of Arabs and subject. Ascertain if he could identify other Arabs by name, and if so they should be interviewed as to their association and activities with subject.

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Lieutenant CHARLES HUGHES, Rampart Division, Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD), furnished on June 5, 1968, the names of the following as alleged witnesses to the KENNEDY shooting:

e ✓ SUSANNE LOCKE

telephone [REDACTED]

e ✓ CAROL BRESHEARS

La Canada, California
[REDACTED]

c ✓ RALPH EIMORE
ABC Engineer

Extention [REDACTED]

✓ CHRISTE WITKER
American Heritage
New York City
no further address known

→ 4/6/68 - SA [REDACTED] mobile to get further info.

a ✓ GEORGE GREEN
telephone [REDACTED]

c ✓ ACQUELINE SULLIVAN

[REDACTED] Los Angeles
telephone [REDACTED]

✓ GABOR KADAR
no address known

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SA [REDACTED] mobile to get further info.

e ✓ RAY BRANNIGAN
NBC News
[REDACTED]

e ✓ GEORGE FULTON
NBC News
[REDACTED]

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In addition to the above names, Lieutenant HUGHES advised SA [REDACTED] that his officers had been attempting all day to contact Dr. ROSS MILLER of Compton, California, telephone number [REDACTED]. HUGHES stated that Dr. MILLER was the physician in attendance on ROBERT KENNEDY after the shooting.

Rampart Division, LAPD, received two telephone calls from individuals who stated only that "they had information regarding the suspect." These are as follows:

b7D e [REDACTED]
telephone [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
Bellflower California
telephone [REDACTED]

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/5/68

Attached is a list of persons, who may be able to furnish pertinent information regarding this matter.

Agents receiving this communication will locate and interview the individual marked.

It is noted that LAPD is also attempting to locate and interview these individuals and in some cases LAPD officers may have conducted such interviews by phone.

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*Covered except
for [REDACTED]
and [REDACTED] advised
to not lead out on above*

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*COORDINATE INTERVIEWS OF
WITNESSES AT CRIME SCENE*

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SUPERVISOR [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At 3:22 p.m., an anonymous female, who refused to furnish her name, stated that the individual in custody for the shooting of ROBERT KENNEDY, planted a bomb in his girl friend's car in Pasadena about two years ago. For more information, she stated "see the daughter [REDACTED] who lives on Howard Street in Pasadena at an unknown number and who has an unlisted phone number." She stated an individual who can furnish the location of the daughter of [REDACTED] who also resides on Howard and has a listed telephone number.

The Northeastern telephone directory lists [REDACTED] at [REDACTED] Pasadena, telephone [REDACTED]

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Subject's name and aliases UNSUB [REDACTED] of Hardware Store, Located at 5 Point Shopping Center, Beach Blvd & Ellis, Huntington Beach, Calif.			Address of subject			Character of case CR		
Complainant [REDACTED] b7D -			Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED] Bus: [REDACTED]			Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-5-68 Time 8/12am		
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace		
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion			
	Scars, marks or other data							
Facts of complaint C. stated on 6-1-68 he had been in the Hardware Store, Five Points Shopping Center, Beach & Ellis, Huntington Beach, Calif. and was having a conversation with [REDACTED] concerning the up and coming elections. At this time the subject had stated that if KENNEDY wins the election, in a couple of guys would kill him. Subject also stated he knew four guys in the Vets. Hostp., Ex GI's, who was going to kill KENNEDY.								
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Action Recommended [REDACTED] (Agent)								

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-NEW)

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/5/68

At 5:25 p.m. this date writer received a telephone call from SA [REDACTED] Region II, Army Intelligence, Pasadena, telephone SY 6-0160.

[REDACTED] advised that he had just received information TERRY FELL, who is [REDACTED] in San Francisco, who is [REDACTED]

FELL advised [REDACTED] that he (FELL) was personally acquainted with the suspect in this case while they both attended Pasadena City College in 1964.

FELL advised that he knew the suspect attended Longfellow Grade School, George Washington Junior High School and John Muir High School, all in Pasadena, and that the suspect graduated from John Muir in 1963.

FELL stated that while the suspect was at Pasadena City College he was active in mustering support for the Shah of Iran during the Shah's visit in the U. S. during 1964.

FELL continued that he also knew that suspect had an association with an individual by the name DAVOR PEVEC, who is a croatian Yugoslav, presently attending University of California at Santa Barbara.

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[REDACTED] FELL stated that PEVEC's parents reside at [REDACTED] Pasadena.

[REDACTED] that he did not obtain any further details from FELL; however, FELL would be available at the [REDACTED] San Francisco should we desire to interview him this evening.

SUGGESTED LEADS

SAN FRANCISCO

AT THE PRESIDIO, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA: Contact TERRY FELL for further details.

LOS ANGELES

AT PASADENA, CALIFORNIA: Make inquiry at [REDACTED] in effort to determine location of DAVOR PEVEC so that he might be interviewed regarding this matter.

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

Indices: ☐ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases		Address of subject		Character of case KENSAIT	
Complainant CHARLIE HOSTETTER		Complainant's address and telephone number Alhambra, Calif.		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-6-68 Time 9:23am	
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion
	Scars, marks, or other data				

Facts of complaint

C said his wife, LENORA, is a waitress at Daves Coffee Shop, Garfield and Main, Alhambra, California, telephone number 289-0925. She works Monday thru Thursday from 7:30am to 1:00pm.

She told C that she is sure SIRHAN SIRHAN was in the coffee shop on the morning of 6-4-68 at approximately 9:30am until 10:00am. He was with another individual, and they both ordered toast and coffee. They had a newspaper on the counter, and laying of the ~~xxx~~ paper they had a drawing, which looked similar to a blueprint, which they were looking at. C said his wife told him^(c) that at the time the drawing reminded her of a blueprint which had been made of the kitchen at the coffee shop.

C said his wife told him the other man was bushy haired, but did not furnish him any other discription. C said he is sure his wife would be willing to ~~furnish xxxxxxxx~~ cooperate with this office if contacted.

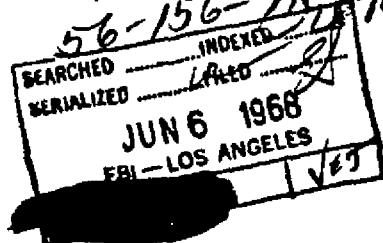
C said his wifes boss was also working on that date and she asked him if he thought it was the same individual. He told her he did but not to tell anyone, since he did not want to become involved.

C had no further information to furnish at this time.

Action Recommended **56-156**

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(Agent)



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Indices: ☐ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases		Address of subject		Character of case KENSALT	
Complainant FREDRICK BAEDER		Complainant's address and telephone number Newport Beach, Calif.		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-6-68 Time 9/54 am	
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion
	Scars, marks or other data				
Birth date and Birthplace					

Facts of complaint

C. stated he is the publisher of "Baedeker Guide" and that he and his family had been at the Embassy Room during the shooting of Mr. KENNEDY. C. stated he feels that he and his family have certian information concerning the shooting that would be important to the FBI. C. stated he does not want to discuss this information over the phone. C. also stated he definatly wants no publicity or his name released to any news media.

C. asked the writer to have the agent contact him by phone before coming to his house for an interview.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA AMADEE O. RICHARDS, JR.

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/6/68

On 6/5/68, MUNIR BISHARA SIRHAN was interviewed and indicated that he was employed at F. C. Nash Department Store in Pasadena, California.

Also in connection with this interview, MUNIR stated that his brother, SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN, had purchased a gun, caliber unknown, from an individual who worked with MUNIR at the F. C. Nash Department Store. MUNIR stated that it was a direct sale from GEORGE (LNU) of the F. C. Nash Company to his brother.

Investigation conducted by the Pasadena Police Department indicates that GEORGE ERHARD, employee of F. C. Nash Department Store, sold the gun to MUNIR SIRHAN rather than to the brother, SIRHAN SIRHAN.

LEAD

Review employment records, F. C. Nash Department Store, Pasadena for complete background information on MUNIR SIRHAN.

(2) Interview GEORGE ERHARD concerning circumstances of the sale of the gun to the SIRHAN family.

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SA [REDACTED]

KENSALT

An autopsy was to be performed on the body of Senator KENNEDY during the early morning hours of 6/6/68. Results of this autopsy should be obtained through the Los Angeles County Coroner's Office as soon as available.

LEAD

Obtain results of autopsy.

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(2) [REDACTED]
see LA airtel to Bu
9/68
not available until then of [REDACTED]
w/s 9/9/68 & return Samuel
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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

An autopsy was to be performed on the body of Senator KENNEDY during the early morning hours of 6/6/68. Results of this autopsy should be obtained through the Los Angeles County Coroner's Office as soon as available.

LEAD

Obtain results of autopsy.

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Autopsy Report

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[REDACTED] *handling*

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Subject's name and aliases UNKNOWN			Address of subject b7C [REDACTED]			Character of case KENSALT		
Complainant [REDACTED] b7C [REDACTED]			Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED]			Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6/5/68 Time 6:45 PM		
Subject's Description	Race	Sex	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace		
	Age	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Weight	Eyes	Complexion			
	Scars, marks or other data							
Facts of complaint C advises that an Arabian lives next door, his name unknown; because an Arabian was involved in captioned case she thought we might be interested. This neighbor has been an annoyance to her and her family; she is distressed because he has removed a screen from the residence facing her home, that he ^{is seen} was around the house nude from the waist up and because of this she is concerned about the welfare of her 11 and 16 year old daughters. E was advised that any concern involving the welfare of her daughters or her property was a matter ^{for the} local authorities - Sheriff's Office in her area.								
<div style="text-align: right;"><i>No action</i></div> <div style="text-align: right;">56-156-75 SEARCHED _____ INDEXED _____ SERIALIZED <i>h</i> FILED <i>h</i> JUN 6 1968 FBI - LOS ANGELES</div>								
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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SUPERVISOR [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

S [REDACTED] at the Rampart Street Division, Los Angeles Police Department, advised at 7:45 this A.M. that the Los Angeles Police Department planned to use the documentary evidence obtained at SIRHAN's residence for Grand Jury trial, 6/7/68. It is requested that the Bureau be advised to return this material to Los Angeles in order to meet this deadline.

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I handled with [REDACTED]

2 copies sent Rampart [REDACTED]

*Bureau being advised by Front office. [REDACTED]
Kerning LA Copies [REDACTED]*

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SUPERVISOR [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Material from the effects of SIRHAN SIRHAN obtained by SA [REDACTED] were placed upon TWA Flight 62, which departs Los Angeles at 10:50 p.m., landing at Friendship Airport, Baltimore, at 6:20 a.m., with pilot [REDACTED]. The material was furnished to Pilot [REDACTED] by SA [REDACTED].

The above information was furnished to night supervisor [REDACTED] Washington Field, at approximately 9:45 p.m.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : Supervisor [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/6/68, Los Angeles Police Department, Rampart Division suggested the notebooks obtained from subject's room, which were turned over to the FBI on 6/5/68 for transmittal to Washington, D.C. be returned for possible Grand Jury action 6/7/68.

Deputy District Attorney BUCK COMPTON, telephone 626-3888, was telephonically contacted and advised he was not at all certain they intended to use the notebooks before the Grand Jury. He stated he was having a conference with District Attorney YOUNGER this morning and would let us know.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re Los Angeles memo of ASAC RICHARD D. ROGGE
6/5/68 concerning telephone call from Bureau Supervisor
[REDACTED]

Supervisor [REDACTED] instructed efforts be made to
obtain a duplicate set of SIRHAN's fingerprints from INS
file and check against those of subject now in custody as
a suspect in attempted assassination of Senator KENNEDY.

Fingerprints of SIRHAN were obtained from CII and
sent to Bureau 6/5/68. //

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/5/68

Acquaintances of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN as provided by his brother ADEL:

GAYOMARD MEHERGI MISTRY, residing [REDACTED] Pasadena, California, receives mail at [REDACTED] Avenue, Apartment [REDACTED] Pasadena, described - male, Jordanian, born [REDACTED] eyes.

MISTRY attended PCC with suspect and can put latter in PCC cafe at 6:00 p.m. on 6/4/68 with 4 Arabians.

JEHANGIR DORDI [REDACTED] Apartment [REDACTED] Pasadena, Telephone [REDACTED] described as male, Jordanian, born [REDACTED] eyes, employed - [REDACTED] Boulevard, Los Angeles, business telephone [REDACTED]

MAROUF BADRAN, [REDACTED] Apartment [REDACTED] California, [REDACTED]

GEORGE SALAMEH, [REDACTED] Hollywood, California, employed by [REDACTED] Los Angeles.

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FOR NECESSARY AGENT
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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-New)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : ASAC RICHARD D. ROGGE

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At 4:06 P.M., 6/5/68, Legat [REDACTED] Mexico City, telephonically advised as follows:

[REDACTED] stated Assistant Director WILLIAM C. SULLIVAN had advised the Legat, Mexico, to insure representative photographs of suspect SIRHAN SIRHAN were transmitted to the Legat in Mexico City by the most expeditious means possible.

Legat [REDACTED] advised that if possible the photographs should be placed with the captain of a Western Airlines flight to Mexico City with instructions to leave it at the Western Airlines office at the airport in Mexico City. The package should be addressed to Legal Attache [REDACTED] American Embassy, Mexico D.F., Mexico, and should merely bear the return address of the Los Angeles Office and not the usual "frank."

[REDACTED] requested to be advised telephonically of the flight the photographs will be on so that they can arrange to meet the plane.

In view of the above, this request should receive expeditious handling.

Efforts to learn the purpose of furnishing these photographs to Mexico City were unproductive as [REDACTED] stated it would not be wise to discuss the matter any further over the telephone.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

From Sergeant WILLIAM E. BRANDT, Rampart Detective Division, Los Angeles Police Department, it was ascertained the following two doctors had dealings with the subject:

[REDACTED] California, appointment on 11/14, year not given, at 3:00 p.m.

[REDACTED] Pasadena, California, Suite [REDACTED]

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BOTH OF ABOVE
PREVIOUSLY
[REDACTED]

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DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

b7D [On 6/5/68, Special Agent [REDACTED] Bureau of Criminal Identification and Investigation (CII), Department of Justice, State of California, Room 406, State Building, 217 West First Street, Los Angeles, California, advised that he was offering the following information with a view to possible assistance concerning captioned matter. Special Agent [REDACTED] appeared personally at the office and was interviewed by the writer.

ALL b7K [CII, Sacramento, received an applicant print on 12/16/65, from California Horse Racing Board, 107 South Broadway, Los Angeles, concerning SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN and the print showed SIRHAN was an applicant for a license as an Exercise Boy. SIRHAN was described as a male white, born Jerusalem, 3/19/44, 5'2", 115 pounds, black hair, brown eyes. There is no CII or FBI Number for SIRHAN.

b7D [In checking further concerning SIRHAN, Agent [REDACTED] determined that California Driver's License M238847 was issued to above SIRHAN in 1964, at which time his residence was shown as 696 East Howard Street, Pasadena, California. Agent [REDACTED] additionally advised that on 3/9/66, in Pasadena Municipal Court, SIRHAN was convicted of violation of Section 22350 Vehicle Code (VC), and paid a \$5.00 fine plus penalty.

On 11/28/66, in El Monte, California Municipal Court, he was charged with violation of Section 21453 VC and forfeited \$13.00 bail. In connection with this charge, it was shown that he was driving vehicle with license plate JWS 093. DMV shows a 1968 California registration for the above license plate, registered to a 1956 De Soto two door, serial number 62050J11. The sole owner was shown as SIRHAN B. SIRHAN, 696 East Howard Street, Pasadena.

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but it can be obtained if necessary. This particular record possibly is readily available at the Pasadena Police Department. Photographs of this individual are available if necessary through [REDACTED]

b7D [Agent [REDACTED] further advised that from CII records in Sacramento the following information may pertain to [REDACTED] in captioned matter: [REDACTED]

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b7D [Agent [REDACTED] furnished the following information concerning an emergency APB (teletype) received by CII, Sacramento, from the Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD), dated 6/5/68. He said this APB could be identified by 1 RAM. He said this was actually received from Rampart Detectives, LAPD, [REDACTED] Agent [REDACTED] said that he did not have the verbatim text of the APB at this time; however, it does mention a possible female companion of the suspect in captioned matter. This female was described as white, age 23 to 27, 5'6", wearing white voile dress with three-quarter length sleeves. There was no additional information available at this time in this regard.

[Agent [REDACTED] is thanked for his cooperation in this matter and he advised that should it be necessary to contact him on an emergency basis, he could be reached through his residence telephone in [REDACTED]

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

The only member of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN's family to be interviewed is SHARIF SIRHAN. Investigation indicates that SHARIF resides somewhere in Highland Park, California and works for Cannon Electric in Los Angeles.

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Immediately locate and interview SHARIF SIRHAN.

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DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

The Bureau has requested that it be definitely ascertained whether or not SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN made the statement, "I did this for my country." after shooting Senator KENNEDY.

LEAD

Determine if above statement was made by subject.

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~~STATEMENT "I DID THIS
FOR MY COUNTRY"~~

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1. Lorie Grier-Sp. NO. [REDACTED]
2. County Office
+ TR. W. H. E. [REDACTED]
by [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

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DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

The Bureau has requested that handwriting samples for SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN be obtained and forwarded to the Bureau for handwriting comparisons.

LEAD

Obtain undictated handwriting samples of SIRHAN's handwriting through employment records and school records, etc.

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HANDWRITING SAMPLES
TO BE SENT TO BUREAU

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[REDACTED]

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

In the materials obtained from the residence of ~~SIRHAN-BISHARA SIRHAN~~ the name PEGGY OSTERKAMP, 13290 Archibald Avenue, Corona, California was mentioned repeatedly.

LEAD

*no sub
address*

Interview PEGGY OSTERKAMP for any information.

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1340 West Sixth Street
Los Angeles, California, 90017

June 7, 1968

Mr. Ray L. Beindorf
Vice President and General Manager
CBS-KNXT, Channel 2
6121 Sunset Boulevard
Los Angeles, California, 90028

Request for a copy of the 16mm
magnetic stripe color film shot
at the Ambassador Hotel,
Los Angeles, California, on the
morning of June 5, 1968 by Bill
Wilde of KNXT News and relating
to the shooting of Senator
Robert F. Kennedy

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Dear Mr. Beindorf:

Pursuant to the conversation you had June 5, 1968
with Special Agent [REDACTED] this letter will
confirm the request for captioned film to be used in the
official inquiry into the shooting of Senator Robert F.
Kennedy.

The contents of this film will not be made public
or used in a court of law or official government hearing
without the issuance of a subpoena duces tecum.

The cooperation you and your staff at KNXT have
extended to the Federal Bureau of Investigation in this
and past matters is most appreciated.

Very truly yours,

Wesley G. Grapp
WESLEY G. GRAPP
Special Agent in Charge

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

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

SA [REDACTED] advised at 11:00 a.m. this date the Police Department received call from man in Pomona, who said SIRHAN's face familiar to him and is probably affiliated with Foreign Students Registry at Pasadena City College. SA [REDACTED] is passing on this info for whatever action deemed appropriate.

LEAD

Review school records at PCC:

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*Pasadena City College
Records*

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

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At 2:15 p.m., 6/5/68, [REDACTED] telephonically contacted [REDACTED] and advised an unidentified ex-con called the [REDACTED] long distance and indicated he wanted to talk about a conspiracy to kill KENNEDY. [REDACTED] informed the unidentified informant that he would contact the LAPD and obtain the name of the appropriate official who would take the informant's information.

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At 2:30 p.m. the unidentified informant telephonically contacted [REDACTED] and indicated he wanted to talk about a conspiracy, however, he wanted complete amnesty before he did any talking. The unidentified informant refused to give his name and telephone number and stated he would call again at 3:00 p.m.] b7C

At 3:00 p.m. the unidentified informant telephonically contacted [REDACTED] and stated that one of the persons involved in the conspiracy was one [REDACTED] who is an attorney in Miami, Florida, with telephone No. [REDACTED]. Informant claims [REDACTED] was to pick up the assassin and take him to "the island".

Informant indicated that [REDACTED] had a contact in the Los Angeles area. Informant also indicated another person by the name of [REDACTED] was also involved and resided Sunset Island, with telephone No. [REDACTED].

Informant again refused to identify himself or furnish the telephone number where he might be contacted and stated he would call again on 6/6/68. He indicated he might have additional information at that time.

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[REDACTED] suggested that the FBI contact the Miami Office and determine the listings for the above mentioned telephone numbers in order that the informant's information may be evaluated when he calls on 6/6/68.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/5/68 [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] furnished the writer the following information:

On the morning of 6/5/68, he received a telephonic communication from [REDACTED] who resides at [REDACTED] California, telephone [REDACTED] advised [REDACTED] that he had been approached "to do a high political job" inferring it had something to do with killing Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY. [REDACTED] he refused the offer, told the people involved he did not want any part of it and if it was tried he would "blow the whistle on them". [REDACTED] that he wanted a guarantee in writing that he will be immune from prosecution pertaining to this or any action he had been involved in that is discovered as a result of investigation into this matter. Prior to his furnishing details on the identity of the persons and offer made to him in this regard.

[REDACTED] advised that since he was unaware of the details in the matter and in no position to guarantee [REDACTED] in telephonic contact with [REDACTED] LAPD, and [REDACTED] later contacted [REDACTED] who indicated [REDACTED] that he would guarantee no prosecution [REDACTED] or information [REDACTED] could furnish.

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[REDACTED] however, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] it is possible he could be hallucinating
in regard to the attempted murder of Senator KENNEDY.

[REDACTED] requested that [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] be contacted in this matter relating [REDACTED] prior
to any contact with [REDACTED]

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/6/68 [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] telephonically contacted the writer in connection with captioned case. She claimed to have some information concerning SIRHAN SIRHAN. [REDACTED] at she was placing the telephone call from a public telephone and for this reason declined to furnish details concerning what information she might have. She requested the writer contact her personally re this matter.

The above was related on 6/6/68 to Supervisor WILLIAM JOHN NOLAN, who instructed the writer to make contact with [REDACTED] to obtain information she might have.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SUPERVISOR [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At 5:22 A.M., 6/6/68, Supervisor [REDACTED] at the Bureau requested all data as to how the Los Angeles Police Department traced the murder weapon. SA [REDACTED] obtained information which is located in attached folder concerning this information. [REDACTED] advised that he desires a teletype concerning this information.

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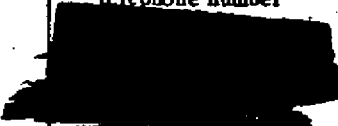
*Murder Weapon
Traced by L.A. P.D.*

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Subject's name and aliases			Address of subject		Character of case KENSALT
Complainant  -b7D-			Complainant's address and telephone number 		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-6-68 Time 12:52pm
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Birth date and Birthplace
	Age	Weight	Eyes	Complexion	
	Scars, marks or other data				

Facts of complaint

C stated that a  (phn) L.A.P.D. Intelligence, telephonically contacted him this date, and made an appointment to interview him at 2:00pm this date regarding SIRHAN.

C said he has study some of these peace groups, and draft counselling groups, and on three different occasions came up with SIRHAN's home address.


C said he did not know if this office wanted someone present, but thought he should let this office know. ~~xxxxxxx~~

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 *Edward*

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Subject's name and aliases KENSALE		Address of subject		Character of case Election Laws	
Complainant [REDACTED] b7D		Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED]		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-6-68 Time 11-44am	
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion
	Scars, marks or other data				
Facts of complaint b7D <p>C said he [REDACTED] heading north east out of exit S n Bernardino, on the Barstow Freeway.</p> <p>C said on Sunday, 6-2-68, a green Mustang, 1965 or 1966 with four individuals stopped for gas. C said the occupants were four males with rather dark complexions. C said he went up to them and tried speaking Spanish to them. The "lead man" stated he could not understand Spanish as they were all Jordanians.</p> <p>C said they stay stayed there for some time finally having to be asked to move their car out of the way.</p> <p>C said it was today that he saw a picture of SIRHAN in the newspaper and he is reasonably certain the man he talked to was SIRHAN? C said he felt this should be furnished in the event this car might be traced, etc.</p>					
Action Recommended 56-156 * [REDACTED]					

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Subject's name and aliases				Address of subject		Character of case KENSAIT	
Complainant [REDACTED] - b7D - [REDACTED] Cal.				Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED]		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-6-68 Time 9:48am	
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace	
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion		
	Scars, marks or other data						
Facts of complaint: <p>C said last semester, while she was attending Fullerton J.C. she attended some Arab discussion groups, held by [REDACTED] who is an instructor at Fullerton J.C., and resides at [REDACTED] Placentia, California, [REDACTED] telephone number [REDACTED] with [REDACTED]</p> <p>C said at one of this meetings she is pretty sure that SIRHAN was [REDACTED] there and spoke about his country. C said she can remember him being very emotionally involved, on a serious nature, about his country. C said she only saw him at the one meeting, and this was sometime in November.</p> <p>C said if this office checked with [REDACTED] she is sure he would remember if it was SIRHAN at the meeting.</p>							
<p>ALL b7C</p> <p><i>Advised</i></p> <p><i>[Signature]</i></p> <p>56-156-96 SEARCHED INDEXED SERIALIZED FILED JUN 6 1968 FBI - LOS ANGELES</p>							
Action Recommended 56-156 IC [REDACTED] (Agent)							

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/5/68

The following information was received from the Los Angeles Police Department, Emergency Control Center (ECC), from [REDACTED]

The following information was received from ECC at 5:32 p.m.:

[REDACTED] PERRY FELL [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] San Francisco, telephone [REDACTED]
advised subject active in gaining support at PCC in 1964 for the Shah of Iran's visit.

Subject is a close friend of DAVOR PEVEC a Yugoslav, home address [REDACTED] Pasadena. PEVEC is believed to have been a student at the University of California at Santa Barbara.

Subject has been a student at the following four schools:

Pasadena City College
Longfellow Grammar School
George Washington Jr. High
John Muir High School

The following information was received at ECC at 5:55 p.m.:

Mr. JOSEPH TOM KLIEN, home address [REDACTED]
Apartment [REDACTED] California, telephone [REDACTED]

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Subject's name and aliases		Address of subject		Character of case KENSAIT	
Complainant [REDACTED] b7D		Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED]		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-6-68 Time 2:11pm	
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion
	Birth date and Birthplace				
	Scars, marks or other data				
Facts of complaint b7D C said he [REDACTED] Last monday, 6-3, his wife found a piece of hate literature in their mail. C said it is a xerox copy, partly handwritten, partly typed, of a letter that was apparently sent to S. J. Kennedy. C said the letter is signed by a [REDACTED] Hollywood Park, Inglewood, California. C said the letter looks as if it was just dropped in the mail, but not sent through the mail. C said he hear thinks he heard on the news where SIRHAN xxxx uses the aka. [REDACTED] and he will keep the letter in case this office would like it. ALL b7C					
<div style="text-align: right;">56-156-99 SEARCHED _____ INDEXED _____ SERIALIZED _____ FILED _____ JUN 6 1968 FBI - LOS ANGELES see ser. 56-156-A-24 CHECK OUT [REDACTED]</div> <div>Action Recommended 56-156 IV [REDACTED] (Agent)</div>					

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Subject's name and aliases KENSAULT			Address of subject		Character of case
Complainant [REDACTED]			Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED] VAL.		Complaint received <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Personal <input type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6/5/68 Time 6:46pm
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Birth date and Birthplace
	Age	Weight	Eyes	Complexion	
	Scars, marks or other data				

Facts of complaint

C said that at about 3:00 AM today he was watching Channel 2. An interview was in progress with two hotel employees, wearing white jackets. One man was short, one was tall. C recognized the tall one as a SID (LNU) whom he had known as a Communist about 12 years ago.

C said that he was not close to this individual, and could not provide any information re the man's background. C just wanted to point out the possible importance of a Communist, if this was the man, working at the Ambassador Hotel last night.

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Refer to 13; no specific action recommended.

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IDENTIFY "SID" LNU
Reassign to [REDACTED]

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-New)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/5/68 at 5:20 P.M., HUMPHREY CORDERO and ENRIQUE RABAGO personally appeared at the Los Angeles Office and advised the writer that they wanted to furnish information concerning captioned case.

Mr. CORDERO and Mr. RABAGO were interviewed together and stated that they had positively seen the individual appearing on the front page of the Los Angeles "Herald-Examiner" and identified as the individual who assaulted ROBERT F. KENNEDY on the previous evening, 6/4/68, at the Ambassador Hotel. CORDERO and RABAGO stated that at approximately 8:30 P.M., 6/4/68, they had decided that they would drive to the Ambassador Hotel in order to observe the activities at KENNEDY's campaign headquarters. CORDERO and RABAGO stated that they arrived at the Ambassador Hotel in RABAGO's car and parked approximately two blocks away. They stated that they walked to the Ambassador Hotel, arriving at the entrance to KENNEDY's headquarters at some time between 9:00 and 9:30 P.M.

HUMPHREY CORDERO disclosed that he and his companion, RABAGO, were dressed in casual clothes and because of this RABAGO objected to their entering in that everyone else apparently was dressed in suits. CORDERO stated that he insisted that RABAGO accompany him and they entered together. CORDERO advised that approximately ten minutes after their entering he and RABAGO became separated in the large crowd at the campaign center.

ENRIQUE RABAGO stated that approximately 15 minutes after arriving at the Ambassador Hotel and after becoming separated from his companion, HUMPHREY CORDERO, he went to the entrance to the Ambassador Hotel and stood on the front porch. RABAGO stated that a great many people were there on the porch, and he struck up a general conversation with a few individuals standing nearby.

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RABAGO stated that at this time he observed the individual whom he later learned to be named SIRHAN. He stated that SIRHAN was standing on the porch alone sipping a drink. RABAGO stated that he had the following conversation with SIRHAN:

RABAGO "Are we going to win?"

SIRHAN "I think we are going to win."

RABAGO "I don't know. MC CARTHY is pretty close."

SIRHAN "Don't worry about him. He's a millionaire. That S.O.B. doesn't care about poor people."

RABAGO stated that the individual in question continued on, indicating to him that KENNEDY did not care about anyone of lower economic status and merely sought to gain the presidency for personal reasons. RABAGO stated also that SIRHAN appeared almost belligerent on this point and at one time stated that KENNEDY was going to "buy the presidency."

Mr. RABAGO advised that after talking with SIRHAN for approximately four to five minutes HUMPHREY CORDERO came out onto the front porch to get him.

HUMPHREY CORDERO advised that he observed his friend, ENRIQUE RABAGO, talking to an individual he now recognizes to be identical with the individual described as the attacker of ROBERT F. KENNEDY on the front page of the Los Angeles "Herald-Examiner." CORDERO stated that he kept insisting to RABAGO to return inside the main hall but RABAGO refused stating that his clothes were not adequate enough to return. CORDERO advised that he, CORDERO, beckoned to SIRHAN who was also dressed casually and used him as an example that everyone was not dressed in suits. CORDERO stated that at this point SIRHAN said, "We're voters. We can go in there like this." CORDERO advised that at this point SIRHAN related an incident that had occurred to him earlier in the evening.

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SIRHAN stated that he had walked into the RAFFERTY campaign room and ordered a drink and was immediately stared at by all the individuals in that room. SIRHAN told CORDERO that those "rich people looked at me as if I was dirt." SIRHAN then disclosed that he paid for his drink with a \$20 bill and told the hostess to keep the change. CORDERO advised that SIRHAN indicated that he had showed those rich millionaires that he was not dirty; CORDERO stated that in his opinion SIRHAN was aggravated and bothered by the fact that he was looked down upon because of his clothing and for other reasons.

CORDERO advised that he definitely got the impression from talking with SIRHAN that he was discontented and especially opposed to rich people.

Mr. RABAGO advised that he also felt this way but was further impressed with the fact that SIRHAN apparently did not like KENNEDY personally in that he was a millionaire.

Mr. CORDERO and Mr. RABAGO stated that they were positively certain that the individual appearing on the front page of the Los Angeles "Herald-Examiner" identified as the assaulter of ROBERT F. KENNEDY was the individual with whom they had conversed at approximately 9:30 P.M. on the previous evening.

Mr. CORDERO and Mr. RABAGO together described the individual as follows:

Sex	Male
Race	Caucasian
Height	5' 4-5"
Weight	120 lbs.
Complexion	Dark
Hair	Dark, very kinky and unkempt
Age	Early 20's
Characteristics	Appeared to be of Latin American or Mexican origin.
Clothing	Cardigan sweater, further description of clothing unknown.

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CORDERO and RABAGO both advised that SIRHAN spoke in an educated manner but had a slight accent.

CORDERO and RABAGO advised that at this point they were tired of their conversation with SIRHAN and the three of them walked back into the campaign headquarters area, at which time they parted company with SIRHAN and did not observe him again during the evening.

CORDERO disclosed that they left in RABAGO's car at approximately 10:15 or 10:30 P.M. that evening.

Mr. RABAGO advised that this morning, 6/5/68, he observed a photograph on television which he recognized as being the individual he had talked with on the previous evening. RABAGO stated that he drove to the residence of his friend, HUMPHREY CORDERO, and the two of them watched the newspaper stands until the "Herald-Examiner" containing SIRHAN's picture appeared. Mr. CORDERO advised that based on this picture he immediately recognized the man in the paper to be identical with the individual of the previous evening.

FD-302's to follow.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/6/68, JOSEPH THOMAS KLEIN, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] California, telephone [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] advised he is [REDACTED]
KLEIN stated that on the evening of 6/4/68 he was at the Ambassador Hotel when Senator KENNEDY was shot and then furnished the following information:

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KLEIN was standing with two of his friends outside of the Embassy Room at the Ambassador Hotel right after Senator KENNEDY had finished his victory speech. Approximately a minute or so after Senator KENNEDY had left the Embassy Room, a man came running out of the Embassy Room and shoved people as he ran. This man was carrying a package under his arm and the package was approximately three feet long and was wrapped in some "blue stuff" possibly paper or cardboard. KLEIN followed this individual out of the hotel, but upon reaching the outside he lost him. KLEIN asked several people if they observed a man running and they indicated not.

KLEIN stated the reason he followed this individual was because he was the first person to come running out of the room and was carrying a package. Also PATTY NELSON, who was with KLEIN stated she had seen a muzzle of a gun sticking out of one end of the package. KLEIN himself did not see the muzzle of a gun. Also a DENNIS WEAVER was with KLEIN and NELSON and WEAVER did not see a muzzle of a gun.

KLEIN explained that last night, 6/5/68, he was watching the Channel 7 News at 5:30 p.m., that originated from New York City. The news program showed a scene with Senator KENNEDY walking out of the Embassy Room after making his victory speech and the camera fanned out on the people who were standing in the corridor outside of the room where Senator KENNEDY was walking. The television camera stopped

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on this individual and at this point KLEIN recognized the same man he saw the previous night running out of the Embassy Room after Senator KENNEDY had been shot. In the television scene this individual had a blue package in his hand. KLEIN stated he would recognize this individual if he saw him again.

KLEIN furnished the following physical description of the individual running out of the Embassy Room carrying a package.

Sex	Male
Descent	Mexican or Cuban
Age	23 - 24
Height	5'9"
Weight	130 - 140
Hair	Black, long sideburns
Build	Slender
Clothing	Shirt and tie, and slacks.

KLEIN stated that PATTI NELSON resides in [REDACTED] California and her home telephone is [REDACTED]

LEADS

Immediately contact PATTI NELSON at above telephone number re individual running from the Embassy Room with package under his arm.

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AIR MAIL

TO: SAC, SAN DIEGO
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)
SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re Dallas telephone call to Los Angeles 6/5/68.

For information of San Diego, ASAC DONALD W. MOORE, JR., Dallas Division, furnished the following information:

[REDACTED] Mission Viejo, California, telephone [REDACTED] telephonically contacted her brother-in-law, [REDACTED] in Dallas, Texas, after she had heard suspect SIRHAN SIRHAN's name mentioned on television.

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According to [REDACTED] an individual with the same name of SIRHAN SIRHAN, whom she met, was in Dallas in April 1968 and at this time SIRHAN claimed to be attending SMU and had a brother employed at the Ambassador Hotel in Los Angeles, California.

ASAC MOORE stated that the Bureau has instructed that [REDACTED] be immediately located and interviewed for full details concerning [REDACTED] alleged meeting with SIRHAN SIRHAN.

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SAN DIEGO

AT MISSION VIEJO, CALIFORNIA. Immediately contact [REDACTED] and obtain all information she may have re SIRHAN SIRHAN.

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AIR MAIL

TO: SAC, SACRAMENTO (62-76)
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156) (P)
RE: KENSALT

Re Sacramento teletype to the Bureau dated 6/5/68, requesting Los Angeles to forward photos of SIRHAN B. SIRHAN.

Enclosed for Sacramento are two copies each of three separate photographs of SIRHAN B. SIRHAN. Two of the photographs were taken at the scene of the assault, while the other photograph was taken at Los Angeles Police Department Central Jail.

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Sent to Sacramento*

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-New)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : *R/S* SUPERVISOR [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSAULT

At 2:26 P.M., 6/5/68, an individual identifying himself as [REDACTED] aide to Senator EUGENE MC CARTHY, Suite 743, Beverly Hilton Hotel, Beverly Hills, California, telephonically advised as follows:

[REDACTED] stated that he had on another line, an individual identifying herself as [REDACTED] Beverly Hills, California, phone [REDACTED] who stated that she had knowledge of last night's assassination attempt of Senator KENNEDY. She said that her life was in danger because of this knowledge. She said that a similar attempt was going to be made on the life of Senator MC CARTHY as soon as the opportunity presented itself.

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[REDACTED] advised that as of the time of this call Senator MC CARTHY was "airborne" and not available to talk with [REDACTED] [REDACTED] furnished his telephone number as [REDACTED] which is a direct line into the security headquarters of Senator MC CARTHY's spaces. [REDACTED] said that he had advised [REDACTED] that Senator MC CARTHY was unavailable, however, would be returning to the hotel and would call her immediately upon his return. He said this satisfied her; however, she was continuing to talk on the phone. [REDACTED] was advised that the writer would immediately call back with appropriate instructions.

Los Angeles indices reflect file [REDACTED] which contains considerable information concerning [REDACTED] Beverly Hills, telephone [REDACTED] indicating she is mentally unbalanced. This individual has made numerous contacts with the Los Angeles Office and furnishes voluminous nonspecific information. She has been described as emotionally upset, under mental strain, and mentally unbalanced. Considerable information concerning her has already been furnished the Bureau (Bufile [REDACTED])

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The above information was immediately brought to the attention of Supervisor [REDACTED]. Based on this discussion, [REDACTED] was recontacted at 2:46 P.M. and advised that [REDACTED] appeared identical with [REDACTED] who had made numerous nonspecific incoherent contacts with the Los Angeles Office and had been described as mentally unbalanced. [REDACTED] was advised that based upon our prior contacts with this individual, no further action would be taken by the FBI. on this matter. [REDACTED] was informed that the U.S. Secret Service at Los Angeles would be advised, to which he agreed. [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] was still on the phone as of 2:46 P.M. and it was obvious to him she was mentally unbalanced.

[REDACTED] U.S. Secret Service, Los Angeles, was telephonically furnished the above information.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-New)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : *@* ASAC RICHARD D. ROGGE

SUBJECT: UNSUB, aka
Robert Gene Gendroz
ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION OF
SENATOR ROBERT F. KENNEDY,
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA
6/5/68

Re memorandum of SA [REDACTED] dated
6/5/68.

At 8:20 A.M., 6/5/68, SAC WILLIAM B. SOYARS, JR.,
Portland, telephonically called concerning a prior lead on
RONALD R. HUNTLEY.

SOYARS stated the Bureau is being telephonically
advised of the following information and that a teletype
including descriptions of the individuals included below
will follow.

SOYARS stated that HUNTLEY is allegedly related
to CHET HUNTLEY of the HUNTLEY - BRINKLEY news team. He
stated Portland Agents interviewed HUNTLEY and he advised that
on the evening of 5/28/68 ROBERT KENNEDY appeared at the
Benson Hotel in Portland, Oregon, where he conceded his
defeat in the Oregon primary. As KENNEDY came off the stage
HUNTLEY was in front of him clearing the way. They had to
travel approximately 10 to 15 feet from the stage to the
kitchen door when HUNTLEY noted two men were in the way.
He pushed one of the men out of the way and in so doing felt
something under this individual's coat which he thought to
be a heavy shoulder strap or gun.

HUNTLEY stated he had never seen either man before
and that since they both moved out of the way and KENNEDY was
able to pass through, no further action was taken. HUNTLEY
stated he feels he would be able to recognize both individuals
again.

SAC SOYARS states he will need photographs for display
to HUNTLEY. He was assured the photographs would be
promptly sent to him when duplicated.

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AIR MAIL - SPECIAL DELIVERY

TO: SAC, PORTLAND
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES
RE: KENSALT

Re Los Angeles teletype to Bureau and Portland and Portland telephone call to Los Angeles both 6/5/68.

Enclosed for Portland are two (2) photographs of the suspect in this matter who has not yet been identified.

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~~Unidentified Suspect
photographs of
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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SAC RICHARD D. ROGGE

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At 3:31 PM, 6/5/68, SA [REDACTED] General Investigative Division, SOG, telephonically contacted the SAC and stated some unspecified information was developed from a newspaper reporter indicating one [REDACTED] was in some way connected with the weapon used in this matter. [REDACTED] advised he was instructed to furnish this information to Los Angeles for use in connection with its investigation of the weapon.

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AIRTEL

AIR MAIL

TO: SAC, PORTLAND
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)
RE: KENSALT

Re Portland teletype to the Bureau and Los Angeles dated 6/6/68.

Enclosed for Portland are ^{two} ~~eight~~ photographs of SIRHAN.

Portland display enclosed photographs to RONALD R. HUNTLEY.

*photos of RONALD R. HUNTLEY
sent to Portland*

*photos of subject
sent to Portland*

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : *P* ASAC RICHARD D. ROGGE

SUBJECT: KENSALT

b7D [At 2:06 PM, 6/6/68, Supervisor CHARLES D. BRENNAN, Domestic Intelligence Division, called regarding Los Angeles teletype in above captioned matter dated 6/5/68, 1:40 PM, which contained information [REDACTED]

b7D BRENNAN stated the question arises at the Bureau as to the advisability and desirability of interviewing [REDACTED]. He stated the Bureau desires Los Angeles observations with regard to the possible interview [REDACTED] or any alternate methods to develop this information more fully furnished by informant. At this time BRENNAN stated the possibility exists [REDACTED] might be able to logically develop additional information; however, he did want Los Angeles recommendations promptly.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-New)

FROM : *@* ASAC RICHARD D. ROGGE

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/6/68

At 7:23 A.M., 6/6/68, SA [REDACTED] General Investigative Division, telephonically called concerning the package of evidence transmitted to the Bureau on 6/5/68.

[REDACTED] inquiries have been received from the Laboratory and they desire to know (1) Has the information submitted been xeroxed? (2) Has the material been reviewed for lead purposes? (3) Have any efforts been made to obtain the services of an Arabic translator to translate the Arabic writing included in the material?

[REDACTED] advised that the material had, in fact, been duplicated and would certainly be reviewed for lead purposes. He was advised that inquiry would be made concerning what arrangements, if any, are necessary to translate the Arabic material. [REDACTED] the Laboratory had indicated they may be able to obtain an Arabic translator if requested.

Inquiry at Los Angeles has determined that no arrangements have been made to obtain the services of an Arabic translator and that while xerox copies have been made of the material submitted, some of the material by its very nature could not be readily duplicated. In view of the necessity to transmit this material to the Bureau expeditiously, it was not possible to obtain legible copies of all the material transmitted to the Bureau.

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11:30 AM. *[Signature]* called
[REDACTED] advised (V42)
handled (3) [REDACTED] says
Lab will handle.
Also read APB Bulletin
2:17 PM to him re just per
[REDACTED] *[Signature]*

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : *R* ASAC RICHARD D. ROGGE

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At 8:52 AM, 6/6/68, Supervisor [REDACTED] General Investigative Division, telephonically advised that various news services are quoting PIERRE SALINGER and Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY's press aide, FRANK MANKIEWICZ, as stating SIRHAN SIRHAN or an individual very similar to him, was seen in the press room of the Ambassador Hotel just prior to KENNEDY's assassination and was removed because he did not have press credentials. He was later reportedly seen in the Embassy Ballroom of the Ambassador but no action was taken to oust him.

[REDACTED] instructed that SALINGER and MANKIEWICZ should be interviewed concerning the statements attributed to them. [REDACTED] was reminded that SALINGER and MANKIEWICZ will no doubt accompany KENNEDY's body to New York later today and would not be available for interview; however, he stated that if they cannot be logically interviewed in Los Angeles, appropriate leads should be set out to have them interviewed at an appropriate time.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-New)

FROM : *R* ASAC RICHARD D. ROGGE

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/5/68

At 12:08 P.M., 6/5/68, SAC J. MYERS COLE of San Antonio advised that the Chief of Police of San Antonio, Texas, had made a request of his office to determine if the suspect SIRHAN SIRHAN was of Costa Rican origin. COLE stated if so the Chief planned to intensify his coverage over the next weekend inasmuch as the President of Costa Rica is due to visit San Antonio in connection with the Hemisfair.

COLE was advised at this time that SIRHAN SIRHAN is believed to be a suspect; however, the individual in custody in connection with above matter has not been positively identified as SIRHAN SIRHAN and there is no information now available which would indicate that the suspect is from Costa Rica.

// I advised COLE that every effort would be made to contact him should it later be developed that the suspect now in custody is identified as being from Costa Rica.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-New)

FROM : *R* ASAC RICHARD D. ROGGE

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/5/68

At 12:01 P.M., 6/5/68, Supervisor [REDACTED] telephonically furnished the following information and instructions:

[REDACTED] stated review of Central INS records determined that SIRHAN SIRHAN reportedly has INS No. A10 711 881. He stated the fingerprints taken of this individual have not been located as yet by the Identification Division. [REDACTED] continued that it appears that the INS files on SIRHAN SIRHAN's family have been sent from the San Pedro, California, INS Office to the Los Angeles Police Department. He stated also that INS Central records disclosed that the last name was SIHAN and not SIRHAN.

[REDACTED] instructed that an effort should be made to obtain a duplicate set of SIRHAN SIRHAN's fingerprints from his INS file and insure that they are checked against the individual now in local custody as a suspect in the attempted assassination of Senator KENNEDY. [REDACTED] indicated he had earlier furnished information that one SIRHAN SIRHAN had been fingerprinted in Pasadena, California, on 12/8/63 on a murder charge and again in 1965 by the California Horse Racing Authority. He also instructed that these prints be checked against the INS prints and prints taken of the suspect now in custody.

[REDACTED] that it is the Bureau's intention that the investigation to be conducted by Los Angeles be thorough and complete and should start at least as early as 1957 and include all members of the suspect's family up to the current date. [REDACTED] indicated that schools in Pasadena and hospital records should, of course, be checked along with other logical investigation.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC 56-156

DATE: 6-6-68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

WALTER S. CROWE, JR. on interview (associate since 6th grade of SIRHAN SIRHAN) advised that at Pasadena City College (PCC) SIRHAN was active in the Organization of Arab Students (OAS). There were 4-6 students from PCC active in this group. Sometime in 1964 the OAS sponsored a banquet at the YMCA in Pasadena, which included OAS members from other campuses, and they were addressed by an Egyptian Consulate. CROWE was at this banquet.

At PCC SIRHAN was friendly with the following Arabs:

MUSTAFA SERMAIN (phonetic) a student from Lebanon

ABDUL DABBAS, (phonetic) a teacher of Arabic

LEADS

1. Identify the OAS at PCC - *none*
2. Identify MUSTAFA SERMAIN at PCC - *no record*
3. Identify ABDUL DABBAS at PCC - *identified & leads set out*

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	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion											
	Scars, marks or other data															
	Facts of complaint <p>Re FD-71 of 6-6-68 by IC. [REDACTED]</p> <p>C stated [REDACTED] had called earlier about an individual at the Holiday Inn on Airport Blvd., L.A. who had been making some remarks regarding the killing of the Kennedys, etc.</p> <p>C said he was calling to advise they have taken the man into custody and he is presently at the Airport Station. He is identified as [REDACTED] a male, cauc., DOB: [REDACTED] He is 5'8", 220 lbs., brown hair and eyes. His residence address is [REDACTED] He registered at the Holiday Inn earlier this morning under the name of [REDACTED] At the time he furnished an address of [REDACTED]</p> <p>C said he felt the FBI might want to interview this man, in that he has made the above statements, and further he professes to work for the Bureau, CIA, etc. C said he would appreciate a call regarding what they should do with the man.</p> <p>[REDACTED]</p> <p>ALL b7C</p> <p><i>True!</i> <i>Wm Harrison Jr</i></p> <p>56-156-117</p> <table border="1"><tr><td>SEARCHED</td><td>INDEXED</td></tr><tr><td>SERIALIZED</td><td>FILED</td></tr><tr><td colspan="2">JUN 6 1968</td></tr><tr><td colspan="2">FBI - LOS ANGELES</td></tr></table>									SEARCHED	INDEXED	SERIALIZED	FILED	JUN 6 1968		FBI - LOS ANGELES
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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Reference is made to memo of SA [REDACTED] dated 6/5/68 in captioned matter.

Attached are xerox copies of information furnished by Special Agent [REDACTED] CII, concerning captioned matter. Agent [REDACTED] said he did not have a chance to read the attached thoroughly; however, he was submitting it for whatever use it may be in captioned matter. The attached need not be returned to Agent [REDACTED]

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CII's COPY (MORE LEGIBLE) OF ATTACHED CAN BE PICKED UP AT
CII, RM 406, STATE BLD'G, 217 W. FIRST ST. LA. SEE S.A. [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] OR [REDACTED] CII'S COPY SHOULD BE
RETURNED WHEN WE ARE THROUGH WITH IT. [REDACTED]

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originals obtained - See
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Memorandum

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DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Writer called on above date by CHARLES HENEERY, [REDACTED] phone [REDACTED] who stated he was a member of the Volunteers for KENNEDY group.

Stated that he was aware of efforts being made by SA [REDACTED] to locate one KHEIBER KHAN, an Arab who along with a number of other middle easterners, had attempted to join the volunteers group a few weeks ago. Stated that KHAN had contacted ELLIE SEBERSEN who had in turn contacted the FBI after she determined that it was a Jordanian who is apparently the subject of this case.

Stated that he was contacted by KHAN, telephonically about 8:00 PM this date who advised that he was going out of town to San Francisco but would be back in a couple of days. KHAN stated he wished to have dinner with HENEERY when he returns.. HENEERY stated that this disturbs him as he is not well acquainted with KHAN and knows no reason why he should want to go to dinner with him.

Stated that should he learn any further re the whereabouts of KHAN he would contact the FBI.

Writer contacted SA [REDACTED] who advised that he had an appointment in the AM, 6/5/68 to show photos of suspect to SEBERSEN in effort to determine whether suspect might have been a member of group that, along with KHAN, attempted to join KENNEDY group.

[REDACTED] stated he would contact HENEERY.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Two bound folders containing the xerox copies of the various notes, books and writings found in the room of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN were furnished to SA [REDACTED] this morning and immediately delivered to the Rampart Division, Los Angeles Police Department.

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~~XEROX COPIES EVIDENCE
Furnished to Rampart Division
L. A. P. D.~~

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Date: 6/6/68

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL
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TO: SAC, DALLAS (175-9)
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)
RE: KENSALT

Re Dallas teletype to Bureau, Los Angeles, and Houston, dated 6/5/68.

Enclosed for the Dallas and Houston Offices is one copy each of mug photograph of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN taken by the Los Angeles Police Department on 6/5/68.

SIRHAN is described as a white male; born in 1944 in Jerusalem, Palestine; 5'4", 108 pounds; black hair and brown eyes.

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1 - Houston (Encl. 1)
② - Los Angeles

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*Photos of Subject
sent to Dallas 6/6/68*

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Memorandum

TO : SAC (56-)
ATTN: DESK 13

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At approximately 1:00 A.M., 6/5/68, the writer was ordered to Central Receiving Hospital in connection with captioned matter. Liaison was immediately established with Det. Lt. KENNETH HOGUE, LAPD Rampart Division, and Det. Sgt. ALFRED CORCORAN, LAPD Central Detective H. Q. These two officers were in charge of hospital security for LAPD.

Shortly thereafter, Sen. KENNEDY was moved to Good Samaritan Hospital, and liaison was re-established with the above officers by the writer and SA [REDACTED]

Liaison was maintained by the two Agents until approximately 4:00 A.M. 6/5/68 when discontinued. During this time information received by LAPD was furnished the Agents for transmittal to the LA Office.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re Bureau tel to Los Angeles 6/6/68.

[REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED]
maintains account at this branch which account was opened
in [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
and not available until 9:00 a.m. on 6/7/68.

[REDACTED] from his personal knowledge,
[REDACTED]
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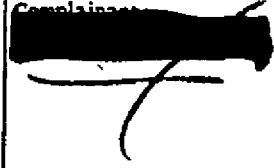
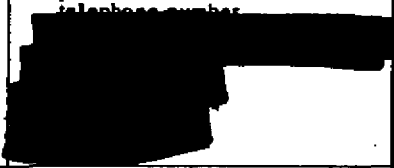
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Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion
	Scars, marks or other data				
Birth date and Birthplace					

Facts of complaint

C related she is presently a student at Whittier College. C said she had heard the police were interested in locating a blonde girl and an older taller man that were said to have been seen with suspect SIRHAN on the night of the shooting.

C said she has been watching the television tapes of the events of that night. C said she recognized a man, she had attended school with at Whittier College last year. She said he graduated ~~xxx~~ last year and was a Jordanian. She said she could not recall his name. She said he was in the audience and was pictured on a film tape, shown on Channel 4, in front of the Ambassador Hotel, just after the ambulance had taken Senator KENNEDY away. A Channel 4 man was interviewing somebody there regarding what he had scene and this above described man was ~~xxxxxx~~ standing near by.

C said she understands this man ~~xxxxx~~ used to attends various types of political rallies and gatherings while a student at Whittier College. She said he is a little older than the normal student, looking to be about 30 years, 6'1-2", about 170 lbs., dark olive complexion, slender build, with dark "salt and pepper" hair. He has extremely black eyebrows and lashes, a thin face and nose. That night he was wearing a white shirt, short sleeve, and was smoking a cigarette.

She felt this may be of interest.

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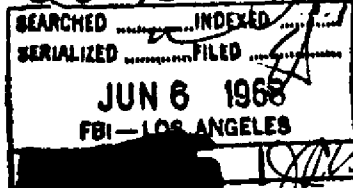
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Complainant [REDACTED] (Conceal) b7D			Complainant's address and [REDACTED]			Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-6-68 Time 2-48pm			
Subject's Description	Race	Sex	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace			
	Age	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Weight	Eyes	Complexion				
	Scars, marks or other data								
	Facts of complaint								
<p>C, who emphatically requested her identity be concealed, stated [REDACTED] b7D</p> <p>C said SHAREF SIRHAN, brother of accused assassin SIRHAN SIRHAN, has worked there for the past approximate 4 years. He works in the machine shop under [REDACTED] his direct supervisor. C said he has time card number 2509, but is on vacation this week. She believes he is due to return next Monday.</p> <p>C said on 6-5-68, there company was in receipt of a telegram from a MR. GREEN in New York. GREEN apparently is the president of the entire company. The telegram stated he was aware SIRHAN worked there and he directed, under no circumstances should any information regarding SIRHAN or his employment be given to anyone outside the company. This apparently included the FBI and all local police agencies.</p> <p>C said she felt this should be reported, but emphatically asked again [REDACTED] name not be given out. b7D</p> <p>ALL b7C</p>									
Action Recommended [REDACTED] (Agent)									



UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

WILLIAM WEISEL, currently a patient at the Kaiser Hospital, was a victim wounded during the KENNEDY shooting.

Conduct investigation to determine WEISEL's condition and if available for interview.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Caslen correct spelling in CASLEN

One of the wounded victims of the RFK shooting, IRA GOLDSTEIN, stated that he had talked to another witness by the name of ROBIN CASLEN who resides on Mooncrest, Encino. CASLEN has telephone number [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]. According to CASLEN's information to GOLDSTEIN, CASLEN was near enough to KENNEDY to have blood splattered on her and she saw the suspect in the background.

Locate and interview ROBIN CASLEN.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

PAUL SCHRADER was present at the KENNEDY shooting and was one of the wounded victims. SCHRADER presently confined at Kaiser Hospital, 4867 Sunset Boulevard, Hollywood.

Los Angeles Police Department has not conducted interview with this individual due to his condition.

Contact Kaiser Hospital to determine SCHRADER's condition and if available for interview.

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Complainant SA [REDACTED]			Complainant's address and telephone number		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6/6/68 Time 6:48PM									
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace								
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion									
	Scars, marks or other data													
Facts of complaint <p>SA [REDACTED] advised that his daughter informed him that subject SIRHAN once worked for the SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA BAPTIST H.Q., 816 So. Figueroa, and was at one time a member of the First Baptist Church, Pasadena.</p> <p>Above submitted for information.</p> <p><i>ALL b7C</i></p> <p><i>CO Richardson</i></p> <p>56-156-139</p> <table border="1"><tr><td>SEARCHED</td><td>INDEXED</td></tr><tr><td>SERIALIZED</td><td>FILED</td></tr><tr><td colspan="2">JUN 6 1968</td></tr><tr><td colspan="2">FBI - LOS ANGELES</td></tr></table>							SEARCHED	INDEXED	SERIALIZED	FILED	JUN 6 1968		FBI - LOS ANGELES	
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Complainant [REDACTED]			Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED]		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date <u>6/5/68</u> Time <u>8:16 pm</u>	
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace
	Age	Weight	Eyes	Complexion		
	Scars, marks or other data					
Facts of complaint						
<p>C. employed at [REDACTED] L. A., worked there with one [REDACTED] an Iranian exchange student. [REDACTED] b7D Now works for the Broadway Store in Pasadena.</p> <p>C consider [REDACTED] to be a subversive individual and in view of the identification of the subject in this matter, [REDACTED] should be investigated, possibly as an accomplice of subject SIRHAN.</p> <p>ALL b7C</p> <p>? Search indices & wife</p> <p>302-6-768</p> <p>56-156-131</p> <p>SEARCHED INDEXED SERIALIZED FILED JUN 6 1968 FBI - LOS ANGELES</p>						
Action Recommended [REDACTED] (Agent)						

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Memorandum

TO : SAC 56-New

DATE: 6-5-68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN has worked for the following persons:

REX ELLSWORTH, Ellsworth Ranch, 3985 Schaefer Ave., Chino, Calif..
Grande Vista Ranch, Corona, Calif. Done by [REDACTED]

If not already done it is suggested a lead be assigned to verify the dates of employment at the above two locations.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SUPERVISOR [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At approximately 8:10 p.m., SA [REDACTED] telephonically advised that Rampart Division Detectives were interviewing [REDACTED] Los Angeles, and [REDACTED] Los Angeles. SA [REDACTED] advised that the two women were associates of SIRHAN SIRHAN.

SA [REDACTED] was sent to the Rampart Division to obtain details of the interviews of the two women.

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Complainant [REDACTED]			Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED]		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-6-68 Time 1-43pm
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Birth date and Birthplace
	Age		Weight	Eyes	
	Scars, marks or other data				

Facts of complaint

C said he is [REDACTED] Trans-World Airlines, address above. C said he had been directed to call the FBI by his supervisor, "just to go on record."

C said at approximately 1-30pm to 1-35pm, this date, [REDACTED] of the Control Agent on duty, for TransWorld Airlines, [REDACTED] was in receipt of a call from a woman identifying herself only as, [REDACTED] (phonetic) of Elvira St., no city given. [REDACTED] expressed the fact that she was "very concerned about the security and safety of the flight of Air Force Two back to New York." C said, as it was told to him, [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] who heard the last portion of the call, stated they felt the woman was just overly concerned about the whole matter. There did not appear to be any type of threat, either directly stated or inferred. However, the call was unique in that it came over an un-published and un-listed telephone number and one that the public is not connected with through the normal switching stations.

C said should any additional questions want to be asked, they should be directed to [REDACTED] at the above number. C said their main purpose in calling was to go on record as advising this office of the above.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SUPERVISOR [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At 3:10 p.m., [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Hollywood, California, advised that he had been to Hollywood Park Race Track on Saturday, 6/1/68, and had a casual conversation with an individual at the track. He states from the physical description of SIRHAN SIRHAN, which he has heard on the radio, he feels that SIRHAN possibly was the individual he talked to.

[REDACTED] stated the conversation occurred in the restaurant area below the stands and both had coffee. The individual was accompanied by a young girl approximately 10 to 12 years of age and in the brief conversation, he indicated that his sister was at the track with him and was "upstairs". He further indicated that he had had two tickets on a recent daily double and won a total of \$600.

[REDACTED] stated he would be able to state positively whether this was the individual if he saw a photograph of the suspect.

He stated he wanted to furnish this information as a possible explanation for the source of the four \$100 bills in SIRHAN's possession when apprehended.

[REDACTED] concluded by stating that he had furnished this information to Chief REDDIN's office and also commented that he was a personal friend of Mayor SAM YORTY.

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	Age	Weight	Eyes	Complexion	
	Scars, marks or other data				
Facts of complaint <p>C advised that she attended junior high school with subject SIRHAN in Pasadena, California, and would be willing to furnish any background or character type information if requested.</p> <p>C was advised that this information would be passed on to the appropriate individuals, and that she would be contacted if any further information was desired.</p> <p>ALL b7C</p> <p><i>Lead</i></p> <p>56-156-134</p> <p>SEARCHED INDEXED SERIALIZED FILED JUN 6 1968 FBI - LOS ANGELES</p>					
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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

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[REDACTED] Arcadia, California, telephonically advised this morning that she believes the individual who shot Senator KENNEDY was at her apartment Tuesday evening at approximately 7:30 p.m. to view a vacant apartment. She stated there were two other individuals with the person in question and because the assassin has two brothers according to news media reports she believes that the assassin and both brothers were at her residence. She states that after viewing the photographs of the assassin on television she is even more certain that the assassin was at her residence. She described this individual at her apartment as being a caucasian of approximately 24 years, 5'5", dark complexion, black curly hair.

b7D [REDACTED] has two telephones at her residence, those being [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]

The above is submitted for information.

Handled by [REDACTED]
& checked out
[REDACTED]

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	Scars, marks or other data					
Facts of complaint <p>C advised that he understands that President JOHNSON maintains a book concerning his secret activities, the contents of which are not to be divulged until his death. C further advised that the President is hostile to the KENNEDY family. He refused to elaborate on this.</p> <p>C offered to go to jail with the subject in this matter in order to become friendly with subject and obtain pertinent information from him. He thinks that the President can somehow be implicated in this matter. He made no offer of evidence, and said the things he knew have come from friends, and the only way that he can verify this info. is through the procedure outlined above.</p> <p>C was thanked for his offer of help and advised that if his services were required he would be contacted</p>						
<p>ALL b7c</p> <p>Indices negative.</p> <p><i>Allegation against the president</i></p> <p>No action</p> <p><i>Sand this to Secret Service allegation against Pres</i></p> <p>56-156-138</p> <p>SEARCHED INDEXED SERIALIZED FILED JUN 6 1968 FBI - LOS ANGELES</p> <p>Action Recommended  (Agent)</p>						

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : *[Signature]* SUPERVISOR *[Redacted]*

SUBJECT: KENSALT

b7D On 6/6/68 at 1:44 p.m., *[Redacted]* Alhambra, California, telephone *[Redacted]* telephonically advised that he has a Jordanian couple residing next door to him at *[Redacted]* Apartment. He stated that on occasion he has seen the man alleged to have killed Senator KENNEDY visit this couple.

[Redacted] advised he does not have any information relative to the couple but believes them to be approximately 24-25 years of age and the husband is attending college.

[Redacted] stated he was furnishing this information for whatever value it might be.

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*Lead
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Memorandum

TO : SAC 56-156

DATE: 6-6-68

FROM : SUPER. WILLIAM JOHN NOLAN

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At 6PM this date USA MATTHEW BYRNE advised that ~~HERE CARTER,~~
~~LA County Human Relations Counsel,~~ had in his office one ~~DARNELL~~
~~JOHNSON~~ who was a witness to Senator Kennedy's shooting and who
saw a woman in a poka-dot dress at the scene.

LEAD

Assign Agent to contact CARTER and JOHNSON immediately

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(THIS LEAD WAS ASSIGNED TO [REDACTED] at 6PM AND COVERED
IMMEDIATELY, FD 302 HAS BEEN SUBMITTED)

DO NOT COVER THIS LEAD AGAIN...

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-New)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/5/68 [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] California, telephone number [REDACTED] stated he presently resides at [REDACTED] telephone [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Pasadena. He resided at [REDACTED] Pasadena, from about 1960 - 1965, during which time he was acquainted with the SIRHAN family.

[REDACTED] to the best of his recollection, Mrs. AIDA SIRHAN and her children came to the United States from Jerusalem in about 1960. The father, name unknown, remained in Jerusalem as he and AIDA apparently had marital problems. [REDACTED] the only sons he can recall were named, SAIDALLAK, SHARIEF, and the younger son [REDACTED]. He said he believes there was a daughter who came to the United States with them but he is not certain of her name. It may have been MARY, however, she did not reside with the family in Pasadena. b7D

[REDACTED] he knew the family through [REDACTED]. He also saw them in the neighborhood as the SIRHAN family resided at 1647 North Lake and later at 696 East Howard, which was near his own residence.

[REDACTED] stated in reference to the attack on Senator ROBERT KENNEDY and the suspect SIRHAN SIRHAN, he does not ever recall hearing that name mentioned by the family.

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HECTOR MOKHHTARIAN
CHECK CHURCH in PAS

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SIRHAN SIRHAN

~~He said in his opinion, the suspect would perhaps be MUNIER SIRHAN. During the time he knew ~~MUNIER~~, he had several talks with him regarding~~

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[redacted] also attended John Muir High School, Pasadena, during that period and was about a sophomore. He appeared to be very close to one of the high school teachers who furnished him with a great deal of literature to substantiate his beliefs in atheism. [redacted] said he does not know the name of this teacher but recalls that ~~MUNIER~~ considered him an authority on almost all subjects and perhaps associated with him as a substitute for his father. He said at the time he attempted to communicate with ~~MUNIER~~, he felt ~~MUNIER~~ was receiving adult orientation, as many of his arguments were those used by adults.

[redacted] the boys all seem to have a bitter attitude toward life, with the feeling that the world owed them a living. This was due in part to the resentment they had for their father who did not come with them to the United States.

He advised further that he did not recall any of the boys belonging to any organizations in the community. ~~SIRHAN~~ ~~MUNIER~~ may have been a member of some club, but it would have been connected with John Muir High School.

[redacted] the mother was employed by the Westminster Presbyterian Church near their residence. She worked in child care with the pre-school children. SHARIEF SIRHAN was employed off and on as a painter and he said he cannot recall where SAIDALLAK was employed.

The SIRHAN family was close friends with the (FNU) MOKHTARIAN family who resided near them on [redacted] Street in Pasadena. [redacted] he believes the two families were related in some manner.

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[A review of the Northwest^{eastern} Section Telephone
Directory lists a HECTOR MOKHTARIAN at [REDACTED]
Pasadena, telephone [REDACTED]

b7c [[REDACTED] he would attempt to locate additional
information regarding the SIRHAN family in his records
and advise the FBI if he locates any information of value.

LEAD

b7D LOS ANGELES

[with [REDACTED] CALIFORNIA: Will maintain contact

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

FALLAH BEN-JABOR, [REDACTED]
Los Angeles, telephone number [REDACTED] is a parking
lot attendant at the Ambassador Hotel. JABOR allegedly
saw four possible suspects in a 1959 white Chevrolet
about 11:00 to 11:30 p.m., 6/4/68. The suspects were
asking about the KENNEDY party. One spoke with a
foreign accent and indicated he wanted to shake hands
with Senator KENNEDY.

Locate and interview BEN-JABOR.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Dr. ROSS MILLER, telephone [REDACTED] previously interviewed by Los Angeles Police Department Officers, administered first aid to Senator KENNEDY and another victim at scene of shooting. MILLER told Los Angeles Police Department he did not actually see shooting.

Locate and interview Dr. ROSS MILLER.

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FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

JOSEPH TOM KLEIN, [REDACTED]
Fullerton, telephone number [REDACTED] was at the Ambassador Hotel. KLEIN allegedly saw a second suspect run from the hotel. Later, observing Channel 7, KABC, he saw a rerun of the film and saw a photograph of this man he had previously seen running from the hotel.

LEAD:

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AT FULLERTON, CALIFORNIA: Locate and interview JOSEPH TOM KLEIN.

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DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

IRA GOLDSTEIN was present at the RFK shooting and was one of the wounded victims. He is a patient at Encino Hospital, 16237 Ventura Boulevard, Encino, telephone 789-8131. He is expected to be released from the hospital 6/6/68.

Los Angeles Police Department officers contacted GOLDSTEIN by telephone at the hospital. GOLDSTEIN stated he witnessed the shooting.

GOLDSTEIN is being treated by Dr. IRVING GETTLEMAN, 4835 Van Nuys Boulevard, Sherman Oaks, telephone ST81130, and Dr. MAX FINKEL, 22030 Sherman Way, Canoga Park, telephone 883-5700.

assigned [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] [Signature]

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FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

ELIZABETH EVANS was present at the RFK shooting and was one of the wounded victims. She was taken to Huntington Memorial Hospital, Pasadena, for treatment.

Locate and interview ELIZABETH EVANS if available for such interview.

Lead assigned SA [REDACTED]

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FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Los Angeles Police Department received telephone call from mother of THERESA CHRISTENSON, Age 16 years, [REDACTED] telephone [REDACTED]. The mother stated that THERESA CHRISTENSON was at the Ambassador Hotel and observed suspect. No further details.

Locate and interview THERESA CHRISTENSON.

[REDACTED]

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FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

~~IRWIN STROLL~~, present at the RFK shooting, is one of wounded victims. STROLL is currently a patient at Midway Hospital, 5925 San Vincente Boulevard, Los Angeles.

Contact hospital and determine if STROLL can be interviewed.

Lead assigned to SA [REDACTED]

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FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Information received that ANDREW WEST, KRKD Radio, 1050 Montecito Drive, Highland Park, has the original tape recording concerning RFK shooting. A copy of this tape was made available previously to the FBI.

WEST has not been interviewed by Los Angeles Police Department.

Locate and interview WEST. Arrange for handling of tape by Los Angeles Police Department as evidence.

Lead assigned to SA [REDACTED]

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

All logical employees at the Ambassador Hotel
should be interviewed for any information they may have
concerning SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN or the assassination of
Senator KENNEDY.

SA [REDACTED] will coordinate this project.

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Reassign to [REDACTED]

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DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/7/68, [REDACTED]

Telephone No. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] (protect identity), advised SA [REDACTED] that the Alhambra Police Department had requested the employment file of DOROTHY MANNING, aka Dorothy Sanford, since they suspected her as the girl in the polka dot dress. [REDACTED] stated that he does not know why the Alhambra Police Department suspects MANNING as the girl referred to in the polka dot dress.

LEAD

LOS ANGELES

AT ALHAMBRA, CALIFORNIA: Will contact Alhambra Police Department regarding their knowledge of DOROTHY MANNING.

AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA: Will contact [REDACTED] and review employment record of DOROTHY MANNING.

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FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

[REDACTED] advised telephonically that he had learned
[REDACTED] residing at [REDACTED]
b7D [REDACTED] Los Angeles, the following:

VELASCO and several other local anti-Castro Cubans, attended including JOSE ANTONIO DUARTE, their leader (who resides at Apartment [REDACTED] Los Angeles), attended a meeting in a private residence somewhere in the Los Feliz district of Los Angeles about five weeks ago. The meeting was sponsored by an unknown organization but apparently American pro-communist organization. It was a meeting to which the public was invited and featured an American student who allegedly had recently been to Cuba. The student explained to those present how favorable conditions are in Cuba and exhibited photographs supposedly taken there to illustrate progress there under the Castro regime. DUARTE personally confronted the student, claiming both his remarks and photographs were "phoney" and presented a false picture. This caused a young man present, believed by DUARTE and the others to closely resemble if not actually be SIRHAN, to vehemently defend the student and the Castro regime against DUARTE's statements.

DUARTE made or was to have made a full statement of the above incident to the LAPD on 6/6/68.

SUGGESTED LEADS: Verify DUARTE made statement to LAPD. If not, consider interview with him. Also consider interview with VELASCO. DUARTE speaks English fluently.

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[REDACTED]

Determine if Duarte
Contacted by LAPD
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See 302
[REDACTED]

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM :

SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Attached is a copy of an FD 302 setting forth interview of [REDACTED] at Santa Monica, California.

On 6/6/68, [REDACTED] was interviewed by [REDACTED] concerning the address of 696 East Howard, Pasadena, California, which appeared on several documents in his possession. These documents related to draft counselors and anti-draft functions which were allegedly attended by [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] could not furnish the significance of the address of 696 East Howard and was not acquainted with SIRHAN SIRHAN, but felt that the address was furnished to him as a location where draft counseling could be obtained.

The original of these documents were obtained by [REDACTED] and copies have been furnished to the FBI which are attached.

[REDACTED] was subsequently interviewed by the writer and SA [REDACTED] and results of same are attached.

It is suggested [REDACTED] be reinterviewed by an agent familiar with Du Bois Club and anti-draft activities in an effort to identify [REDACTED] or [REDACTED].

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

b7D At approximately 1:25 this date, the writer was telephonically contacted by [REDACTED] who advised that he received information from a confidential source that a young female, approximate age 18 years, had checked into the Miramar Hotel, Santa Monica, at about 1:10 AM, 6/5/68. This individual registered in the name of [REDACTED] gave residence address as Manhattan, New York. She was furnished Room 236. [REDACTED] this individual has not been out of the room since checking in. She has received room service, getting hamburgers, cheeseburgers and Coca Cola on numerous occasions. At approximately 11:30 this AM, the individual requested room service to purchase panty-hose from the hotel women's shop. The employee of the shop contacted the individual and asked concerning size, in particular the height of the woman, and was advised the hose was for a female, 5'6½" tall.

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b7C [REDACTED] his source indicates the individual in Room 236 has paid cash to the bellboy responding to her calls and that no one in the hotel has information of a descriptive nature.

Writer anticipates contacting personnel at the hotel and, thereafter, interview occupants of Room 236 to determine identity.

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[REDACTED] advised that his source is one [REDACTED] that he has had contact with her on one prior occasion. However he had no basis to judge her reliability!

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/7/68, SA [REDACTED] was telephonically contacted at the Rampart Street Division, Los Angeles Police Department, by SA [REDACTED] who furnished full details of signed statements furnished by HUMPHREY CORDERO and ENRIQUE RABAGO.

SA [REDACTED] in turn related the above information to Detective Lieutenant A. S. HEGGE at 11:15 AM, 6/7/68. SA [REDACTED] advised that Detective HEGGE stated that his department would like to request copies of the signed statements for use in subject SIRHAN's trial. He stated, however, that this information would not be necessary for the Grand Jury on 6/7/68.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SUPERVISOR [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

(Protect)
On 6/7/68, at approximately 2:00 p.m. [REDACTED]

b7D [REDACTED] El Monte, California, telephonically advised that he is acquainted with [REDACTED] (phonetic) (phonetic) who is of Jordanian descent. [REDACTED] he could not spell this individual's true name but claimed he is employed at [REDACTED] on Lake Avenue in Pasadena. [REDACTED] he was talking to [REDACTED] who advised that he was at the Ambassador Hotel the night of the shooting and had observed SIRHAN SIRHAN and in fact had talked to him.

[REDACTED] he was furnishing this information in the event the FBI was desirous of talking to [REDACTED]

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Call lead to Pasadena

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

In connection with the FD-302 dictated by the writer concerning an interview with Chef ROBERT JEAN GINDROZ, Executive Chef, Ambassador Hotel, it is to be noted that Mr. GINDROZ stated that the following two hotel kitchen employees were very close to the scene where Senator KENNEDY fell after the shooting:

1. ANGELO DE PIERRO (phonetic)
Son of the Banquet Manager, Ambassador Hotel
2. NIVA JOSHIO,
Sandwich maker of Japanese ancestry)
Residence - [REDACTED] LA 90018
Social Security # [REDACTED]
Residence telephone either [REDACTED] or [REDACTED]

LEAD:

If not already interviewed, the above hotel kitchen employees should be interviewed.

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AIR MAIL - REGISTERED

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

ATTN: ASSISTANT TO THE
DIRECTOR CARTHA D.
DE LOACH

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

RE: KENSALT

Enclosed are 14 photographs made of ROBERT F.
KENNEDY during the postmortem examination and coroner's
autopsy.

The enclosed photographs were made by [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Scientific Investigations Division, Photography
Laboratory, Los Angeles Police Department.

The enclosed photographs are submitted for
information only. Official colored photographs are being
developed and will be made available.

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TO : FILE (56-156)

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/6/68

Bureau Instructions
Re: Witnesses

This will record that commencing at 12:53 PM on 6/6/68, Mr. DE LOACH from the Bureau telephoned. Among other things, he gave the following instructions:

(1) All witnesses and persons with pertinent information are to be interviewed by the FBI. We are conducting a full investigation by the FBI of this murder and its many possible ramifications. The investigation should be as thorough and penetrative as humanly possible so that years from now dissident individuals or groups will not be able to adversely criticize the FBI and its investigation.

(2) We should, of course, get copies of all reports, examinations, any ballistics tests, etc., miscellaneous documents, etc., in existence and authored by any law enforcement agency, individuals, etc., that pertain to this investigation.

(3) We should "button down" any and all contacts between the subject and CROWE or others who are in the Communist Party. We previously furnished such data to the Bureau by teletype. The same is true with possible membership in the Du Bois Club. It was agreed that it might be a good idea to consider having other pertinent California offices contact their informants, review indices, etc., as to possible information linking the subject with any subversive groups or individuals.

(4) Information was received at the Bureau today on an All Points Bulletin issued by the LAPD. I had the answers to the question as we are in possession of that APB and explained that the LAPD was seeking possible information.

The question above came up as to the allegation a woman was at the Ambassador Hotel during the pertinent period who was wearing a polka dot dress. She allegedly ran from the place yelling, "We have shot him." This appeared in the local

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press in a separate article, and I explained to Mr. DE LOACH we are running it out.

The above is submitted for record purposes.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/6/68

SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN on his application for the California Horse Racing Board, 1/1/66, listed a previous employment with CLARENCE COPPING (or Copping), Pasadena, garage, in 1964-65. He listed the following references:

TOM RAND

[REDACTED]
Pasadena, California

JOHN STRATHMAN

[REDACTED]
Pasadena, California

LEADS

AT PASADENA, CALIFORNIA. Will verify employment and interview references of subject. Develop any background, political or nationalistic leanings for information pertinent to this investigation.

It should be noted the writing on this application was not clear and the name COPPING or RAND may be incorrect.

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

Indices: ☒ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases			Address of subject		Character of case
Complainant 			Complainant's address and telephone number  		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date <u>6/6/68</u> Time <u>8:40 PM</u>
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion
	Birth date and Birthplace				
Scars, marks or other data					

Facts of complaint

C is a news reel photographer. He watched the Kennedy victory speech on CBS. C related that behind KENNEDY on the podium were two men with 35 mm cameras. These men were acting in a suspicious fashion - they would point their cameras at KENNEDY from a range of a few inches, and seemed to be engaged in horseplay. C said that KENNEDY turned around to look at them twice.

C thinks that we should look at the CBS tape and check this out.

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Date 6/5/68

DANIEL VICTOR GAMBERONI, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] California 60314, telephone (213) [REDACTED]
a student majoring in Management at Woodbury College,
1027 Wilshire Boulevard, Los Angeles, California 90017,
telephone (213) 482-8491, was interviewed in the office
of the Dean of Men at the college. He furnished the
following information:

GAMBERONI is a Swiss National and entered the
United States on April 26, 1967, under a student visa.
He has Alien Registration Number [REDACTED] His
godfather is Mr. ROBERT JEAN GIMDROZ, an Assistant Chef
at the Ambassador Hotel (3400 Wilshire Boulevard),
Los Angeles, who owns a 1959 Chrysler, two-door sedan,
blue over white in color.

On Tuesday, June 4, 1968, after his last class,
he proceeded from the college to the Ambassador Hotel to
visit Mr. GIMDROZ. He arrived at the hotel at 2:00 p.m.
At about 4:30 p.m. at the request of Mr. GIMDROZ, GAMBERONI
walked from the hotel to a Chevron Service Station located
on the southwest corner of West Sixth Street and Alexandria
Avenue. There he obtained Mr. GIMDROZ' Chrysler sedan
which he drove down to near the end of the block where he
parked it, unlocked, on the west side of South Alexandria
Avenue, facing south, about five or six cars north of
Wilshire Boulevard, facing the Ambassador Hotel and across
the street from The Brown Derby Restaurant. He then walked
back to the hotel where he arrived at about 4:50 p.m.
There he returned the keys to Mr. GIMDROZ. GAMBERONI
remained in the hotel until about 6:20 p.m. when he walked
to the Gamma Sigma Pi Fraternity house located at
726 South Harvard Boulevard. Subsequently, he did not
return to the hotel.

According to GAMBERONI, he and his wife own a
1966 yellow Falcon, two-door, bearing California license
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by SA [REDACTED] Date dictated 6/5/68

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He recalled that he has used Mr. GIMDROZ' Chrysler on four previous occasions; the last time being about three weeks ago when the water pump in the Falcon broke. According to GAMBERONI, the ignition switch on the Chrysler is faulty in that the key will turn on the ignition when the key is not completely inserted into the ignition.

GAMBERONI was shown two photographs of SIRHAN B. SIRHAN which were taken at the Ambassador Hotel during the early hours of Wednesday, June 5, 1968. GAMBERONI stated he does not know this person and cannot ever recall seeing SIRHAN.

The following physical description of GAMBERONI was obtained through observation and interview:

Sex	Male
Race	Caucasian
Citizenship	Swiss
Birth Data	[REDACTED]
Height	5'10"
Weight	170 pounds
Build	Medium
Hair	Brown
Eyes	Brown
Complexion	Ruddy
Wife	nee [REDACTED]

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	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion			
	Scars, marks or other data							

Facts of complaint

C is [REDACTED] at L.A. Co. General Hosp, in the Psychiatric Outpatient Clinic. He said that the dead files reveal a file on [REDACTED] of [REDACTED], Pasadena, Cal., File # [REDACTED]

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/5/68, BERT ALTFILLISCH, Manager and Part Owner, Granja Vista Del Rio Farms, 131200 Citrus Avenue, Norco, California, advised from records and memory SIRHAN SIRHAN employed as exercise boy with thoroughbred race horses raised at this farm from 6/2/66 to 12/10/66. He recalls SIRHAN as being intelligent and speaking very good English with slight accent and claimed to be originally from Jordan. Stated he was very interested in politics and claimed to be political science major in college but was going to work in horseracing business until obtained additional money.

Employer had very few problems with SIRHAN but recalls he attempted to organize other exercise boys to only work certain number of hours per day and to do only exercise boy work.

He does not recall any organizations that SIRHAN belonged to or attended and recalls no mail received by him. He was laid off because of apparent dissatisfaction with job.

Employer advised that SIRHAN received injury when thrown from horse on 9/25/66. He was taken to Corona Hospital and treated by Dr. RICHARD A. NELSON.

Dr. NELSON made available his records and information regarding SIRHAN. He recalled SIRHAN as a person who appeared "as though he was afraid someone was going to do him harm and he was very nervous and apprehensive about any treatment being given to him." He would not stay in the hospital but one day although the doctor recommended four days. He returned to work and his injuries were only of a laceration type and were not serious. He later complained to [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] referred him to [REDACTED]

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Dr. MILTON A. MILLER [REDACTED] Corona, California, advised that his office had visits from SIRHAN on 11/8/66; 11/22/66; and 12/20/66. On 12/20/66, Dr. MILLER noted on his own records that he believed SIRHAN was a [REDACTED]. Dr. MILLER would not expand on injuries for SIRHAN and would not write letter showing the injury to be serious. His vision was 20-20 in each eye and he could find no field of vision problems.

Dr. MILLER recalled that after SIRHAN left the office, he telephoned him on the same day and told Dr. MILLER that if he would not write the letter, "I'll get you." SIRHAN did not say how he would do this and hung up before the conversation could be continued.

Dr. MILLER said he noticed SIRHAN was a very nervous and odd acting person but he never saw him after that and thought no more of the threat. He made no report of the threat.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA AMADEE O. RICHARDS, JR.

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/6/68

On 6/5/68, SAIDALLAH BISHARA SIRHAN, brother of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN, was interviewed and advised he is currently unemployed. He indicated that he was employed as a machinist and his last place of employment was Mitchell Ganguin, Incorporated, 53 West Union, Pasadena.

LEADS

Will check employment of SAIDALLAH SIRHAN at his last place of employment and talk with his employer and fellow workers concerning any political activity on the part of SAIDALLAH or information concerning political activities of his brother SIRHAN that might be the basis of this incident.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SA's [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Information received from [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ANDY & CARL MARTIGANI, Golden Garter Bar,
2605 W. Valley Blvd., Alhambra, Calif. b7D

[REDACTED] that SIRHAN had visited their bar on 3 occasions. On each occasion he was accompanied by an individual whom they knew only as "Jim". They said that on about the last of May, 1968, ANDY overheard SIRHAN say to "Jim", "We will wait till he gets into town and then we will get him." When they saw ANDY approach "Jim" said, "Cool it." ANDY HEARD nothing further concerning this conversation. They said SIRHAN drove a car which they believed to be about a 1957-58 De Soto. They also said that [REDACTED] Alhambra, Calif., had dated "Jim" in the past. They said that on two occasions when SIRHAN & "Jim" were in bar, they were accompanied by a dark complexioned, similar nationality to SIRHAN's, man, who had a mustache and beard which he has recently shaved off. MARTIGANI believe that "Jim" works at the Worthington Corp., Alhambra. b7D

Composite photo of JIM made by [REDACTED] based on MARTIGANI'S description of him.

Description of JIM:

White, male, 28 years; 5'10"; 170; hazel eyes; sandy, curly hair; medium complexion, always smiling, has Southern accent,

ACTION:

CONTACT [REDACTED] b7D

[REDACTED] further details in effort to identify "Jim". interview [REDACTED] Alhambra.

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Complainant PETE BERKSON			Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED]			Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6/6/68 Time 8:09pm										
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace										
	Age	Weight	Eyes	Complexion												
	Scars, marks or other data															
Facts of complaint <p>C is an independent photographer and was on the scene of the shooting. He heard a woman yell "Fire!" immediately before the shots were fired. He only heard two shots. He could not say whether the woman was shouting directions to an assailant, or was saying that there was a fire in the kitchen.</p> <p>C said that the woman was "large" and was wearing a navy blue dress. He could provide no further information re description. The woman was standing in the kitchen doorway at the time of the shooting.</p> <p>Indices negative re BERKSON.</p> <p><i>ALL b7C</i></p> <p><i>Interview</i></p> <p>56-156-169</p> <table border="1"><tr><td>SEARCHED</td><td>INDEXED</td></tr><tr><td>SERIALIZED</td><td>FILED</td></tr><tr><td colspan="2">JUN 6 1968</td></tr><tr><td colspan="2">FBI - LOS ANGELES</td></tr></table>									SEARCHED	INDEXED	SERIALIZED	FILED	JUN 6 1968		FBI - LOS ANGELES	
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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA AMADEE O. RICHARDS, JR.

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/6/68

On 6/5/68, SAIDALLAH BISHARA SIRHAN advised his sister, AIDA had died a couple years ago and was buried at Forest Lawn Cemetery. He indicated that the married name of his sister was MANEL or MANELA. It is noted that the full maiden name of the sister is AYDA BISHARA SALAMEH GHATTAS SIRHAN.

LEADS

Will through the main office of the Forest Lawn Cemetery, attempt to determine the burial record for the sister of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN.

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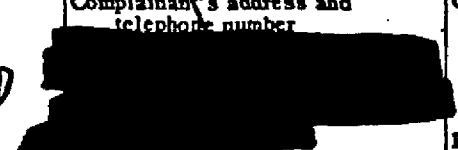

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Complainant  b7D				Complainant's address and telephone number 		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-6-68 Time 2:42p	
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace	
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion		
	Scars, marks or other data						
	Facts of complaint <p>C said she believes she saw someone that looked like Sirhan at the house across the street from her a week ago Sunday. C said she does not know the peoples names or there address. C said she saw the individual from a distance, but believes it was him.</p> <p>C could furnish no further information.</p> <p>ALL b7C</p> <p><i>Lead</i></p> <p>56-156-171</p> <p>SEARCHED INDEXED SERIALIZED FILED JUN 6 1968 FBI - LOS ANGELES</p>						
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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/6/68, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Santa Ana, California, telephone number [REDACTED] furnished the following information:

On Saturday, 6/1/68, [REDACTED] and his son were hiking in the area of Rancho California, Temecula, California. This ranch is located approximately 18 miles south of Elsinore, California, on Highway 71. At this time, [REDACTED] came upon three persons who were target shooting in the ranch area.

These individuals had a .22 rifle with a scope-site and a .22 pistol with an eight to ten-inch barrel. They were driving a small sports car, smaller than a Volkswagen, dark black or blue in color, two-door, and with California License Plates. [REDACTED] did not obtain the California License Plate number.

When [REDACTED] came on these three persons, they acted very suspicious and he got the impression that he was intruding. The younger of the two men and the female appeared to be Arabs and appeared to be from that part of the world. The other man did not have the Arabic characteristics. All three of them were drinking beer and shooting at beer cans and bottles in the area.

[REDACTED] stated that when he observed the picture of SIRHAN SIRHAN in the paper, he believed that the younger individual whom he observed on 6/1/68 definitely looked like SIRHAN. Also, the physical description is approximately the same. [REDACTED] stated he would recognize these three individuals if he observed them at a later date and that he knows the exact location where these individuals were shooting.

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[REDACTED] furnished the following physical descriptions of the three individuals:

White Female

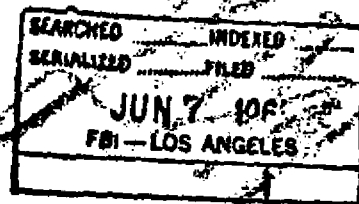
Age	18 - 20 years
Height	5'3"
Weight	115 - 120 pounds
Hair	Dark

Younger Male

Race	White
Age	Early 20s
Hair	Dark
Build	Slight
Clothing	Wearing sports clothes. Was firing the .22 rifle with a scope

Older Male

Race	White
Age	28 - 29 years
Height	5'9"
Weight	155 - 160 pounds
Hair	Dark
Complexion	Medium
Clothing	Wearing sports clothes and had a gun belt and holster for the .22 pistol.



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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On Radio Station KFTB it was announced in the afternoon, 2:30 P.M. that SIRHAN SIRHAN was treated by a Dr. MILTON MILLER and a Dr. RICHARD NELSON in Corona, California, after suffering an injury on a ranch near Corona. He was also reportedly examined by a Dr. PAUL MILTON, eye specialist, in Pasadena, California, as a result of the same accident. The station indicated that subject had threatened Dr. MILLER on the telephone after the examination.

The station stated that it had been learned that SIRHAN had worked on the Vista Del Rio Ranch which is located near Corona, California.

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Complainant [REDACTED] b7D			Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED]			Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6/5/68 Time 11:02 pm		
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace		
	Age	Weight	Eyes	Complexion				
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Facts of complaint <p>C advised that subject SIRHAN had been the exercise boy for a horse that he had owned. He has not seen subject in a little over a year, but his wife talked to him on the phone a few minutes ago.</p> <p>C did not have any information pertinent to this case, but offered to provide background info re SIRHAN. He was advised that should this type information be desired he would be contacted.</p> <p>ALL b7C</p> <p><i>H. O. Richards</i> <i>Lead on Ben Lyons</i></p> <p>56-156-174 SEARCHED _____ INDEXED _____ SERIALIZED _____ FILED _____ JUN 6 1968 FBI - LOS ANGELES</p>								
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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSAULT

[REDACTED] La Mirada, California, was interviewed at her place of employment, [REDACTED] California at which time she advised she met SIRHAN SIRHAN in early 1965. She said that SIRHAN was employed as an exercise boy at Granja Vista Del Rio, a boarding and training stable for thoroughbred horses.

b7D [REDACTED] said that SIRHAN was introduced to her by the trainer, whose name she can not recall, as SOL SIRHAN. She said SIRHAN later advised her his name was actually SIRHAN SIRHAN.

[REDACTED] said that Granja Vista Del Rio is owned by BURT ALTFILISH and is located in Norco, California.

[REDACTED] said that she took her thoroughbred horse, [REDACTED] to Granja Vista Del Rio for training and SIRHAN exercised the horse. [REDACTED] said that she went to Granja Vista Del Rio about twice a week to check on her horse and she would talk with SIRHAN each time. She said that SIRHAN was always courteous and polite and appeared not to be excitable. She said that her conversations with SIRHAN were confined to her horse or horse racing in general. She said that SIRHAN never spoke of his political views, friends or associates. She said that SIRHAN had mentioned that he resided in Pasadena, California with his mother.

[REDACTED] said that she had never seen or visited with any of the subject's family. She said that [REDACTED] had less contact with SIRHAN than she did and would not be able to furnish any additional information regarding SIRHAN.

LEAD:

LOS ANGELES AT NORCO, CALIFORNIA

Interview BURT ALTFILISH and any other individuals at Granja Vista Del Rio who may know subject for complete information of their knowledge of subject.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSAIT

SA [REDACTED] Liaison Agent, at Los Angeles Police Department, Rampart Division, was requested on 6/6/68, to obtain a record of the original complaint call from the Ambassador Hotel to the Los Angeles Police Department on the shooting in order to determine full details relative to the time, caller, person receiving calls, and any other pertinent information.

On 6/6/68, SA [REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED] stated that the original call from the Ambassador Hotel was not received at the Rampart Division. This call was received at the Downtown Los Angeles Police Department, Communications Center and is on tape. This tape will have to be transcribed.

On 6/7/68, SA [REDACTED] advised that contacts at the Rampart Division reflected no information had been received on the transcription of the tape. Inquiry developed that contacts should be made with [REDACTED] (Phonetic) at the Communications Center, first floor, Los Angeles Police Department Central. [REDACTED] was unable to provide the necessary transcript of the tape.

It is noted that this matter should be cleared through [REDACTED] Office in the event of any difficulty.

LEAD

Obtain above mentioned transcript of tape reflecting original complaint call.

(Above lead assigned orally, 6/7/68, to SA [REDACTED])

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

SA [REDACTED] advised on 6/7/68, that the list of Grand Jury witnesses being utilized for the Grand Jury hearing on the suspect, SIRHAN, by local authorities, was in the possession of [REDACTED] and in the possession of the District Attorney's Office. He stated that [REDACTED] and other officers of the Rampart Division, were at the Grand Jury hearing.

This matter was discussed with Supervisors WILLIAM JOHN NOLAN and [REDACTED] who advised that the above mentioned Grand Jury witnesses should be obtained and appropriate liaisons established with the District Attorney's Office in order to arrange for an interview of the witnesses on this date.

LEAD

Obtain list of Grand Jury witnesses and arrange for an interview of these individuals.

(Lead assigned orally, 6/7/68, to SA [REDACTED])



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Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Birth date and Birthplace
	Age	Weight	Eyes	Complexion	
	Scars, marks or other data				

Facts of complaint

C said that a shoe repair shop operator next door to the above address, name unknown, had said that he was a personal friend of the suspect in this matter. The unk. man said that he has on several occasions gone out drinking with the subject at a place called the La Fez.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156) DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

The Los Angeles Police Department received information that an unknown shoe repairman, who operates a shoe repair shop at [REDACTED] Los Angeles is a very close friend of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN and visits the Fez Restaurant near Sunset and Vermont (the Fez Restaurant is located at 1508 North Vermont).

LEAD

Attempt to identify the shoe repairman and interview re subject, his family background, associates etc.

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Complainant ANONYMOUS aka "cad"			Complainant's address and telephone number			Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6/6/68 Time 4:50 AM		
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace		
	Age	Weight	Eyes	Complexion				
	Scars, marks or other data							
Facts of complaint <p>C asked to speak to SA [redacted] and when informed that SA [redacted] was currently out of town asked to have an FBI agent immediately dispatched to accompany him to 416 Spring Street, Los Angeles, California. When caller was asked to identify himself, he would reply that he was "cad" and that he was a [redacted]. Caller refused to reveal his name and stated only that he wished an agent to meet him within ten minutes to check on a allegation of "conspiracy" in above-captioned matter. When caller asked for more information regarding instant matter, he mumbled something about not being able to betray a confidence and hung-up.</p> <p>ALL b7C</p> <p>[redacted]</p> <p>[redacted]</p> <p>See Serials 56-156-17 56-156 PD 56-156 H-165 56-156 H-200 -219 -190</p> <p>Here is your friend</p> <p>56-156-180</p> <p>SEARCHED INDEXED SERIALIZED FILED JUN 7 1968 FBI - LOS ANGELES</p> <p>INFO ONLY- NO ACTION</p> <p>Action Recommended [redacted] (Agent)</p>								

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KINSALT

DATE: 6/6/68

At 5:10 p.m., [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] advised he has an employee named ALEX ESTRADA who was present at Ambassador Hotel on the night of the assassination of Senator KENNEDY.

b7D [REDACTED] ESTRADA in mentioning this [REDACTED] also related that he had an altercation with an individual who he is certain is the subject of this case on the same evening. [REDACTED] said that ESTRADA would be available for interview by Agents of this office this evening and can be located in the Automotive Section of the store and wears a name badge marked "ALEX".

[REDACTED] was thanked for the information and was told Agents would contact ESTRADA this evening.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/6/68, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] made available a copy of
a police report dated 6/6/68.

This report states that a [REDACTED]

The above information was relayed to Los Angeles County
Sheriff's Office Intelligence Unit, 6/6/68, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] advised
that a copy of the above report is being submitted to [REDACTED]
Los Angeles Police Department Intelligence Unit, 56-156-183

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Memorandum

TO : SAC (56-156)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

AT 10:10am, 6/5/68, [REDACTED]

b7D [REDACTED] Los Angeles, 65, Calif., advised that some time ago when MARK LANE appeared as a guest on JOEL SPIVAK's program on radio station KLAC, Los Angeles, she called in and asked LANE why Bob & Edward Kennedy did not back up JIM GARRISON in his inquiry-- she asked if this would be because they would then be taking their lives in their hands. He answered by saying, "There are guns between Robert Kennedy and the White House". He stopped after making this comment, and went on to another line of conversation. It is the opinion of [REDACTED] that MARK LANE may have known someone was out to kill BOB KENNEDY. She felt it might be worthwhile to try to obtain the tape of above program for the exact contents.

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Date: 6/5/68

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TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES

FROM: SAC, SAN ANTONIO (56-102) (P)

RE: ATTEMPTED ASSAULT OF SENATOR
ROBERT F. KENNEDY, LOS ANGELES,
CALIFORNIA, JUNE 5, 1968

ReButel to All SACs 6/5/68.

For information Los Angeles and San Diego, on 6/5/68 [REDACTED] San Antonio, Texas, advised that she had worked in [REDACTED] Chula Vista, California, up until the summer of 1967. [REDACTED] stated that during her employment there a young man known to her as DANNY frequented this lounge and stated he resembled the photograph and description of the assailant that has been broadcast on local TV stations.

b7D [REDACTED] that she recalled DANNY had attended Redlands Junior College, Altadena, California, was quite articulate in his speaking, and readily entered into conversations with other patrons of the lounge.

[REDACTED] furnished the following description of the unknown male known as DANNY:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Age	23-24
Hair	Black
Eyes	Dark
Complexion	Dark olive
Build	Slim

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Approved: [Signature] Sent _____ M Per _____
Special Agent in Charge

The foregoing is being furnished the Los Angeles and San Diego Offices for information purposes. Any leads being left to the discretion of the Los Angeles Office.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Information received as a result of investigation by SA [REDACTED] at NBC reflected that the NBC film taken at the Ambassador Hotel at the time of the KENSALT was taken by cameraman JIM WATT.

SA [REDACTED] has already obtained the above mentioned film and will handle interview of JIM WATT.

Lead assigned SA [REDACTED]

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Memorandum

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DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Information was received by Supervisor WILLIAM JOHN NOLAN from [REDACTED] Sacramento, California, advising that a record is on file for SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN at the Los Angeles Branch of the California Department of Employment.] b7D

This record is being held for the FBI and either [REDACTED] or [REDACTED] should be contacted.

LEADS

Obtain aforementioned record.

Records reviewed; insert submitted.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

The Los Angeles Police Department received information that one BERT BLUME, [REDACTED] Altadena, telephone 6815312, attended John Muir High School with SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN and also knew him when employed by Organic Health Store, 1300 block of North Lake Street, Pasadena. BLUME stated on 6/2/68 about 9:00 p.m. he was in attendance at the Kennedy Rally at the Palm Terrace, Ambassador Hotel and observed SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN in attendance at that rally, apparently alone.

LEADS

Interview BLUME re subject and his attendance at the Kennedy Rally.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

The Los Angeles Police Department advised that one [REDACTED] who resides at [REDACTED] California, telephone [REDACTED] who attends [REDACTED] and is employed at [REDACTED] is very well acquainted with the suspect's family and knows subject "very well".

LEADS

[REDACTED] CALIFORNIA. Attempt to locate [REDACTED] and interview him re SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN and his family, obtaining full background, associates, political and/or nationalistic tendencies of subject and any pertinent information pertaining to captioned investigation.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

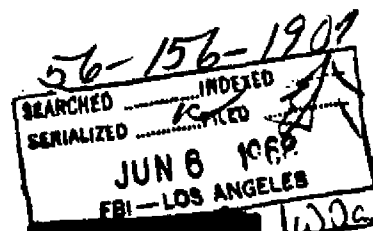
SUBJECT: KENSALT

b7D [REDACTED]
Boulevard, telephone [REDACTED] contacted the Los Angeles Police Department and advised that she is sure that the suspect, SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN, had been treated for an eye injury by [REDACTED] and believed it was a workman's compensation case.

LEADS

Will contact [REDACTED] for any pertinent information re SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN.

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Subject's name and aliases KENSALT			Address of subject		Character of case Election L^Aws
Complainant [REDACTED] <i>b7D</i>			Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED]		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-6-68 Time 11-10am
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion
	Scars, marks or other data				
Facts of complaint C related he was in the Crocker Citizens B ^{nk} . 1360 Santa Monica Mall, Santa Monica, 870-0037, or 8704110 [REDACTED] on Monday or Tuesday, between 11-00am and 12-00noon. C said he was standing in line to make a deposit, when he noticed a rather hip "hippie" looking individual, who had extremely black eyes, and black bushy hair, in front of him. He had a wade of smaller denomination bills, which, when he got to the window, he exchanged for 4 \$100 bills. C said as the man turned to leave C saw him full in the face. H said after seeing pictures of SIRHAN in the news, he is reasonably certain this man was SIRHAN, or at least an excellent look alike. He said if it were in fact SIRHAN he felt this might be of interest. H finished the description of the man by stating he was wearing a white shirt, was slim and short.					
<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div> <p><i>ALL</i> <i>b7C</i></p> </div> <div> <p><i>56-156-1911</i></p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> SEARCHED _____ INDEXED _____ SERIALIZED _____ FILED _____ JUN 6 1968 FBI - LOS ANGELES </div> <p><i>[REDACTED]</i> <i>lead</i> <i>[REDACTED]</i></p> </div> </div>					
Action Recommended 56-156* [REDACTED]					

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-186) ¹⁵⁶

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/6/68, [REDACTED] furnished the following information to writer:

[REDACTED] b7D

[REDACTED] white, female, age approximately [REDACTED] years old, who lives in [REDACTED] extremely wealthy. Her business address is [REDACTED] phone [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] is a white, male, age approximately [REDACTED] who also lives in [REDACTED] exact location unknown. [REDACTED] is not his true name but has an Italian sounding last name but was born in Jerusalem. He is described as a white, male, age approximately [REDACTED], weight [REDACTED] pounds. Although [REDACTED] and claims to reside with her, he very seldom can be reached at home. [REDACTED] attempts to be a [REDACTED]

While [REDACTED] made it known in uncertain terms that he is pro-Arab and anti-Jewish.

[REDACTED] of persons who appeared to be of Arab extraction with [REDACTED]. These individuals would [REDACTED]

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b7D [REDACTED] "violently fanatic pro-Arab." In fact, if anyone would come out in the paper expressing their views for pro-Israel, he indicated that they should be shot. [REDACTED] recalls quite specifically that the individual who murdered Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY attended these meetings on numerous occasions. [REDACTED] was never [REDACTED] but saw them before they went up to the meetings. [REDACTED] recalled that these meetings were being held two or three times a week between May 1967, and to the first part of January 1968. [REDACTED] does not recall any names of any of the individuals who [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] has talked to the [REDACTED] regarding conversations between him [REDACTED] [REDACTED] are not fully implicated or have any feelings such as [REDACTED] recalls [REDACTED] as talked about getting guns, swords, etc.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Writer received call late on 6/5/68 from person who identified self as [REDACTED] Los Angeles, phone [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] that about [REDACTED] blocks south of his residence on Orange, a large sign has been attached to the residence there covering the whole length of the yard, which stated in effect: "ASSASSINATION IS THE AMERICAN WAY". Stated this sign went up almost immediately after KENNEDY was assassinated on 6/5/68.

[REDACTED] this upset him and wanted something done about it. Writer thanked him for the info. [REDACTED] he did not know who lived at the residence nor did he have the address, but stated it was easy to locate because of the nature or the sign.

Submitted for appropriate action.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SUPERVISOR [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At 1:20 p.m., 6/5/68, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Los Angeles, California, telephone [REDACTED]
telephonically advised the Los Angeles Office as follows:

While observing television on the morning of 6/5/68 concerning captioned matter, a photograph of SIRHAN SIRHAN was shown with a commentary that the motivation of SIRHAN in shooting Senator KENNEDY was unknown. Further that investigation to determine a motive was being conducted.

[REDACTED] in conversation with her husband, [REDACTED], they concluded from observing SIRHAN's photograph that he appeared to be of Arabic origin. They concluded that a possible motive for shooting Senator KENNEDY could be the cause of Senator KENNEDY's apparent endorsement of the Jewish people and the country of Israel.

[REDACTED] that the reason she was furnishing this information is that she wanted to "go on record as having proposed this as a possible motive for the shooting."

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

Enclosed for the Bureau are two copies of photographs of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN obtained from the Los Angeles Police Department. These were taken shortly after his arrest during the early morning hours of 6/5/68.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re NY Tel to LA 6/5/68 + Butell call to LA 6/5/68
On 6/5/68, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] advised he and [REDACTED] had organized a bodyguard to provide full coverage and protection for Ambassador MOHAMMED AWAD EL KONI, who will speak tonight for the World Affairs Council for the University of California at Riverside. He said coverage will continue during the Ambassador's stay overnight in Riverside at the Mission Inn.

[REDACTED] Riverside Sheriff's Office and [REDACTED] California Highway Patrol, and [REDACTED] University of California at Riverside Police Department have been alerted and are cooperating with the Riverside Police Department in coverage of Ambassador MOHAMMED AWAD EL KONI.

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Complainant [REDACTED] - b7D - [REDACTED]			Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED]		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-6-68 Time 2-54pm.
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Birth date and Birthplace
	Age	Weight	Eyes	Complexion	
	Scars, marks or other data [REDACTED]				
<p>Facts of complaint</p> <p>b7D</p> <p>C related [REDACTED] L.A., telephone number [REDACTED] said he is a Negro and that is a predominantly Negro neighborhood. C said about one week ago a young, 20-30 years, cauc., female, about 5'8", medium build, rather attractive, with brownish hair, and an "unusual complexion" (being kind of creamy) came into the market. She was picking up some cardboard boxes and C asked her what she was doing. (He said he always tries to talk to the good looking girls). She replied she was going to move. As the conversation continued, C found out the girl had been living xxxxxxx in the neighborhood about three weeks. She had come from "back east." Further she stated she "had come out here to help my country and do good." She related she was going to move to Hollywood, into a house (location unknown to C). C said he asked her why she wanted to move and she replied, "Its going to be big trouble if they do what they say they're going to do.... and I mean BIG trouble." She related she had been living with several other people and she was afraid of them and wanted to "get away from that bunch."</p> <p>C said he noticed she got into a 1963 Monza, blue, Chevrolet, tudor, with California license and drove away before he could write down her license number.</p> <p>C said after the series of recent events, he felt this may in some way be connected and he felt it should be reported for whatever it might be worth.</p>					
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At 8:45pm this date [REDACTED] Manhattan Beach, Calif., telephone [REDACTED] furnished the following information by telephone to writer:

[REDACTED] advised that she had been watching television on 6/5/68, and saw the televised talk of the late Sen. ROBERT KENNEDY. On the screen she observed a female, dressed in a light dress, pass in front of the chairs on which persons present in the room were sitting. [REDACTED] felt the woman might be the one being sought as having a possible ~~kid~~ connection with this case (the woman in the polka-dot dress). [REDACTED] said she could not recall whether the woman was wearing a polka-dot dress, but suggested that film of above be reviewed and persons in audience be interviewed for any information they might have concerning the above-described female.

ACTION: For information only--
taped TV coverage being reviewed.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : *ef* SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

*Immigration Naturalization
Files made available*

The following is submitted for your information.

On 6/5/68 at approximately 1:30 p.m. the writer contacted District Director GEORGE C. ROSENBERG, INS, to determine the availability of their files on the SIRHAN family. Mr. ROSENBERG advised that all information in his possession concerning the SIRHAN family was available to the FBI to the point of removing the files from INS custody and taking them to the Bureau office.

Mr. ROSENBERG stated that there was one problem in connection with the Bureau having access to the files at the moment. He said the Attorney General's office had requested that a summary on the SIRHAN family was to be prepared by INS and Mr. ROSENBERG's orders were to prepare the summaries and dispatch them to Washington in the custody of a commercial airline pilot.

In further conversation with Mr. ROSENBERG and in conveying to him the urgent need for the files by this Bureau, he made the file available on each member of the family as he completed dictation and arranged for the use of INS personnel and equipment to duplicate the file for FBI use.

In view of the demand placed on Mr. ROSENBERG, the above arrangement appeared to be the most reasonable and expeditious for the benefit of this Bureau.

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At approximately 4:00 p.m. Mr. ROSENBERG advised that he had received a phone call from the Commissioner's office, INS, Washington, D.C., advising him that that office had received a complaint from this Bureau to the effect that the Los Angeles office of INS was not cooperating. The writer explained to Mr. ROSENBERG that the statement apparently was not founded on fact in view of the arrangements which had been worked out.

[REDACTED]
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Discussed with
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Mr. ROSENBERG stated that having as many years of Government service as he has, that he can readily understand how misunderstandings may happen. He appeared to hold no animosity and took the entire matter as normal operating difficulties.

It is noted that as the files were made available and duplicated, information was hand carried to the FBI office during the afternoon from approximately 2:00 p.m. until 5:30 p.m., when the last and largest file concerning MUNIR SIRHAN had been duplicated.

It is also to be noted that after the suspect in the KENSALT case was identified, it took some time for INS to locate the files and deliver them to Mr. ROSENBERG's office since several of the files were in the storage center in San Pedro.

In your conversation with Mr. ROSENBERG in the future, you may wish to make reference to this affair and indicate to him our appreciation for his cooperation under the circumstances.

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Complainant [REDACTED]			Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED]		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-6-68 Time 3-10pm.	
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion	
	Scars, marks or other data					
Facts of complaint C related he used to work at the tracks, doing excersise work, training, and grooming. C said he is "a controversial character." He went on about a law suit he is presently involved with and stated he has been in contact with this office on several occasions in the past. C said his purpose in calling was to advise he believes he knows suspect SIRHAN SIRIAN and has worked with him in the past. C said he felt if he was able to talk with him, he "might be able to make him talk." C was thanked for calling and advised his call would be made a matter of record. C indicated he would continue to be in touch with this office. [REDACTED] above submitted for that purpose.						
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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSAULT

Re memo of SA [REDACTED] 6/6/68

HARRIET GOLDSTEIN, age [REDACTED], Los Angeles, was interviewed in the presence of her parents, ISAAC and EDITH GOLDSTEIN by SA's [REDACTED]. She advised that about 3:30 P.M., 6/6/68, her mother was driving through the alley located at the rear of the Daylite Market, 1830 South La Cienega Blvd., when her mother observed a green May Co. shopping bag lying in the middle of the alley. Upon checking the bag, her mother observed it contained a woman's polka dot dress along with miscellaneous items of women's undergarments and cosmetics. Mrs. GOLDSTEIN took the bag and contents home which she described as follows:

one polka dot dress, white dots with dark grey background, low waistline, sleeveless with pleated front sash, size estimated as 9-11

one pair of black patent shoes

one black slip

one brassiere, padded, size 34

girdle with nylon stockings attached

cosmetics including lipstick, eyebrow pencil, bobby pins

The above items were in new or almost new condition and contained no indication of ownership. HARRIET was aware of the publicity being given the unknown lady in the polka dot dress and after getting no response from the LAPD, notified the LA District Attorney's Office. Between 5:30 P.M. and 6:00 P.M., two detectives from the LAPD, names unrecalled, stopped by and picked up the above items. The detectives stated they were working out of the office of the Chief of Police.

EDITH GOLDSTEIN verified the above information and was unable to furnish any additional information.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-
FROM : SA [REDACTED]
SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/6/68

On above date at 5:55 PM, writer received call from person who identified self as [REDACTED] News.

He stated that he, about 45 minutes ago, had received a call from a woman who identified herself as HARRIET GOLDSTEIN of [REDACTED] Los Angeles, phone [REDACTED]

GOLDSTEIN stated that her mother, name not provided, had earlier today found in an alleyway, a large bag that contained a black and white polka dot dress, a purse with no identification and some beads.

[REDACTED] he did not get any more info but remember the woman stating that she had called the LAPD who had laughed at her. GOLDSTEIN did not furnish the location of the alley where the bag was found.

[REDACTED] he was furnishing this info for whatever action may be deemed appropriate. Stated he was thinking of possible connection with LAPD APB re 2 - LA pick up on unknown woman wearing polka dot dress who was allegedly heard shouting as she left the place of the assassination something to the effect that "we got him".
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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re Memo of SA [REDACTED] dated 6/5/68.

On 6/6/68 [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] California, telephone [REDACTED] stated he reviewed his records and found the name of SIRHAN SIRHAN.

b7D [REDACTED] after finding this name, he realizes that the son he referred to on 6/5/68 as MUNIER, was actually SIRHAN SIRHAN. He said in 1962 SIRHAN SIRHAN was attending John Muir High School, Pasadena, as a sophomore and MUNIER SIRHAN was only about ten years of age at that time. [REDACTED] was, therefore, SIRHAN SIRHAN that he had several discussions with regarding God, but SIRHAN SIRHAN held firm to his belief as an atheist.

The above Memo is being furnished to correct the information concerning MUNIER SIRHAN as provided in referenced Memo.

*Memo dated 6/5/68 changed to
302 & corrected [REDACTED]*

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Attached are the original and one copy for indexing purposes of FD-302 regarding interview [REDACTED] Chevron Station, 3470 West Sixth Street, Los Angeles.

This FD-302 reflects service done to 1959 Chrysler automobile owned by ROBERT JEAN GINDROZ, chef, Ambassador Hotel, Los Angeles.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES 56-156

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re FD-71 of [REDACTED] 6/5/68

CARL ERICKSON, [REDACTED] Los Angeles was contacted at his residence and advised he could not furnish any additional information concerning the sixty year old lady he observed at the Ambassador Hotel on 6/5/68. He did not feel this woman was in any way ~~connected~~ connected with SIRHAN SIRHAN but was so upset over the death of his good friend ROBERT KENNEDY that he wanted to call and offer any assistance he could.

ERICKSON was unable to furnish any additional information of value stating he saw no one else of a suspicious nature in the vicinity of the Ambassador Hotel.

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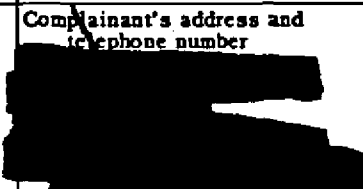
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Complainant 		Complainant's address and telephone number 		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-6-68 Time 2:56pm	
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion
	Scars, marks or other data				

Facts of complaint


C said the night that Kennedy was shot he was watching the election returns. At about 11:00pm he went to bed. He was ~~awakened~~ by his phone ringing. He answered it and a girl screamed ~~2~~ "We have just ~~shot~~ another Kennedy, we have killed another Kennedy." C said he was still half ~~asleep~~ asleep and didn't answer, and the girl repeated the above again. C said the girl then asked if his ~~name~~ was Jack or John, C doesn't remember the exact name, and then asked what number she had, C said she then hung up.


C said the girl seemed very emotional, and there was a tremendous amount of commotion behind her.

C said he does not know what the exact time of the call was, but he turned his television on after the call to check the election returns, and the announcer mentioned that they had just taken one of the victims, that was shot, from the hotel.

C ~~could~~ could furnish no further information.


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Complainant MRS. ROSE JULIA GALLEGOS			Complainant's address and telephone number 			Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-6-68 Time 4-45pm.			
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace			
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Facts of complaint

C said she had been a volunteer hostess at a reception for the KENNEDYS at the Ambassador Hotel, Sunday last at 8-00pm. She said her daughter, AIDA LOFFREDO, 18 years, was a "KENNEDY Girl" there in attendance also.

C said she was in and out of the kitchen area on several occasions. She said on one of these occasions she happened to notice three of the kitchen helpers outside in the patio area. She said she approached them and asked them what they were doing out there, that they should get back inside and go to work. C said they stood there and looked at her for a minute and then went back inside. They said nothing.


C said after she saw pictures of suspect SIRHAN in the newspaper she is nearly certain that the "man in the middle" of the three was SIRHAN, disguised as a kitchen helper. She felt this may be of interest.

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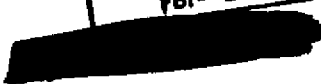

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Complainant MRS. MARGUERITE SWEENEY			Complainant's address and telephone number 		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6/7/68 Time 5:15pm	
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion	
	Scars, marks or other data					
Facts of complaint <p>C, campaign HQ (KENNEDY) official, was asked by S  yesterday to gather together the volunteer lists, etc. for examination & check-out by FBI. She just got a call from the HQ and was told that the LAPD wants the stuff, and she wants to know what to do with it.</p> <p>Attempt made to switch call to Conf. Rm., but cut off.</p> <p>ALL b7C</p> <div data-bbox="1066 1470 1452 1701"><p>56-156-2091</p><p>SEARCHED _____ INDEXED _____ SERIALIZED _____ FILED _____ JUN 7 1968 FBI - LOS ANGELES</p><p> LKH</p></div>						
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, WFO (173-135) (P)
KENSALT
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ReWFOtel to Director and Los Angeles this date.

Enclosed to Bureau and Los Angeles is one copy each of visa file of SHAREEF SIRHAN and SAIDALLAH SIRHAN obtained from the Visa Office, Department of State (USDS) by SA [REDACTED] on 6/5/68.

[REDACTED] Special Assistant to the Director, Passport Office, USDS, advised [REDACTED] on 6/5/68 that a thorough search had been made of the passport files concerning SIRHAN SIRHAN and his known brothers with possible variations in spelling of their surname in both the Passport Office and the Washington National Record Center at Suitland, Maryland with negative results. [REDACTED] also teletyped the Los Angeles and San Francisco Passport Offices concerning all these names to check on recent applications with negative results.

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SA [REDACTED] Office of Security (Sy), USDS, advised [REDACTED] on 6/5/68 that a check had been made of the files of Sy, the general correspondence files of the USDS and the Visa Office of the USDS, but no identifiable record of SIRHAN SIRHAN or his known brothers could be located.

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b7c [REDACTED] advised that a check is continuing of the files of the Refugee Relief Program in retired files concerning members of the family except for SHAREEF and SAIDALLAH SIRHAN. Results were expected to be available on 6/6/68.

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Subject's name and aliases KENSALT			Address of subject			Character of case Election Laws			
Complainant [REDACTED] b7D			Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED]			Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-7-68 Time 8-32am.			
Subject's Description	Race	Sex	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace			
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	Scars, marks or other data								
	Facts of complaint								
<p>C said he works for [REDACTED] address above. C said as a matter of possible interest, their office had occasion to [REDACTED] from SHARIEF B. SIRHAN, of the Howard St. Pasadena address. C said he had [REDACTED]</p> <p>[REDACTED] He apparently had been making payments to [REDACTED]</p> <p>[REDACTED] However, at the time they verified SHARIF worked at Cannon Electric, L.A., and that he had lived at he had lived at the Howard St. address and an address on Lake Street, Pasadena.</p> <p>C felt this may be of some background value. He was thanked for calling.</p>									
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Robertson
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/9/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSAULT

On 6/9/68, at 8:55 P.M., [REDACTED] telephonically advised that in conversation with a [REDACTED] who is employed by the City of Pasadena Water Dept., [REDACTED] had related that a garbage collector for the City of Pasadena (name unknown to [REDACTED]) collected garbage at the SIRHAN residence. Two or three days before the assassination of ROBERT F. KENNEDY, the garbage collector had a conversation with the suspect SIRHAN SIRHAN at which time SIRHAN had made inquiry as to whom the garbage collector was going to vote for. SIRHAN also reportedly told the garbage collector at that time that it wouldn't do him any good to vote for KENNEDY as he, SIRHAN, was going to kill KENNEDY.

b7D [REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED] knows the identity of the garbage collector.

LEAD:

Will, through [REDACTED] identify and interview the garbage collector concerning his alleged conversation with the subject prior to the assassination.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/10/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/7/68, during the interview of SANDY SERRANO, who observed a girl wearing a polka dot dress during the assassination of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY, SERRANO displayed a sleeveless white with black polka dot dress to SA [REDACTED]. She stated that the dress displayed to SA [REDACTED] is similar to the one worn by the girl that ran from the Ambassador Hotel in the early morning hours on 6/5/68. She stated that the dress that the girl had on during the early morning hours at the Ambassador Hotel, was similar except that it had 3/4 lengths sleeves.

The dress loaned to S [REDACTED] belonged to a friend of SERRANO and was manufactured by Jodette of California, lot number 7028, style 4864, size number 11, and is described as a junior petite.

LEADS

LOS ANGELES

AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA: 1) Will contact manufacturer of Jodette of California to determine if they manufacture a 3/4 length dress as described, and if so, review any records pertaining to outlets of these dresses.

2) If dress manufactured by Jodette of California is similar to the one described by SANDY SERRANO, the sources should be contacted for possible retail sales.

3) Will display sample dress obtained from friend of SANDY SERRANO to VINCENT DI PIERRO, cook, Ambassador Hotel, to determine if similar to dress worn by girl at Ambassador Hotel on 6/5/68.

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Take a look at dress
before handling lead - Conf. room.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

INFORMATION

On 6/7/68, SA [REDACTED] received a list of individuals that will testify before the Grand Jury in reference to captioned case. At this time, SA [REDACTED] determined that several individuals on this list had not been called; however, a revised list was not available. This list has already been entered as a serial in the file.

On 6/8/68, SA [REDACTED] advised that he has determined that the following individuals did not appear before the Grand Jury although their names were previously furnished by the District Attorney's Office:

ROOSEVELT GRIER

[REDACTED]
Los Angeles, California
telephone [REDACTED]

MRS GRIER ADVISED HUSBAND IN
TOWN NOT AVAILABLE 6-10 - 1-2
WILL CALL US 6/11

RAFER JOHNSON

[REDACTED]
Los Angeles, California
telephone [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ADVISED JOHNSON
WILL RETURN TO CA PM 6/10 or AM 6/11
DLE SUGGESTED WE CALL 6/11
6/11 [REDACTED] and he should
return 6/11 or 6/12.

Los Angeles Police Department
Homicide Detail

[REDACTED] 6/12 AM
[REDACTED] 133 N.Y. officers
Recent 440 since no info re John

Supervisor WILLIAM JOHN NOLAN instructed that witnesses GRIER and JOHNSON should not be interviewed until they have returned to Los Angeles, California, in view of the fact that they are part of the KENNEDY party and are presently in the Washington, D. C. area.

LEADS

(1) Will determine when GRIER and JOHNSON are to return to the Los Angeles area and thereafter interview them concerning the assassination.

(3) [REDACTED]

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re address
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[REDACTED] (2) Will attempt to interview or obtain the
investigative report of [REDACTED] It is suggested that
this matter be handled by the Los Angeles Police Department
liaison contact.

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Original Grand Jury list attached.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

From interview with family members information developed that SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN was acquainted with one BOBBY (LNU), employed at R X Delivery Service, on Green Street in Pasadena. BOBBY (LNU) is approximately 35 years of age, WMA, wears a hearing aid.

Information was further developed that SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN had been employed by the Pasadena Organic Food Store (health food store) on North Lake Avenue, Pasadena near Washington. He was employed there for three or four months by a Mr. (FNU) WIDNER (PH). Mr. WIDNER was reportedly a Seventh-Day Adventist and came to the SIRHAN home about once a week and contacted SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN. WIDNER allegedly influenced SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN and caused him to become interested as a Seventh-Day Adventist.

The family advised SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN received literature of and was a member of Amroc-Rosicrucians (a semi religious sect or order).

LEAD

AT PASADENA

Will locate and interview BOBBY (LNU) at R X Delivery Service and Mr. WIDNER at Organic Food Store, North Lake Avenue. Will determine from BOBBY and WIDNER any background information, political and religious beliefs and affiliations, Nationalistic tendencies and any information pertinent to this investigation. Will verify employment by Organic Food Store.

Determine if member or associated with Seventh-Day Adventist and verify.

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Attempt to determine membership or association with Amroc-Rosicrucians order.

Attempt to obtain any known handwriting of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN from his employer, associates, or organization he belonged to.

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Memorandum

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

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/8/68 [REDACTED] California, telephone [REDACTED] advised that SIRHAN attended Elliot Junior High School located on North Lake Street, Altadena, California, and he was in her third period social studies class, [REDACTED] was the instructor, and fourth period English class (FNU) [REDACTED] instructor, from September, 1959, to June, 1960, and SIRHAN transferred to John Muir High School, Pasadena, California.

67D [REDACTED] 6/11 - contacted = had no papers of Sirhan's [REDACTED] reportedly kept a term paper which SIRHAN wrote about his country. SIRHAN reportedly frequently argued with [REDACTED] in class during discussions.

[REDACTED] recalls the following students attended classes with her and SIRHAN:

CAROL SPRUNG, ^(deceased) address unknown. Her mother operates an upholstery shop on Woodbury at Los Robles in Pasadena.

[REDACTED] ^{6/20/68 - interview} address unknown, however, resided Altadena, California.

[REDACTED] ^{6/12 got address, lead set out.} address unknown.

LEADS

LOS ANGELES

11 AT ALTADENA, CALIFORNIA: Contact Elliot Junior High School and interview [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] regarding subject. Ascertain if [REDACTED] has SIRHAN's term paper, and if so, review contents. Verify SIRHAN's dates of attendance at this school and obtain background from school records. Ascertain whereabouts of CAROL SPRUNG, [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] and interview regarding SIRHAN.

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AT PASADENA, CALIFORNIA: Contact John Muir
High School and verify attendance and obtain background
information if not previously done.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

During interview of [REDACTED] on 6/7/68, it was determined through a review of his employment file that SIRHAN applied for employment with the Burroughs Company in Los Angeles on approximately 11/6/67. SIRHAN was not employed by Burroughs; however, he may have made an application for employment to this company.

[REDACTED] stated that, on 12/28/67, SIRHAN was referred to the I. Magnin Company, address unknown, for employment. He did not know whether SIRHAN actually applied for employment at that company.

[REDACTED] stated that, in view of the past injury of SIRHAN, it is possible that he took Workmen's Compensation pay during the period of his disability.

LEAD

LOS ANGELES

AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA: Will contact the following companies to determine if the subject applied for employment or in some way filled out applications for employment or for Workmen's Compensation pay. Obtain full background information and any handwriting samples regarding subject:

- ① Burroughs Company, Los Angeles, California
- ② I. Magnin Company, address unknown
- ~~Workmen's Compensation, Los Angeles, California~~

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DATE: 6-8-68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

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[REDACTED] San Gabriel, telephone [REDACTED] advised that the Catholic Welfare Bureau, 115 N. Rose, Compton, Calif. from 1961 to 1964. She said she thinks that the SIRHAN family was receiving aid through the bureau during that time. There may be some records showing background if in fact the SIRHAN family did receive aid.

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*Review record and
interview [REDACTED]*

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA MADEE O. RICHARDS, JR.

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/8/68

Information was received from the Detroit Office that TERRY MICKEY WELCH of Southfield, Michigan was interviewed by Bureau Agents and advised he was an exercise boy with SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN at Granja Vista Del Rio Thoroughbred Horse Farm at Corona, California, owned by BURT ALTAFISH (phonetic) a construction contractor.

WELCH advised interviewing Agents that additional individuals who would know SIRHAN would include:

FRANK DONORAMA (also at Granja Vista Del Rio)

DESI ARNEZ

BUDDY EBSON

DALE ROBERTSON

BOB WHEELER (owner and trainer at Santa Anita Race track)

Reverend LEO HILL (pastor, Circle City Baptist Church, 9th and Sheridan, Corona, California)

ARNEZ, EBSON and ROBERTSON all television personalities, kept horses at Granja Vista Del Rio.

LEAD

Contact above individuals for complete information they have concerning SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED] b7c

SUBJECT: KENSALT

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The above is furnished for whatever value it may have in this investigation.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/9/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re FD-302 of interview with NORMA CASE, Hospital Dispatcher, Central Receiving Hospital, Los Angeles, by SA [REDACTED]

During the interview with CASE, she advised that she first received the call of a need for an ambulance at the Ambassador Hotel apparently from the switchboard operator of the hotel. She did not get the name of the switchboard operator.

CASE further stated that this person did not know at the time she talked with her, the nature of the trouble at the Ambassador Hotel. This person stated to CASE that all she knew was that an ambulance was needed.

LEAD:

Will attempt to determine the identity of the switchboard operator who requested an ambulance at the Ambassador Hotel, and her knowledge of the assassination.

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Telephone operator as hotel interviewed
by SA [REDACTED] SP [REDACTED] advised

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

LEADS

LOS ANGELES

AT PASADENA, CALIFORNIA: (1) Contact the Pasadena Branch Library, Catalina and Washington in an effort to ascertain if SIRHAN SIRHAN was known there and if there was any record of the numerous books he reportedly rented at this location. *6/13 Handled KCA*

(2) Contact Reverend WARNIE T. TIPPETT who is pastor of First Church of Nazarene, 2495 East Mountain Street. The SIRHAN family reportedly lived with him nine years ago. *Tippett 6/13 Handled KCA*

(3) At Pasadena Police Department attempt to ascertain from records the reported incident that SIRHAN's brother SHEREFF placed a bomb in his girl friend's car reportedly two or three years ago. *791-12*

(4) Contact BEVERLY COREY (true last name MONROE), [REDACTED] It is noted that BEVERLY is [REDACTED] (phonetic) a [REDACTED] Street. On one occasion she reportedly worked at the Fez (phonetic) Club with SIRHAN's brother ADEL. She also reportedly visited ADEL at the SIRHAN's residence the day after the KENNEDY assassination. *Handled*

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6/8/68

SA [REDACTED]

KENSALT

Re FD-302 of [REDACTED] dated 6/8/68.

[REDACTED] of SIRHAN SIRHAN, advised that she would often see SIRHAN SIRHAN in the Santa Catalina Branch Library on Washington Street three blocks west of Lake Street, Pasadena.

b7D At these times, SIRHAN would not speak [REDACTED] although she felt sure he recognized her.

[REDACTED] also advised that the following people are residing at 708 East Howard Street:

[REDACTED] white female, age 24; *Check 1st*

[REDACTED] white female, age 22; *work on in yard*

[REDACTED] white male, age 22; *Howard St*

[REDACTED] white male, age 23. *Domestic at [REDACTED]*

These people are unavailable for interview. *Check by [REDACTED] only for 1-*

LEAD

LOS ANGELES

AT PASADENA, CALIFORNIA. Will conduct appropriate inquiries at the Santa Catalina Branch Library to determine SIRHAN SIRHAN's activities therein. *6/13 Hunt*

(2) Will interview the above mentioned occupants at 708 East Howard Street, regarding their knowledge of SIRHAN SIRHAN.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/9/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

[REDACTED] Apartment [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] California, who has furnished reliable information in the past, telephonically contacted writer and furnished the following information:

b7D SIRHAN SIRHAN hung out in Shap's Bar, 2565 East Colorado Boulevard, Pasadena, California. Shap's reportedly is a bar where one can place a bet on horse races and due to the fear of having the hand book operation discovered, everyone at Shap's is afraid to talk to law enforcement officers. [REDACTED] stated that SIRHAN usually placed his bets on horse races at this bar.

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b7C [REDACTED] he met at Shap's through [REDACTED] on [REDACTED] who reportedly is an acquaintance of SIRHAN. [REDACTED] is described as a German alien, about 40 years old, 5'8", 170 pounds, dark hair, medium complexion, employed as a machinist at [REDACTED] on Walnut Avenue in Pasadena, and drives a white Chevrolet sedan, license [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] loaned \$75.00 to one of SIRHAN's Jordanian friends and that the Jordanian won't or can't repay the loan. [REDACTED] approached the Jordanian with the \$75.00 and the Jordanian told him to leave him alone and threatened him with a knife. For this reason [REDACTED] is frightened and reluctant to talk about his relationship with SIRHAN's friends.

[REDACTED] told [REDACTED] that SIRHAN has five close friends he drinks with in Shap's Bar. He described them as two Jordanians, one Cuban, and two Americans. [REDACTED] was unable to learn the names of these friends, but is certain [REDACTED] knows them all.

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[redacted] stated [redacted] told him the Jordanian friend of SIRHAN to whom he loaned the \$75.00 is a young man who lives on Howard Street in Pasadena and attends Pasadena City College. [redacted] continued [redacted] told him that on the Sunday or Monday preceding the shooting of Senator KENNEDY, SIRHAN had a heated argument with one, several, or all of his five friends at a Denny's Restaurant in Pasadena.

[redacted] continued that [redacted] is a German National with a "chip on his shoulder," has strong German loyalty, a complex about being a foreigner, and is hard to get into a conversation.

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AT PASADENA, CALIFORNIA: (1) Will contact [redacted] at [redacted] (address obtained from DMV) and determine the identity of SIRHAN's five friends and any details about the reported argument at a Denny's Restaurant last Sunday or Monday.

(2) Will make inquiry at Shap's Bar, 2565 East Colorado, noting it is reportedly a hand book operation, in an effort to identify any of SIRHAN's friends and the nature of any of his conversations in that bar.

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

Indices: ☐ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases <i>Sirhan Sirhan</i>			Address of subject <i>-</i>		Character of case <i>Kensalt</i>
Complainant [REDACTED]			Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED]		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date <i>6/9/68</i> Time <i>2²⁰ P</i>
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion
	Scars, marks or other data				
Facts of complaint <p>Complainant advised that his son [REDACTED] is with the Peace Corps at Mogadiscio, Somalia 90 American Embassy, East Africa. He advised they just received a letter from their son postmarked on 6/2/68 in that country. In the letter he said "Now I hear the RFK assassination was a sham. Some Somaliander made it up or something".</p> <p>He said the fact his son wrote and postmarked this letter prior to the time the assassination actually took place made him wonder if this might be important.</p>					
<p>ALL b7C</p> <p>56-156</p> <p>Interviewed <i>[Signature]</i> 6/9</p> <p>56-156-227</p> <p>SEARCHED INDEXED SERIALIZED FILED JUN 9 FBI - LOS ANGELES</p> <p>Action Recommended [REDACTED] (Agent)</p> <p>Rec'd 6/19/68</p>					

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/5/68, LAPD obtained from the residence of SIRHAN SIRHAN, a wire-bound lined notebook. A review of photo copies of this notebook disclosed the following notations of interest:

1. Number "~~417-4974~~", and written below this number "404 Harvard Drive Ave."
2. The name "GUENDALYNE CUM, 91101 N. 9th St., Arcadia, Calif." (see item 18).
3. The name "MARIO VALENZUELA". On the same page appears the name "BRAULIO BAEZA".
4. Telephone number "548-2136".
5. The names "TOM WALTER" and "TOM RATHKE".
6. The name "Golden Gates Fields", "Mrs. B. GALE JOHNSTON", "Laguna Doll", "TERRY LAMBERT", and "JOHN STRATHMANN".
7. The number "34567890" (possible a telephone number).
8. On one page he had written the figures "500,000" and "13 million", and the name "HOWARD HUGHES". On the same page he had written "Pinecroft Restaurant". IN CORONA
9. The word "Rosierucian Park", and underneath the letters "AMORC".
10. The name "Miss PEGGY OSTERCAMP, 13290 Archibald Ave., Corona, Calif. 80113". (Lead has been set out to have this person interviewed).

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#18-No Lead

1-5-	[REDACTED]
6-10-	[REDACTED]
11-17-	[REDACTED]
19-22-	[REDACTED]
23-26-	[REDACTED]
27-29-	[REDACTED]

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11. The name "~~Corona Breeding Farm~~". On the bottom of this page the address of "~~696 E. Green St.~~" (There appears to be no connection between the Green Street address and the Corona Breeding Farm).

12. The name "~~LOYD WALKER~~".

13. The name "~~Corona Breeding Farm (Dezi Arnez's)~~". At the bottom of the same page appeared the number "~~8413477~~".

14. The name of "~~JOHN WEDNER~~". It appears that this individual was planning to come to SIRHAN's home and offer him some type of a job.

15. The name "~~SOL SONJUANINO~~" (illegible).

16. The name "~~DONA DONARUMA~~".

17. The name "~~CLETE ROBERTS~~".

18. The name "~~Miss GWENDOLINE GUM~~, 1009 9th Ave., Arcadia, Calif."

19. The name "~~JOHN DAYS~~".

The following items were copied from a small brown colored wire-bound notebook:

20. "~~HOLLOPETER~~, 234 E. Colorado, Pasadena". On the same page was the name "MARCOS, 215 W. 5th, L.A."

The following appeared on one page:

21. "Monday

- (1) See Mrs. Thurber
- (2) Make appt. with Páron
- (3) See John
- (4) See E. Lewis

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(5) Check data on police offs. Room 116 - City Hall".

22. On one page appeared the following: "Gilbert vs. Hollopeter", and under this was written "Van Downie's testimony".

23. On one page appeared the name "Argonaut Ins. Co. 1001 Wilshire Blvd., Los Angeles, Calif. 90017".

24. A publication captioned "The Opinion", "an independent student publication", dated Friday, March 30, 1962.

25. An envelope bearing return address of "U.S. Treasury Department, Internal Revenue Service - District Director, 300 North Los Angeles Street, Los Angeles, California 90012". Handwritten on this envelope appeared the following "RFK must be disposed of like his brother was". Also a handwritten notation at the bottom "reactionary".

The following items were copied from a wire-bound notebook:

26. A schedule which appeared to come from some type of an institution called "Simpson". From a review of the schedule, "Simpson" appears to be some type of school.

27. A circular advertising "Mental Projection". This circular was advertising a book apparently written by ANTHONY NORVELL entitled "Norvell's Dynamic Mental Laws for Successful Living".

28. A business card which reads as follows: "Los Angeles Times, Boris Yaro, Staff Writer, San Gabriel Valley Section, 9664 East Las Tunas Drive, Temple City, California". Telephone numbers 287-0491, 443-3053, and 792-5397 were listed. On the back of this card was written the number "746-9541". (Apparently a telephone number). Also, the address of "625 W. 28th St., L.A."

Phone phone for Yaro at

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29. A certificate from the State of California indicating that SIRHAN B. SIRHAN was a cadet Staff Sgt. of the 138th Battalion, B Company, California Cadet Corps, who was enrolled on 9/17/60, and honorably discharged because of graduation from John Muir High School, Pasadena, on 6/13/63. The certificate was signed by M.L. YOUNG.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : FILE (56-NEW)

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/5/68

This will record that commencing at 12:20 PM on 6/5/68, the following information was received by the SAC from Mr. DE LOACH:

(1) The FBI number that had earlier this date been furnished to the Bureau as the Identification Record number for the suspect is not his. The rap sheet pertains to [REDACTED] who was born in [REDACTED] and apparently is [REDACTED] years older than the subject.

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(4) The Bureau is vitally interested in the alleged motive of the subject. Inquiry was made of me as to whether the subject stated at the time of the shooting, "I did this for my country." The question was raised as to whether I had heard it on the public news media, from the LAPD, witnesses, etc. My reply was in the negative but that we would check into it.

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*Nonpart list. Supp 100 Statement
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Interview of only negative
Refer Johnson Supp 100*

*See also
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(5) Is a Bureau Agent currently with ADEL SIRHAN and what new information, if any, has been developed?

(6) Do we have anyone at the house interviewing or participating in interviews with other members of the family to develop all background information and again stressing any possible motive. We should ask them for their opinion for the subject's motive. The question arises as to whether the subject, who is of Jordanian nationality, was incensed at KENNEDY for the latter's support of Israel. If this is true, did he have associates, friends, etc., who share in this view and which, of course, may reflect a conspiracy. This is to be checked out in great detail.

(7) The Bureau wants the serial numbers of the four \$100 bills currently in possession of the LAPD so they can be checked.

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Leads assigned

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-196)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SUPERVISOR [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

George According to SA [REDACTED] Director ROSENBERG, INS, has pulled all INS files relating to subject and his family. ROSENBERG is dictating a memorandum which must be flown to Washington, D. C. tonight, and, as he completes dictation on each file, that file is being made available to our men who are making copies.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-new)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : ASAC RICHARD D. ROGGE

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Instructions on background
of subject and his family
Re INS files

At 2:15 PM, 6/5/68, Supervisor [REDACTED] SOG, telephonically furnished the following instructions:

He stated a teletype must be at the Bureau on or before 5:00 PM today Los Angeles time and this teletype must contain therein the identity and correct spelling of all members of the SIRHAN family. Also a brief background paragraph should appear under each member of the family including such data as date of birth, height, weight if available.

At this time [REDACTED] was advised that we have Agents at INS, Los Angeles headquarters, waiting to review the files and that we would be able to obtain the information desired. However, the complete files would not be available at this time since it was my understanding the District Director, GEORGE ROSENBERG, is engaged on a project for the Attorney General.

At 2:37 PM, 6/5/68, [REDACTED] telephonically contacted the writer and stated he was desirous of knowing more details concerning what project ROSENBERG was handling for the Attorney General. Inquiry developed that Mr. ROSENBERG had been personally called and instructed by Attorney General RAMSEY CLARK to review each of the INS files on the SIRHAN family and dictate a summary of the information contained therein. These summary memoranda were to be on an afternoon flight to Washington for the Attorney General's information. [REDACTED] was advised that ROSENBERG is very cooperative with us; however, because of his assignment from the Attorney General was not releasing all of the files in their entirety until he completed the task assigned to him by the A.G. [REDACTED] was advised that at this time we had two files Xeroxed and had Agents standing by to obtain the others when ROSENBERG released same. [REDACTED] stated he intended to bring this to the attention of Assistant to the Director DE LOACH.

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RICHARD ROGGE

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/5/68, [REDACTED] Attorney's Office, Veterans Administration Records Center, Los Angeles, advised ~~he had caused a search of their records in the name of SIRHAN B. SIRHAN, aka SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN, born 3/12/44, however~~ found no record in that name.

[REDACTED] suggested this office cause a check of the VA Central Locator, containing the names of all veterans throughout the United States, in Washington, D.C. He also pointed out if there was any record of outpatient medical treatment, the hospital where he was treated would have to be checked, as their records are separate from the central Los Angeles records in some instances.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-New)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

[REDACTED] advised
subject SIRHAN DESRAH SIRHAN was close friend of Hollywood
Track employee MERLE MARTON MATTESON, who reported to work
6/5/68, but then left. [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] and [REDACTED] This lead is being handled by SAS [REDACTED]

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

[REDACTED] Selective Service Local Board, Group B,
2091 East Colorado Boulevard, Pasadena, California, advised
she could find no record of a Selective Service registration
for SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN, date of birth, March 19, 1944.

Records, Selective Service Headquarters, Sacramento,
California, being checked to determine if SIRHAN registered
some other Local Board in California.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

FROM : SUPERVISOR [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/5/68

At approximately 3:58 AM, I was in a conference room with COP TOM REDDIN, LAPD; DA EVELLE YOUNGER, Los Angeles County; EDWARD DAVIS, Deputy COP, LAPD; Inspector JON POWERS and MERT HOWE when there was a knock at the door. A uniformed officer advised Chief REDDIN that there was a call from the White House, at which time he excused himself.

Upon his return, Chief REDDIN called me out of the conference room and told me that the call was from Attorney General RAMSEY CLARK, who advised him that he was going to instruct the FBI to enter the investigation.

CLARK reportedly told REDDIN that the reason for asking the FBI to conduct the investigation was not from a standpoint that there was criticism of the LAPD and their handling of this case but from the standpoint that it was felt the Federal Government should take some investigative action to make the people of the United States aware of the Government's interest in this crime.

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Chief REDDIN told me that he advised the Attorney General that he would be most happy to cooperate with the FBI, and he advised me that he would welcome any investigative assistance of the Bureau.

[REDACTED]
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[Signature]

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Xerox copies of
finger print card for
Sirhan Sirhan

DATE: 6/5/68

Xerox copies of Dealer's
Record of Sale of
Iver Johnson Cad
Revolver

During the afternoon of 6/5/68, Supervisor [REDACTED] received a telephone call from the Sacramento Division advising that a set of fingerprints for SIRHAN SIRHAN dated 12/16/65 had been located in the records of CII, Sacramento. These prints were taken by the State Horse Racing Board when SIRHAN applied for a position as an exercise boy.

Supervisor [REDACTED] was told that a copy of these prints would be placed on board PSA airline flight 182 at Sacramento 1:50 p.m. arrival time Los Angeles International in care of pilot captain [REDACTED]. A second copy of these prints in a separate envelope addressed to FBI, Washington, was to be on the same flight and the instructions were that PSA flight 182 be met, the two sets of fingerprints picked up; and the copy for Washington be delivered to the pilot of TWA flight 98 leaving Los Angeles 3:00 pm, arriving Washington, D.C. (Dulles Airport) 10:40 pm Eastern time.

SA [REDACTED] met the above PSA flight and obtained the set of fingerprints for Los Angeles. Upon opening the envelope it was noted also enclosed was a Xerox copy of a Dealer's Record of Sale of Revolver or Pistol relating to a .22 caliber Iver Johnson Cadet Revolver serial # H53725 sold by the Pasadena Gun Shop, Inc., 300 block West Green Street, Pasadena, California to one ALBERT LESLIE HERTZ 8/10/65 (it is believed this refers to the revolver used in the attempted assassination of Senator KENNEDY).

It is assumed that duplicate copies of the above material were enclosed in the envelope for Washington; which was not opened, but was immediately delivered to TWA pilot captain [REDACTED] TWA flight 98 which left Los Angeles as scheduled at 3:00 pm this date. Captain [REDACTED] requested that the Agents in Washington be advised that [REDACTED]

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it will be necessary for them to make arrangements to meet him where the plane lands at Dulles Airport as he does not ride the airport bus from the place of landing to the terminal building. For further information of SAs in Washington, it is to be noted that members of Senator EUGENE MC CARTHY's family and at least two Secret Service Agents are also passengers on TWA flight 98 which is scheduled to arrive Washington, D.C. 10:40 tonight.

The Xerox copies of the above described revolver registration and fingerprint card for SIRHAN SIRHAN are attached to the original of this memorandum.

4:52 PM 6-5-68 Mr. [redacted] b7C
WFO furnished above info. He said
it would be handled Ed Joyce, ASAC

Time 8-10-1965
Date 8-10-1965

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DEALER'S RECORD OF SALE OF REVOLVER OR PISTOL

SPECIAL STATE OF CALIFORNIA

NOTICE TO DEALERS: This copy must be mailed on date of sale to the State Bureau of Criminal Identification and Investigation, P. O. Box 1859, Sacramento 9, California, as provided by Penal Code Section 12076.

IN INDELIBLE PENCIL. BE SURE ALL COPIES ARE CLEAR AND LEGIBLE.

Maker's Name (Smith, J. C. Higgins, Luger, etc.)

WELLS JOHNSON

Model ("Woodsmen," "Chief's Special," "Olympic," etc.)

CADET

Serial Number (including any letters)

H53725

Other Numbers (if different than Serial Number)

NONE

Caliber

22LR

Type of Arm (revolver or pistol, etc.)

REVOLVER

Check One

Blue

Nickel

Other (describe)

X

Country of origin (USA, France, Germany, etc.)

U.S.A.

Barrel length

2 1/2"

Check One

New

Used

X

NAME OF PURCHASER (print name in full)

ALBERT LESLIE HERTZ

LOCAL ADDRESS (if traveling, or in locality temporarily)

PERMANENT ADDRESS (if different from local address)

To be answered YES or NO

Is purchaser a citizen of the United States of America?

YES

Age

62

Eyes

BROWN

Date and place of birth

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Month Day Year

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State and country

Identification (Driver's license, Social Security Number, etc.)

CDL F47545

Has purchaser ever been convicted of a felony?

NO

Occupation

RETIRED

Descent

SLAVE

Signature of Purchaser (Sign in triplicate)

A. L. Hertz

Is purchaser addicted to the use of narcotics?

NO

Height

5-10

Weight

130

Signature of Salesperson (Sign in triplicate)

Jim K... ..

DEALER (Firm name as shown in license to sell)

Establishment number (if one assigned)

PASADENA GUN SHOP, INC.

ADDRESS OF FIRM (Street and number, city, to nearest city)

333 W. GREEN ST.

PASADENA, CALIFORNIA

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

PIERRE SALINGER advised that Mrs. JOHN F. KENNEDY is to arrive Los Angeles International Airport by private plane 5:30 PM today. Los Angeles Police Department is to meet Mrs. KENNEDY and bring her to Good Samaritan Hospital.

SALINGER further advised that Mrs. MARTIN LUTHER KING, Jr., is to arrive via TWA from Washington, D. C. in Los Angeles at 4:55 PM. EARL GRAVES, who is reportedly at Sheraton Wilshire Hotel, is to meet Mrs. KING. Further plans of Mrs. KING unknown.

Los Angeles Police Department and Secret Service are aware of the above.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At 3:25 PM this date, PIERRE SALINGER advised that Dr. KUNEO had been in telephonic contact with a doctor in New York whose name he could not recall, concerning the condition of Senator KENNEDY. Dr. KUNEO had been one of the surgeons who operated on Senator KENNEDY. A medical discussion between doctors was held following which this doctor in New York apparently gave a press release indicating that the Senator probably would have permanent brain damage.

Mr. SALINGER stated that based on current information, if the Senator does survive, he probably will have permanent brain damage. He further indicated that there appears little chance that he would live. Mr. SALINGER had gained this information from talking with the doctors on the case.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-NEW)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Mrs. MARY SIRHAN, 696 East Howard, Pasadena, California, mother of suspect SIRHAN SIRHAN, interviewed 6/5/68, at 826 East Mendocino, Altadena, California, furnished the following information:

She has five sons named SIRHAN SIRHAN, born 1944; MUNIR SIRHAN, 19 years of age; ADEL SIRHAN, 30 years of age; SAID SIRHAN, born 1932; and SHARIF SIRHAN. Mrs. SIRHAN was at loss to understand how her son could be involved in an attempt to kill Senator KENNEDY. She stated he did not drink, did not smoke, had no girl friend, no associates, had always great ambitions but continually failed to obtain these ambitions. She advised in 1966 while employed at a ranch he fell from his horse and sustained injuries to his left side of head, eye and hip. He was hospitalized because of these injuries and she stated he never was the same person following this fall. He had strong feelings toward Jordan and the Arab states and the Arab-Israeli conflicts. She could furnish no motive as to why her son would be involved.

SAID SIRHAN interviewed and stated ^{Subject} had no close association with his brother and could not believe SIRHAN SIRHAN could be involved in any shooting. *Said Sirhan did not know of any associates of subject.*

Interviews were in process of commencing with MUNIR and ADEL SIRHAN at [REDACTED] Altadena, when attorneys A. L. WIRIN and FRED OKRANZ, who represented themselves with the American Civil Liberties Union arrived. WIRIN stated he had interviewed SIRHAN SIRHAN earlier this date. SIRHAN SIRHAN requested WIRIN to contact his mother and brothers and interview them in his behalf. WIRIN

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asked the agents to be excused while he talked with MARY SIRHAN and MUNIR and ADEL SIRHAN. MUNIR and ADEL SIRHAN will be interviewed upon departure of American Civil Liberties Union attorneys.

Adel Sirhan interviewed 6/5/68 stated last saw subject at residence 696 E. Howard Pasadena about noon 6/4/68. Subject left residence soon thereafter without saying where he was going or what his plans were in his 1956 2 door Dr. Hato, license unknown. Adel stated subject did not like the U.S. Policy of support to Israel in Arab-Israel conflict. Adel did not know of any associates of subject. Adel never knew subject to have or use a gun of any description. Subject did not have any debts and never vocal re any dislike of Senator Kennedy.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-196)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SUPERVISOR [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

The Pasadena Police Department has completely blocked off subject's home, 696 East Howard, Pasadena, and no traffic is allowed on the block. This will continue through tonight.

After interviewing SAIDALLAH SIRHAN information relative to the numerous telephone threats were furnished to [REDACTED] Pasadena Police Dept., Pasadena, Calif.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC Los Angeles (56-156) (P)

DATE: 6-5-68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

TV-NEWS

On 6-5-78 SA [REDACTED] and SA [REDACTED] through arrangements made by [REDACTED] KNXT, Channel 2, Columbia Broadcasting (CBS) News, 6121 Sunset Blvd., L. A. # 469-1212, viewed tapes and film shots made by CBS at the Ambassador Hotel during the KENSALT. Also monitored were TV News Specials aired by ABC Channel 7 and NBC Channel 4 and KTTV Channel 11, all L. A., which CBS had running in their TV viewing room, aired between approximately 9: am and 12 Noon, 6-5-68, all dealing with KENSALT.

It was noted that none of the above tape or film showed the actual shooting of Senator Kennedy but showed the aftermath including the removal of the suspect assailant from the area of the shooting by the police. The most vivid and detailed shots of Kennedy's speech just before he left for the kitchen area, shots of him wounded and on the floor and the removal of the suspect from the area were contained in certain 16mm color magnetic stripe film which had been shot by CBS staff cameraman Bill Wilde.

[REDACTED] arranged to have a copy of this 16mm film made for the FBI which he would be ready about 11 am 6-6-68. Re cost of the film to the government he said lets wait and see how much it will cost it may be something CBS can absorb. The length of the film is approximately 250 feet. [REDACTED] requested that a letter be directed to him by the SAC of the FBI stating the purpose for which the film was to be used by the FBI, which he needed for the CBS files.

SA [REDACTED] will follow and pick up the film at CBS and furnish the requested letter, 6-6-68.

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NBC NEWS

MR. BILL HILL, EXECUTIVE PRODUCER, NBC NEWS (WEST COAST), BURBANK, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED THAT NBC HAS NO FILM DEPICTING THE ACTUAL SHOOTING OF KENNEDY. NBC FILMED SCENES OF KENNEDY PRIOR TO THE SHOOTING, THE ACTIVITIES FOLLOWING THE SHOOTING, AND SCENES SHOWING THE SUSPECT BEING TAKEN FROM THE HOTEL BY POLICE OFFICERS. THE SUSPECT IS ~~XXXXXX~~ SHOWN ONLY IN THE FILM ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ SEQUENCE AS HE IS TAKEN FROM THE HOTEL AND IS NOT CLEARLY SHOWN IN THIS SEQUENCE.

MR. HILL SAID NBC HAS NO COPIES OF THE FILM AND THAT THE ORIGINAL FILM WAS BEING AIRED ON NBC'S CONTINUING NEWS COVERAGE. HE SAID COPIES OF THE FILM WOULD BE MADE FOR THE FBI AND WOULD BE AVAILABLE ON 6/6/68.

SA [REDACTED] will follow.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: June 5, 1968

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: MERSALT

b7D On 6/5/68 [REDACTED] Granada Hills, Calif., tel. [REDACTED] advised that sometime around last Easter she had been in the Newberry's Dept. Store, San Fernando RR. MK Mission Blvd. and Balboa Ave.. She had observed three white males, all about 25 years old, and a white female, age about 23 with blonde hair. One of the Males had said "If something like that could be pulled off on election day, it would throw the whole election into turmoil."

[REDACTED] she could furnish no further description of these individuals, and could not identify them. She thought in retrospect that it might pertain to instant case.

[REDACTED] she hoped the FBI would not think she is a "nut".

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-
FROM : SA [REDACTED]
SUBJECT: KENSALT

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Re memo of Supervisor [REDACTED]
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On 6/5/68, [REDACTED] Miller & Ames Insurance Company, 3600 W. Wilshire Blvd., Los Angeles, advised that SIRHAN SIRHAN, address C/O Rt. #1, Box 159 B, Corona, California, was employed as a horse exercise boy for BERT ALTFILLISCH, 13200 Citrus Avenue, Norco, California, on 9/25/66 when he fell from a horse, was injured, and submitted a medical insurance claim under policy number 20210056370, claim # 02 X 203445. [REDACTED] advised that SIRHAN was apparently not seriously injured and he was treated by Dr. RICHARD A. NELSON, Hamner Street, Norco, California. [REDACTED] advised that more details could be obtained through the Argonaut Insurance Company, 443 Shatto Place, Los Angeles, as the Argonaut Insurance Company had the policy on SIRHAN.

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On 6/5/68, [REDACTED] Argonaut Insurance Company, 443 Shatto Place, Los Angeles, made available the claim file pertaining to SIRHAN. A review of this file reflects that on 9/25/66, while at work, SIRHAN was thrown from a horse. He was taken to a hospital by ambulance and regained consciousness while his lacerations were being stitched. He was hospitalized overnight. SIRHAN claimed injuries to his left eye and back and he claimed the injuries were a handicap for which he was entitled to disability compensation. On September 5, 1967, SIRHAN was examined, in regards to his injuries received in September 1966, by [REDACTED] Los Angeles, and at that time [REDACTED] report reflects that he found SIRHAN to be alert, oriented and cooperative and that he found no evidence of a neurological problem. On October 10, 1967, [REDACTED] submitted a further report regarding an examination of SIRHAN conducted on 10/9/68 and he again stated that he found no evidence of any neurological problem. On December 20, 1967, [REDACTED] Avenue, Los Angeles, submitted a report to the Argonaut Insurance Company stating that he had examine SIRHAN on 12/18/67 and he found him to be fully recovered from his injuries sustained on 9/25/66. On 4/5/68 the Argonaut Insurance Company paid a \$2,000 disability compensation to SIRHAN out of which SIRHAN received \$1,705 after deductions for his attorney and liens were satisfied.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Jail Facilities DATE 6/5/68
afforded to subject

On today's date the writer, during an in person contact with [REDACTED] of the Los Angeles County Jail, Department of Sheriff, ascertained the following information concerning the facilities in which subject, SMIRHAN, is confined:

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- A. Subject is confined to an 8' x 10' hospital room located on the second floor of the hospital section of the jail. This room contains no windows, a single steel door which has a 12" x 12" glass window, which permits an outside guard to view the room.
 - B. The room contains an 8" high welded steel bed, which is secured solidly to the floor. The bed contains a foam rubber mattress, blankets, and pillow. Additionally, the room contains a commode and a 12" x 16" tempered glass mirror. Located nearby the commode and affixed to the wall is an 18" x 6" steel shelf which contains coat hooks.

The room also contains a wash basin, towel bar, towel, and a steel toilet paper fixture which is affixed solidly to the wall.

[REDACTED] further advised that the subject is currently wearing a prison issued pair of pajamas and no toilet articles are permitted in the cell except on request of the subject.

Inspector further related that no electronic device is in the subject's room nor will one be placed in it.

As for the procedure followed regarding subject's consumption of food, [REDACTED] related the subject will be fed the standard hospital menu three times daily.

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He stated that the only occasions on which the subject will leave his room under escort will be for the purposes of receiving medical attention and showers.

He advised that when the subject arrived at the county jail he was immediately examined by the medical staff of the facility and that this examination included a head to toe x-ray. It was noted in this examination that the subject was suffering from a fractured finger, which was immediately splintered, and a ace bandage was applied to swollen ankle.

During the day, the subject requested and received single copies of the "Los Angeles Times" and the "Herald".

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It was brought to the attention of the writer by [REDACTED] that a jail guard constantly surveils the subject through the glass window of his hospital room door throughout the period that the subject is confined alone. He stated that the only exception to this procedure is when the subject is visited by a person, physician, or his attorney, at which time the guard checks via the window at five minute intervals.

He related that anyone visiting his cell, including his attorney, must first have the approval of Sheriff PITCHESS. Under no circumstances is the subject brought to an interview area of the jail for security reasons.

No complications other than the fractured finger and swollen ankle were noted during the examination of the subject by prison medical officer, Dr. PHILLIP ATTALLA. Further, there were no indications that the subject had been using any form of narcotic and Dr. ATTALLA has indicated that there was no indication of any form of narcotic withdrawal. [REDACTED] stated that in his conversation with the subject today, he found him to be very articulate in his speech with very little discernible accent.

[REDACTED] has extended his full cooperation to the FBI but has indicated that before releasing copies of the log maintained during the subject's incarceration at his institution as well as any and all medical reports, he must first seek the permission of Sheriff PITCHESS.

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Follow up memorandum will be immediately submitted on receipt of any further information concerning the availability of the logs and the medical reports.

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On 6/5/68 at 7:30 PM SA [REDACTED] furnished the following information to SA [REDACTED]

SA [REDACTED] accompanied [REDACTED] to the second floor hospital cell occupied by subject. Prior to viewing the subject through the glass window of his door, [REDACTED] opened an adjoining unoccupied cell in order to permit SA [REDACTED] to view the rooms facilities which are identical to those in the subjects cell. This inspection coincided in every respect with the description of the room as previously related by [REDACTED]. The bed, steel shelf, toilet paper fixture, basin, and tempered glass mirror were all firmly affixed to the wall and floor.

On completing the inspection of the cell adjoining that of the subject, [REDACTED] permitted SA [REDACTED] to view the subject through the glass window leading into the subject's room. During this viewing the subject was noted to be lying face up on his cot, relaxing. It was noted that his left index finger was heavily bandaged with a splint protruding from the end. Also noted was an ace bandage wrapped around the subject's left ankle.

It should be noted that [REDACTED] had previously advised that when the subject was brought to the jail this morning, X-rays were taken of his entire body during which time it was determined that his left index finger was fractured and his left ankle was swollen. On the basis of these findings the subject was afforded the necessary care, all of which was performed by the jail's medical staff.

It should also be noted that [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] has also made available to SA [REDACTED] a copy of the institute menu for it's inmates for the period 6/5 - 9/68.

He also advised that the subject will be

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utilizing a spoon as a utensil instead of a fork.

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Memorandum

TO : File

FROM : SAC, Los Angeles

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/5/68

Bureau Instructions

Re Butel 6/5/68 and memoranda earlier this date from ASAC ROGGE and Supervisor WILLIAM NOLAN concerning this matter.

I telephoned for Mr. DE LOACH at approximately 10:15 A.M. this date and he was out. I then talked to Mr. ROSEN and pointed out there were inconsistencies in the instructions to the Los Angeles Office as to what the Bureau wanted in conducting this investigation. They are:

1. The FBI is to have a representative present during every pertinent interview.
2. An FBI representative is to be available at all times
3. The FBI is to participate fully with the Police Department in this investigation.
4. That FBI Agents are to "sit in" on all interviews with the subject by the Police Department.
5. The FBI is only rendering assistance to the Police Department, including the services of the Laboratory and Identification Division.

Mr. ROSEN stated he was not in a position to make the final decision and when Mr. DE LOACH returned they would call.

Mr. DE LOACH returned the call at approximately 10:35 A.M. this date and advised as follows:

He said these are the instructions of the Attorney General, the President and concurred in by the Director. We

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have a somewhat minor violation involving the new voting right statute. The FBI is to handle all investigative leads possible. We are to determine whether there is a conspiracy involved. We are to interview the subject and all pertinent witnesses. We can either interview them alone or participate in such interviews with the LAPD. When the investigation is at the appropriate stage we are to submit per Bureau instructions a full and complete report on all pertinent factors involved in this matter. The report will be furnished to the President and the Attorney General. The FBI is to handle all out-of-state interviews. I should impress upon LAPD COP TOM REDDIN that we are not taking over the case from him but that we are going to conduct an investigation and that a report will need to be submitted to the Attorney General and the President. We should attempt to work closely with REDDIN. The above should be done and if there should be any problems we should advise the Bureau immediately.

Mr. DE LOACH stated that the Attorney General had said the President wanted an FBI Agent present at all times while the subject was being interviewed or incarcerated. I told him that to do so would require a physical surveillance on the part of the FBI Agents concerning the subject. Mr. DE LOACH stated he agreed and he had told the Attorney General we were not going to do it. The Attorney General repeated the President's request. I pointed out the subject had now been moved from the custody of the Los Angeles Police Department at Police Headquarters to the Los Angeles County Sheriff's jail where he was being afforded maximum security. I pointed out that if we had an Agent present at the jail observing the prisoner by necessity he would have to be sitting in all probability in the hallway in the cell block looking into the cell or he would need to keep company with the jailer. It was agreed this would not be desirable.

Mr. DE LOACH stated we should have a minimum of two Agents at the Police Department for any emergency and to be fully advised at all times as to what is transpiring and to protect our interests and to participate in any pertinent interviews. In addition we should get a duplicate of the log of any records maintained by LASO concerning the subject, what he did of pertinency or what he had to say, visitors, etc. In addition an Agent should be nearby or present at least during the next few days so that he might make his own notations or log pertaining to anything of interest concerning the subject. I assured him we would have an Agent at the

subject's place of incarceration so that we would be fully informed at all times of anything that transpired that was pertinent.

He stated pursuant to my question again posed to him that we should interview the subject if there is a question of legal procedure on other related problems they should immediately be communicated to the Bureau. The overall idea is that we are to conduct a full scale investigation to determine all the facts whether it was a violation of federal law, whether it was a conspiracy, etc. We are to stick to the original instructions concerning comments to the press (no comment should be made to the press with respect to the question of FBI jurisdiction except that the FBI is rendering all possible assistance to the LAPD, etc.)

Upon closing I mentioned to Mr. DE LOACH that whenever the Police Department developed a new facet in the investigation it quickly appeared in the news media. He said he was aware of it. Shortly thereafter in another call I gave him information on SIRHAN SIRHAN, probably the true identity of the subject. He stated that Mayor SAM YORTY already had it on television. I pointed out the LAPD and Mayor YORTY are very close.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : FILE (56-New)

FROM : SAC WESLEY G. GRAPP

SUBJECT: KENSALT

*Los Angeles Police
Department Advised
by Bureau Instructions*

DATE: 6/5/68

At 11:25 A.M., 6/5/68, a call was placed to Chief TOM REDDIN, LAPD. He was advised by SAC GRAPP, on a confidential basis, our instructions from the President, Attorney General and the Director.

We are going to publicly state that we are rendering the LAPD all possible assistance. This is not intended in any way to take the case away from the LAPD or anything similar but the President and Attorney General want a report within the next few days as to what happened. We also want to determine if there was a conspiracy. It was suggested that our Agents sit in on all LAPD interviews or we will need to interview pertinent persons, including the subject, by ourselves. This is to insure that all the facts are completely reported.

Chief REDDIN indicated he had talked to the U. S. Attorney General several times this morning and that this had been explained to him. REDDIN advised this arrangement was satisfactory. At the present time this investigation is being conducted by detectives of the Rampart Detective Division. He suggested the FBI contact Inspector JOHN POWERS, as Chief of Detectives ROBERT HAUGHTON is on vacation. When the Agents contact POWERS he can brief them, which will give our Agents a direction to follow.

I advised REDDIN to date I believed we had not been in on any interviews with the LAPD.

Chief REDDIN advised his department was going to interview SIRHAN SIRHAN, utilizing those individuals who had been with him before. They would like this interview of SIRHAN to be conducted independently by the same men who had built up a rapport with the subject. At the conclusion of this interview they will know whether or not this investigation is fruitful.

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Mr. GRAPP asked whether or not there was an objection to our Agents talking to SIRHAN after this interview and Chief REDDIN advised there was no objection.

Chief REDDIN advised he had instructed Sheriff PITCHESS not to allow anyone at SIRHAN unless the LAPD approved same. There may be more individuals involved in this than just the individual in custody. Once this interview is conducted, REDDIN felt they will be able to go ahead repidly.

I advised we will talk with Inspector JOHN POWERS, LAPD. I advised Chief REDDIN if there were any problems he should feel free to call us.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/5/68

At approximately 11:00 a.m., [REDACTED] telephonically advised SA [REDACTED] of the following information:

[REDACTED] with offices at [REDACTED] Pasadena, California, phone [REDACTED] advised he had just heard from a radio broadcast that one SIRHAN had just been charged with the assault on Senator ROBERT KENNEDY.

[REDACTED] had as a patient a person with the same name for approximately one year following an accident at Santa Anita Race Track. He last saw this patient on 1/23/68.

[REDACTED] offered any assistance that he might be able to provide in this matter.

This information was furnished telephonically by SA [REDACTED] SA [REDACTED] immediately upon its receipt.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-New)

FROM : Supervisor [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/5/68

At 11:35 A.M., 6/5/68, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Los Angeles, California, business
telephone [REDACTED] home telephone [REDACTED] telephonically
advised that he had heard over the radio that a person by the
name of SIRHAN of 696 East Howard Street, Pasadena, California,
was involved in captioned matter.

b7D [REDACTED] had a patient by the name of SIRHAN SIRHAN
of 696 East Howard Street, Pasadena, California, having seen him
on [REDACTED] for consultation as a result of a personal injury
suit. He indicated that SIRHAN had been referred to his office
by an attorney.

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b7C [REDACTED] stated that he would be most happy to make
his records available for review. However, due to the doctor -
patient relationship he would have to be fully protected legally,
preferably by issuance of a subpoena.

OBTAIN RECORDS & ASCERTAIN
DR'S OPINION OF EMOTIONAL STABILITY,
BRAIN DAMAGE, ETC.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: SIRHAN SIRHAN
KENSALT

[REDACTED] Los Angeles
County - U. S. C. Medical Center, 1200 State Street, Los Angeles,
California confidentially advised on 6/5/68 that [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] aka [REDACTED] that the records
reflect [REDACTED] was born [REDACTED] He said
the records reflect [REDACTED]
Pasadena, California. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] aid that he could not make the record or
the above information available officially with out the issuance
of a subpoena duces tecum. He stated that the subpoena should be
directed to Mr. DAVID ODELL, Administrator, Los Angeles County -
U. S. C. Medical Center.

Administrative insert follows.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156) DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Liaison was established with the LAPD through Chief of Police THOMAS REDDIN (NA) by [REDACTED] at approximately 2:00 a.m., 6/5/68. The Emergency Control Center (ECC), established by the LAPD in connection with the matters of an emergency nature which developed, was utilized by that agency. Agent personnel were assigned to be on duty around the clock with personnel manning the ECC. In addition, SA [REDACTED] established liaison with Inspectors JOHN POWERS and KENNETH J. MC CAULEY, Detective Headquarters, LAPD, which office was responsible for the overall correlation of the investigation being conducted by the LAPD with respect to captioned matter.

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As a matter of information, it is pointed out that all investigative leads coming to the attention of the police department were referred to the Rampart Division, which division is responsible for the area which encompasses the Ambassador Hotel where the shooting of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY took place.

At approximately 3:00 p.m., 6/6/68, the ECC at the LAPD was deactivated according to Inspector POWERS. The investigation of the shooting of Senator KENNEDY, upon the closing of the ECC, would revert back to a "routine" investigative matter. In connection therewith, all telephonic complaints received by the LAPD would be handled in a normal manner in that they would be referred by the Business Office to the Rampart Division, Detective Bureau, for "routine" handling. In addition, the Detective Headquarters Desk at the LAPD maintains a skeletal force only during the nighttime hours. It would be the responsibility of that force of detective personnel to pursue any information received which was deemed important enough to check out immediately.

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In the opinion of Inspector POWERS, it is highly improbable that any investigation with the results of this nature would be undertaken by personnel at the Detective Headquarters Desk during the nighttime hours, but would probably be referred to detective personnel on duty at the Rampart Division, Detective Bureau.

In accordance therewith, it is suggested that consideration be given to maintaining liaison with Rampart Division Detective Personnel. It is further recommended that in view of the foregoing, it would probably not be necessary to maintain agent personnel personally on duty with the detective personnel subsequent to 8:00 a.m., 6/7/68.

It is further pointed out that Inspector POWERS advised that the results of all investigation conducted by the police department regarding interviews by police personnel would be made available to the Los Angeles Division at such time as they can be typed. He pointed out there would be some delay due to the large volume of typing to be done. Further delay is anticipated due to a request made by the Office of the Los Angeles County District Attorney that pertinent interviews be expedited for use of prosecutive authorities in preparing a Grand Jury indictment against SIRHAN SIRHAN.

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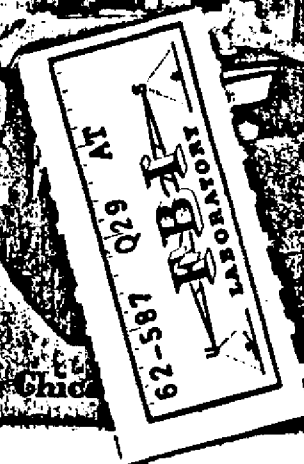
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