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AND
PRIVACY ACTS**

**SUBJECT: ROBERT F. KENNEDY
ASSASSINATION**

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ATTEMPT ASSASSINATION OF SENATOR ROBERT F. KENNEDY ON WEDNESDAY,
JUNE 5, 1968, 12:16 a.m. in the Embassy Room of the Ambassador
Hotel, Los Angeles, California

The following information pertains to the suspected attempt
murderer of Senator Kennedy:

NAME: SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN

696 E. Howard, Pasadena, Calif.

Described as male, caucasian, dob 3/19/44 in Jerusalem, Jordan,
5-2", 115#.

On 12/16/65, the subject made an application to the California
State Horse Racing Board for exercise boy, and it is understood
that he has worked at the Santa Anita Race Track.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SUPERVISOR [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

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Re Memo of ASAC RICHARD D. ROGGE dated 6/5/68, concerning statements by [REDACTED] Los Angeles Representative, HCUA, who stated that an unidentified member of the LAPD had advised that SIRHAN SIRHAN was connected with the W.E.B. Du Bois Clubs.

On 6/5/68, the writer contacted [REDACTED] who advised that [REDACTED] who had furnished information to [REDACTED] concerning SIRHAN SIRHAN, that he had furnished the following information to [REDACTED]

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION ON: SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN

The following information was obtained from U.S. Dept of Immigration, Washington, D.C.:

Subject has a Los Angeles area immigration file [REDACTED]

His family, composed of seven persons, entered the United States at New York City on 1/12/57. At that time, he was 13 years old and was shown to have date of birth of 3/19/44. He was born in Jerusalem, Jordan.

Subject's father is BISHARA SIRHAN. There is a relative of an unknown relationship named SHARIF SIRHAN living in New York.

Subject's brother, ADEL, was supposedly arrested for attempted murder, which was later reduced to "molesting an auto." The location of arrest - jurisdiction and date are unknown.

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[REDACTED] stated he furnished no further
information to [REDACTED] and made no definite
statement to him that SIRHAN was connected with the
W.E.B. Du Bois Clubs.

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It is to be noted that in the past [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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Subject's name and aliases KENSALT			Address of subject		Character of case Election Laws
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 4-25pm.
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 related he wanted to furnish some observations regarding the above case. C said he feels its a conspiracy, due to the fact the .22 caliber bullets had been split on the ends to enable them to shatter upon impact.

Further, he felt the video tapes should be reviewed extensively. He said he saw a "dark skinned man" dressed in a white shirt-jacket type coat, who was smirking, as they took UAW worker, SECHRADE out of the building. He feels there might be a connection there.

No action

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

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At about 10:15 AM on 6/5/68 Detective Lieutenant GERALD WRIGHT, Pasadena Police Department, advised that the brother of the man who shot ROBERT F. KENNEDY was being interviewed in the Pasadena Police Department by Los Angeles Police Department detectives. He identified the subject to me as SIRHAN SIRHAN and his brother as ADEL SIRHAN. *Rehman*
I immediately furnished this information to SA [REDACTED] who requested me to immediately obtain background data on the subject and his family. Further, he instructed that I stay with ADEL SIRHAN, accompany him wherever he was taken by the Los Angeles Police Department and immediately call the Los Angeles Office with any pertinent information obtained.

Det. Lt. GERALD WRIGHT introduced me to Detective Sgt. WILLIAM BRANDT, Rampart Division, Los Angeles Police Department and I informed BRANDT of my interest. BRANDT stated that he had already informed ADEL SIRHAN of his rights, that they were nearly through interviewing him and that they planned to take him to the Rampart Division, Los Angeles Police Department. He then invited me into the interview room.

I introduced myself to ADEL SIRHAN, advised him of my official capacity and informed him that I was interested in obtaining some information concerning the subject and his family. I did not advise him of his rights - I was not interviewing him regarding the case but merely for general background information.

As soon as ADEL SIRHAN furnished the information he could make available from his recollection I immediately telephoned this information in to SA [REDACTED]. Thereafter I reentered the interview room, being absent for not more than five minutes and was informed by BRANDT that arrangements had been made to go the SIRHAN residence before going to the Rampart Division.

I accompanied BRANDT, his partner, JIM EWANS, Central Homicide, Los Angeles Police Department and ADEL SIRHAN in the LAPD car. Upon arrival at the SIRHAN residence, 696 East Howard Street, Pasadena, the entire block was observed to be crowded with vehicles, perhaps twenty or more reporters were on the front lawn, neighbors and many curious people were gathered around, television cameras were being used in interviewing anybody who wanted to be interviewed. I observed unidentified newsmen examining trash in the trash cans. SIRHAN and the two detectives immediately entered the residence of SIRHAN and I went around the back with other LAPD detectives to see if anything had been taken by newsmen from the trash cans. Whether anything was taken prior to my arrival there I do not know but the LAPD detectives quickly sorted out the trash. While they were thus engaged I was able to obtain entrance to the residence through the rear door.

FD 302 prepared
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Detective BRANDT informed me that a search was under way in SIRHAN SIRHAN's room, located in the southeast corner of this one story house. BRANDT and his partner were quickly checking through notes, notebooks and papers in SIRHAN's room, pointing out to me three pertinent items found in two notebooks and on the front of one envelope - these items being described via telephone to SA [redacted] when we arrived at the Rampart Division. It should be noted that it was not possible to telephone out of the SIRHAN home, the line was being kept open, according to BRANDT, by news sources. I did not participate in the search.

About noon we left the SIRHAN residence and via police car went directly to the Rampart Division.

After my phone call to the office, which was made as soon as I arrived at the Rampart Division, I was instructed to obtain any pertinent data obtained from the police interview of ADEL SIRHAN. However, Lt. HUGHES, in charge, was on the telephone perhaps for ten minutes and when I was able to get in the room to monitor the interview being held in another part of the building the interview was nearly ending. In the office of Lt. HUGHES, where the interview was monitored, I found Mayor YORTY already there. I observed him examining the note books and documents obtained by Detective BRANDT and his partner at the SIRHAN residence.

I then requested Lt. HUGHES to make available a copy of the transcribed interview the department had with SIRHAN (Adel).

I was next instructed by SA [redacted] to obtain the originals of pertinent papers and photostatic copies of the balance of SIRHAN SIRHAN's papers as the Bureau had requested them.

Lt. HUGHES had LEE SMITH, LAPD, examined each page first; thereafter they were inventoried and turned over to the FBI.

While in the Rampart Division, BRANDT asked me if I was present when ADEL SIRHAN was warned of his rights at the Pasadena Police Department. I reminded BRANDT that at the time I was introduced to him and had stated my purpose for being there he told me that he had already advised ADEL SIRHAN of his rights.

BRANDT next asked me if I had been with him when arrangements were made with ADEL SIRHAN to visit the SIRHAN residence and I told him that I was not present then, that this probably occurred during my first telephone call to the Los Angeles Office because only upon my return to the interview did I then learn that arrangements had been made to go with ADEL SIRHAN to the SIRHAN residence.

It should be noted that when BRANDT told me originally that arrangements had been made to go to the SIRHAN residence he did not indicate to me what the arrangements consisted of. Since I never saw what papers or documents BRANDT had in his possession and in view of the questions he asked of me I must assume that only oral arrangements were made.

It should be noted that I did not participate in the search and noted only that pertinent information which had already been gathered by BRANDT or his partner.

It should also be noted that I was instructed at the outset to stay close to ADEL SIRHAN and to report immediately any pertinent information obtained - and this was done.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Dr. KASPER FUCHS, Staff Neurosurgeon, Kaiser Foundation, 4867 Sunset Boulevard, telephonically advised SA [REDACTED] that he was the attending physician of PAUL H. SCHRADE. Dr. FUCHS stated SCHRADE sustained a gunshot wound which struck him in approximately the middle of the forehead at the hairline. At impact the bullet left an indentation between the size of a nickle and a quarter. The bullet's impact caused bone fragments from the skull to lacerate the covering of the brain. The bullet which entered the skull exited about 3½" from the point of impact at the top of the skull in approximately the center. SCHRADE was also treated for a concussion which was caused by the bullet's impact.

Dr. FUCHS stated his patient remained in the Intensive Care Unit, but he would state his condition as satisfactory. He stated that SCHRADE was uncomfortable at the present time and he felt it would be approximately two days before he was physically able to engage in an interview.

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Schrade was
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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/6/68

On 6/6/68, [REDACTED] advised that a call had been received at the department at 12:20 p.m., 6/5/68, from a [REDACTED] Walnut, California, telephone number [REDACTED] advising that he knew about the SIRHAN family and brothers of the assassin.

[REDACTED] indicated that [REDACTED] implied that he knew something of the assassins background and activities.

[REDACTED] is a student at Cal-Poly, Pomona, and is presently taking final examinations to be completed 6/6/68. [REDACTED] is employed as [REDACTED] Los Angeles, and is due to return to work Friday night, 6/7/68.

[REDACTED] advised that he relayed the above information to Captain COLWELL, Los Angeles Police Department Intelligence Unit at 12:30 p.m., 6/5/68, and was told the information would be followed up.

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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] California [REDACTED] b7D
vised [REDACTED] records reflect the following information
relative to [REDACTED]

Name [REDACTED]
Address [REDACTED]Pasadena, California
(telephone [REDACTED])Sex
Citizenship
DOBMale
U.S. CitizenHeight
WeightHair
EyesBlack
Brown
SingleMarital Status
Social Security No.
Military Service
Previous Address

None

Personal References [REDACTED]

Education [REDACTED]

Previous Employment [REDACTED]

b7D [REDACTED] that the file further reflects
that he has been [REDACTED] and when he applied
he [REDACTED] and notation on file
reflect that he has a language barrier.

[REDACTED]
The file contains no derogatory information, and
[REDACTED]

302 [REDACTED]
4/14/68 [REDACTED]

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

Facts of complaint

C said he believes he saw SIRHAN at the above apartment on four or five different occasions, the last time being May 29. C said he visited a (PHN) who lives in apt. at the above address. C said is a male, neg., med complexion, age about 25. C said has many visitors to his apartment, and he doesn't appear to be presently working, since C saw him around 10:00 this morning.

C said he showed the picture of SIRHAN to some of the other people in the apartment, and about four of them said they thought they had seen him at also.

C could furnish no further information at this time.

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Date: 6/6/68

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TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)
FROM: SAC, SAN DIEGO (44-394) (P)
KENSALT

Complainant advises May 31 edition Los Angeles Free Press, Page 20, carries jobs wanted ad reading, "I must have \$1000. Do anything. Free to travel. Danger OK. Call 793-2212 between 7-8 PM." Complainant states this is a Pasadena telephone number.

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2 - San Diego

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Special Agent in Charge

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CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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STATE FILE NUMBER

OF CALIFORNIA—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

LOCAL REGISTRATION DISTRICT AND CERTIFICATE NUMBER

PRECEDENT PERSONAL DATA	1a. NAME OF DECEASED—FIRST NAME Robert		1b. MIDDLE NAME Francis		1c. LAST NAME Kennedy		2a. DATE OF DEATH—MONTH, DAY, YEAR June 6, 1968		2b. HOUR 1:44 AM			
	3. SEX M		4. COLOR OR RACE White		5. BIRTHPLACE (STATE OR FOREIGN COUNTRY) Brookline, Mass.		6. DATE OF BIRTH 11/20/25		7. AGE (LAST BIRTHDAY) 42 YEARS			
	8. NAME AND BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER Joseph P. Kennedy Boston, Mass.					9. MAIDEN NAME AND BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER Rose Fitzgerald Boston, Mass.						
	10. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY U.S.A.			11. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER 026-24-0879			12. MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED (SPECIFY) married			13. NAME OF SURVIVING SPOUSE (IF WIFE, ENTER MAIDEN NAME) Ethel Skakel		
PLACE OF DEATH	14. LAST OCCUPATION U.S. Senator					15. NUMBER OF YEARS IN THIS OCCUPATION 4 years		16. NAME OF LAST EMPLOYING COMPANY OR FIRM (IF SELF-EMPLOYED, SO STATE) United States Government			17. KIND OF INDUSTRY OR BUSINESS Government	
	18a. PLACE OF DEATH—NAME OF HOSPITAL OR OTHER IN-PATIENT FACILITY Good Samaritan Medical Center					18b. STREET ADDRESS—(STREET AND NUMBER OR LOCATION) 1212 Shatto Street					18c. INSIDE CITY CORPORATE LIMITS (SPECIFY YES OR NO) yes	
	18d. CITY OR TOWN Los Angeles					18e. COUNTY Los Angeles		18f. LENGTH OF STAY IN COUNTY OF DEATH 10 days		18g. LENGTH OF STAY IN CALIFORNIA 10 days		
	19a. USUAL RESIDENCE—STREET ADDRESS (STREET AND NUMBER OR LOCATION) 870 United Nations Plaza					19b. INSIDE CITY CORPORATE LIMITS (SPECIFY YES OR NO) yes		20. NAME AND MAILING ADDRESS OF INFORMANT Ethel S. Kennedy				
USUAL RESIDENCE	19c. CITY OR TOWN New York					19d. COUNTY New York		19e. STATE New York		20. NAME AND MAILING ADDRESS OF INFORMANT Same as 19a		
	21a. CORONER: I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT DEATH OCCURRED AT THE HOUR, DATE AND PLACE STATED ABOVE FROM THE CAUSES STATED BELOW AND THAT I HAVE HELD ON THE REMAINS OF DECEASED AS REQUIRED BY LAW.					21b. PHYSICIAN: I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT DEATH OCCURRED AT THE HOUR, DATE AND PLACE STATED ABOVE FROM THE CAUSES STATED BELOW AND THAT I HAVE HELD ON THE REMAINS OF DECEASED AS REQUIRED BY LAW.					21c. EMPLOYER OR CORONER—CHIEF MEDICAL EXAMINER Thomas T. Noguchi, M.D.	
	21d. ADDRESS LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA					21e. ADDRESS LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA					21f. ADDRESS LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA	
	22a. SPECIFY BURIAL, ENTOMBMENT OR CREMATION BURIAL					22b. DATE 6-8-68		23. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY ARLINGTON NATL. CEM.		24. ENBALMER—SIGNATURE (IF BODY ENBALMED) LICENSE NUMBER [Signature] 3376		
PHYSICIAN'S CORONER'S CERTIFICATION	25. NAME OF FUNERAL DIRECTOR (OR PERSON ACTING AS SUCH) Donatelli Family					26. IF NOT CERTIFIED BY CORONER, WAS THIS DEATH REPORTED TO CORONER? (SPECIFY YES OR NO) NO					27. LOCAL REGISTRAR—SIGNATURE [Signature]	
	29. PART I: DEATH WAS CAUSED BY: IMMEDIATE CAUSE (A) GUNSHOT WOUND OF RIGHT MASTOID PENETRATING BRAIN CONDITIONS, IF ANY, WHICH GAVE RISE TO THE IMMEDIATE CAUSE (A), STATING THE UNDERLYING CAUSE LAST. (B) _____ (C) _____					30. PART II: OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS—CONTRIBUTING TO DEATH BUT NOT RELATED TO THE IMMEDIATE CAUSE GIVEN IN PART I SHOT BY KNOWN PERSON					31. WAS OPERATION OR SHOUP PERFORMED FOR ANY CONDITION IN ITEMS 29 OR 30? (SPECIFY OPERATION AND/OR SHOUP) NO	
	33. SPECIFY ACCIDENT, SUICIDE OR HOMICIDE HOMICIDE					34. PLACE OF INJURY (SPECIFY HOME, FARM, FACTORY, OFFICE BUILDING, ETC.) HOTEL		35. INJURY AT WORK (SPECIFY YES OR NO) NO		36a. DATE OF INJURY—MONTH, DAY, YEAR JUNE 5, 1968		
	37a. PLACE OF INJURY (STREET AND NUMBER OR LOCATION AND CITY OR TOWN) 3400 WILSHIRE BLVD., LOS ANGELES					37b. DISTANCE FROM PLACE OF INJURY TO USUAL RESIDENCE, FEET OR MILES 3000 MILES		38. WERE LABORATORY TESTS DONE FOR DRUGS OR TOXIC CHEMICALS (SPECIFY YES OR NO) NO		39. WERE LABORATORY TESTS DONE FOR ALCOHOL (SPECIFY YES OR NO) NO		
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JUN 6 1968

[Signature]
G. A. [Name], M.D., M.P.H., Health Officer and Registrar

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : *RS* SUPERVISOR [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At 11:20 a.m., 6/6/68, [REDACTED] LAPD Intelligence, telephonically furnished the following information:

The autopsy on Senator KENNEDY was completed at Good Samaritan Hospital at 11:05 a.m., 6/6/68. He stated that it was anticipated that the body and family would leave the hospital about noon enroute Los Angeles International Airport. It is anticipated that the KENNEDY entourage will fly to La Guardia Field, New York, New York, and the aircraft will discharge passengers at the Butler Aviation Facility at this airport.

[REDACTED] desired that the above information be furnished SA [REDACTED]

Supervisor NOLAN immediately advised.

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*Autopsy Completed
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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

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FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Sergeant WILLIAM JORDAN, Rampart Detectives, Los Angeles Police Department, advised the arraignment of the suspect took place at approximately 7:00 A.M. on 6/5/68 in Division 40, Los Angeles County Municipal Court. The suspect was booked and arraignment was made under the name of "JOHN DOE". He was charged with six (6) counts of Section 217 Penal Code, "Assault to Commit Murder". Judge JOAN DEMPSEY KLEIN set bail at \$250,000.00 and this bail will take effect upon the proper identification of the defendant. At the time of arraignment the suspect was actually held without bail due to the fact that his identity was not known and the terms of bail did not apply.

Sergeant JORDAN stated that it was his understanding the Los Angeles County District Attorney had planned to present the case to the Los Angeles County Grand Jury on Friday, June 7, 1968 in order to receive an indictment. He stated that if an indictment was immediately forthcoming, there would be no preliminary hearing for the subject.

Sergeant JORDAN stated he did not recall the exact date of preliminary hearing set by Judge KLEIN but that the law requires that the suspect must be afforded a preliminary hearing within ten (10) days after arraignment.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re memo of ASAC RICHARD D. ROGGE, dated 6/5/68.

Inquiry at Western Airlines on 6/5/68 determined the next flight leaving Los Angeles for Mexico City is Western flight 601 which departs Los Angeles at 11:55 AM, 6/6/68 and arrives at Mexico City at 4:05 PM, Mexico City time.

At 11:30 AM, 6/6/68, six photographs of SIRHAN SIRHAN were delivered to Captain [REDACTED] pilot of Western flight 601 who stated he would deliver this to the Western Office in Mexico City. The photographs were placed in a plain white envelope as set forth in re memo.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE:

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FROM : ASAC RICHARD D. ROGGE

SUBJECT: KENSALT

~~Bureau Instructions
Re: Report~~

At 8:43 AM, 6/6/68, Section Chief REX I. SHRODER telephonically furnished the following instructions:

1. The initial report in above matter must be at the Bureau on or before Monday morning, 6/10/68. SHRODER stated he noted we have three men reporting to In Service for 6/10/68, namely SAs [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] and the Bureau would definitely appreciate it if the report could arrive at the Bureau on Sunday evening, 6/9/68. SHRODER suggested Los Angeles could have one of the Agents deliver the report; however, the manner of transmittal was being left to the discretion of the SAC.

SHRODER stated a minimum of 20 copies of the report should be prepared for the Bureau and it is possible more copies may be necessary later as wide dissemination will be made by the Bureau.

SHRODER stated Los Angeles should insure that a comprehensive, workable index is included in the report and Los Angeles should insure that all individuals coming to the attention of this investigation are appropriately indexed for ready reference in the future.

SHRODER continued the Laboratory urgently needs legally admissible handwriting specimens immediately for comparison purposes. He said appropriate checks should be made of school and employment records and the like.

SHRODER continued that the Bureau is in receipt of several statements indicating subject SIRHAN SIRHAN or an individual resembling him was in various parts of the country in the recent past, and specifically in Portland, Oregon during the recent primary. He stated the Bureau would like to receive

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(if true)
as early as possible a statement to the effect that SIRHAN
SIRHAN has been in the Los Angeles area for a specified period
of time in the recent past so as to be able to counter these
statements. He indicated probably the best place to obtain
such a statement would be from the subject's mother or family.

SHRODER stated he was again impressing upon Los
Angeles the need to conduct a very thorough investigation
including neighborhood investigation, schools and the like.
He was assured this matter was receiving preferred attention.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

A review of the school records of SIRHAN SIRHAN at Pasadena by SA [REDACTED] and SA [REDACTED] produced the following possible leads:

1. Subject received his polio immunization (Sabin oral type) on 10/28/62 from the Los Angeles County Medical Association, District 2, Clinic 2. *No lead*

2. On subject's school record his doctor was listed as [REDACTED]

3. On school record subject's sponsor was listed as Mrs. HOLDER LILLENAS, [REDACTED] *Handled by [REDACTED] + teletype Missouri*

4. Subject's addresses listed as 1321 North Mentor and 1647 Lake Street. *INFO*

5. Subject's religious preference listed as Orthodox. *(INFO)*

6. Subject's counselor at Muir High School listed as [REDACTED] (who is now in Vocational Education Department, Pasadena, School Records Center, 351 South Hudson Street, Pasadena).

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Indices ☐ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases			Address of subject			Character of case KENSA LT										
Complainant [REDACTED] LAFD VV, nice Div.			Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED] ext [REDACTED]			Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-6-68 Time 10:33am										
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 said he just received information that there is a man at the the Holiday Inn, 9750 Airport Blvd., Los Angeles, screaming that he is going to kill all of the Kennedy's.</p> <p>C said this is all of the information he has at this time, and he does have a car enroute to the Inn. C said he thought this office may like to send a car out.</p> <p><i>ALL bK</i></p> <p><i>Call S.M. RH go to Station y</i></p> <p><i>Approved by [signature] 6/6/68</i></p> <p><i>56-156-267</i></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</td></tr><tr><td colspan="2">FBI - LOS ANGELES</td></tr></table>									SEARCHED	INDEXED	SERIALIZED	FILED	JUN		FBI - LOS ANGELES	
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Indices: ☐ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases		Address of subject		Character of case KENSA LT	
Complainant [REDACTED]		Complainant's address and telephone number Los Angeles [REDACTED]		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-7-68 Time 4:15pm	
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 he is [REDACTED] at some apartments located at [REDACTED] Los Angeles. The day after Kennedy was shot he was speaking with [REDACTED] who lives there, about it. [REDACTED] said [REDACTED] that it was the best thing that could have happen to the country.

C stated he then asked some of the neighbors about [REDACTED] and they said he was a "nut".

C related he has seen the [REDACTED] take something out his car, on one occasion, that looked like a gun case.

C described him as male, white, late 30's, mustache, balding, lives with mother at above address.

Indices negative on [REDACTED]

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IC [REDACTED]

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On June 5, 1968, I obtained from [REDACTED] Pasadena Police Department, one xerox copy of what was thought to be all items in the Pasadena Police Department files pertaining to the SIRHAN family. This material was delivered by me to SA [REDACTED] on June 5.

On June 6, 1968, I obtained from [REDACTED] another xerox set of all material in Pasadena PD files as above, and xerox copies of some items that had not been located on June 5. I delivered the new material to SA A. O. RICHARDS on June 6. I delivered the complete set of material obtained on June 6 to Lt. CHARLES HUGHES, Rampart Div., LAPD, on June 6, 1968.

SA RICHARDS was requested to have a xerox copy made of all of the Pasadena PD material in possession of the LA Office made and delivered to SA [REDACTED] for subsequent delivery by him to Secret Service.

I also delivered to LT. HUGHES, supra, and to SGT. A. B. MELENDRES, Los Angeles Hall of Justice, Grand Jury Room, each one copy of a bound volume of xerox copies of material obtained from the subject's room in Pasadena. This delivery was made on June 6, 1968.

Submitted for information only. NO ACTION.

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AIR MAIL

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

Re Sacramento teletype to Los Angeles dated 6/7/68,
and Los Angeles teletype to Sacramento dated 6/8/68.

Enclosed for Sacramento are two photographs of
subject, SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN. Two photographs sent
direct to Modesto RA.

*photographs of Subject
sent to Sacramento 6-7-68*

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

[REDACTED] Riverside telephone [REDACTED] advised that she is [REDACTED] at Parkview Hospital, Riverside. She has worked with a girl known as [REDACTED] who is supposed to be from Persia. [REDACTED] has been in this country about one year. Approximately one month ago on a weekend, [REDACTED] introduced [REDACTED] to a person who looked like the person accused of shooting Senator KENNEDY. She introduced him as SIRHAN. b7D

SIRHAN said he was from Pasadena and that he was her boy friend. She advised SIRHAN appeared surprised when she ran into SIRHAN in the waiting room, but later said that he had come to give her a ride home. She saw him meet [REDACTED] one other time.

[REDACTED] supposedly resides at [REDACTED] Claremont, California, telephone [REDACTED]. She is [REDACTED] years old, very small, wears about size eight clothes, hair is cut short, and is an attractive girl.

[REDACTED] advised that she was calling from Parkview Hospital, number 688-2211, and after viewing the scheduling for working on the weekend, advised that [REDACTED] was not due in Riverside until Sunday. At the time of the receipt of the above information, Riverside City College was closed.

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AT CLAREMONT, CALIFORNIA: Locate and interview [REDACTED]

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/7/68, at 4:00 p.m., [REDACTED] Naval Air Station, Point Mugu, California, telephonically contacted the writer at the Ventura Resident Agency and furnished the following information:

On 6/7/68, [REDACTED] GS- [REDACTED] who resides at [REDACTED] (date of birth, [REDACTED] came into [REDACTED] and advised him of the following:

[REDACTED] has been employed with the United States since 1/1/68 and formerly was an employee at [REDACTED] El Segundo, California, except for a period of time in 1965 when he was on leave of absence due to health reasons when he was confined at Wadsworth Veterans Administration Hospital, Los Angeles. At that point, [REDACTED] began rambling and became disoriented in his conversation and talked of being harassed for the past ten years by members of a "syndicate".

In his conversation, he mentioned having been visited at the Wadsworth Hospital by a girl friend, [REDACTED] who displayed a newspaper clipping concerning a [REDACTED] (phonetic) dated December, 1966. This clipping indicated [REDACTED] operated a health food store in Pasadena, California, and [REDACTED] told him she worked at the store.

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[REDACTED] advised that he further believed [REDACTED] worked for the "syndicate" and was also in conspiracy with his doctor and lawyer. He advised that when he observed the television coverage of the ROBERT KENNEDY shooting, he realized that [REDACTED] might possibly be identical with the unknown woman wearing a polka dot dress, who is being sought in connection with this crime.

According to [REDACTED] no additional information or details could be furnished by [REDACTED] to link [REDACTED] with captioned matter and, in view of [REDACTED] position and access to classified information, the United States Navy intends to afford [REDACTED] complete physical and psychological examination at the earliest opportunity and furnish it to the FBI.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re Dallas teletype to Los Angeles, 6/6/68.

On 6/6/68, [REDACTED] Mission Diego, California, telephone No. [REDACTED] advised as follows:

She has never met SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN and knows nothing about his background, associates or activities. During April 1968, she and her husband, [REDACTED] were in the cocktail lounge known as "Harper's Corner" in the Hilton Inn Hotel, Dallas, Texas. Their waiter was named "MOE" and in conversation with him he stated that he was a "Persian" and that he had a cousin also known as "MOE," who resides in Pasadena, California. The cousin was a waiter at a hotel believed by this individual to be the Ambassador Hotel. The man then wrote the name of his cousin, SIRHAN SIRHAN, of the Pasadena address, however, [REDACTED] was unable to find this piece of paper. She stated that she took the name and address in the event she was in the Ambassador Hotel at any time she would look up this individual. She was never in the Ambassador, however, and therefore had no contact with SIRHAN SIRHAN.

[REDACTED] advised to the best of her recollection the waiter "MOE" in Dallas told them that he was attending Southern Methodist University in that city.

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AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA: If identity of SIRHAN's cousin "MOE" not already determined, consider sending lead to Dallas to make inquiry at SMU and Hilton Inn Hotel in attempt to identify and interview.

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Follow Dallas Rev.

Dallas indicated
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would check
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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/7/68, [REDACTED]
Long Beach, [REDACTED] advised the following:

On 6/6/68, she heard a news case wherein some statement was made regarding "a pink car and a girl" in instant case.

In this regard, she desires to furnish the following information:

a Residing on the second floor of the same duplex in which she is living is a [REDACTED] a white male, age about 17, born in Algeria of French parents, a school dropout, and, according to his father, previously involved in narcotics use in Quebec, Canada. [REDACTED] periodically resides with his parents at this address. A school dropout, he apparently only comes home when he desires. Several months ago, his mother, [REDACTED] requested that [REDACTED] copy down the license of any automobiles which brought [REDACTED] home.

In early April 1968, complainant observed [REDACTED] had in his possession an old model car of some sort, pink in color.

[REDACTED] told her that the car belonged to a girlfriend of his who lived in Alhambra.

Complainant stated that, on 4/17/68 [REDACTED] made a collect call on her telephone to a Sierra Madre number of [REDACTED]

Complainant stated that she had no information to tie in with the KENNEDY assassination other than the pink car episode described above.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re memo of Supervisor [REDACTED] dated 6/5/68.

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On 6/7/68, [REDACTED]
Drive, Hollywood, California, was shown mug photographs of subject
SIRHAN SIRHAN, taken on 6/5/68, by the Los Angeles Police
Department. He advised that SIRHAN was definitely not the
person that [REDACTED] had talked with at the Hollywood Park
Racetrack on 6/1/68, as referred to in rememo. He pointed out
that the person he had talked with was much smaller than SIRHAN
appears to be and had light brown straight hair, thinning on top.
He said this person was either Cuban or Mexican and spoke with
some type of accent.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/7/68, an attempt was made to contact RAYMOND MEHERGI MISTRY at his residence at [REDACTED] Pasadena, California, however he was not at home. One [REDACTED] tenant at this address, stated MISTRY was presently [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] She did not know when he would return. She furnished the telephone number at this residence as [REDACTED] and suggested he be called before further trips were made to contact him. She believed he might go to the races on Saturday afternoon. [REDACTED] was aware MISTRY had called the police to tell them he was acquainted with SIRHAN SIRHAN, and stated she believed MISTRY was very honest and cooperative. b7D

At 6:15 PM, a call was made to the above telephone number, however MISTRY was not in. [REDACTED] stated he was not expected until late in the evening. She agreed to try to obtain the telephone number of a close friend of MISTRY's, JOHN [REDACTED], to ask him to call the writer, and to give her his itinerary for Saturday, as someone would attempt to contact him.

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AIR MAIL

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

At 12:07 PM, 6/5/68, a female voice telephonically advised an SA in Los Angeles, "This is San Francisco, I want to tell you about the KENNEDY shooting." At first she refused to identify herself, but later when assured her identity would be kept confidential, stated she is [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] California ZIP Code [REDACTED]
phone number (Area Code [REDACTED])

She then went on in a rambling way, to say that President JOHNSON, when Vice President, stated he wanted to be President; and later President JOHN F. KENNEDY was killed. She then pointed out that JOHNSON gave up the Presidential candidacy because he "knew" ROBERT KENNEDY would win. Then she asserted that "money was paid," and added knowingly, "If you ask the two brothers you may find out who paid the money." She went on briefly, in a somewhat irrational manner, implying that President JOHNSON was behind the attempted assassination, so that he could re-enter the Presidential race.

When asked why she phoned Los Angeles, instead of calling the FBI in her home town, she stated she has been in touch with that office on numerous occasions and offered to solve numerous cases, but that her assistance was not accepted. She was advised that her identity would be kept in confidence, and that her call would be made a matter of record.

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There is no information in Los Angeles indices concerning the name [REDACTED]

The above is being furnished for information to San Francisco, and no action is deemed warranted because of the obvious mental condition of the caller.

Call taken by SA [REDACTED]

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, BALTIMORE (44-New)
SUBJECT: KENSALT

[REDACTED]
Maryland upon hearing early broadcast 6/5/68 of caption made report to sheriff's office, Charles County, Maryland of a remark made to her, and [REDACTED] 5/16/68 by one [REDACTED] an attorney in Washington, D. C. that "if BOBBY KENNEDY wins the nomination he will be killed before November."

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[REDACTED]
interviewed 6/5/68 by way of background related as follows:

Both [REDACTED] have been extremely interested in current political campaign, both are strong supporters of Senator EUGENE MC CARTHY. b7D

In May, 1968 [REDACTED] went to Charleston, West Virginia to help campaign for MC CARTHY in the 5/14/68 Primary. About 2 A.M. of 5/10/68 she was at the MC CARTHY Campaign Headquarters and took a phone call from a [REDACTED] whom she did not know. [REDACTED] sounded as though he [REDACTED] and commented that he had been [REDACTED] for MC CARTHY in Washington, D.C. [REDACTED] then ascertained from a worker at the MC CARTHY Campaign Headquarters that [REDACTED] had been sent out by the National

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MC CARTHY Campaign Committee in Washington, D. C. to prepare ground work for the MC CARTHY Campaign in West Virginia.

[REDACTED] returned to her home on or about May 16, 1968. She had a feeling there was some unexplained friction in the MC CARTHY Campaign, so she called [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] They discussed for about one half hour the political campaign in general.

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[REDACTED] the latter did not discuss Senator ROBERT KENNEDY personally nor did he make any derogatory remarks about the Senator. However, [REDACTED] did say there was a lot of hatred for KENNEDY throughout the nation, and stated "If BOBBY KENNEDY wins the nomination he will be killed before November."

[REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] did not elaborate on the statement, but made it sound as though it was a matter of fact and a foregone conclusion that KENNEDY would be killed.

[REDACTED] stated that following [REDACTED] the latter escorted [REDACTED] to MC CARTHY Campaign Headquarters [REDACTED] where he introduced them to a number of party workers.

[REDACTED] stated that she can furnish no additional information and can not explain the specific significance behind [REDACTED] statement.

[REDACTED] described [REDACTED] as a [REDACTED] age about [REDACTED] build,

As there does not appear to be any connection with captioned matter, this is submitted for information of Bureau, Los Angeles and WFO.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: *Encl 55*
KENSALT

Re Memo by SA [REDACTED] dated 6/7/68.

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his name*

The writer and SA [REDACTED] contacted hotel [REDACTED] Santa Monica, California, and reviewed a registration card of one [REDACTED] who registered for room 236 on 6/5/68, indicating she would depart on 6/9/68. The card contained the residence address as being Manhattan, New York. [REDACTED] said the only other information he had concerning this individual was her room assignment 236 and a telephone call placed by her earlier today to local number 451-5911 (determined to be Los Angeles County local number Santa Monica area in County building).

[REDACTED] advised that the individual presently occupying room 236 checked in on 6/5/68 between 4:00 and 6:00 P.M. He stated he could not furnish more information regarding this individual other than this person was a female who has utilized room service on several occasions and he himself had picked up a black haired woman's wig and had delivered it to the hotel beauty parlor. [REDACTED] there has been nothing particularly unusual about the activities of this person other than they have not been observed by other hotel employees. [REDACTED] inquired among his bell men, however, was unable to obtain additional information.

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[REDACTED] Housekeeper, checked her records and advised that room 236, according to her schedule would have been vacated this date. She inquired of a maid responsible for the hall and determined that the "room should be vacant". [REDACTED] proceeded to the room, 236, unlocked door at which time it appeared

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the room was still occupied in that pieces of luggage, various items of personal apparel as well as two female wigs were readily observed. [REDACTED] examined a ticket type lable attached to one of the pieces of luggage upon which the name of [REDACTED] appeared.

[REDACTED] also checked the closet and advised it contained a plain white dress, a short vest type sweater, a pair of female type light tan denim pants. [REDACTED] after closing the door made additional inquiries of her maid personnel and was advised that the room in question had been occupied on at least one night by two females, one of which departed earlier this date.

In view of the above information, there is no indication or nothing to substantiate or associate this situation with the KENNEDY assassination.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

SA [REDACTED] from the Bureau called at 4:25 PM and said that he is handling the matter during the night and that someone had just heard on the radio that the woman in the polka dot dress just surrendered to the LAPD. He was told this is being checked out. He asked that the Bureau be advised whether it is verified or washed out.

He stated in the next teletype they would like some information as to the investigation to determine if SIRHAN SIRHAN has been out of Los Angeles in the past several weeks.

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*Woman in polka-dot dress
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[redacted] secretary for [redacted] advised that her maiden name was [redacted]. She stated that her home address is [redacted] and her home telephone number is [redacted].

b7D [redacted] she graduated [redacted] and that she was a classmate of [redacted]. She advised that during this period of time she was residing with her uncle, [redacted] Street. She advised that [redacted] was a casual acquaintance of her's and they were not close friends. She stated she is a displaced Cuban and entered this country in 1961 and established residence in New Orleans in 1963. She stated that because of her recent arrival in New Orleans she did not have many friends while going to high school during the 1963-64 school year. She advised [redacted] is a member of the Mormon Faith and asked her to come to the Mormon Church on several occasions merely to meet people her own age. She stated she went to the Mormon Church on several occasions but when she was approached to join this faith she did not go back and added that any visits made by [redacted] to her residence during the 1963-64 school year would have been made concerning the Mormon Church. She stated she cannot recall more than two or three visits by [redacted] to her residence.

The description furnished by [redacted] was read to [redacted] and afterwards she advised that this description does not fit any individual that she currently knows or would have known in 1963-64.

She advised that when she was going to [redacted] High School she was engaged to her present husband, [redacted] and he spent a great deal of time at her residence. She advised that he is a displaced Cuban and at that time his family was still in Cuba and therefore he spent most of his time at her apartment.

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by SA's [redacted] Date dictated 6/6/68

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[REDACTED] was exhibited a photograph of SIRHAN SIRHAN that appeared in the New Orleans "States-Item" and she advised that she had never seen this individual and had no friends or acquaintances that would resemble this photograph.

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b7D [redacted] Apartment [redacted]
[redacted] was exhibited a photograph of SIRHAN
SIRHAN that appeared in the New Orleans "States-Item" and
she advised that the photograph seemed familiar to her
and for some reason she associated this photograph with
[redacted] but could not be sure. She again stated that she
may be mistaken in associating this photograph with [redacted]

[redacted] advised that she was never introduced
to the individual she believed looked like the assailant.
She stated that she only saw this individual once at the
residence of [redacted] and knows nothing further about
this individual.

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[REDACTED] advised that after viewing the photograph of the individual suspected to have shot Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY she believed that she may have met this individual once or twice and thought the face of the man was associated with a former classmate of her's by the name of [REDACTED]. She advised that she saw this photograph on television and her identification is based on a very quick glance at this photograph.

[REDACTED] advised that she was a classmate of [REDACTED] High School and they both graduated from this high school in 1964.

[REDACTED] advised that she felt she saw this individual at the residence of [REDACTED] during the 1963-64 school year as she and [REDACTED] were students in a Spanish class during that year.

[REDACTED] she could not be sure if the photograph of the assailant is the same man she met in 1964 and further advised she may be wrong in her association of this man with [REDACTED]. She advised she only saw the photograph once when it was exhibited on television and she viewed this photograph for a very short period of time.

b7D She described the individual whom she saw at the apartment of [REDACTED] as a Cuban male approximately 19 to 20 years of age, 5'8" tall, very thin build, dark wiry hair and blue eyes. She further stated that this individual stuck in her mind due to the fact that she thought it was extremely unusual for a Cuban to have blue eyes.

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SA's [REDACTED]

by [REDACTED] Date dictated 6/6/68

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[redacted] advised that she had looked through her high school year books and had discussed the photograph of SIRHAN SIRHAN with her husband, but still was unable to recall anyone resembling this photograph or fitting the description furnished by [redacted]

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AIR MAIL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, NEW ORLEANS (173-994)
SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re Bureau teletype to all SACs dated 6/5/68.

Enclosed for Los Angeles are nine copies each
of FD 302s reflecting interviews of [REDACTED]

Credit and criminal checks at New Orleans
negative re SHIRHAN BISHARA SHIRHAN.

No further investigation being conducted at
New Orleans re this allegation by [REDACTED]

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 - 2 - Los Angeles (Enc. 32) (RM)
 - 1 - New Orleans
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- 28 copies
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DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SAA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

While conducting another investigation at Los Angeles International Airport today, writer was furnished the attached letter by [REDACTED] Trans World Airlines, Inc., 300 World Way, Telephone [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] stated this letter was received either Tuesday or Wednesday, May 28 or 29, 1967. Letter is folded in such a manner that no envelope was needed and was addressed on the letter itself.

[REDACTED] explained that he could furnish no additional information regarding this letter or why it was sent TWA. It was a rambling letter of a derogatory nature concerning former Senator KENNEDY and he felt the FBI should have this letter for any action deemed appropriate.

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COULD THIS BE [REDACTED]

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Supervisor WILLIAM JOHN NOLAN has instructed that all witnesses who appeared before the Los Angeles County Grand Jury to testify in captioned matter should be interviewed by FBI Agents.

SA [REDACTED] has been designated to coordinate and to insure that all individuals appearing at the Grand Jury hearing are interviewed.

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DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Mr. BILL GARDNER, Ambassador Hotel, Los Angeles, telephonically advised that a Mr. WALLICH who was currently in his office, could furnished information regarding the KENNEDY assassination.

S [REDACTED] and SA [REDACTED] were immediately dispatched to the Ambassador Hotel.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

During the investigation at [REDACTED] Pasadena, Calif. former employment of SIRHAN SIRHAN's brother SAIDALLAH SIRHAN that the two employees most likely to be able to furnish information regarding any political views of SAIDALLAH are both presently off work due to injury and illness. According to [REDACTED] the company both will probably return to work 6/10/68.] b7D

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Contact [REDACTED] at employment listed above or residence [REDACTED] Pasadena for information 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.

It is to be noted that [REDACTED] according to [REDACTED] is Lebanese and [REDACTED] and SAIDALLAH may have had discussions concerning the recent JEWISH - ARAB war.

LEAD

Contact [REDACTED] at either above employment or his residence [REDACTED] Altadena, Calif. telephone # [REDACTED] According to [REDACTED] was SAIDALLAH's immediate supervisor in the plant.

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FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/7/68

JACK DAVIES, former employer of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN, owner Jack Davies Richfield Service Station, 2529 East Foothill Boulevard, Pasadena, California, advised that the following individuals may be able to furnish further information concerning SIRHAN:

TOM BLESSING

[REDACTED] California
(DAVIES advised that BLESSING is presently in Salt Lake City, Utah, and will return to the Los Angeles area on 6/9/68, and can be contacted at [REDACTED] Boulevard on 6/9/68 or 6/10/68.)

ROGER MOORE

Duarte, California
(DAVIES advised that MOORE use to work with SIRHAN and advised that MOORE is believed to be working at a gasoline station in Pomona, California, address unknown.)

CHESTER ADAM YASHUK

[REDACTED]
Pasadena, California
(DAVIES advised that YASHUK used to work with SIRHAN at the Richfield Service Station.)

CAROL LAMBRECHT

Address unknown
Telephone [REDACTED]
(DAVIES advised that LAMBRECHT used to work with SIRHAN at the Richfield Service Station and resides on Rosemead Boulevard near the railroad overpass near Santa Anita Park, exact address unknown.)

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AT PASADENA, CALIFORNIA: Will interview the above mentioned individuals and attempt to develop any background, political, or nationalistic learnings for information pertinent to this investigation.

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Date

6-7-68

TO: CHIEF CLERK

Subject

Aliases

Address

Birth Date

Birthplace

Race

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☐ Male

☐ Female

☐ Exact Spelling

☐ All References

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I - Identical

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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 Los Angeles [REDACTED]			Complaint received <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Personal <input type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-7-68 Time 10:23am			
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 was at a baby shower on ~~May~~ May 22, 1968. ~~AA~~
[REDACTED] Los Angeles, was also there.

C said [REDACTED] mentioned to her that she had tickets for the Kennedy campaign party at the Ambassador Hotel. Later she mention she had purchased a new white dress with tiny blue polka dots.

C stated she also recalls someone telling her that she went to the Ambassador for dinner, with [REDACTED] before Christman, and they went in and looked at the kitchen.

C had no further information to furnish at this time.

It should be noted that in [REDACTED] came in and made a report on [REDACTED] regarding [REDACTED]. At that time she left a picture of [REDACTED] which is enclosed in that serial.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6-7-68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

During the course of an interview with Mrs. Carol Breshears this afternoon at Kennedy Campaign Headquarters, 5615 Wilshire Blvd., Mrs. Breshears, who had been working for the Kennedy Group as a volunteer campaign worker, said that she had received a call about a half hour before the arrival of the writer from an individual who had identified himself as a writer for Newsweek. According to this individual, Mrs. Breshears stated, one of her Kennedy girls, a red head, had reportedly observed Sirhan forcibly ejected from the kitchen area several times earlier in the evening. Mrs. Breshears advised that her duties as a campaign worker included taking charge of several hundred Kennedy girls, and that the group included a redhead, Christine R. McDonough, [REDACTED] Los Angeles, telephone [REDACTED]. She further advised that she had not spoken with Christine and does not know if Christine is the girl the Newsweek caller referred to.

It is suggested that Christine R. McDonough, [REDACTED] Los Angeles, be interviewed for information concerning the above mentioned incident.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

[REDACTED] Lancaster, California, has advised
knew SIRHAN family due to his association previously with
Pasadena. [REDACTED] recalled SIRHAN family was close
friends with (FNU) [REDACTED] family who resided near them
on Elizabeth Street in Pasadena. [REDACTED] thought the two families
were related. Northeastern Section telephone directory
lists a [REDACTED] at [REDACTED] Pasadena,
telephone [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] First Baptist
Church of Pasadena, stated SIRHAN family stopped attending
church approximately 1963 and same time the [REDACTED] family
also stopped attending this church. Stated [REDACTED]
not familiar to him as family attending church was [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] who obtained a divorce about this time
and whom he believed left the Pasadena area. Several attempts
have been made to contact [REDACTED] family at this address
with negative results.

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AT PASADENA, CALIFORNIA. Will contact [REDACTED]

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Contested 6/9/68 & separate 302's
dict & submitted to [REDACTED] Kensch.
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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

CLARENCE COPPING, [REDACTED] Pasadena, California, former employer of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN, advised that the following individuals could possibly furnish information concerning SIRHAN SIRHAN. COPPING advised that SIRHAN used to reside with the BEVERIDGE family:

WAYNE J. BRANTLEY
Exact address unknown
Believed to be residing in Monrovia, California

WILLIAM BEVERIDGE
[REDACTED]
Pasadena, California
Telephone [REDACTED]

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LOS ANGELES

AT PASADENA AND MONROVIA, CALIFORNIA: Will interview the above individuals concerning any background, political, or nationalistic learnings for information pertinent to this investigation.

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Memorandum

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

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/7/68 PETER SPENCER BERKSON, residence [REDACTED] California, telephone [REDACTED] was interviewed and advised that he was present at the time Senator KENNEDY was assassinated at the Ambassador Hotel on 6/5/68. BERKSON photographed the events subsequent to KENNEDY's attack and the film (35mm color) was subsequently sold and forwarded to the Time - Life Magazine, NYC, New York.

This writer has submitted a TT to New York setting out lead to obtain copies of BERKSON's photographs and forward to Los Angeles for investigative purposes. A FD-302 was prepared reflecting the results of the interview of PETER BERKSON.

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BERKSON advised that his brother, DENNIS BERKSON, residence [REDACTED] California, telephone [REDACTED] was also present at the Ambassador Hotel at the time of KENNEDY's assassination, and was assisting an unidentified NBC News reel photographer. He advised that his brother would know the identity of the photographer as his brother worked for NBC with the news team covering the KENNEDY campaign.

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Will contact DENNIS BERKSON, [REDACTED] California, telephone [REDACTED] for info re captioned matter.

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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 had worked for the KENNEDY campaign at the Wilshire office. C. stated also working there was the subject and her husband [REDACTED]. C. stated she had been asked by the subject to attend a meeting this Sunday concerning how to find out what strategy regarding the delegation in lew of what has happened.

C. also stated the subject fits the description of the person the LAPD is looking for in the "Poka-Dot dress". C. also stated the subjects actions have been quite odd after the shooting.

C. stated she would contact this office and furnish further ~~information~~ information after she has attended the meeting Sunday.

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CONTACT [REDACTED]
OBTAIN SPECIFIC INFO

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : ASAC RICHARD D. ROGGE

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At 2:55 PM, 6/7/68, [REDACTED] Los Angeles Times, telephone [REDACTED] telephonically contacted the writer and furnished the following information:

[REDACTED] reference to the 6/7/68 issue of the Los Angeles Herald-Examiner wherein it is indicated one W. J. WOOD, a reported KENNEDY campaign worker, alleged seeing three swarthy men speaking in Arabic at KENNEDY headquarters. [REDACTED] should our investigation develop evidence that there was a conspiracy in the assassination of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY, he desired this office to be in possession of the following information:

b7D [REDACTED] he receives a lot of "junk" mail and for the past several years about once a month he receives a one-page mimeographed letter which contains normally pro-Arab propaganda. The letter is normally anti-Semitic and anti-KENNEDY and anti-Establishment. It allegedly is prepared by [REDACTED] who has an office at [REDACTED] California, telephone [REDACTED]. This individual is listed in the telephone book as having a residence at [REDACTED] Downey, telephone [REDACTED].

[REDACTED] he has no specific evidence that this individual had any part in the assassination of Senator KENNEDY, he nevertheless felt that based on the material he produces, he would be capable of participating in a conspiracy.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

New Orleans, Louisiana

June 5, 1968

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

**ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION OF
SENATOR ROBERT F. KENNEDY,
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA,
JUNE 5, 1968**

On June 5, 1968, Investigator [REDACTED] Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS), New Orleans, Louisiana, furnished to the New Orleans Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) a communication entitled "Biblegram (telegram) to McCarthy" which was received by the New Orleans INS Office on June 4, 1968. The communication bears the typewritten name [REDACTED]. No envelope was used in mailing the communication. The communication was folded and the address of "Departement of Imigration, New Orleans, Louisiana" was written on the reverse side. The communication bears the postmark of Los Angeles, California, PM, May 31, 1968.

Investigator [REDACTED] advised that his office has no record of a [REDACTED] and he said he does not know why the communication was sent to the New Orleans INS Office.

The above-mentioned communication is as follows:

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GOD says, Meddle not with them that are given to change. (Proverbs 24:21)

Bated breath, debate, the bate: Bated Questions.

Robert refused in Oregon because of not enough Satan-Latin, Cuba Catholic pushinns, and Jew "Blue card" Mexican Catholic dragnet into U.S.A.

Now: Come into my Catholic California web says Robby spider.

A lying tongue, sly speech, and eloquent orator can take either side and convince the simple.

GOD says, The simple believe every word. (Proverbs 14:15)

A Catholic will vote Catholic - right or wrong. - just or unjust. Pope puppet Communists. Catholics want Pope-Rome to run and ruin U.S.A. No free speech - Poverty as in Mexico, South America, Spain, and Italy. Catholic Republicans still vote Pope behind the Pope vote booth curtain. Pope Pious spys.

Poverty system - L.B.J., to Catholic Luci, to priest confession booth, to Pope Pie USA. Spy for Pious.

All money roads lead to Rome. Rome is unamerican.

Lincoln killed by Booth - Catholic confession Booth. Pope's orders. Amelia Earheart - blame Japs. Atomic sub, blame Russia. air crashes - blame innocent. Titanic sinking: S.S. California refused SOS rescue and stood 10 miles off. (Luke 10:31) - priest passed by on the otherside of the wounded man.

GOD says, A poor man is better than a liar.

GOD says, A good name is rather to be chosen than great riches.

GOD says, Choose ye this day whom ye will serve.

GOD says, There is nothing hid that shall not be made Manifest.

Mark 4:22 Daniel 2:22-23

Suggest this Biblegram sent to RFK, may use my name. (Matt. 10:42)

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The reason so many need glasses is the doctor use boric acid on baby's eyes., and printing is deliberately too small, Note Boris Carloff's eyes. Rome tell you in many ways of their deliberate destruction of our bodys for Doctors and medication merchants, etc. Rev. 18:3 and 24.

GOD says, Studdy is wearyness of the flesh. Eyes are flesh.

GOD says, Ever learning and never able to come to knowledge of the truth. Yet Million think higher education is a must. Taxes.

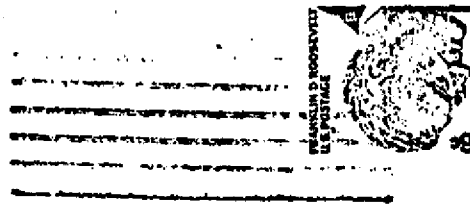
GOD says, GOD shall bring every work into judgement, every secret thing, whether it be good, or whether it be evil.

Do you know some Republican or Democrat headquarters that you could send a Biblegram?

The trouble in France is to call attention to the veit conference to stop the war but the Jew's news lie and make us believe its against DeGaul. Pope's Luck of the Irish start roits and blame them on whoever they desire.

GOD calls the Jew Treacherous (teacher). God Divorced the trecherous Jew before the treacherous Jew wrote the New (Jew) testament. There angels recieved their wings, Baptim was invented, and sins of the old testement were nollified, such as stoning the whore, etc. Now, The mot her that rocks the cradle ruins the world.

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AIRMAIL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, NEW ORLEANS (173-994)
SUBJECT: KENSALT

Enclosed for the Bureau are four (4) copies of an LHM that includes a communication received by INS, New Orleans, La., on 6/4/68, and furnished to the New Orleans FBI Office on 6/5/68.

Two (2) copies of instant LHM are being furnished to Los Angeles. Also, the original communication received by INS, New Orleans, is enclosed for Los Angeles for information and any action deemed appropriate.

One copy of instant LHM is being furnished to the U. S. Secret Service, New Orleans, La.

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PHONE: 626-9511, EXTENSION 82041

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

ACCUSED KENNEDY SLAYER INDICTED AND ARRAIGNED

Following an indictment handed down by the Los Angeles County Grand Jury during the afternoon of Friday, June 7, 1968, Judge Arthur L. Alarcon of Department 100 of the Superior Court of the County of Los Angeles presided at the arraignment of Sirhan B. Sirhan, accused slayer of Senator Robert F. Kennedy.

In keeping with the continued intense security measures enacted by the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department at the personal direction of Sheriff Peter J. Pitchess, Judge Alarcon presiding at a special session of Department 100, held in temporary court facilities provided by the Sheriff, held the arraignment at the Los Angeles County Men's Central Jail.

Sirhan, represented by Deputy Public Defender Wilbur Littlefield, was held to answer on one count of murder and five counts of assault with intent to commit murder resulting from the events which occurred at the Ambassador Hotel during the early morning hours of June 5, 1968.

Present at the arraignment as an official observer, at the request of Judge Alarcon was A. L. Wirin, a representative of the American Civil Liberties Union.

Further court proceedings were continued until a later date.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/7/68

In connection with obtaining information concerning the LAPD receiving the first knowledge of the shooting of Senator ROBERT KENNEDY, SA [REDACTED] contacted the Central Communications Division, of the LAPD in Parker Center. Through the cooperation of Lt. JESSE PISTOLE, Assistant to Captain [REDACTED] Commander of the Division it was ascertained through LEE R. ERICKSON who handles all tapes re incoming and outgoing calls on radio and telephone, that at 12:17 1/2 AM, 6/5/68, a female who identified herself as the Ambassador Hotel (switch) Board Night Supervisor advised the PD about the shooting and requested an ambulance. Rampart Division Unit 2A68, which was answering a call about an illegally parked vehicle was already at the Ambassador and at 12:20 AM was assigned this urgent call, code 3 (immediate handling with red light and siren). At 12:21 AM, Unit 2A68 reported the shooting and requested an ambulance and assistance. Also at 12:21 AM, Rampart Division Unit 2A51 which had been investigating another matter at the Ambassador, also reported a shooting at 3400 Wilshire, the address of the Ambassador Hotel.

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LOS ANGELES

AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA: At Ambassador Hotel, 3400 Wilshire Boulevard, will locate and interview switchboard Night Supervisor, name unknown, who was on duty as of 12:17 1/2 AM, 6/5/68.

Ident (2) At Rampart Division, LAPD, 2710 Temple Street, will locate and interview the officers who were in Units 2A68, and 2A51 shortly after midnight on 6/5/68.

Los Angeles

switchboard operator
Ambassador Hotel

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AIR MAIL


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

Rerep of SA ~~WALTER C. RICHARDS, JR.~~, 6/9/68, at Los Angeles.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On June 7, 1968, Lt. CHARLIE HUGHES, Rampart Division Detectives, Los Angeles Police Department, Los Angeles, California, advised that officers [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] had been admonished by the Los Angeles County Grand Jury not to discuss their testimony before the Grand Jury with anyone. Lt. HUGHES stated that as a result of these instructions [REDACTED] could not discuss their testimony before the Los Angeles County Grand Jury on June 7, 1968, with Special Agents of the FBI.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/6/68, the writer was given a lead to contact [REDACTED] Pasadena. SA [REDACTED] had previously contacted [REDACTED] concerning the name of SIRHAN SIRHAN's deceased sister.

b7D-[REDACTED] advised the writer that SIRHAN'S sister's name was AIDA MANNELL and records pertaining to her death were at ST. NICHOLAS CHURCH, Los Angeles.

This information was telephonically relayed to SA [REDACTED] at H.Q.

No leads being set forth as SA [REDACTED] advised further investigation would be handled.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re serial 30.

On 6/7/68 JACK DAVIES, owner of the Richfield Gas Station at the corner of Foothill Blvd. and Santa Anita Drive, Pasadena, advised that he had already been contacted by Buagents.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At 10:10 A.M. Mr. SCHROEDER called and asked that the following message be given to the SAC.

He is receiving great pressure regarding the woman who was seen running from the Ambassador Hotel. He desires all information available concerning the interview of SANDER VANOKUR, if he was interviewed. Also, the identity of the woman who was interviewed by VANOKUR and who allegedly saw the woman running from the hotel.

He stated they were also interested in knowing the identity of a Negro who appeared on television yesterday and allegedly saw the same thing. He would like to have a teletype on this as quickly as possible. He was advised the SAC would be given this message.

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TO : SAC, LA (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/7/68 Mrs. ESTHER BERMUDZES, [REDACTED]
telephone [REDACTED] advised as follows.

She was hostess on 5/29/68 at the Riverside Auditorium when Senator KENNEDY spoke in Riverisde, She said some time before the Senator appeared four young men approached her and asked if there was going to be free food after the Senator spoke. She said there would be none and they left. A while later, two of them came back and asked for the whereabouts of the other two. Mrs. BERMUDZES told them the friends had left, although she had not seen them and only said it to get rid of them. She said another worker, a lady from San Bernardino, whose name she does not know, remarked that they acted suspicious.

Mrs. BERMUDZES continued that after she saw the TV picture of SIHRAN she though he looked familiar and wondered if he could have been one of the four men that night. She was asked if she could definitely say one was and stated that she could not say, only that he looked familar.

She described the four men as all about the same, white, 21 to 25 years, about the same haight, one about 5'5", all between 135-140 pounds, a she was dressed in blue jeans but cannot recall the others.

She said she just wanted to report this since the photo of Sihran looked familar but cannot really associate him with the group described above.

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Memorandum

TO : FILE (56-156)

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/7/68

This will record that at 3:15 PM on 6/7/68, SAC GRAPP spoke to [REDACTED] I inquired about the availability of a jail log as well as a medical report.

[REDACTED] stated that the jail log, which is of an administrative nature, reflected the subject had no visitors at any time except A.L. WERIN, ACLU attorney. Mr. WERIN visited the subject on three occasions. His purpose was to insure the defendant had legal counsel. WERIN reportedly stated he would not be the defense attorney. The subject has had an attorney appointed for him, Mr. WILBUR LITTLEFIELD, the Deputy Public Defender of Los Angeles County, who has not visited the subject as yet. [REDACTED] stated that previously another attorney had contemplated taking the case, Public Defender RICHARD S. BUCKLEY. [REDACTED] stated BUCKLEY has never talked to the defendant in jail. As of this time, no attorney has talked to the subject.

The log will also show that on this date Deputy Attorney General WARREN CHRISTOPHER; Departmental Attorney WILLIAM LYNCH, and USA MATT BYRNE approached the area of the cell and looked over the facilities. They did not talk to the defendant.

According to [REDACTED] the medical report reflects only the following information that is pertinent:

Upon receipt at the jail, a blood sampling was taken of the defendant, and he was given six x-rays. The x-rays reflect one broken finger which was put in a splint. In addition, the defendant had a left sprained ankle upon receipt at this facility, which has been bandaged. This medical attention was given by the medical director of the Los Angeles County Jail and his staff. Such needs were administered at the jail.

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b7c [REDACTED] at any time during the day or night anything transpires that would be of interest to the FBI, he would insure the SAC was immediately advised.

[REDACTED] Deputy Attorney General CHRISTOPHER seemed pleased at the fine custodial facilities and related arrangements that were being utilized in this case.

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TO : FILE 56-156

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : SAC WESLEY G. GRAPP

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At 9:30 this morning, a meeting was held in the office of United States Attorney W. MATTHEW BYRNE, Jr., at Mr. BYRNE's request. Present were Assistant Attorney General WARREN CHRISTOPHER, Departmental Attorney WILLIAM LYNCH, myself, and Supervisors NOLAN and [REDACTED]. The meeting lasted until 10:20 AM.

CHRISTOPHER stated he had read the 39 page communication submitted by this office on June 5 and a four page communication furnished him yesterday. The following topics were discussed:

The shooting of Senator KENNEDY, the evidence, the autopsy report, the subject's background and character, the background of the family, the other victims assaulted at the time of the shooting, the current incarceration of the subject, the pros and cons of a proposed interview of the subject by FBI agents, and the indications of a conspiracy on the part of the subject with others, and the lack thereof.

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CHRISTOPHER stated he had read in our communication that one of our security informants indicated subject had supported some Communist Party ideals. He also stated that he is aware from newscasts that Mayor YORTY has indicated some possible connection with the Day Boys Clubs of America. CHRISTOPHER stated he was concerned that if information developed by our investigation indicated a possible subversive tie-in and was furnished to the Police Department or the District Attorney, it could well be transmitted to Mayor YORTY and thus become the subject of further press releases. He added this, of course, could well expose the FBI's source of information.

At the conclusion of the conference, CHRISTOPHER indicated he was most pleased with the briefing and he was

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supported by both Mr. LYNCH and Mr. BYRNE.

He indicated he would be leaving town this evening. He desired to confer again later today. He also requested that he be accompanied to the Ambassador Hotel to personally observe the scene of the shooting.

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

Indices: ☐ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases			Address of subject			Character of case KENSALT			
Complainant [REDACTED] b7D			Complainant's address and telephone number L.A. [REDACTED]			Complaint received <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Personal <input type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-7-68 Time 2-05pm.			
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 style="text-align: center;">b7D</p> <p>C said he is [REDACTED] SHARIF SIRHAN, brother of accused killer SIRHAN SIRHAN. C said SHARIF made a statement to the cook at the upstairs cafeteria, PAUL (LNU), a male negro, on the swing shift, which in essence stated, JAMES RAY didn't shoot MARTIN LUTHER KING. It was a "set up." Apparently he had made this statement more than once around the building and C felt it might be pertinent.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">C was thanked for coming in.</p> <p>ALL b7C</p>									
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Date 6-7-68

TO: CHIEF CLERK

Subject

Aliases

Address

Birth Date

Birthplace

Race

Sex

☐ Male

☐ Female

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Exact Spelling

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KENNEDY SHOOTING, LAPD DR#68-521 466
(RAMPART DETECTIVE DIVISION HANDL)

TO : SAC (56-516)

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At 8:00pm this date writer was on duty at the Rampart Detectives, LAPD, and received information from [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] that he has received several telephone calls from a personal friend, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Area Code [REDACTED] telephone [REDACTED] concerning captioned matter. [REDACTED] said [REDACTED] formerly lived in the Pasadena area, and that [REDACTED] knows many people in the Pasadena area who are acquainted with the SIRHANs. [REDACTED] also furnished following additional information to [REDACTED]

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b7D She said that SENATOR FULBRIGHT will be the next victim of an assassination attempt. [REDACTED] is unaware of the basis for her statement in that regard. However, he said that [REDACTED] told [REDACTED] a dentist, on 5/31/68, that SENATOR ROBERT KENNEDY would be killed. On the night of the assassination she was watching TV, and when her husband told her that she should go to bed she said she wanted to continue to watch, as she felt that KENNEDY was going to be killed. [REDACTED] has furnished information to FULBRIGHT's office concerning her "prophecy" of his having been slated for assassination.

[REDACTED] said that JACK RUBY's brother comes to Houghton, Michigan every 6 weeks, in connection with some business in which he is engaged. (Significance of above not known by [REDACTED])

[REDACTED] indicated to [REDACTED] that the F.B.I. might wish to talk with her, and she said she was frightened. She said that if she is contacted that she does not want the local Police Department notified that she is being contacted, or notified of above information.

ALL b7C [REDACTED] said [REDACTED] is a highly intelligent person of Armenian background, and that he did not regard her as being mentally disturbed.

Above furnished to SA WILLIAM J. NOLAN by telephone for purposes of setting out lead to have [REDACTED] interviewed.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/8/68

During the course of interview of LLOYD JOHN HAGER, Range Manager, San Gabriel Valley Gun Club, 4001 Fish Canyon Road, Duarte, California, HAGER provided a list of individuals who were at the gun club range on 6/4/68 who signed in on the non-member shooting roster. These were noted as follows:

LELAND B. HANSON

[REDACTED]
Arcadia

G. MC CHESNEY
Sierra Madre

NORMAN GEAR (?)
Downey

MARION H. STIPP
[REDACTED]
Temple City

KENNY SE (?)
[REDACTED]
Hollydale

JAMES T. REPP
[REDACTED]
Altadena

H. LEE
[REDACTED]

RICHARD STEWART
[REDACTED]
Pasadena

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CHARLES N. MILLNER
[REDACTED]

R. D. WEAVER
[REDACTED]

Duarte

JAMES J. THORBORG (?)

T. A. FARRELL
[REDACTED]

L.P. (possibly La Puente)

SIRHAN SIRHAN
[REDACTED]

Pasadena

RICHARD THOMAS GRYALIN (?)
[REDACTED]

HUGH E. GLASS
[REDACTED]

Inglewood

BEN TROMER
[REDACTED]

Arcadia

JIM LANGLOIS
[REDACTED]

Arcadia

HAGER also made available a list of shooters on 6/4/68 who signed in on the members shooting roster. These are noted as follows:

GILBERT LEOS

whom HAGER advised resided at
[REDACTED]

Alhambra

PARKER HARODIAN (?)
whom HAGER could not identify

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CHARLES KENDALL

who was identified by HAGER as having
been in the vicinity of SIRHAN on the
pistol range
[REDACTED]

West Covina

LESLIE SMOOTZ

whom HAGER advised was probably
Dr. LESLIE SMOOTZ of
[REDACTED]

Glendora

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b7C HAGER advised that SMOOTZ usually fires
at the far end of the rifle range and
may not have seen what occurred in the
area of the pistol range

It is noted that subsequent to SIRHAN's appearance
on the range, an unidentified female and male appeared
at the range. The female was offered assistance by SIRHAN
in shooting procedure and it did appear he and the female
were acquainted. During the time that SIRHAN was assisting
the female the unidentified male was apparently shooting
on the rifle range. The female has been described as
follows:

white
25-30
5'6"-5'8"
135 lbs.
husky build
blonde hair - shoulder length

The male was described only as 30-40 years of
age, white, slender build.

LEAD

It is suggested above individuals be contacted
in order to establish identity of unknown male and female.
It is recommended that Agents covering these leads be furnished
with a copy of FD-302 of EVERETT CARL BUCKNER, SR. on 6/8/68

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by SAs [REDACTED]
conducted at the San Gabriel Valley Gun Club, 4001
Fish Canyon Road, Duarte, California.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/6/68 and 6/7/68, Mr. JOHN FAHEY came to the Los Angeles Office to furnish information concerning a woman who told him her name was GILDERDINE OPPENHEIMER. FD-302s have been prepared concerning these interviews.

The information received on 6/6/68 was furnished, upon the instruction of Supervisor WILLIAM JOHN NOLAN, to SA [REDACTED] Liaison Agent at the Rampart Division, Los Angeles Police Department, for the purpose of possible identification of the woman. The information received on 6/7/68, has not been furnished to anyone.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/7/68, SA [REDACTED] and SA [REDACTED] conducted an interview of HENRY ADRIAN CARREON, Los Angeles, California. During the course of this interview CARREON advised that he and a companion, DAVID MONTELLANO, Los Angeles, California, went to the San Gabriel Rifle Range to do so target shooting on 6/4/68. CARREON and MONTELLANO saw and conversed with an individual who was later identified as a suspect in the assassination of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY.

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AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA: Will locate and interview DAVID MONTELLANO at the above address for any information available.

(2) Will locate and interview appropriate range personnel for any information available.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Attached are Xerox copies of the records of the California Racing Board, Los Angeles regarding SIRHAN BISHARA-SIRHAN and [REDACTED] as furnished on 6/7/68 by [REDACTED] b7D

The original of an application for a Hot Walkers license signed by SIRHAN has been submitted to the Bureau for handwriting comparison. All other originals have been returned to the [REDACTED]

The information in the attached has been reviewed and leads have been set forth by separate memo, with the exception of the following:

Leads:

1. Interview [REDACTED] whose file is attached.
2. Interview JOHN SHEAR who furnished a report to the Thoroughbred Racing Protective Bureau, on June 5, 1968 regarding the subject. (A press release regarding this report is contained in the subject's file, attached.)

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Instant date and individual identifying himself as TIM RICH, [REDACTED] California, telephonically contacted the Los Angeles Office and advised that he was at the Ambassador Hotel approximately five yards behind Senator KENNEDY at the time of the shooting. RICH had just handed a manila envelope to the Senator containing a letter and several photographs of the Senator taken during an earlier campaign visit to Los Angeles.

RICH advised that his back was turned at the time the shooting began. When he looked in the direction of the noise he saw PAUL SCHRADE falling and the Senator on the floor. RICH advised he had not seen SIRHAN in the crowd and he could not furnish any additional information.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re interview with HAROLD L. BURBA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] California, who was employed as a fireman at station
located at 217 South Hill, A Shift.

BURBA interviewed by SAs [REDACTED] and
[REDACTED] 6/7/68.

During the above interview, BURBA stated that he
was at the Ambassador Hotel on the night of the shooting
and took photographs of KENNEDY and possibly other individuals
after the incident occurred. BURBA was at the Ambassador
at the directions of his superiors in order to obtain
photographs of any fire law violations. BURBA indicated
that these photographs were surrendered to the Fire Department
Headquarters Building, 217 South Hill Street, Los Angeles,
California.

LEAD

Will contact BURBA or appropriate officials in order
to obtain copies of these photographs.

Note: On 6/8/68 SA [REDACTED] was furnished the above information
and was assigned to obtain these photographs.

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and print names legibly; handwriting satisfactory for remainder.

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Subject's name and aliases KENSALT				Address of subject		Character of case								
Complainant [REDACTED] - b7D - [REDACTED]				Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED] (unlisted)		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date <u>6/8/68</u> Time <u>10:20 AM</u>								
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 <p>C advised there has been several Jordanian students who have been living in apt. [REDACTED] Hollywood. She stated that these students have not been seen in several days. Cadvised the Mgr. of the apt. at [REDACTED] is [REDACTED] (unlisted).</p> <p>C advised the names on the mail box are: [REDACTED] (rented apt.): [REDACTED]; [REDACTED]</p> <p>She stated that there was another man living in the apartment who had moved to and unknown apt. in Pasadena, Calif.</p> <p>C advised that [REDACTED] listed above could possibly furnish additional information.</p> <p>ALL bK</p> <div data-bbox="982 1543 1356 1774"><p>56-156-321</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 8</td></tr><tr><td colspan="2">FBI - LOS ANGELES</td></tr></table></div>							SEARCHED	INDEXED	SERIALIZED	FILED	JUN 8		FBI - LOS ANGELES
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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/8/68, WILLIAM F. GARDNER, Chief Security Officer, Ambassador Hotel, furnished the following list showing extra guards who were employed at the hotel during the night of 6/4/68.

The guards were hired through Ace Guard Service, 8720 Woodley Avenue, Sepulveda, California, telephone No. 894-5717.

These guards will have to be contacted through their employment or at their home addresses which are set out below:

WILLIE S. BELL

[REDACTED]
Hollywood, California
Telephone No. [REDACTED]

ELMER M. BOOMBOWER

[REDACTED]
Granada Hills, California
Telephone No. [REDACTED]

THANE E. CESAR

[REDACTED]
Simi, California
Telephone No. [REDACTED]

AUGUSTUS MALLARD

[REDACTED]
Los Angeles, California
Telephone No. [REDACTED]

JACK I. MEERITT

[REDACTED]
Sepulveda, California
Telephone No. [REDACTED] Business [REDACTED]

ALBERT LOUIS STOWERS

[REDACTED]
Pacoima, California
Telephone No. [REDACTED]

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/7/68, [REDACTED]

Los Angeles, California

(protect identity [REDACTED]
requested annuity), telephonically contacted SA [REDACTED]
and requested personal interview. b7D

On the same date [REDACTED] advised at
approximately 1:30 a.m., 6/7/68, she had arisen and gone
to the lobby of her hotel apartment building, where she
observed an individual sleeping on one of the couches.
She awoke the individual, asking him his purpose, at which
time he advised as follows:

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He identified himself as waiting for individuals
in Room 109 of the hotel, at which time he exhibited the
key to 109 bearing the name LARRY (middle initial unrecalled,
possibly P.) BECK on a white plastic key retainer bearing
the Room No. 109 of the Ambassador Hotel. On the plastic
was a black strip of tape bearing BECK's name. He stated
he believed himself to be in the Ambassador Hotel.

Upon questioning BECK advised [REDACTED] that b7D
he was a member of the ROBERT KENNEDY Political Group in
Los Angeles, and was employed for the purpose of arousing
crowd response to KENNEDY's speeches as a member of the
audience. He stated that he had been in the hotel the
night ROBERT F. KENNEDY was assassinated, though he was
not in the room at the time. He stated he recalled SIRHAN B.
SIRHAN as either an employee or volunteer worker in the
KENNEDY Headquarters morning cleanup crew, and stated he
had spoke with SIRHAN on two or three occasions. He stated

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that on the night of KENNEDY's shooting, a female member of the group employed as he was, was in the room at the time of the shooting and was interviewed by a CBS newsman and stated essentially as above concerning SIRHAN. He stated that THEODORE SOBENSEN had observed the above conversation and immediately rushed to the girl, name unknown, and the newsman, advising him that the girl was hysterical and admonishing him not to show or print any of the information furnished by her.

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BECK advised [REDACTED] that the individual members of the group employed as he had been by KENNEDY, had been similarly dismissed by the KENNEDY Party Officials and had been treated rather shabbily by them while in the Oregon and Los Angeles areas. He stated KENNEDY was not popular with the group, but had requested that they reappear at the Democratic Convention in Chicago, following the California Primary, to be re-employed for the same purpose. He stated it was planned among the dissented members to stage a disruptive demonstration at the convention, inasmuch as it was felt by them that KENNEDY would have little chance in the National elections, and in an effort to somewhat embarrass the KENNEDY Group. BECK [REDACTED] that he had been employed by a high ranking member of the KENNEDY Group, whom he identified as BILL MOLEEN (phonetic).

BECK advised that it would have been simple for SIRHAN to have obtained an identification badge or a plastic room key retainer, which he stated was necessary to obtain entrance to the gatherings in the Ambassador Hotel. He stated SIRHAN was seen by him on at least two or three occasions in the KENNEDY Party Headquarters on Wilshire Boulevard.

[REDACTED] BECK as follows:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Weight	180

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Nationality
Age
Height
Build
Hair
Eyes

Clothing

American
Approximately 25 1-25-43
Approximately 5'5"
Stocky, "fat legs"
Brown
Brown (initially wore dark
wraparound sunglasses)
Yellow golf shirt, dark brown
trousers, dark jacket, brown
loafers.

LEAD

LOS ANGELES

AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA: Through Ambassador
Hotel registrar, determine occupants of Room 109 to attempt
to identify LARRY BECK.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

During the course of interview with [REDACTED] California, the following information was obtained:

[REDACTED] received a telephone call this date from a [REDACTED] telephone No. [REDACTED] in which [REDACTED] related that she was a close friend of SIRHAN's family. [REDACTED] requested that Mrs. SIRHAN be advised that [REDACTED] is a member of the American Arab Club and also that America was to be blamed for Senator KENNEDY's death not SIRHAN SIRHAN.

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A [REDACTED] who resides at [REDACTED] Street, told [REDACTED] that all of the children in the neighborhood of the SIRHAN's home were afraid of SIRHAN SIRHAN. [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] formerly lived at [REDACTED] (Another neighbor, [REDACTED] who presently resides at [REDACTED] related that SIRHAN SIRHAN use to stare at [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] was afraid that SIRHAN might attack her and her children [REDACTED] this according to [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] stated that she observed SIRHAN SIRHAN on several occasions talk at length with a Negro male who had a beard and who was the regular trash collector. The trash was collected between 10 am and 11:30 am on Wednesday, by the Pasadena Sanitation District.

Efforts were made to contact [REDACTED] and the Pasadena Sanitation District on 6/8/68 with negative results.

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LOS ANGELES

AT PASADENA, CALIFORNIA: (1) Locate and interview [REDACTED] for information concerning SIRHAN SIRHAN.

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b7C (2) Locate and interview [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Street for information she may be able
to furnish concerning SIRHAN SIRHAN.

(3) Contact the Pasadena Sanitation District
and attempt to identify who collects trash on East Howard
Street on Wednesdays.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/8/68

Miss ROBIN KAREN ~~CASDEN~~ advised on 6/8/68, that she was accompanied to the Ambassador Hotel by the following individuals:

~~HOWARD~~ CORKY MC MAHON and CORKY's boy friend, SCOTT

CORKY at present does not have a telephone number, however, she resides at [REDACTED] Encino, California.

SCOTT HOWARD has telephone number [REDACTED] address unknown.

LEADS

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AT ENCINO, CALIFORNIA: If not already accomplished, locate and interview CORKY MC MAHON and SCOTT HOWARD.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re interview with DONALD CLAUD RUS,
California, on 6/8/68 by SA [REDACTED]
and [REDACTED]

RUS, who is employed as an ambulance driver at
Central Receiving Hospital, stated that KENNEDY's body guard,
Mr. (FNU) BARRY, was with KENNEDY when he arrived at the
hospital.

LEAD

If not already handled, will determine the complete
identity of Mr. (FNU) BARRY and set forth lead to have him
interviewed concerning the shooting.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re FD-302 with TOMMY C. RATLIFF, [REDACTED]
Los Angeles, California, ambulance attendant, Central Receiving
Hospital, Los Angeles, by SAs [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

During the interview with RATLIFF on 6/7/68, he
advised that NORMA CASE was the hospital dispatcher, Central
Receiving Hospital at the time the shooting occurred at the
Ambassador Hotel.

RATLIFF further stated that in connection with the
shootings, he transported victim ELIZABETH EVANS to Central
Receiving Hospital. When he first observed EVANS at the
Ambassador Hotel, she was being treated by an unidentified
Negro medical doctor whose name he was unable to furnish.

RATLIFF further stated that when he arrived at the
Ambassador Hotel, he observed a man who was struck by a camera
and who was injured. He was unable to furnish this individual's
name.

LEADS

(1) Will contact NORMA CASE, Central Receiving
Hospital, to determine the time when ambulance assistance
was requested.

(2) If practical, will contact victim ELIZABETH
EVANS to determine if she is aware of the identity of the Negro
doctor who treated her and if he was present at the time the
shootings occurred.

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(3) Will review the records at the Central Receiving Hospital to determine the identity of the individual who was struck by the camera at the Ambassador Hotel.

It is noted these records may already be in the possession of the Los Angeles Office.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

b7D [On 6/8/68 [REDACTED] Muir Building, advised
SIRHAN SIRHAN was treated by [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]
at the above building.

LEAD

Determine if aforementioned doctors treated
SIRHAN SIRHAN.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Miss ROBIN KAREN CASDEN, [REDACTED] advised on 6/8/68, that her friend, LAURIE PORTER, accompanied her to the Ambassador Hotel on the night Senator KENNEDY was shot.

Miss CASDEN stated that on one occasion some time after the shooting, date, place and time unrecalled LAURIE told her something to the effect that she, (LAURIE) had possibly seen the suspect prior to the shooting, perhaps talking to a guard. Miss CASDEN was unable to say if LAURIE was kidding or just hysterical.

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AT ENCINO, CALIFORNIA: If not already accomplished locate and interview LAURIE PORTER, telephone [REDACTED] LAURIE resides on [REDACTED] exact address unknown.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/8/68

In view of the information furnished by
DAVID MARK ESQUITH, the following lead is being set out:

LEAD

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AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA. Contact JUNE
ISAACSON, Supervisor, KENNEDY Headquarters, Wilshire
Boulevard and obtain addresses for individuals observed
in the area of the podium. Upon location, interview
concerning their knowledge of the shooting.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/7/68 SA [REDACTED] interviewed GAYMOARD MISTRI, [REDACTED] Pasadena, California in connection with instant investigation. During this interview MISTRI advised that he had observed MAROOF BADRAN, [REDACTED] California having coffee with SIRHAN prior to the assassination of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY.

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AT HIGHLAND PARK, CALIFORNIA: Will interview MAROOF BADRAN, [REDACTED] California

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re interview with ROBERT HULSMAN, ambulance driver,
Central Receiving Hospital, on 6/7/68 by SA [REDACTED]

During the above interview, HULSMAN stated that he drove KENNEDY to the Central Receiving Hospital then returned to the Ambassador Hotel to pick up victim PAUL SCHRADE. When he picked up SCHRADE, SCHRADE was accompanied by a Negro male doctor by the name of MC BRUN (phonetic). It is unknown whether Dr. MC BRUN was at the scene of the shooting or arrived afterwards.

LEAD

Will, through review of records, Central Receiving Hospital, attempt to identify Dr. MC BRUN to determine if he was present when the shooting occurred at the Ambassador Hotel.

Note: Records of Central Receiving Hospital may be in possession of Los Angeles Office.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

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

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Mrs. [REDACTED] Pasadena, was contacted during the course of a neighborhood investigation near the home of SIRHAN SIRHAN. [REDACTED] advised that SIRHAN SIRHAN was friendly with the garbage collectors who service Howard Street every Wednesday. She could not describe the garbage collectors other than to state the same men worked every Wednesday.

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AT PASADENA, CALIFORNIA. Will contact the Pasadena Sanitation Department and determine the identities of the garbage collectors who service Howard Street on Wednesdays and interview regarding their knowledge of SIRHAN SIRHAN.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SAs [REDACTED]
and [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

In connection with interviews of ABDO JABRA MAIKI and MAROF BADRAN, it was determined that the third person at the table in the Pasadena City College (PCC) cafeteria who had coffee with the subject at about 7:00 PM, 6/4/68, was ANOUR SAIGH, telephone number [REDACTED] address unknown, who was described as a student at PCC.

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AT PASADENA, CALIFORNIA: Will identify and interview ANOUR SAIGH.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/7/68 at 6:21 P.M., I delivered a Xerox copy (34 pages) of the summary of the shooting of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY to ROBERT L. BROSI, Chief of the Criminal Division, U. S. Attorney's Office, Los Angeles, for the benefit of WILLIAM LYNCH, Deputy Chief of the Organized Crime and Racketeering Division, U. S. Department of Justice, Washington, D. C.

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Sent to Atty. General's
Office, Los Angeles
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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At 4:27 p.m. on 6/7/68, [REDACTED] Los Angeles County Sheriff's Office, advised SA [REDACTED] that he had just received a call from the Sheriff's Office facility at the Hall of Justice advising him that an individual identified as KATHY FULLMER had surrendered herself to Sheriff's personnel. According to [REDACTED] at that time, it was believed FULLMER could possibly be the female for whom an APB is outstanding and who was believed to have been present and possibly involved in the shooting of Senator KENNEDY. No further details were available to [REDACTED] at that time, since FULLMER had not yet been interviewed insofar as he knew. He explained detective personnel of the Los Angeles Police Department were being advised and requested that the foregoing information be made available to the office of the FBI.

Accordingly the above information was furnished to Supervisor [REDACTED] by telephone by the writer at approximately 4:34 p.m.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/7/68, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Los Angeles, California, furnished the file of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN, which contained an application for license as a hot walker, which license was issued on 1/1/66, two photographs of SIRHAN taken 1966, and a statement from one [REDACTED] of Hollywood Park, Inglewood, California. She also furnished the file of [REDACTED] which contained an application for license as a hot walker and a report written on [REDACTED] by the Thoroughbred Racing Protective Bureau on 5/23/68.] b7D

Copies of these reports have been Xeroxed and are maintained in this file. The application for license for SIRHAN SIRHAN is being submitted to the FBI Identification Division for handwriting comparison. *Substantive*

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TO : SAC, LA ~~RE~~ (56-156)

DATE: June 8, 1968

FROM : SA ~~REDACTED~~

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At approximately 10:15 AM this date I was given the assignment of interviewing ~~REDACTED~~ of LAPD Homicide, who apparently had some part in the investigation of this matter, and who had testified at the Grand Jury meeting. I had only his home phone number, and called it to arrange to meet with ~~REDACTED~~ to find out what his part in matter was, and to obtain what information he could furnish.

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A woman answered the phone; when I asked for ~~REDACTED~~ she asked who was calling, that ~~REDACTED~~ was asleep. I told her who I was and what I had called for, and she immediately left the phone. Several minutes later a sleepy sounding man answered and said he was ~~REDACTED~~. He sounded very disagreeable, stating I had caused him to be awakened from a sound sleep. He said he had no idea who I was and would not give me his home address or any other information over the phone. He said his part in the investigation was very small, having had to do with one of the other victims, that he had given all the information he had to the Grand Jury meeting, at which (he said) 2 FBI agents were present. He said if we wanted to know more details, we should contact ~~REDACTED~~ (phonetic only), at Rampart Division of LAPD, who was in charge of the matter, and who has all the information had and given by ~~REDACTED~~.

~~REDACTED~~ was very nasty sounding in his entire conversation, and left a most unpleasant impression with me. I thanked him and terminated the call.

(2) ~~REDACTED~~ add. Sat Supv ~~REDACTED~~ advised me a little later that ~~REDACTED~~ called to see if I was an agent. He told that he was present at the Grand Jury, but did not testify. ~~REDACTED~~ home phone is ~~REDACTED~~.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156) DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/7/68, the writer contacted [REDACTED] Los Angeles County Jail facility, 441 [REDACTED] Street, Los Angeles, for the purpose of arranging appropriate liaison between that Agency and the FBI with respect to SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN.

[REDACTED] explained SIRHAN is being maintained in a custodian capacity in a second floor hospital wing of the jail. He occupies a room by himself, with the exception of one Deputy Sheriff who occupies the same quarters with him. In addition, there are six other Deputy Sheriff personnel on duty who have SIRHAN in their observation at all times on a twenty-four hour a day, seven day a week basis.

In addition, a written log is being maintained which reflects any activity with respect to SIRHAN, such as requests for food, drink, etc., including the times he is awake and asleep. [REDACTED] explained that the log frequently has entries two and three minutes apart which contain information of possible pertinency.

In addition to the foregoing, [REDACTED] explained that Sheriff PETER J. PITCHESS has instructed all personnel assigned to this detail that they are in no way to conduct themselves as investigators or participate in anything of an investigative nature nor are they to question or discuss with SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN this investigation.

In addition [REDACTED] explained that all decisions with respect to handling of the prisoner are being made by Sheriff PITCHESS personally; all requests for any action with respect to SIRHAN are immediately furnished to Sheriff PITCHESS and, repeating, all decisions will be made by him.

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[REDACTED] explained that a Los Angeles County Grand Jury was convening during the morning of June 7, 1968, for the purpose of hearing evidence with respect to SIRHAN. It is anticipated that SIRHAN would be arraigned in the New Los Angeles County Jail facility sometime subsequent to 3:00 p.m., 6/7/68, assuming the Grand Jury returned a true bill of indictment. [REDACTED] requested that the writer accompany him to the chapel facility on the third floor in this building, and on the tour, explained to the writer the security measures which would be taken to insure that no harm would befall SIRHAN during the arraignment. [REDACTED] made arrangements for the writer to attend the arraignment.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

[REDACTED] Window Clerk, Pasadena California Post Office, Station D, 390 South Fair Oak Street, Pasadena, California, was contacted on June 7, 1968, in response to [REDACTED] telephonic contact with the Los Angeles Office in which he advised SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN had deposited either registered or certified mail [REDACTED] window on the last two occasions since January 1968.

Special Agents [REDACTED] contacted [REDACTED] at the above Post Office, and observed [REDACTED] review of the registered and certified mail receipts from January 13, 1968 through June 5, 1968. No receipts bearing SIRHAN's name was located.

[REDACTED] advised on June 5, 1968, he recognized SIRHAN's name and photograph on a television news program at which time he learned SIRHAN was a suspect in the murder of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY on same date. [REDACTED] stated he attended Pasadena City College in September 1963 and was introduced to SIRHAN who at that time was a member of the Foreign Student Club. [REDACTED] recalled he never associated with SIRHAN and was only casually acquainted with him. [REDACTED] said he had not seen, heard, or been in contact with SIRHAN since late 1963. He could furnish no further information concerning SIRHAN or any of his associates.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/8/68

On 6/7/68, SA [REDACTED] received a photograph from Lieutenant C. F. HUGHES, Rampart Division, Los Angeles PD, which had been taken by HAL BURBA of the Los Angeles Fire Department on 6/5/68. This photograph depicts two individuals attempting to subdue the suspect. To the right rear, according to Lieutenant HUGHES, can be observed an individual whom he believes is ROOSEVELT GRIER who has not as yet reached the suspect assailant. Lieutenant HUGHES advised that he believes the man on the left side of the photograph is GEORGE PLIMPTON, a writer and that possibly the man on the right side of the photograph possibly is JACK GALLIVAN, who has been active in the KENNEDY campaign.

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Identify and interview these two individuals who were subduing the assailant if not already accomplished.

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[REDACTED]

①
 RICHARD AUBREY
 (U.S. & Pac. Coast
 NEWS BUREAU)

V. TIMANTON →

George RIMPTON

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re FD-71 by IC [REDACTED] at Los Angeles, 6/6/68, and complaint form reflects information received from anonymous source indicating that the individual sought by the LAPD as the girl in the spotted dress was actually a [REDACTED], formerly employed at [REDACTED] Hollywood, California.

b7D [Investigation at [REDACTED] and covering of subsequent leads reveals [REDACTED] actually is known as [REDACTED] who was previously located and thereafter interviewed at [REDACTED] by Bureau Agents.

In view of the fact that [REDACTED] identified and interviewed, recommend no further action.

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

Indices: ☐ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases [REDACTED]			Address of subject Avenue of the Stars, Beverly Hills, Calif.			Character of case Kensalt		
Complainant [REDACTED]			Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED]			Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6/9/68 Time 8 ¹⁵ / _a		
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 Employment of Complainant - [REDACTED] [REDACTED] b7D							

Facts of complaint

Complainant advised she had just called the Bureau and had been instructed to call the Los Angeles Office.

She advised she was a supporter of Senator Robert Kennedy and wanted to furnish information which she thought might be important. She said she was formerly employed by a firm owned by subject. She said [REDACTED] is a very wealthy man and has interests in many firms. She said she suspects officials in the firm for which she had been employed of accepting bribes of Cadillac and land. She said she did not know from who these alleged bribes were being accepted or for what purpose.

She said [REDACTED] is a financial backer of Governor Ronald Reagan and since he wants Governor Reagan elected President she suspects he might have had some interest in having had Senator Kennedy killed. Complainant said she has nothing to substantiate her suspicion.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re FD-302 of Mr. and Mrs. SNOW dated 6/8/68.

Mrs. ESTELLE SNOW, [REDACTED] Pasadena, advised that approximately three years ago, SIRHAN SIRHAN was arrested by the Pasadena Police Department near Pasadena City College for tampering with the brakes of a car owned by a girl who allegedly spurned his advances. In the ensuing trial, SIRHAN was represented by (FNU) HOLOPETER, Pasadena attorney, but Mrs. SNOW did not know the outcome of the trial.

LEAD

LOS ANGELES

AT PASADENA, CALIFORNIA. Will determine through the Pasadena Police Department and (FNU) HOLOPETER, Pasadena attorney, the facts surrounding SIRHAN SIRHAN's arrest as set out above.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re interview with DAVID MARK ESQUITH,
Los Angeles, California, 6/7/68, by SAs [REDACTED]

ESQUITH stated during the interview that he was at the Ambassador Hotel on the night of the shooting and that he had a conversation with his fellow campaign worker named JIM LOWE and that LOWE told him that KENNEDY was going to exit through the kitchen of the Ambassador Hotel. ESQUITH stated that up until the time he received this information, he was not aware as to what exit KENNEDY planned to use nor was this information available earlier in the evening.

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Will further identify JIM LOWE and interview him concerning the shooting.

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

DATE: 6/9/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

In view of the information furnished by Mrs. SWEENEY when interviewed concerning THE KHAIBAR KHAN, the following lead is being set out:

LEAD

LOS ANGELES

AT SANTA MONICA, CALIFORNIA: Will contact [REDACTED] Apartment [REDACTED] Santa Monica, California, phone No. [REDACTED] and interview her concerning THE KHAIBAR KHAN, in any connection she or KHAN may have had with murder suspect SIRHAN SIRHAN.

Assign [REDACTED]

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SA AMEDEE O. RICHARDS, JR.

[REDACTED]
Glendale, California
INFORMATION CONCERNING

On the night of 6/7/68, as the writer was leaving the office at approximately 9:00 p.m., a woman, who later identified herself as [REDACTED] Glendale, California, approached the writer and began talking to him. This woman claimed that she had been reincarnated and was presently the reincarnation of the Virgin Mary. She claimed to be able to receive messages from Heaven and claimed that Jesus talked to her and that she saw Him from time to time standing on the clouds. She also claimed that she either had or had had a child who was supposed to be the current visitation of Christ on Earth. The complainant was not clear in this regard. This individual talked to the writer for several minutes before he could excuse himself from her. Her entire conversation was rambling in nature and at one point she stated that she wanted to be some help to SIRHAN SIRHAN, who was accused of killing Senator KENNEDY. The writer advised her that she could be of no help to him in this matter and in response to her question as to how to reach him, she was told that as it had been stated in the newspapers, she could write to him at the Los Angeles County Jail. (he was at the LA COUNTY JAIL AND)

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On the morning of 6/9/68, [REDACTED] again called this office and continued to talk about visions and her knowledge of the supernatural and claimed that she had talked to a police officer outside of the home of SIRHAN SIRHAN in Pasadena and had also talked to two men who had indicated that they were newspaper reporters.

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It is recommended that a card be prepared for inclusion in the box of chronic complainers maintained in the reception room as it is felt that this woman will undoubtedly continue to call this office.

A copy of this memorandum is being included in the KENSALT report as it is felt that this woman might talk to reporters concerning her desire to help SIRHAN SIRHAN. Much of the remainder of the conversation with this woman was completely unintelligible as far as content was concerned. She stated that she was or had been employed at the [REDACTED] as an [REDACTED]

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DIRECTOR, FBI

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SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN
CIVIL RIGHTS

Being forwarded under separate cover under Government bill of lading D 5015013 is report of SA ~~REDACTED~~ O. RICHARDS, JR., dated 6/9/68 at Los Angeles, California.

Shipment will be aboard TWA Flight 62 departing Los Angeles, California 10:50 p.m. arriving Friendship Airport, Baltimore, Maryland 6:20 a.m., 6/10/68. Shipment consists of ten cartons.

*Hand Carried to
AA International Airport.*

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*SN [REDACTED] Night duty agent
Div. 6 advised at 11:15 PM
6/9/68, plane departed 10:50 PM
Bein will call WFO
meet plane [REDACTED]*

3 - Bureau
(1 - package)
2 - Los Angeles
(5) [REDACTED]

Reg. # — or B/L D 5015013
Date shipped 6/9/68

Employee [REDACTED]
Method of shipment AIR FREIGHT
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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156) DATE: 6/9/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/7/68, [REDACTED] California (telephone number [REDACTED]) telephonically advised SA [REDACTED] that he was attending a bridge tournament in the vicinity of the Ambassador Hotel on the night of 6/1/68, and after viewing photographs of the subject on TV he believes that this is the same individual he saw walking south on Catalina Street. He stated he believed the individual's car was parked in the area south of the Ambassador Hotel; therefore, the subject was probably returning to his car at that time.

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[REDACTED] said that he had thought more about the killing of Senator KENNEDY and had come to the conclusion that the South Vietnamese Government would have the most be gained by killing Senator KENNEDY. He said that if Senator KENNEDY had been elected President, we might have pulled out our forces in Vietnam.

[REDACTED] stated that he could furnish no additional information concerning SIRHAN or his activities in that area.

On 6/9/68, [REDACTED] telephonically contacted the Los Angeles Office furnishing approximately same information as furnished above.

No Action!

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[Signature]

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[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]

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John Edgar Hoover
Director

FBI

Date: 6/6/68

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)

Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority)

TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES
FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (62-5481)
KENSALT

[redacted] Oakland, Calif. (cover by request), advised her concern regarding strong pro-Arab factions in Los Angeles area. One [redacted] whose brother, name unknown, possibly [redacted] is Los Angeles PD. [redacted] extremely pro-Nasser, married to a Russian woman, name unknown. [redacted] has heard him speak strongly against America and Jews and pro-Nasser and Arab. She believes he has emotional problems and has talked to pro-Arab youth groups in LA area.

[redacted] Hollywood, and is well-known businessman. No indication rest of family is pro-Arab. [redacted] formerly resided at [redacted] LA, and was employed by the [redacted]. She voiced her concern that assailant not become another OSWALD and feels possible [redacted] or acquaintances could be emotional enough to be a matter of concern for law enforcement authorities.

By Pretext call to [redacted]

[redacted] it was [redacted] none above business and has a [redacted] who lives in [redacted] who is [redacted]

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Special Agent in Charge

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AIRTEL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, PHILADELPHIA (P)
SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re Detroit teletype to Bureau and Los Angeles dated 6/5/68.

On 6/6/68 [REDACTED] Clerk, Record Office, U. S. Penitentiary, Lewisburg, Pa., furnished the following information from the U. S. Penitentiary file for former inmate [REDACTED] FBI No. [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] was sentenced [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] He was committed to the Federal Correctional Institution, Tallahassee, Fla. [REDACTED] Upon expiration of his sentence in the Territorial Penitentiary, Rias Piedras, Puerto Rico, he was transferred to the U. S. Penitentiary, Lewisburg, Pa. [REDACTED] and was granted a conditional release on [REDACTED] The following description was obtained from the file:

Name
Race
DOB
POB

[REDACTED]

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- 1- Los Angeles (Info)
- 1- Philadelphia

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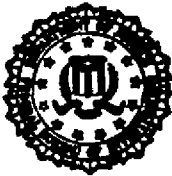
Height
Weight
Complexion
Eyes
Hair
Scars and Marks

5'7"
137 pounds
Dark
Brown
Black



Since there is no indication [redacted] is connected with captioned matter, no further action being taken.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Mobile, Alabama

June 5, 1968

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

**ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION OF
SENATOR ROBERT F. KENNEDY,
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA,
JUNE 5, 1968**

On June 5, 1968, [REDACTED] Immigration And Naturalization Service, Mobile, Alabama, made available a typewritten letter, which was contained in an envelope addressed to "Department Of Immigration Mobile Alabama", postmarked "Los Angeles, Calif. May 31, 1968".

Attached hereto is a xerox copy of the letter.

The author of this letter may possibly have some connection with the subject matter.

[REDACTED] United States Secret Service, Mobile, Alabama, was advised of the receipt of this letter on June 5, 1968.

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

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GOD says, Medd not with them that are given to change. (Proverbs 24:21)

Bated breath, debate, the bate: Bated Questions.

Robert refused in Oregon because of not enough Satan-Latin, Cuba Catholic pushinns, and Jew "Blue card" Mexican Catholic dragnet into U.S.A.

Now: Come into my Catholic California web says Robby spider.

A lying tongue, sly speech, and eloquent orator can take either side and convince the simple.

GOD says, The simple believe every word. (Proverbs 14:15)

A Catholic will vote Catholic - right or wrong. - just or unjust. Pope puppet Communists. Catholics want Pope-Rome to run and ruin U.S.A. No free speech - Poverty as in Mexico, South America, Spain, and Italy. Catholic Republicans still vote Pope behind the Pope vote booth curtain. Pope Pious spys.

Poverty system - L.B.J. to Catholic Luci, to priest confession booth, to Pope Pie USA. Spy for Pious.

All money roads lead to Rome. Rome is unamerican.

Lincoln killed by Booth - Catholic confession Booth. Pope's orders. Amelia Earheart - blame Japs. Atomic sub, blame Russia. air crashes - blame innocent. Titanic sinking: S.S. California refused SOS rescue and stood 10 miles off. (Luke 10:31) - priest passed by on the otherside of the wounded man.

GOD says, A poor man is better than a liar.

GOD says, A good name is rather to be chosen than great riches.

GOD says, Choose ye this day whom ye will serve.

GOD says, There is nothing hid that shall not be made Manifest. Mark 4:22 Daniel 2:22-23

Suggest this Biblegram sent to RFK, may use my name. (Matt. 10:42)

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The reason so many need glasses is the doctor use boric acid on baby's eyes., and printing is deliberately too small. Note Boris Carloff's eyes. Rome tell you in many ways of their deliberate destruction of our bodys for Doctors and medication merchants, etc. Rev. 18:3 and 24.

GOD says, Studdy is wearyness of the flesh. Eyes are flesh.

GOD says, Ever learning and never able to come to knowledge of the truth. Yet Million think higher education is a must. Taxes.

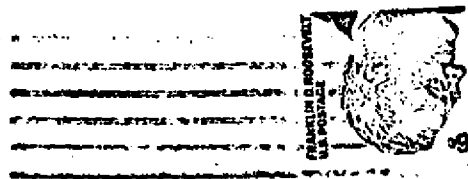
GOD says, GOD shall bring every work into judgement, every secret thing, whether it be good, or whether it be evil.

Do you know some Republican or Democrat headquarters that you could send a Biblegram?

The trouble in France is to call attention to the veit conferance to stop the war but the Jew's news lie and make us believe its against DeGaul. Pope's Luck of the Irish start roits and blame them on whoever they desire.

GOD calls the Jew Treacherous (teacher). God Divorced the trecherous Jew before the treacherous Jew wrote the New (Jew) testament. There angels recieved their wings, Baptim was invented, and sins of the old testement were nollified, such as stoning the whore, etc. Now, The mother that rocks the cradle ruins the world.

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6/6/68

AIRTEL

AIRMAIL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (62-5481)

KENSALT

On 6/5/68, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] may have information regarding captioned matter and that he was presently at this address and available for interview.

[REDACTED] indicated that he had previously been employed by [REDACTED] and that he felt [REDACTED] may have pertinent information.

MICHAEL SLOMICH was contacted at the residence of his father, [REDACTED] San Mateo, California, during the evening of 6/5/68. He was interviewed in the presence of his [REDACTED]. He stated that he is at present a graduate student at San Francisco State College, San Francisco, and resides at [REDACTED] San Francisco, California.

MICHAEL SLOMICH stated that he attended Pasadena City College approximately one and a half years and subsequently attended University of California at Los Angeles from approximately February, 1966, to December, 1967, at which time he graduated.

MICHAEL SLOMICH stated that he is aware that there is a Syrian-Lebanese Cultural Center, possibly known as the Syrian-Lebanese-American Cultural Center, located on Hollywood Boulevard near Sunset Strip. He stated that this group is a far right group, and he has knowledge that in the past the organization has permitted the American Nazi Party to utilize their headquarters to hold meetings and conduct action against "peace" demonstrators and to "eliminate traitors". These meetings

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- 2 Los Angeles (1 - 100-67887)
- 2 San Francisco (1 - 100-56711)

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occurred in approximately August, 1967.

SLOMICH stated that he may have seen SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN at some of these meetings or in connection with this group. SLOMICH said he is not positive at all that he has seen SIRHAN and states he has no acquaintance with him.

SLOMICH further advised that in Pasadena, California, on Colorado Boulevard, across the street from Pasadena City College, a bookstore known as the Americanism Book Store was formerly located. This store is now out of existence and has been gone for approximately two years. MICHAEL SLOMICH stated this book store was operated by a former Nazi Party officer whose name he does not recall, and it is his impression that in its stock it carried the far right Arab literature which was strongly anti-Semitic. He stated that he felt this could be significant in that SIRHAN was from Pasadena.

Further interview with MICHAEL SLOMICH elicited from him the fact that he attended DuBois Club meetings at the University of California at Los Angeles from approximately February, 1966, to December, 1967. He stated that he was very friendly with one WALTER CROWE, who was one of the significant individuals in this group.

b7C [REDACTED] SLOMICH stated that in his association with the DuBois Club, which also included three city-wide meetings and twelve city-wide parties, he had never observed SIRHAN at any of these affairs. He indicated that he considered the DuBois Club to be a conservative-type organization composed of middle-class students who were rebelling against their parents. It was a non-militant, nonactive group interested principally in theory. He advised that the DuBois Club at Pasadena City College was never active to any extent.

In addition, MICHAEL SLOMICH stated that he was in the Students for Democratic Society (SDS) at the University of California at Los Angeles from February, 1966, to December, 1967, and attended many meetings of this organization. He expressed the opinion that he knew everyone in the SDS in Southern California, including students from University of California at Los

Angeles, Pasadena City College, Los Angeles City College, and University of Southern California. He stated that he does not recall SIRHAN as ever being in attendance at any of these meetings, nor was he known to him in any way through these activities.

SLOMICH advised that he is presently active in the SDS at San Francisco State College and has been one of the activists protesting the Naval ROTC unit on the campus, and that he has been involved in the current demonstrations at this school.

The above is furnished for the information of the Los Angeles Office in captioned matter.

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AIRTEL

AIR MAIL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (62-5481)
SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/6/68 SHARIF KRADSHEH, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] furnished the following information to
SA [REDACTED] one of his students at DLI:

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KRADSHEH has been [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] He was born at [REDACTED] on [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] He came to the U. S. in October, 1953, and after
living in Pasadena and Los Angeles, Calif., from 1953 to 1962,
he came to [REDACTED] KRADSHEH
received his U. S. citizenship on 1/4/63. On 12/21/64 he
[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Further background information on KRADSHEH
including residence addresses, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

KRADSHEH advised that while he was attending
Pasadena City College in 1957, he was introduced to SHARIF
SIRHAN at Pasadena. He advised that SIRHAN was a recent
immigrant from Jordan who had arrived in the U. S. with an
older brother, SAADALLAH SIRHAN. KRADSHEH does not recall
whether he ever met SAADALLAH SIRHAN. KRADSHEH stated that he
had no knowledge of any member of the SIRHAN family from
Jordan, but only came in contact with them for the first time
in Pasadena in 1957. He said he was an occasional acquaintance
of SHARIF SIRHAN and never developed any close friendship with
him.

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1 Los Angeles
1 San Francisco

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[REDACTED]

He stated that SHARIF SIRHAN, in his opinion, did not express any extremist views on the Arab-Israeli question or the relationship of the U. S. foreign policy to this question, but always appeared to take a moderate position on the matter, insofar as KRADSHEH is able to recall. KRADSHEH has no knowledge of any organization to which SHARIF SIRHAN might have belonged during the period of their acquaintance. KRADSHEH stated that to his knowledge SIRHAN had no connection with any Palestinian nationalist organization back in Jordan. KRADSHEH does not recall ever having met SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN.

In 1963 KRADSHEH, who at that time was living in Monterey, Calif., travelled to Pasadena with his uncle [REDACTED] who was visiting from Jordan. [REDACTED] knew the SIRHAN family from Jordan. KRADSHEH stated that his uncle knew the family much better than he, himself, did. They traveled to the residence of the SIRHANS in Pasadena and visited with Mrs. SIRHAN briefly. At that time none of the other members of the family were at home. KRADSHEH's uncle, [REDACTED] returned to Jordan shortly thereafter and is presently residing there. The last time KRADSHEH saw SHARIF SIRHAN was around 1958. Other than the brief visit in 1963, KRADSHEH has had no other contact with the family.

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PLAIN TEXT

6/6/68

AIRTEL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (44-NEW)

SUBJECT: KENSALT
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On 6/5/68, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Bronx, N.Y., telephonically contacted the New York Office and advised that he had seen a photograph in the "New York Daily News" of the individual being held by the Los Angeles, California Police Department in connection with the shooting of Senator KENNEDY and he believed this individual was possibly identical with one [REDACTED] who had appeared at his agency on 3/25/68 with a [REDACTED] seeking employment. see pg 9 ✓

[REDACTED] as subsequently interviewed by Buagents on 6/5/68 in an effort to identify the then unidentified assailant. [REDACTED] said he was 90% sure the assailant and [REDACTED] were identical. He said that [REDACTED] who spoke no English and who spoke poor Spanish appeared at his agency with [REDACTED] who spoke fluent Spanish. They sought any type of work available. [REDACTED] initially

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1 Los Angeles (INFO)
1 New York

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said that he was from Puerto Rico but after [redacted] who is Puerto Rican, told him he did not believe he was from Puerto Rico because of his poor Spanish. [redacted] then said that he was from South America. [redacted] asked him for his visa or other papers but [redacted] stated all his papers were in his luggage which he did not have with him.

While at the agency [redacted] inquired about a place to stay and [redacted] stated that he had a friend at [redacted] Bronx, New York, who would probably get them a room at that address.

[redacted] filled out a job application card for both [redacted] and himself. On [redacted] and he showed the age of [redacted] as [redacted] years, address as [redacted] and the social security number as [redacted]. On his own card, [redacted] showed his age as [redacted] years, his address as [redacted] and his social security number as [redacted].

[redacted] then left the agency and never recontacted [redacted].

[redacted] furnished the following additional descriptions of [redacted]

Name	[redacted]
Age	Looked in early thirties
Height	5'6"
Weight	145-154
Build	Slender
Hair	Black
Eyes	Dark Brown
Dress	Olive green suit, tie, dark blue wool topcoat, brown shoes.
Distinguishing Features:	Wide nostrils, flat nose, gold inlay in one upper front tooth.

NY 44-NEW

Nationality

Unknown

Name

Age

Height

Weight

Build

Hair

Eyes

Dress

Early twenties

5'6"

175 pounds

Husky

Blondish

Blue

Brown leather or imitation

leather jacket, brown

trousers

Believed Puerto Rican

Nationality

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It was also determined on 6/5/68 that there is no address, [redacted] Bronx, New York, The lowest numbers on Hoe Avenue is 900 which is adjacent to Bruckner Expressway.

The application cards filed by [redacted] and [redacted] were obtained by agents but are not being submitted to the FBI Laboratory inasmuch as they were filled out by [redacted] and because Senator KENNEDY's assailant has been identified.

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AIRTEL

AIRMAIL (REGISTERED)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, ATLANTA (44-2412)
SUBJECT: KENSALT

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[REDACTED] Georgia,
an employee of the Atlanta Post Office Department, telephonically
contacted the Atlanta Office and advised he recently observed
a newspaper in the mail entitled "The San Francisco Express
Times" having an article on the late Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY.
[REDACTED] in his opinion the newspaper was a hippie
type newspaper and the article contained on page 3 of the
newspaper indicated that the readers should not waste their
vote on ROBERT KENNEDY and the article contained a photograph
of KENNEDY superimposed on a casket.

[REDACTED] the San Francisco Times Express
newspaper that he observed was dated 5/23/68, with an address
of 13 Lafayette Street, telephone 863-7775, San Francisco, Calif.

SAN FRANCISCO is requested to attempt to obtain
copy of the above newspaper and advise Los Angeles of all
pertinent information.

- 3 - Bureau (RM)
 - 2 - Los Angeles (RM)
 - 2 - San Francisco (RM)
 - 2 - Atlanta
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[Signature]

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PX 175-19

The following investigation was conducted by SA [REDACTED] at Flagstaff, Arizona:

b7D [On June 6, 1968, inquiry at [REDACTED] revealed that on May 26, 1966, at 6:25 p.m., the FPD arrested a MUNIR BISHARA SIRHAN SIRHAN, also known as Joe, address 696 East Howard Street, Pasadena, California, telephone 298-2136. On May 30, 1966, he was sentenced under Arizona Revised Statutes 13-991 (Vagrancy), [REDACTED] and was given 15 days in jail. The following descriptive information was obtained:

Race White
Sex Male
Age 22
Height 65"
Weight 115 pounds
Hair Black
Eyes Brown
Complexion Dark
Occupation Student
Date of birth [REDACTED]
Place of birth [REDACTED]
Fingerprint [REDACTED]
Classification [REDACTED]

Scars and marks [REDACTED]
Dress [REDACTED]

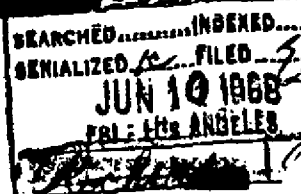
Vehicle [REDACTED]

SIRHAN was arrested with two other individuals as follows:

Name [REDACTED]
Address [REDACTED]
Race White
Sex Male
Date of birth [REDACTED]
Place of birth [REDACTED]

DAVID MYERS, JR. [REDACTED]

White
Male



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PX 175-19
[REDACTED]

Height 6' 1"
Weight 155 pounds
Hair Brown
Eyes Blue
Complexion Medium
Occupation Laborer
Arrest Same as SIRHAN and same sentence

Fingerprint
Classification [REDACTED]

FPD Number [REDACTED]

Driver of vehicle PHILIP LEE CLEVINGER
Address [REDACTED]

Date of birth [REDACTED]
Place of birth [REDACTED]
Race White
Sex Male
Height 5' 8"
Weight 140 pounds
Hair Black
Eyes Brown
Complexion Medium
FBI Number [REDACTED]
FPD Number [REDACTED]

CLEVINGER was cited for no registration and charge was dismissed on May 27, 1968.

b7D [REDACTED] In his report it was noted that MYERS claimed to be a hitchhiker and that CLEVINGER and SIRHAN were together. The vehicle apparently belonged to CLEVINGER.

In addition to CLEVINGER and SIRHAN, one RONNIE EDMAN HOULEN was arrested for Vagrancy and accompanied SIRHAN and CLEVINGER. HOULEN is described as follows:

Race White
Sex Male
Date of birth [REDACTED]
Place of birth [REDACTED]

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PX 15-19
[REDACTED]

Height	5' 9"
Weight	160 pounds
Eyes	Blue
Hair	Brown
Address at time of arrest	[REDACTED]

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Date: 6/7/68

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

(Priority)

TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES
 FROM: *Ju* SAC, PHOENIX (175-19)(P)
 SUBJECT: KENSALT

Enclosed for the Los Angeles Division are nine
 copies of an insert which reflects results of criminal checks
 b7D [redacted] on subject SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN's
 brother and his companions when arrested on 5/26/66 in Flag-
 staff.

The enclosed insert is for the information of
 Los Angeles for whatever leads they determine appropriate.

② - Los Angeles (Enc. 9)(RM)
 2 - Phoenix
 [redacted] b7K

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Sirhan

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Approved: _____ Sent _____ M Per _____
 Special Agent in Charge

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AIRTEL

TO: DIRECTOR FBI

FROM: SAC, DALLAS (175-9)(P)

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re Bureau teletype to all SAC's dated June 5, 1968.

Dallas indices negative re suspect SIRHAN and members of family. All major PD's, Dallas Division, checked with negative results for information re suspect SIRHAN.

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2-Los Angeles
2-Dallas
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*Dallas indices negative
Re: Suspect's family
Dallas at to Dir 6/6/68*

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Re: [unclear] 1208

FBI

Date: 6/6/68

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

TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES
 FROM: SAC, EL PASO (173-24)
 KENSALT

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On the evening of 6/5/68, [REDACTED] in El Paso, who is active in the [REDACTED] and who requested that his identity be kept confidential, advised that a reputable friend of his whom he preferred not to identify but described as a professor at a school in the Los Angeles area, called the evening of 6/5/68, to tell him that Mayor YORTY of Los Angeles appeared on local Los Angeles TV and during an interview, stated that the suspect in the assassination of ROBERT F. KENNEDY who is currently being held by the LAPD, had been under surveillance by the LAPD in the past and had been observed attending local meetings of the W. E. B. DuBois Club. Also, that when the suspect's room was searched literature from Red China as well as Soviet Communist literature was discovered.

This information is being furnished to the Los Angeles Office, inasmuch as Los Angeles can easily confirm or disprove the above rumor.

In the event, Mayor YORTY did make the above mentioned statement on local TV, this information should of course be immediately furnished to the Bureau.

② - Los Angeles
 ① - El Paso

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*Mayor Yorty
 Statement on Subject
 on local TV*

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 Special Agent in Charge

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AIRTEL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, DALLAS (175-9) (P)
SUBJECT: KENSALT

OO: LOS ANGELES

ReButel to all SACs dated 6/5/68.

On 6/6/68, [REDACTED]

Texas, telephone [REDACTED] telephonically communicated with the Dallas Office at which time he advised as follows:

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He stated one [REDACTED] whom he described as a member of the "underworld" told him approximately one year ago that the underworld would "take care" of the people in high places including ROBERT KENNEDY. [REDACTED] resides in Long Beach, California, and is physically described as a [REDACTED] years of age, 5'10" tall, with [REDACTED] [REDACTED] said his attorney, [REDACTED] resident of [REDACTED] California, telephone [REDACTED] is aware of [REDACTED] activities in the underworld.

[REDACTED] advised he met [REDACTED] when [REDACTED] lived in [REDACTED] from [REDACTED] He claimed he received the above information from [REDACTED] in 1967 when he travelled to [REDACTED] to visit with friends. [REDACTED] could not furnish an address for [REDACTED]

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2 - Los Angeles
1 - Dallas

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[redacted] requested that the FBI send him to [redacted] so he could solve the matter involving the assault on Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY and "expose the underworld."

Following receipt of the above telephone call from [redacted] an Agent of the FBI contacted [redacted] Texas, to ascertain if [redacted] is acquainted with [redacted]. At the time contact was made with [redacted] he advised the interviewing Agent that approximately five minutes before the Agent made contact with [redacted] [redacted] called [redacted] to advise him that "the FBI had called and wanted him, [redacted] to go on a special assignment to the West Coast." [redacted] requested [redacted] to "tell his attorney" that he would be gone to California for two or three weeks.

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b7D [redacted] said he is acquainted with [redacted] described [redacted] as a "half-crackpot" and usually drunk.

No further action is contemplated in this matter at Dallas in view of information concerning [redacted] provided by [redacted]. Above information being furnished Los Angeles for background information concerning [redacted] in the event [redacted] makes contact with the Los Angeles Office at some time in the future.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/10/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re Butel 6/6/68.

In attempting to obtain handwriting samples of the subject, [REDACTED] Workmen's Compensation Appeals Board, Department of Industrial Relations, State of California, 107 South Broadway, Los Angeles, was contacted on 6/10/68. She advised that the entire Workmen's Compensation file of the subject was furnished to a Special Agent of the FBI on Thursday, 6/6/68. He stated that the entire file was xeroxed by the agent and that a review of the file reveals no handwriting of the subject.

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[REDACTED] She advised that the subject's attorney, ANNE TOOMER, of the Patterson and Toomer Law Office, 16 North Marengo, Pasadena, could possibly have handwriting originals completed by the subject when he applied for Workmen's Compensation in approximately December, 1966. His application concerned an accident which the subject received as a result of falling off a horse.

Referenced Butel has advised that every effort should be made to obtain comparable known handwriting samples for comparison with questioned handwriting presently in the possession of the FBI lab.

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AT PASADENA, CALIFORNIA: ANN TOOMER should be interviewed concerning any knowledge she may have regarding the subject including the whereabouts of any comparable handwriting samples of the subject.

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AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA: It is suggested that a memo be prepared for all agents instructing all agents covering leads in this matter to make inquiries, where logical, in an effort to obtain comparable handwriting samples of the subject for the submission to the Identification Division. Since the subject cannot be interviewed by the Bureau for the purpose of obtaining known handwriting samples, efforts should be made to find witnesses who may have observed the subject executing any samples located.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/10/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

WALTER S. CROWE, JR., reference and acquaintance of subject, advised that in 1965 at Pasadena City College (PCC), he was the principal organizer in an effort to get a Students for a Democratic Society (SDS) Club active on the campus, but was unsuccessful. He advised that one TOM GOOD knew about this SDS Club, but was not active in it. He also stated that one [REDACTED] (PH), a student at PCC, assisted and tried to help form this club.

CROWE stated that SIRHAN SIRHAN was familiar with the attempted formation of this club but did not join it but was known by the other members.

LEAD

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AT PASADENA, CALIFORNIA: At Pasadena City College, attempt to identify [REDACTED] (PH) and interview him concerning SIRHAN SIRHAN. Obtain from him any general background, political and nationalistic tendencies and any information pertinent to this investigation.

NOTE: TOM GOOD, former PCC student, is currently in the San Jose, California area and efforts to interview him are being made by San Francisco.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56p156)

DATE: 6-10-68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

L At 12:50 pm this date an unidentified female caller advised that she is acquainted with [REDACTED] telephone [REDACTED] is a Jordanian national and his true first name is not [REDACTED] but an Arab name which the caller could not recall.

The caller said that she has recently learned that the [REDACTED] are acquainted with SIRHAN through some church that they both have attended. She has also learned through the [REDACTED] that SIRHAN has a cousin in Jordan who was implicated in the assassination of the grandfather of King HUSSEIN of Jordan.

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The caller said that [REDACTED] is presently in the hospital after just having a baby. [REDACTED] works at some unknown job in LA. The caller said that [REDACTED] not political and his only interest is in baseball. She requested that interview with [REDACTED] not be attempted for several days in view of her condition. She also requested that any approach to the [REDACTED] be made so as not to lead to her. She said that even though she has not furnished her name it would be apparent to the [REDACTED] that she was the source of the information unless a suitable pretext was used.

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/10/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re complaint of SA [REDACTED] 6/8/68.

The following investigation was conducted by
SA [REDACTED] at Hollywood, California on 6/9/68:

[REDACTED] and [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] telephone [REDACTED] were
contacted with respect to the occupants of Apartment 102,
which is the southern front ground floor apartment directly
across the hall from their apartment. It is noted that
complainant in referenced complaint, advised that she
thought that the occupants of Apartment 102, were Jordanian
students, who might possibly be friends or acquaintances of
SIRHAN SIRHAN.

[REDACTED] advised that
they did not think the individuals in Apartment 102 were
Jordanian, since they observed various magazines that
were addressed to them in the magazine slot for the
apartment and the material seemed to be of an Israeli
nature.

The following individuals, who are all
residents of Apartment 102, were contacted and it was
determined at that time that they were Israeli nationals
on student visas studying in the U. S. Each advised that
he does not know SIRHAN SIRHAN and except for the
individual noted below, each stated that he does not know
anyone who knows either SIRHAN SIRHAN or any members of
his family.

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1. [REDACTED] pre-engineering student,
Harbor College, Wilmington;
2. [REDACTED]
3. [REDACTED]
4. [REDACTED]
5. [REDACTED] telephone [REDACTED]
student at Cal Poly, Pomona,
studying electronics

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[REDACTED] advised that there have been several other Israeli students in the past living at Apartment 102 and he only knows their names as follow:

[REDACTED] (LNU)

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] advised that he knows an individual by the name of [REDACTED] who is a student also at Cal Poly, Pomona, studying electronics. [REDACTED] was formerly a student at Pasadena City College and he stated he personally knew SIRHAN SIRHAN and the members of his family and that he [REDACTED] considered them to be extremely emotional and highly intelligent. [REDACTED] advised that he does not know how well [REDACTED] knew SIRHAN nor the extent of the association he may have had with him. He further stated that any contacts made with [REDACTED] by the FBI be done in a circumspect manner so as to avoid indicating that [REDACTED] was the source of the lead.

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b7c AT POMONA, CALIFORNIA. Will, through appropriate source at Cal Poly, locate and interview [REDACTED] an electronics student, who allegedly stated that he knew SIRHAN SIRHAN and SIRHAN's family. Will determine the degree of association between [REDACTED] and SIRHAN, and any additional background he may be able to furnish with respect to SIRHAN SIRHAN.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/10/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

School records for SIRHAN SIRHAN located at Pasadena reflected the following addresses for him:

1321 North Mentor
Pasadena, California

1647 Lake Street
Pasadena, California

LEADS

LOS ANGELES

AT PASADENA, CALIFORNIA: Will conduct neighborhood investigation at the above addresses to locate persons acquainted with subject or his family. If located, interview these persons concerning general background, political and nationalistic tendencies and any information pertinent to this investigation.

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[REDACTED]

FBI

Date: June 7, 1968

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

(Priority)

To: SACs, Los Angeles
Washington Field

From: Director, FBI (62-587)

KENSALT

RE [REDACTED]

b7D On June 5, 1968, [REDACTED] advised that a few days before the assassination of Dr. King he attended a rally for Senator Kennedy at 14th and Park Road, Northwest, Washington, D. C. The man beside him held up a round object approximately two feet long and three inches in diameter with an electric cord extending from it. He asked the man what the object was and he said it was a microphone and began running. He chased him a short distance but lost him in the crowd. He described the man as a white male, 5'6" tall, 100 pounds, stocky build, 35 to 40 years old, wore a dark top coat and a hat. He said he might be able to recognize this man again and furnish information as it may relate to the shooting of Senator Kennedy.

Bufiles indicate that [REDACTED] FBI

Washington Field locate [REDACTED] immediately and interview him in detail in order to determine if he has any information of value.

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A. O. Richardson

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FBI

Date: June 7, 1968

Transmit the following in _____

(Type in plaintext or code)

Via AIRTEL

(Priority)

To: SAC, Los Angeles

From: Director, FBI

KENSALT

An individual who refused to identify himself telephonically contacted the Bureau at 7:30 am, June 5, 1968, concerning the captioned matter.

He said he had been watching television programs from the scene at Los Angeles. He stated he watched on one program a scene of the audience in the auditorium of the hotel where the Senator was shot. He said he noticed one individual in the audience rise and smile and walk away after the announcement of the shooting. He said it was his impression the individual "knew something" about the shooting. He suggested the TV films be reviewed in connection with this matter. He terminated the call before identifying the TV station.

For information.

*anonymous caller
Dir at w Lr 6/7/68*

No action

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/10/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re Indianapolis teletype to Los Angeles, 6/6/68.

Upon receipt of the information contained in referenced teletype from the Supervisor WILLIAM J. NOLAN, the writer immediately relayed the information to Inspector JOHN POWERS, Detective Bureau, Los Angeles Police Department. The information was made the subject of a memo for appropriate action by Inspector POWERS.

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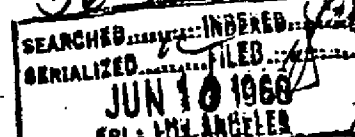
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date 6/7/68California State Senator ANTHONY C. BEILENSEN,

[REDACTED] advised that he arrived at the Hotel Ambassador, Los Angeles, California, on June 5, 1968, shortly before the end of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY's speech after being the apparent winner of the California Democratic Presidential Primary.

Senator BEILENSEN advised that he and his wife remained only a short period of time in the ballroom where Senator KENNEDY was speaking inasmuch as they found it too crowded, hot and uncomfortable. They returned to the kitchen passageway, positioned themselves in such a position as to be able to see Senator KENNEDY and his party as they came out of the hall. Senator BEILENSEN stated that after seeing Senator KENNEDY walk by he turned his head in the opposite direction to see if he could see some of his friends. He heard popping noises but assumed that these were balloons popping. He never saw Senator KENNEDY or the assailant and was unable to furnish any information concerning anyone else he might have noted in that area.

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b7COn 6/6/68 at Sacramento, California File # 62-76by SA [REDACTED] Date dictated 6/7/68

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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Date 6/7/68

Mrs. DOLORES BEILENSON, [REDACTED] advised that on June 5, 1968, she and her husband, State Senator ANTHONY C. BEILENSON, arrived at the Hotel Ambassador, Los Angeles, California, where Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY was making a speech after being the apparent winner in the California Democratic Presidential Primary. They arrived shortly before the termination of Senator KENNEDY's speech and went to the ballroom where he was speaking. It was too crowded, however, and they left after remaining there only a short period of time and returned to the kitchen passageway. They positioned themselves in the passageway so as to be able to see the Senator and be able to greet friends as they came out.

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Mrs. BEILENSON stated that after Senator KENNEDY passed her she turned her head back to see if she would be able to see Mrs. ETHEL KENNEDY. She did not see Mrs. KENNEDY and turned her head back in a direction where Senator KENNEDY would have reached at that time. At the same instant she turned her head, she did not observe Senator KENNEDY but instantaneously observed three flashes emanating from a gun which appeared to be held at waist level by a man she described as being of short stature, slim, 25 to 30 years of age, dark coloring, appearing to be of Mexican American extraction. At this point she also heard three popping noises. She does not recall the arm being extended. She stated that she was approximately 20 feet away from the man holding the gun and that she could see the man from his mid-thigh up. She could not recall what obscured her vision of the rest of the man. She added that there was no one in the immediate vicinity of the man. She could not see Senator KENNEDY at this point. Upon hearing additional shots, she immediately left the area.

Due to the fact that her observation of the gunman was momentarily, she does not believe she could positively identify him. She does not recall seeing anyone else in particular outside the uniformed kitchen help, KENNEDY's staff and friends.

On 6/6/68 at Sacramento, California File # 62-76

by SA [REDACTED] Date dictated 6/7/68

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

Enclosed for Los Angeles are nine (9) copies each of FD-302s relating to interviews with State Senator ANTHONY C. BEILENSEN and Mrs. DOLORES BEILENSEN.

Mrs. DOLORES BEILENSEN on 6/7/68, telephonically contacted the Sacramento Office and advised that she neglected during the interview to mention that while in the hallway during the shooting of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY she lost one of her white clothes leather pump shoes described as follows:

Size	8N
Color	Dark Bone or Beige
Make	Era Company
Interior	Light Green
Exterior	Gold bamboo type trim on front, slightly square toed

Mrs. BEILENSEN stated that on the way out the did find another shoe of similar size which she put on and now has in her possession. The foregoing is furnished in the event a white shoe figures into the investigation.

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AIRMAIL

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM : SAC, MILWAUKEE (157-548) (P)

SUBJECT: KENSALT
OO: LOS ANGELES

Re Bureau teletype to Milwaukee, 6/7/68.

On 6/7/68, [redacted] Wisconsin State Reformatory, Green Bay, Wisconsin (protect identity), advised that on day of assassination attempt on Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY, an inmate at WSR he knew only as [redacted] remarked that he had seen suspect, the man depicted on newspapers and on television, on some occasion, but could not recall where. [redacted] the inmate stated he had seen suspect in Mexico at a Communist Party rally. Inmate also allegedly stated he had heard suspect was scheduled to kill someone.

Investigation at WSR, Green Bay, determined inmate to be [redacted] WSR Inmate Number [redacted] SR records indicate [redacted] resided [redacted] California, [redacted] and was [redacted] Inmate also served sentence for [redacted] in Soledad State Penitentiary, California, and has [redacted] California.

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[redacted] interviewed under pretext all inmates at MSR from Southern California being interviewed.

[redacted] gave same information relayed by source. He voluntarily supplemented initial information saying he remembered suspect, SIRHAN, or a person who looked identical to him, in Chihuahua, Mexico, in 1960. He said in 1960 he joined "Hells Angels," Oakland Chapter, and toured various areas in Mexico. He said he remembered seeing a young man giving a speech to arouse young people and assumed that it was a Communist Party meeting, and suspect or a look-alike was preaching against capitalism and was "anti-everything." Inmate stated that when he saw picture of suspect, he looked very familiar, but he could not recall where he had seen him until he heard his name as SIRHAN SIRHAN and then he recalled him from Chihuahua. He said that one of the members of "Hells Angels" told him that the man was training to be a "contractor," which he later determined to be a paid assassin. He said he assumed from his association in "Hells Angels" the man was being trained by Communists.

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[redacted] man used good English, which was understandable, but he had a noticeable accent. He said he recalled the name SIRHAN because of its phonetic similarities to "South Seas women's dresses - sarongs."

He said he could not recall exact names of persons in "Hells Angels" whom he formerly associated with who related information concerning the person in Mexico, except their club names of "tiny" and "Jim." He stated that "Jim" was believed to have last name of [redacted] who was President of the Oakland Chapter.

He gave the following description for man he recalled seeing in Chihuahua and in his opinion identical to suspect SIRHAN SIRHAN:

Age	17 (1960)
Build	Thin
Complexion	Dark
Nationality	Mexican, Spanish-American, or Arab
Facial features	Thin
Height	5'5"
Weight	120-140 lbs.
Hair	Black

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b7C For information of Bureau and Los Angeles, [redacted] has not been known to reside in California since his discharge from Soledad State Penitentiary, 8/29/63, and has been in area of Green Bay, Wisconsin, since that time. He was sentenced from Green Bay (Brown County, Wisconsin) on [redacted] and has prior record [redacted] at San Diego, California, Police Department.

Above information furnished [redacted] is of unknown reliability.

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[Signature]
Director.

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The following FBI record, NUMBER [REDACTED] is furnished FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY.

All descriptive factors (if any) furnished by you match those in our identification file unless herein quoted.

DESCRIPTION AND RELATED DATA:

Race: [REDACTED]

Sex: [REDACTED]

Height: [REDACTED]

Weight: [REDACTED]

Hair: [REDACTED]

Eyes: [REDACTED]

Date and Place of Birth: [REDACTED]

Scars & Marks: [REDACTED]

Address: [REDACTED]

Occupation: [REDACTED]

Since neither fingerprints nor an identifying number which is indexed in our files accompanied your request, FBI cannot guarantee in any manner that this material concerns the individual in whom you are interested.

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Director.

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DESCRIPTION AND RELATED DATA:

Race: [REDACTED]

Sex: [REDACTED]

Height: [REDACTED]

Weight: [REDACTED]

Hair: [REDACTED]

Eyes: [REDACTED]

Date and Place of Birth: [REDACTED]

Scars & Marks: [REDACTED]

Address: [REDACTED]

Occupation: [REDACTED]

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The following FBI record, NUMBER [REDACTED] is furnished FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY.

All descriptive factors (if any) furnished by you match those in our identification file unless herein quoted.

DESCRIPTION AND RELATED DATA:

Race: [REDACTED]

Sex: [REDACTED]

Height: [REDACTED]

Weight: [REDACTED]

Hair: [REDACTED]

Eyes: [REDACTED]

Date and Place of Birth: [REDACTED]

Scars & Marks: [REDACTED]

Address: [REDACTED]

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TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

Date 6-8-68

Your inquiry 6-7-68

KENSALT

- ☒ Attached furnished in reply to your inquiry.
☐ Attached furnished in compliance with request from
☐ Only record available attached.
☐ This matter is receiving attention and you will be advised at an early date.
☐ Supplementing FBI Laboratory report dated
☐ Records FBI #
are furnished since there is a possibility that one may pertain to the subject in whom you are interested.
☐ Fingerprint files fail to disclose
☐ Confirming FBI wire of
☐ A wanted notice has not been placed as subject appears to be in custody.
☐ When you no longer desire your notice maintained, please advise.
☐ If you determine subject to be in custody, please advise so that your notice may be canceled.
☐ Subject of your inquiry searched in name indices only. Enclosed record(s) possibly identical. If identical, resubmit request and wanted (or flash) notice will be placed.
☐ If it is determined that the subject of this record is not the individual in whom you are interested, please advise.
☐ Your communication is returned.

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Director

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AIRTEL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, ALBUQUERQUE (62-1295) (P)
RE: KENSALT

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HUDSON ROLAND MOLLY

assigned Army Missile Test and Evaluation Agency, White Sands Missile Range, New Mexico, on 6/7/68 advised SA [redacted] attended Pasadena City College near Los Angeles, California, in 1963 and 1964 with SIRHAN SIRHAN. He knew him as an average student on the campus who appeared to have no particular ax to grind with respect to the Israeli-Arab situation and did not associate with Arab students but was friendly with everybody. He had no information as to any campus organizations or particular friends, female or otherwise, that this man had but recalled that he rode back and forth to school in SIRHAN's car with one BRUCE FULTON, now a soldier who is [redacted] at Redstone Arsenal, Redstone, Alabama.

He could furnish no other associates by name and was of no further assistance in this case. Leads to interview BRUCE FULTON are not being set forth but are left to the discretion of Los Angeles.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/10/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re memo to SAC from SA [REDACTED] dated 6/6/68.

On 6/6/68, PATRICIA ELIZABETH NELSON, JOSEPH THOMAS KLEIN and, on 6/7/68, DENNIS STEVEN WEAVER were interviewed in connection with captioned matter and separate FD-302s on each interview were prepared.

At about 12:10 AM to 12:15 AM on 6/5/68, PATRICIA NELSON claimed that she had seen an individual running out of the Embassy Room, Ambassador Hotel, Los Angeles, California, carrying a package about 3½ feet long and 6 inches wide. From the rear of this package, there protruded a piece of wood which appeared to NELSON to be the stock of either a shotgun or a rifle. She does not know the difference between these two types of guns. She saw this individual before she knew Senator KENNEDY had been shot. The following is a physical description of this individual as furnished by NELSON:

Sex	Male
Race	White, may be Mexican or Cuban
Age	Early 20s
Height	5'6" to 5'7" tall
Weight	140 to 150 pounds
Build	Slight
Complexion	Medium-dark
Hair	Natural, straight, black, long; long heavy sideburns extending to bottom of ears
Characteristics	Clean shaven
Clothing	Wore burgundy or dark sweater with V-neck, shirt underneath, dark trousers, levi type, no press

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JOSEPH THOMAS KLEIN, who was with PATTI NELSON and saw this same individual, was interviewed; however, he did not see the butt of a gun protruding from the package that this unknown individual was carrying. KLEIN stated that he was this same individual who ran from the Embassy Room the next day on the Frank Reynolds News Cast, ABC, Channel 7, 5:30 to 6:00 PM, 6/5/68.

On 6/7/68, WEAVER was interviewed concerning his comments in this matter.

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On 6/7/68, SA [REDACTED] and SA [REDACTED] contacted Mr. WILLIAM P. MC SHERRY, Television News Director, ABC, 4151 Prospect Avenue, Los Angeles, California, telephone number 663-3311, and made arrangements to view the video tape of the Frank Reynolds News Cast. MC SHERRY stated that he would like to make a video tape of the three witnesses that were to view this tape. MC SHERRY was advised that this was up to the witnesses and the FBI could make no recommendation in this matter. MC SHERRY stated that if there was a news story in this matter that they, ABC, wanted to be in on it from the beginning. MC SHERRY was advised that if a video tape was to be made that the FBI was not to be involved in connection with the filming of it.

NELSON, KLEIN and WEAVER were taken by SA [REDACTED] and SA [REDACTED] to view the above mentioned video tape. They were told that they, ABC, would like to make a video tape of their comments and that such appearance on their part would have to be of their own free will and accord.

The video tape of the Frank Reynolds News Cast was shown by MC SHERRY and staff. Each individual viewed the video tape separately and several times to insure ample opportunity to make an identification. NELSON and KLEIN both positively identified an individual on this film as being the individual they saw coming out of the Embassy Room of the Ambassador Hotel. WEAVER furnished a tentative identification of this individual.

After separate viewings of the above video tape, FD-302s were prepared on these individuals' comments.

After viewing this video tape, MC SHERRY advised NELSON, KLEIN and WEAVER that he would like to make a pilot

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video film of their comments concerning the identification of this individual. WEAVER, KLEIN and NELSON were again advised that it was entirely up to them if they wanted to make this television film and that the FBI could not make any recommendations one way or another in this matter. NELSON, KLEIN and WEAVER agreed that they wanted to make this film. Agents were not present when the filming of the pilot film was made by ABC.

MC SHERRY explained that they did not plan to use this film at this time and that the only way that they would use it was if something did come up later concerning this identification which would make a news story.

b7c On 6/7/68, Photo Lab Clerk [REDACTED] took pictures of the video tape which showed this unknown individual running out of the Embassy Room. The pictures obtained by [REDACTED] are located in the 1A section of this file.

LEADS

Will furnish copies of the photographs of this unknown individual to the Los Angeles Police Department.

Will use these photographs for further evaluation and potential investigative leads.

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AIRTEL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (44-1640)

SUBJECT: KENSALT

*Life Magazine Photo
at scene of shooting New York
Lead to Interview
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RE LA teletype to the Bureau and NY, 6/7/68.

Enclosed herewith for Los Angeles Division are 16 photographs; eight of which were taken by freelance photographer PETER SPENCER BERKSON (those bearing number COA-75092 on reverse side) and eight of which were taken by Life Magazine photographer BILL EPPRIDGE (those bearing EPPRIDGE's stamp on reverse side).

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On 6/8/68, RICHARD POLLARD, Life Photo Editor, Time and Life Building, New York, New York, made available to SA [redacted] the enclosed photographs. He stated that Life Magazine purchased the roll of Berkson film because it contained some overall photographs of the scene immediately following the shooting, which he said appears to be the only ones available to his firm as all other photographs taken by Life photographer of ensuing action of shooting scene are of victims.

POLLARD explained that colored film purchased from BERKSON is being developed in black and white and is currently in early process of this development, which according to him is quite time consuming. He said that in addition his photo laboratory is swamped with film to be processed of the current coverage being afforded the

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funeral of ROBERT KENNEDY. POLLARD stated that when the BERKSON film was first received he edited the frames and selected about eight shots, of the corridor scene of the shooting and had these immediately developed. He made these photographs available and they are enclosed.

POLLARD advised that the BERKSON film contained some photographs of what appeared to be BERKSON's relatives in addition to the photographs BERKSON took at the Embassy Room and corridor to kitchen of Ambassador Hotel. He said that he would make available copies of all pertinent photographs taken on the roll by BERKSON at the Ambassador Hotel, but, that such photographs will not be available until early morning hours of 6/10/68.

POLLARD disclosed that Life Photographer BILL EPPRIDGE was assigned to cover the KENNEDY Campaign and was at the scene of the shooting and also obtained photographs prior to and immediately following the shooting. He made available eight photographs taken by EPPRIDGE, for whatever value they may be worth. These photographs are also enclosed.

POLLARD said that he understood that EPPRIDGE was very close to ROBERT KENNEDY at the time of shooting and that soon after Mrs. KENNEDY rushed to her husband's side she immediately asked the press and everyone to move back, but allowed EPPRIDGE to remain because she personally knows EPPRIDGE.

Enclosed photograph number 5, taken by BERKSON shows EPPRIDGE at right where small arrow has been placed on border edge. Photograph number 8, also by BERKSON, shows position of EPPRIDGE. A small x has been placed just above his head on border. He is person with camera to his eye.

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POLLARD said EPPRIDGE generally is assigned ~~of~~
B their NYO and is currently with funeral coverage.

It is not known if EPPRIDGE has been interviewed
and consideration is being left to discretion of office
of origin.

LEAD:

NY Division will obtain additional copies of
photographs taken by BERKSON at Ambassador Hotel from
RICHARD POLLARD when available and immediately forward
same to LA Division.

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PLAIN TEXT

AIRTEL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (44-1640)

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re Los Angeles teletype to the Bureau and New York dated 6/7/68, and New York airtel to the Bureau and Los Angeles, dated 6/8/68.

Enclosed herewith for Los Angeles are 21 copies of photographs taken by Free Lance Photographer PETER SPENCER BERKSON obtained from RICHARD POLLARD, Life Photo Editor, Time and Life Building, New York, New York.

On 6/10/68, Mr. RICHARD POLLARD, Life Photo Editor, Time and Life Building, New York, New York, made available the enclosed 21 photographs. Mr. POLLARD advised that these photographs are copies of all the photographs taken by BERKSON at the Ambassador Hotel on June 5, 1968, contained on the film purchased from BERKSON.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/10/68

FROM : SAs [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Enclosed for the file is an investigative insert showing investigation conducted in Los Angeles.

The writer was given the lead to contact CHRISTINE R. MC DONAUGH, [REDACTED] concerning information received from Mrs. CAROL BRESHEARS, who was in charge of the "KENNEDY girls", who thought MC DONAUGH was the redhead in question who saw SIRHAN ejected from the kitchen area. BRESHEARS earlier received information from a man who identified himself as a reporter from Newsweek magazine who was trying to locate a "KENNEDY girl" who had red hair and observed SIRHAN being ejected from the kitchen on the night KENNEDY was shot.

No lead is being set forth to interview JAMES M. LOWE, [REDACTED] as a previous lead has been set out to have him interviewed.

LEAD: Recontact CAROL BRESHEARS for additional assistance in identifying the red head who was supposedly contacted by a writer from Newsweek magazine.

Also obtain the address of GLORIA LOUJAN and interview her for any additional information with emphasis being placed on the identity of the red head.

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The following investigation was conducted by
SAs [REDACTED]

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CHRISTINE R. MC DONAUGH, [REDACTED]
Los Angeles, advised on 6/9/68 that she had been a
"KENNEDY worker" and on the night Senator ROBERT F.
KENNEDY was shot she and her husband were in attendance
at the Ambassador Hotel.

She advised that she and her husband WILLIAM
arrived at the hotel at 7:48 PM, which was the time marked
on her parking ticket. When she arrived she met with
GLORIA LOUJAN in the hallway of the hotel and she agreed
to take their purses to room ten of the hotel and wait
for other "KENNEDY girls". She remained in room ten for
approximately forty-five minutes and then went directly
to the Embassy Room of the hotel. She was in the Embassy
Room for about an hour when KENNEDY arrived. As the crowd
began coming in she became separated from her husband so
she and LOUJAN advanced to within six feet of the podium.

After she heard KENNEDY's speech and as he was
leaving the podium to her right the crowd began pushing her
to her left. Just as she was about four or five feet to
the left of the podium, someone ran past her. The image
was blurred and it was impossible for her to get any type
of description. She then heard someone on the other side
of the room scream KENNEDY had been stabbed. When she
heard this three other men raced past her to her left
pushing people out of the way in the process. She recognized
one of the men to be JAMES M. LOWE, another "KENNEDY worker".

She said after this incident she and GLORIA made
their way to some chairs to the left of the podium and sat
down. They remained at this location until everyone was
ordered to clear the room.

She said at no time was she near the kitchen area
nor did she recognize anyone near the area of the kitchen.

She said she has not been contacted by anyone
from Newsweek magazine.

She also advised that CAROL BRESHEARS has complete
charge of the records pertaining to the names of the "KENNEDY
workers". Some of the records contain photographs of the
workers. She herself worked out of the Wilshire district and
she said there could be other girls from other districts that
might have ~~red hair who could have been the individuals who~~
~~saw SIRHAN ejected from the kitchen area.~~

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To Home to file
SAC, LA

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At approximately 8:20 A.M., 6/7/68, Mr. SCHROEDER called ^{The SAC} and advised a question had been raised as to the search conducted of SIRHAN's room; specifically, a teletype was requested summarizing this. The teletype should answer the following questions:

- (1) Who gave the consent to search the room and was it in writing?
- (2) Did the consent specify the search of the entire house or was the consent merely limited to the room SIRHAN occupied. Also, was he paying for this room?
- (3) Did whoever gave the consent specify that anything could be taken from the room?
- (4) Did the police department give a receipt for those items taken?
- (5) Did an Agent actually participate in the search. If he did there is no problem.

At this point SAC GRAPP advised there is a major problem, ~~and that the Agent did not participate in the search.~~

~~He said it is not a local authority~~

For Mr. SCHROEDER's personal information Mr. GRAPP advised that there is a disagreement between Mayor SAM YORTY and District Attorney YOUNGER. ~~_____~~

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Mr. SCHROEDER stated no inquiries should be made

but if the statement has been made it should be put in the teletype. *The teletype should state this info. as for the confidential source, the Bu. should not be* This teletype should be sent as soon as possible. *disseminated.*

Mr. DE LOACH has instructed we return the evidence to the police department by Monday. The fingerprint examination is still not done. Arrangements should be made to get this on the airplane along with copies of the examination, one for our office and one copy for the police department which will be turned over to them when we return the evidence.

Mr. GRAPP requested someone give him this authorization to turn these copies over to the police department. He was advised that a memorandum will be written at the Bureau concerning this authority. A cover letter will also be with the evidence stating it should be returned to the police department and give them copies of the laboratory report.

Los Angeles will receive photographic copies of this material.

Mr. SCHROEDER advised if we receive any evidence hereafter through our own investigative efforts, it should be

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sent back to the laboratory. However, it will later be sent to District Attorney YOUNGER by cover letter over the Director's signature. This cover letter will be prepared in Washington and sent to Los Angeles for us to give to YOUNGER. A copy of the initial reports and subsequent reports should be available to YOUNGER provided they are in proper form. They will also be accompanied by a cover letter over the Director's signature. These reports will be checked over at the Bureau first and any errors corrected. The finished product will then be sent to Los Angeles for dissemination to YOUNGER.

The matter of writing the report was discussed with Mr. DELOACH. He had advised that security data has to be in the initial report and subsequent reports. It should be set forth in such a manner that there is a section in the report containing this information. However, this information should be set forth that when disseminated it will not divulge the existence of our sources.

Mr. GRAPP stated that there are pitfalls in this procedure as when YOUNGER gets this report it will more than likely go to the police department. They will have to have free and full access to it. The possibility exists that Mayor YORTY will also see it. Mayor YORTY has again made statements that this is the work of subversives and communists. Mr. DE LOACH was very adamant that this security data be in the report *according to DeLoach*

It was suggested that if there are any problems concerning this, they be resolved by teletype rather than calling the Bureau.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/11/68

FROM : SUPV. [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At 8:05 A.M., Section Chief REX SHRODER called and desired to know if BUCKLEY was still SIRHAN SIRHAN's attorney.

SHRODER was informed that Attorney A. L. WIRIN, leading attorney associated with the American Civil Liberties Union in Los Angeles, interviewed SIRHAN yesterday, 6/10/68. Subsequent to this interview, WIRIN held a press conference at which time he stated a request had been made to the California Bar Association to appoint a "name" attorney. WIRIN related the attorney, of course, would have to be agreeable to SIRHAN.

At 9:15 A.M., SHRODER again called and desired to know if a Bureau artist would be of assistance in resolving the woman in the polka dot dress aspect of this case. SHRODER was advised a teletype was being prepared summarizing investigation to this moment into that phase and would be sent to the Bureau today. It was suggested perhaps a decision could be made after investigation to date has been analyzed.

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RECORD OF INFORMATION FURNISHED OTHER AGENCIES

Orally _____ date _____ By Telephone 6/10/68 date _____ Written Communication _____ date _____

Information concerning:

[REDACTED] Pittsburgh, Pa.
(Pittsburgh tel [REDACTED] Threat against SIREAN SIREAN

Information furnished from File, Serial, and Page Number:

Butel to Pittsburgh and LA 6/10/68

Information furnished was obtained:

- ☐ during course of Bureau investigation
☐ from informants
☒ from complainants or other sources from CIA

Information furnished to:

1. - SA [REDACTED] US Secret Service 3:25 PM
 2. - SA [REDACTED] acting as Liaison with LAPD Rampart Division 3:30
 3. - [REDACTED] LASO Intelligence 3:40 PM

Number of items disseminated: _____

Remarks:

One item disseminated to each of the above.
 Route all carbon copies to SA [REDACTED]

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 ① - (US SECRET SERVICE)
 1 - (LAPD)
 1 - (LASO)

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Indices: ☐ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases Unsub Kensalt Matter		Address of subject		Character of case	
Complainant [REDACTED]		Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED] } b7D		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date <u>6-9-68</u> Time <u>4:20pm</u>	
Legal Address [REDACTED]					
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 Male - Mexican descent 20 yrs. 5' 7" 180 fair complex short brn hair, bare footed. No further description. No address or name obtained.					
Facts of complaint Unsub on 5-31-68 came into the <u>Eugene McCarthy campaign headquarters, 308 W. 4th St., Oxnard, Cal.</u> , where C. was working, now closed, and volunteered to do some work for the McCarthy campaign. He made a sign to put up in the Mexican American community of Oxnard. Comments made by unsub while here were, he was: He was a member of the <u>John Birch Society</u> . He felt Robert F. Kennedy if elected would be killed in office and if not he unsub would kill him. No details just the comment. C. said others working in the headquarters at the time Unsub was there were [REDACTED] C. said he did not know how much credence should be placed in the above but he got to thinking about it and felt the FBI should have a record of the matter.					
ALL b7C <i>Lead show photos</i> 56-156-388 SEARCHED INDEXED SERIALIZED FILED JUN 10 1968 FBI - LOS ANGELES Rec'd 6-14-68 0 Action Recommended None [REDACTED] (Agent) <i>Passing to</i>					

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Indices: ☐ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases KENSALT		Address of subject		Character of case	
Complainant REN FLYNN CBS-KNXT-CHANNEL 2 LOS ANGELES 6121 SUNSET BL., L.A.		Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED]		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-9-68 Time 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 FLYNN LEAVING L.A. 6/10/68 AM FOR ST LOUIS MO. WILL BE GONE ABOUT 3 MO. ON A CBS SPECIAL.				
Facts of complaint FLYNN HAS BEEN REVIEWING VIDEO TAPE ON KENSALT AIRED BY CBS AND NOTED A GIRL IN A POLKA-DOT DRESS IN THE FOLLOWING FILM IN FILE CBS - VIDEO TAPE # C-779-60 (1) 46 MINUTES + 13 SECONDS INTO THIS TAPE (2) 48 MINUTES + 45 SECONDS INTO THIS TAPE					
Reviewed 6/27/68 2. POLKA DOT DRESSES IN ABOVE 49 MIN + 37 SEC. IN TAPE FROM BARR also another Tape C-919-60 33 MIN + 50 SEC. INTO TAPE FROM BARR Set out READ to REVIEW SA [REDACTED] discontinued 7/1/68 Action Recommended ALL b7C [REDACTED] 617-45 all					

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Indices: ☐ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases KENSALT			Address of subject		Character of case KENSALT	
Complainant [REDACTED] b7D [REDACTED]			Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED] Los Angeles, Calif.		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6/10/68 Time 10:40 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	
	Scars, marks or other data					
	Facts of complaint					
<p>C. called to try to get in touch with the Negro newscaster <u>RAEFAER JOHNSON</u>. He stated that he was told something concerning the murder of SENATOR ROBERT F. KENNEDY, in strictest confidence, and he wants to talk with JOHNSON, to get his advice concerning what he should do with the information he has.</p> <p>C. works during the day at the following address: [REDACTED] California —Tel: [REDACTED]</p> <p>He is at the above employment daily, between 8:00 AM, and 4:30 PM, after which he usually is at his home address.</p>						
<p>ALL b7C Received 6/14/68, 900</p> <p>See Ser 639</p> <p>Reassign to [REDACTED] 900</p> <p>576-153-390 SEARCHED INDEXED SERIALIZED FILED JUN 11, 1968 FBI - LOS ANGELES</p>						
Action Recommended [REDACTED] (Agent)						

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/10/68

On 6/7/68, Mrs. F. MAAS, owner, Robbie's Restaurant, 390 Pomona Mall East, Pomona, California, advised that on the occasion of Senator KENNEDY's visit to Pomona on 5/20/68, where he gave a policy speech at a luncheon at the restaurant, she hired a photographer to take pictures of the occasion.

She advised she had contacted the photographer on this date regarding these photographs, not developed by him to date, and was told that they would be ready for her sometime during the coming week.

MAAS related that if these photographs would be of any value to the FBI in its investigation regarding the possibility of establishing SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN's presence in Pomona, she would make these pictures available when she receives them. She stated she would notify the FBI at Pomona when these photographs are delivered to her.

LEAD

Maintain contact with Mrs. MAAS for the purpose of obtaining any pertinent photographs.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

DATE: 6/10/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

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Writer received call on above date from person who identified self as [REDACTED] home phone number [REDACTED] residing [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] stated he had info to furnish about the captioned case and wanted to speak to an agent in person. Stated that agent should contact him at above number on 6/11/68 before noon so that an appointment could be made.

[REDACTED] did not indicate what his info was regarding in particular.

LEAD

[REDACTED] Contact [REDACTED] at above tel #.

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

DATE: 6-11-68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: Kensalt.

RE Desi Arnez Interview

Ref. Memo SA [REDACTED] 6-8-68 (ser. 222)
" A.O. Richards Jr. 6-8-68 (ser.- 221)

Elaine Braddish, Secretary to Desi Arnez, actor and TV producer, General Service Studios, 1040 N. Las Palmas Av. L. A. # 469-9011 X-361 advised 6-11-68 by phone that Desi Arnez was currently off Baja Calif in a boat and was visiting his ranch in Baja Calif. and would not be back to L. A. for 3 weeks. She will try to reach him by ship to shore phone and have him call the FBI. She was told to have him talk to SA [REDACTED] and if the latter not in talk to Supv. William J. Nolan.

Elaine said she was with Desi all during the aftermath of the Sen. Kennedy shooting and they had observed the pictures of Sirhan and Desi had not indicated any knowledge or recognition of Sirhan.

Desi still has horses at Corona and the man most likely to know if Sirhan ever worked for Desi handling horses would be Charles Zoeller. Phone [REDACTED] who takes care of Desi's horses there.

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Lead: Interview Chas. Zoeller at above Corona add.

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DATE: 6/10/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/10/68, SA [REDACTED] received information from CBS news, Los Angeles, that Mrs. BEVERLY BRONS, telephone [REDACTED] had contacted CBS and advised she attended a rally for Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY on May 28, 1968 at the Lakewood Country Club and saw an individual who she believes was SIRHAN SIRHAN.

On 6/10/68 SA [REDACTED] telephonically contacted MRS. BRONS who resides at [REDACTED] Lakewood and an appointment was made to interview Mrs. BRONS on 6/11/68.

LEAD

At Lakewood, California

Will interview Mrs. BEVERLY BRONS to obtain information she has regarding the possibility that subject attended 5/28/68 rally for Senator KENNEDY.

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DATE: 6/11/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

ANWAR MUSA SAYEGH, student, Pasadena City College (PCC), who was with SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN between 6:30 p.m. and 7:00 p.m., Tuesday, June 4, 1968, advised that one IVAN LNU (LNU), a student at PCC, who lives on North Hill in Pasadena and employed at 4:00 p.m. daily at Allied Auto Parts on Colorado Boulevard, Pasadena, was an acquaintance of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN. He stated another acquaintance of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN was JOE (LNU), also a student at PCC but was unable to further identify JOE. He stated he had advised JOE he should contact the appropriate authorities in view of his long friendship with SIRHAN, but JOE advised him he did not intend to do so, but if he were contacted he would tell the authorities what he knew.

LEADS

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AT PASADENA, CALIFORNIA. Attempt to identify and locate IVAN (LNU) and JOE (LNU) and interview re SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/11/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At 7:30 a.m., 6/11/68, SA [REDACTED] received a telephone call from a woman who would only identify herself as the woman [REDACTED] on Howard Street in Pasadena.

The woman advised that she had previously been contacted by SA [REDACTED] regarding the shooting of ROBERT F. KENNEDY. The woman stated that she had more information to provide and she requested that SA [REDACTED] contact her [REDACTED].

LEAD

Will contact the above individual regarding instant matter.

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TO : SAC (56-156)

DATE: 6/10/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/6/68, WALTER S. CROWE, Jr., advised he had been an associate of SIRHAN SIRHAN since the 6th Grade. He stated one acquaintance of SIRHAN's on the campus at Pasadena City College was ABDUL DABBAS, a teacher of Arabic.

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Investigation on 6/10/68 established through Mrs. DIANE POMEROY that DABBAS had rented a room from her mother-in-law, Mrs. MARGARET POMEROY at [REDACTED] Street, Altadena, California. She stated MARGARET POMEROY had corresponded to a limited degree with DABBAS since he returned to Jordan, and believed she had heard from him last in approximately August, 1967. The current address of MARGARET POMEROY is [REDACTED] California.

LEAD: LOS ANGELES [REDACTED] CALIFORNIA: [REDACTED] ph. # [REDACTED]

Will interview Mrs. MARGARET POMEROY, [REDACTED] California, for any address or information she may have concerning the present whereabouts of ABDUL DABBAS.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/11/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/11/68, CEASAR CHAVEZ advised SA [REDACTED] that he was at the Ambassador Hotel earlier in the afternoon 6/4/68, however, he left prior to the shooting of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY. CHAVEZ stated that he was told by BILL CHANDLER, who was at the Ambassador Hotel, he knew the subject or went to school with him.

LEADS

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AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA. Will attempt to locate and interview BILL CHANDLER. [REDACTED] (telephone [REDACTED]) re his knowledge of SIRHAN. CHANDLER reportedly has an office located at 806 Eastern, Los Angeles.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/10/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/7/68, [REDACTED] Los Angeles County Jail System, made available a copy of a Los Angeles County Sheriff's Office (LACSO) news release relative to action by the Los Angeles County Grand Jury and the arraignment of SIRHAN B. SIRHAN.

The news release made by the LACSO is as follows:

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Date: 6/7/68

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(Type in plain text or code)Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL
(Priority)

TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES
FROM: SAC, EL PASO (173-24)
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At 9:00 p.m., 6/6/68, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] El Paso, telephonically advised that he and his
wife spent a week and a half at the La Costa Spa, Carlsbad,
California, and while there were served by a waiter who
strongly resembled SIRHAN, the subject in this matter.
[REDACTED] arrived at the La Costa Spa on 5/24/68, and left
there 6/4/68. The man who resembles SIRHAN worked there
until Saturday, 6/1/68, at which time he left.

The above information is being furnished Los Angeles
and San Diego for any action they determine necessary.

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1 - El Paso

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Approved: *[Signature]*
Special Agent in Charge

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

San Francisco, California

June 7, 1968

MIDDLE EAST SITUATION

A source who has furnished reliable information in the past on June 6, 1968, voluntarily furnished the following information concerning the Middle East Situation based on his observations of when he was in Syria and Lebanon in 1957 and 1958. The source noted that he has had no recent contact with the Middle East but that he wishes to furnish the following background for such value as it may be in regard to the murder of Senator Kennedy in Los Angeles.

The Syrian Communist Party was the center of Communist Party activities in Syria, Lebanon, and Jordan in 1957 and 1958, although each nation had its separate national organizations. At that time, the Communist Parties in Syria and Lebanon were semi-legal and completely illegal in Jordan. The head of the Communist Party in Syria at that time was an individual named Bagdash.

The source recalled that the Communist Parties in the Middle East in 1957 and 1958 were very fanatic and did considerable work among the refugees in Palastine, making them exceedingly corruptible. He noted that the refugees endured very much suffering and that they were easy to buy off with money and ideology.

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AIRMAIL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (62-5481) - P -
SUBJECT: KENSALT

Enclosed for the information of the Bureau and Los Angeles are 6 and 3 copies respectively of an LHM captioned "Middle East Situation" which contains information furnished on 6/6/68 by [REDACTED]

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The LHM is being furnished for purposes of background information although [REDACTED] has no current information.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/10/68

On June 7, 1968, SANDY SERRANO, who was interviewed by television newsman SANDER VANOCUR on the morning of June 5, 1968, advised that shortly after the shooting of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY, she saw a girl wearing a white dress with black polkadots run from the Ambassador Hotel. According to information furnished to television newsman VANOCUR, the girl in the polkadot dress stated, "We shot him."

SERRANO stated that the first person she came in contact with was a Mr. JOHN AMBROSE, District Attorney, Beverly Hills, California (telephone number 836-5685), whom she related the above story.

LEAD:

AT BEVERLY HILLS, CALIFORNIA: Locate and interview JOHN AMBROSE regarding his conversation with SANDY SERRANO shortly after the shooting of Senator KENNEDY.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re Detroit teletype, 6/7/68, concerning information
furnished by [REDACTED] Harbor Springs, Michigan.

b7D [REDACTED] Santos Catering Service,
611 South Palm Canyon, Palm Springs, California, advised
SA [REDACTED] on 6/8/68 that he has never employed
SIRHAN SIRHAN. He viewed a photograph of SIRHAN SIRHAN
and said he did not know him.

[REDACTED] said that during the summer months
when he manages the [REDACTED]
Michigan, he employs only college or graduate students at
the club.

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Subject's name and aliases [REDACTED]		Address of subject employment: [REDACTED]		Character of case KENSAULT	
Complainant [REDACTED] - b7D - (extremely reluctant to reveal her name)		Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED] L.A. area ph [REDACTED]		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6/8/68 Time 5 pm	
Subject's Description	Race W(Egypt.)	Sex <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair bald	Build
	Age 40	Weight	Eyes	Complexion	Birth date and Birthplace
	Scars, marks or other data				

Facts of complaint

C has known S's wife, [REDACTED] home ph. [REDACTED] for approx. a year. [REDACTED] but has lived with him off and on until 6 months ago. She also operates [REDACTED] called [REDACTED] ph [REDACTED] in general conversation 2 or 3 months ago, related that [REDACTED] was very anti-KENNEDY. [REDACTED] and others from Egypt hold secret meetings each week to collect and send money to their native country. At these meetings they also discuss their dislike for the US, its policies, and its leaders. [REDACTED] described [REDACTED] as a psychopath, with a violent temper and a person capable of killing someone. Because of the above, because [REDACTED] has been arrested in L.A. for assault and due to the recent killing of KENNEDY C. felt she should furnish this information to the FBI.

C stated she could furnish no further information, but felt [REDACTED] should be contacted to determine if this matter might be pertinent.

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[REDACTED]
(Agent)

KENNEDY SHOOTING.

6-9-68

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
SANTA MONICA
[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] STATES HER VERY CLOSE
FRIEND ([REDACTED]) HAS
BEEN ACTING VERY NERVOUS +
WEIRD SINCE THE KENNEDY SHOOTING.
P-R FOUND A NOTE IN [REDACTED]
POCKET WITH THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE
[REDACTED] SUNDAY 4:30
AAL 299" ~~THE~~ P-R WAS
SUSPICIOUS THAT THIS HAD SOMETHING
TO DO WITH THE KENNEDY SHOOTING
SO SHE CONTACTED THE AIRLINES
WHO IN TURN CONTACTED SANTA MONICA
P.D. ([REDACTED] S.M.P.D. CONTACTED
L.A.P.D. WHO MADE ABOVE INTERVIEW
AT [REDACTED]
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Memorandum

TO : SAC (56-156)

DATE: 6/9/68

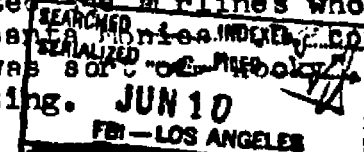
FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At about 9:50 PM, [REDACTED] received a telephone call from [REDACTED] advising that they had received information from one [REDACTED] that one [REDACTED] a passenger on Flight 4, American Airlines, destined for New York, had some connection with the Kennedy Assassination or with SIRHAN. According to the SMPD, an attempt had been made to verify [REDACTED] flight, and it was learned that she was not on the flight. However, they advised that she had been paced at the Kennedy Airport in New York, and had answered the page, and was to be interviewed by the FBI or the PD.

At 9:55 PM writer received a telephone call from [REDACTED] Port Authority Police, Kennedy Airport, New York City, tel. [REDACTED], to the effect that he and his partner, [REDACTED] had interviewed one [REDACTED] Hollywood, Calif., an incoming passenger on Flight 4, American Airlines. [REDACTED] had Calif. Driver's license [REDACTED] which described him as a male, born [REDACTED] black hair, brown eyes, 5'6"; 131 lbs, previous license expired 1965. He had an identification card from the Arabian Oil Co., in the name, [REDACTED] followed by the number 4010. The remainder of the card was printed in another language, believed to be Arabic. He said he was destined to the Great Northern Hotel, 118 - 57th St., New York City, where he would remain for 2 days, after which he would proceed to Saudi Arabia, where he is employed by the Arabian Oil Co. [REDACTED] denied any personal knowledge concerning the Kennedy assassination or of SIRHAN. [REDACTED] said he knew of no connection between [REDACTED] and SIRHAN or the killing of Kennedy.

[REDACTED] Santa Monica, Calif. tel. [REDACTED] was interviewed on evening of 6/9/68. (at [REDACTED] by [REDACTED] LAPD, because of call from Santa Monica P.D. (see para. 1, above). [REDACTED] advised officers that her very close friend [REDACTED] has been acting very "nervous and weird" since the Kennedy shooting. She found a note [REDACTED] pocket with the following message, "Sunday 4:30 AM" [REDACTED] was suspicious that this had something to do with the Kennedy shooting so she contacted the airlines who in turn contacted Santa Monica P.D. [REDACTED] Santa Monica P.D. contacted LAPD. Officers advised writer that [REDACTED] was "out of the picture" and could show no connection with Kennedy shooting.



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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/9/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

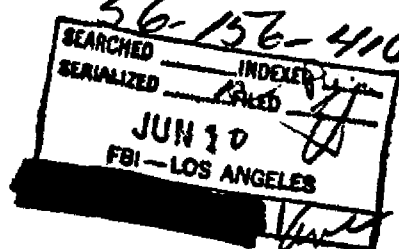
SUBJECT: KENSALT

At 10:52pm, 6/9/68, Supervisor [REDACTED] New York Office advised that their office had received information from the New York City Port Authority Police ~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~ ~~XXXXXX~~ that one [REDACTED] who was to arrive at Kennedy Airport in New York shortly after midnight aboard American Airlines Flight 4, allegedly had some information regarding the assassination of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY. He advised that this individual had been paged and there was no one aboard this flight by that name. He further stated that a person named [REDACTED] who was apparently an innocent party, was interviewed and considerable background had been obtained.

Supervisor [REDACTED] stated that this information reportedly originated from American Airlines in Santa Monica, California, or from the Santa Monica Police Department.

[REDACTED] stated that the foregoing information would be confirmed by teletype.

It is noted that SA [REDACTED] had called earlier indicating that a call had been received at the Rampart Division of the LAPD from the New York Port Authority Police regarding [REDACTED] pertaining to the above matter. [REDACTED] said the person who furnished this information to the Santa Monica PD was one [REDACTED] and that Rampart Division Detectives were going to interview her.



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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

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

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[REDACTED]
Arcadia, California, furnished the following information:

Between 6:30 and 7:30 P.M. on Tuesday evening, 6/4/68, she was in her apartment which is located at the [REDACTED] on

the south side [REDACTED]. She observed three men walking by her apartment in an easterly direction and, as she was about to go to the door of her apartment located on the east side of the building, two of the men approached the door.

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The shortest of the men inquired about an unfurnished apartment and she stated that she could furnish them a key to Apartment No. 5 which was currently unoccupied and which was located on the second floor of her building directly over her apartment. This individual took the key and approximately ten minutes later returned with it. She described him as being a male Caucasian, early 20s, 5'3" to 5'5", 125-130 pounds, curly black hair, slight foreign accent, round face, sloppily dressed, wearing a Navy-type pea jacket and light colored trousers.

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[REDACTED] was shown three photographs of SIRHAN SIRHAN and she advised that, based on these photographs, she did not feel that the individual who came to her apartment and SIRHAN SIRHAN were identical. She stated the grayish complexion of the individual who she saw personally and his round face were distinctly dissimilar to the complexion and face of SIRHAN SIRHAN.

[REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED] was also visited by these three individuals.

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[REDACTED] Arcadia, phone [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] advised as follows:

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At approximately 7:00 P.M. on 6/4/68, three dark-skinned male Caucasians appeared outside of her apartment on foot. She observed them from her kitchen window and they looked as though they were about to approach her apartment in order to inquire about a vacant apartment. Two of them remained outside approximately 20 feet from her vantage point while the third and smallest of the three proceeded toward her apartment door, which is located in an alcove on the west side of her apartment building. This individual did not knock on the door but apparently turned around and together with the other two individuals left the area walking toward the east in a normal pace. Also with her in the apartment at the time was a tenant, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] She advised that she thinks that each of the individuals present in her apartment saw the three dark-skinned males.

She described the shortest of the three as being a male, 24 or 25 years old, 5'7", 140 pounds, black curly hair, gray complexion, and dressed in bright colored clothing.

[REDACTED] as shown three photograph of SIRHAN SIRHAN and she advised that, in her opinion, SIRHAN SIRHAN is not identical to the shortest of the three individuals who appeared at her apartment although he resembled him somewhat. She also stated that the other two males appeared to be approximately 28 years of age, 5'8" - 5'9", and were distinctly dissimilar to SIRHAN SIRHAN.

[REDACTED] same address, were also interviewed and they supplied essentially the same information as related above. They were shown photographs of SIRHAN SIRHAN and they advised that, in their opinions, he was not identical to any of the individuals who appeared at the apartment of [REDACTED] at approximately 7:00 P.M., 6/4/68.

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[REDACTED] same address as [REDACTED] above, were interviewed and they supplied information essentially the same as their mother. They were likewise shown photographs of SIRHAN SIRHAN and they also advised that he was not identical to the individual who appeared at their mother's apartment at approximately 7:00 P.M., 6/4/68. They also stated that the other two individuals whom they saw were likewise not identical to SIRHAN SIRHAN.

1340 West Sixth Street
Los Angeles, California 90017
June 10, 1968

[REDACTED]
U. S. Secret Service
U. S. Treasury Department
P. O. Box 567
Los Angeles, California 90053

RE [REDACTED]

Dear Sir:

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b7C This will confirm a telephone call from Special Agent [REDACTED] of this office with Special Agent [REDACTED] of your office at 3:25 p.m., June 10, 1968 relating to [REDACTED]

Information received today from the Central Intelligence Agency reflects that over this past weekend they received a telephone call from [REDACTED] Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania (Pittsburgh telephone number [REDACTED] in which he requested "assistance and equipment" from the Central Intelligence Agency. He stated he needed this help in order to travel to California to see that Senator Robert F. Kennedy's assailant was properly punished. He further stated that since Senator Kennedy was the only friend of the Negro, he wanted to make sure Sirhan Sirhan would receive proper punishment.

No further identifying information regarding [REDACTED] is available at this time. The Los Angeles Police Department and Los Angeles Sheriff's Office have been advised of the above information.

Very truly yours,

2 - Addressee
1 - Los Angeles (56-156) WESLEY G. GRAPP
Special Agent in Charge
(3) [REDACTED]

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Indices ☐ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases KENSALT.			Address of subject			Character of case		
Complainant [REDACTED]			Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED]			Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-9-68 Time 10 AM		
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input checked="" 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 **WANTED to FURNISH FBI HIS OPINION OF KENSALT MATTER.**

- 1. HE DID NOT THINK SIRHAN DID IT ALONE.**
- 2. THINKS SIRHAN SHOULD BE GIVEN THE 3RD DEGREE & MAKE HIM TELL WHO HELPED HIM IN CONSPIRACY.**
- 3. ALL INVOLVED SHOULD BE SHOT TO DEATH**

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Action Recommended **None**

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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
(Ser. 21).

On 6/7/68, [REDACTED]
Malibu, California, advised she is employed at this address as
a housekeeper by [REDACTED] and is currently living in
the [REDACTED] residence.

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She stated that during the evening of 6/3/68, at
approximately 10:00 PM, the doorbell rang, and she called
through the door, asking for the identity of the caller.
male voice replied, "It's the telephone repair man," and [REDACTED]
because of the late hour, said, "Are you kidding?"
The male voice then replied, "No, I am not," and [REDACTED]
left the door, called [REDACTED] who was upstairs in the
residence, and told [REDACTED] to look out the window to
see if she could observe who was at the door. [REDACTED]
was unable to see any person, and [REDACTED] stated that at
no time did she open the door or the window in the door and,
therefore, did not see the person who was outside.

[REDACTED] stated that she learned the following
day that the KENNEDY family was staying at the residence next
door to [REDACTED] home and for this reason feels that this
matter could possibly have some connection with this case. She
further stated that the Malibu Substation of the Los Angeles
Sheriff's Office was notified regarding this matter during the
evening of 6/3/68, primarily because of the high incidence of
burglaries and robberies in the area.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/11/68

ReButel, 6/6/68.

Various notes, books, writings, and papers were obtained from the room of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN, 696 East Howard, Pasadena, California, by the LAPD on 6/5/68. These items were forwarded to FBI Laboratory for examination. The Lab is continuing to examine these items; however, the Lab advised that in one of the submitted notebooks captioned, "Pasadena City College," there is contained in that notebook the following information of value:

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One of the pages consists of an undated letter written in Arabic apparently to his mother, in which he sends her \$10 to buy postage stamps for letters she will write to him and mainly for the envelopes and newspapers or magazines of the Rosicrucians and packages. He says he is waiting for the check from the U. S. Treasury. He states he has written his address on the envelope and she is to use it only to mail the letters and that she is not to reveal to anyone his whereabouts.

A second page contains Arabic words "Hotel 1879" with the name "ROGERS" written in English after this notation.

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AT PASADENA, CALIFORNIA: Interview the mother, MARY SIRHAN, 696 East Howard, Pasadena, and attempt to obtain the address of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN's whereabouts as well as the hotel referred to above.

It is noted that a bound xerox copy of the items submitted to the Lab is maintained in this case and may be of assistance in interviewing Mrs. SIRHAN.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/11/68

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On 6/11/68 [REDACTED] CIA, Los Angeles, furnished a copy of an anonymous letter received by his office relating to numerous allegations regarding a [REDACTED] and his foreign travels. Among those allegations, including statements concerning [REDACTED] entrance in Jordan, were strong verbal attacks on Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY.

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Requested to furnish a complete summary of background information re [REDACTED]

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, (56-156)

DATE: June 7, 1968

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re serial 69, FD71, reflecting information received from [REDACTED] Fountain Valley, California concerning alleged statements he heard at the Five Points Shopping Center, [REDACTED] Huntington Beach, Calif.

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A memo and three FD 302's re the above were dictated on June 7, 1968. In essence [REDACTED] an employee of the above store admitted he made statements concerning SENATOR KENNEDY but he denied knowing anything about the assassination of Senator Kennedy, stated he did not know anyone who was going to kill Senator Kennedy, and said the statements he made were as the result of information he heard from an unknown customer of the store. This customer stated he had been at the VA Hospital, location unknown but probably Long Beach, California, and he said that the patients there were angry at Senator Kennedy for his Vietnamese War statements. This man did not say that anyone at the hospital would kill Senator Kennedy, but he said that some of the patients said that if Kennedy were President, someone ought to shoot him.

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[REDACTED] has been described [REDACTED] as a "big mouth" when it came to discussing politics. He stated that he talks politics constantly and that he keeps him only because of the lack of suitable employees. [REDACTED] never heard [REDACTED] make any statements similar to the above.

[REDACTED] the man who made the original complaint, stated he thinks [REDACTED] was "just talking", and that he has a "big mouth" and talks too much.

It is noted [REDACTED] has no criminal record at Huntington Beach, California PD or the Orange County Sheriff's Office, Santa Ana, California. [REDACTED]

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/10/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re Complaint Form FD-71 of SA [REDACTED] 6/10/68.

[REDACTED]
North Hollywood, telephone number [REDACTED] was interviewed on the evening of 6/10/68.

[REDACTED] advised that he was previously employed by the [REDACTED] and downtown Los Angeles from May 1964 until January, 1967, at which time he [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] He stated that from 10/65 to 8/66 he served as [REDACTED] in the downtown office, [REDACTED]. He states that in searching his memory, he feels that he has interviewed SIRHAN SIRHAN regarding a course in data processing. He said that he cannot be sure if SIRHAN ever enrolled in [REDACTED] or not.

[REDACTED] advised that he is currently employed at the [REDACTED] Blvd, North Hollywood, [REDACTED]. He expressed a desire his name not be mentioned if the FBI desires to contact [REDACTED]. He was assured that his name would remain confidential and that a discreet inquiry would be made at the school to ascertain if SIRHAN SIRHAN ever did apply as a student.

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Will ascertain from [REDACTED] if SIRHAN SIRHAN was ever enrolled or made application for any type of training offered by that school.

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[REDACTED]

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/11/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

A telephone call was received 7:11 p.m. 6/8/68, from SA [REDACTED] of the San Francisco Office, who advised that the San Francisco Division received a teletype lead set out for them to obtain original check from the Argonaut Insurance Company, Menlo Park, California, which was the payment in settlement for a claim for injuries received by SIRHAN B. SIRHAN.

[REDACTED] advised that the San Francisco Division had been unable to locate anyone at the Argonaut Insurance Company and inasmuch as the lead instructed that Argonaut be contacted immediately, he wanted to know if it would be permissible to wait until Monday morning in order to obtain the check and forward same to the FBI Laboratory.

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b7C [REDACTED] was advised that as all their efforts had been unsuccessful in order to attempt to locate someone at Argonaut to obtain the check, they should obtain the check early Monday morning and forward it to the Laboratory.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/11/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/11/68, STEVE SMITH, Southern California Kennedy Campaign Coordinator, was interviewed at Kennedy Headquarters, 5615 Wilshire Boulevard, Los Angeles. Mr. SMITH was advised that the FBI was attempting to determine the itineraries of Senator KENNEDY and his campaign party in Oregon and California during May and June, 1968. He was also advised that the Bureau was attempting to identify members of the official KENNEDY traveling party.

Mr. SMITH, through a clerk, LUCY SALINGER, made available copies of itineraries in their files; however, Mr. SMITH commented that they could have been subject to change.

Mr. SMITH stated that JOE DOLAN and JERRY BRUNO were both "advance men" for the Senator and would have been in charge of all scheduling. He further advised that one DICK TUCK, FRED DUTTON and BILL BARRY would have been with the Senator in most of his travels and should have most specific knowledge as to itineraries and also would be able to identify the official members of the party. Mr. SMITH indicated that he approximated that the party would approximate 100 individuals, 12 to 15 of them being staff members and the balance members of the press. Mr. SMITH said that the whereabouts of these individuals could be ascertained through KENNEDY Headquarters in Washington, D. C. and contact with them should be arranged through that office.

SMITH stated that BRUNO normally associated with the Syracuse Office but he believed he was still in Washington. Mr. SMITH stated that FRANK MANKIEWICZ, PIERRE SALINGER and JESSE UNRUH would have traveled very limitedly. STEVE SMITH, the brother-in-law of the late Senator, did not travel at all according to Coordinator SMITH and like MANKIEWICZ, spent most of his time at KENNEDY Headquarters on Wilshire Boulevard.

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STEVE SMITH, the interviewee, not Senator KENNEDY's brother-in-law, advised that he was in the Ambassador Hotel the night of the assassination but was located on another floor at the time of the shooting and could furnish no information concerning it. He did recall, however, that two or three weeks ago, exact date unknown, at approximately midnight, he had received a telephone call from an individual identifying himself as an FBI agent to the effect that some liquor store owner, either in Balboa or Newport Beach area of Orange County, had overheard a customer, not identified, say something to the effect that the Senator should be assassinated. SMITH could not recall the names of any of the parties involved nor did he recall the identity of the agent; however, he did advise that the following day, he had called the FBI Office in Los Angeles to verify that there was an agent by the name used in the telephone call the previous night and told someone, possibly Advance Man JOE DOLAN, about it but did nothing further.

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8 June 1968

[REDACTED] Resident Agent
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Post Office Building
Salem, Oregon 97308

Dear Mr. [REDACTED]

I had a telephone call from [REDACTED] who
lives in Pasadena, California, a [REDACTED] He works for
[REDACTED] at
Los Angeles.

He reminded me of some past history and tied together some person-
alities which I had not connected.

As you know, [REDACTED]

Her late father, Haldor Lillenas, was a noted protestant hymnologist,
and composer, and was an ordained minister in the Church of the Nazarene.

Some years ago, after Lillenas' retirement from active participation
in the Nazarene Publishing House, for which he had been music editor
for years, he moved to Pasadena, with his second wife (Evangeline's
mother having died during WW II), Lola Lillenas. They lived on
East Mountain Street there. I believe that the address was 1945.

He and his wife started making a series of trips abroad every year
or so, shipping their car over by the boat on which they were passen-
gers. Lillenas, being a native of Norway, favored the steamship
lines of that country. They made two or three trips through the
Scandinavian countries; and one year went into Central and Southern
Europe, driving down from Denmark through France and Spain, across
southern France and into Italy; and they ferried the Mediterranean
for a trip into the Holy Land.

While on this trip, they met (so I have heard them tell) a Jordanian
who was able to communicate with them in broken English. He seemed
to be an ardent Christian, interested in the work of a small Christian-
oriented orphanage. He attached himself to them as a sort of a guide,

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and added to the pleasure of their trip. With him along as guide, they were able to indulge their hobby of photography - mostly colored slides and 8 mm movies.

Through this connection with them, Lillenas was finally persuaded to make the usual guarantee to the Immigration Service that this man, his wife and three children, would not become public charges. On this basis they were permitted entry into the country. Upon their arrival, Mr. and Mrs. Lillenas put these people up in their own very nice home.

On one visit the Lillenas' made up here while these people were living in their home, Mr. Lillenas expressed to Evangeline and to me the fear that he may have made a mistake; that it was quite difficult for the father of this family to get work which he was willing to take; he enjoyed the comfortable living in the Lillenas home which must have seemed like paradise itself after the squalor of their home in Jordan. Lillenas expressed the fear that he might have a sort of "man who came to dinner" situation on his hands.

By the time [REDACTED] I next visited Mr. and Mrs. Lillenas in Pasadena, the "visitors" were gone. Lillenas had gotten some work for them. The girl either then, or later, became a maid in the home of [REDACTED] also of Pasadena - one of the owners of the manufacturers of Mirror-Bright automobile polish, and quite well-to-do people. [REDACTED] had been a close friend of my father; and the younger [REDACTED] are close friends of my brother.

The daughter in this Jordanian family died of Lukemia, while still working for [REDACTED] I understand.

At the time this Jordanian family came to live [REDACTED] the youngest boy was 13 years of age, [REDACTED] told my brother this morning. The papers give his age as 24. So this must have been 11-years ago.

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b7D That boy is the one who has been identified as the assassin of Senator Kennedy, for whom I voted in the recent Oregon primary.

I know that all agencies will want to communicate with anyone who had any contact or connection, however remote, with this assassin and his family.

It is for this reason that I am telling you what little I know of this.

I have been quite shaken, since about 11:00 this morning, when I learned through [REDACTED] was responsible for the entry into the United States, of this character.

I do not remember just when Haldor Lillenas died. It must have been in the middle-to-late '50s, or the early '60s. His widow, Lola Lillenas, so far as I know, still lives in the Pasadena area, but, I believe, has an Altadena address. [REDACTED] will know it. His home telephone number is [REDACTED] his office telephone number is [REDACTED] Extension [REDACTED]

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[Redacted] Resident Agent
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Post Office Building
Salem, Oregon 97308

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Date: 6/8/68

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(Priority)

TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES

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

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Enclosed is a copy of a self-explanatory letter to
SA [REDACTED] Salem, Oregon, from [REDACTED]

a number of years ago and is [REDACTED] in that
city in good standing with the community and legal profession.

As indicated in his letter he mentions [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Pasadena,
California, who is employed by [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Pasadena, California
who may be able to provide more background information
concerning the subject who allegedly assassinated Senator
ROBERT F. KENNEDY.

This information is provided to you for whatever
assistance it may be to this investigation. The former
[REDACTED] who now resides in Portland, Oregon
[REDACTED] is not being
interviewed pending instruction to do so from Los Angeles
Office.

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Ant. [REDACTED]
re: [REDACTED]
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W. [REDACTED]

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/11/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On June 11, 1968, Mrs. MADEIRA SMITH, [REDACTED] California, advised that she is [REDACTED] (above address). She stated that she is not acquainted with SIRHAN SIRHAN, but her son, ROBERT GARNETT, has been in the SIRHAN residence on approximately ten occasions.

Mrs. SMITH advised that her son presently attends school full time during the day, and works part time in the afternoons at [REDACTED] on First Avenue, Arcadia. She stated that he could be reached at [REDACTED] during the day, after 4 pm.

Mrs. SMITH stated that her son, ROBERT, had gone to the SIRHAN residence in the past for the purpose of working on television and stereo equipment. She also stated that ROBERT'S present address is [REDACTED] California.

In view of past information received that SIRHAN SIRHAN had a close acquaintance who worked for [REDACTED] in Pasadena, named "BOBBY", ROBERT GARNETT should be interviewed.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

Seattle, Washington
June 6, 1968

RE: ASSASSINATION OF ROBERT F. KENNEDY
INFORMATION CONCERNING

b7D [redacted] Department, Olympic College, Bremerton, Washington, advised on June 6, 1968 that on the morning of June 6, 1968 while he and some Olympic College students were in a discussion with a student named [redacted] the latter made some statements concerning the assassination of New York Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY in Los Angeles, California, June 5, 1968.

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b7C [redacted] said the assassin of KENNEDY was "justified in doing what he did". He said that [redacted] further said he knew the assassin personally, having met him in San Francisco. However, he did not indicate the closeness of their relationship. [redacted] said that [redacted] also remarked "you must remember that this took place one year from June 5" (of last year). [redacted] said further that [redacted] was apparently well informed concerning the statements of Senator KENNEDY and pointed out that Senator KENNEDY had recently made statements supporting the shipment of arms to Israel. [redacted] said that [redacted] told [redacted] that "you (Arabs) will not get anywhere by blood shed" whereupon [redacted] said "we'll be back again" (apparently referring to the Arab-Israeli dispute).

[redacted] said that in some previous discussions with [redacted] whom he described as a soft-spoken individual who is "nice to talk to", [redacted] had indicated that he does not hate the Jews as individuals but is against the aggression of Israel and that he holds it against the United States and Britain for helping Israel. [redacted] said that [redacted] has also said that [redacted] is a great man and we (United States) does not understand him.

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INFORMATION CONCERNING

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[REDACTED] said that [REDACTED] is from
Tair, Saudi Arabia, has a local address of Post Office Box
[REDACTED] Washington and entered Olympic College in
spring, 1967 from the Central Oregon State College. Mr.
[REDACTED] he did not know whether or not [REDACTED]
is a United States citizen.

6/6/68

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AIRMAIL

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (62-109119)
FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (89-62) (P)
SUBJECT: KENSALT

Transmitted herewith to the Bureau are five copies of an LHM suitable for dissemination regarding an individual named [REDACTED]

A local dissemination of this LHM is being made to Secret Service, Seattle.

The files of the Seattle Office contain no references regarding the subject.

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[REDACTED] (1 - 100-26971)

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FROM: SAC, SEATTLE (89-62) (P)
SUBJECT: KENSALT

ReButel this date.

Attached are two (2) copies of LHM concerning
[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] will be interviewed and the Bureau and Los Angeles advised promptly.

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2 - Seattle

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O. Richard [signature]
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Special Agent in Charge

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/11/68

IC [REDACTED] caused a check to be made of Los Angeles County Voter's Registration records on 6/11/68 of the following names: RE: NO RECORD ON SUBJECT OR SUBJECTS PARENTS

SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN
MARY BISHARA SALAMEH SIRHAN, nee Mashar
ADEL BISHARA SIRHAN
MUNIR BISHARA SALAMEH SIRHAN
SAIDALLAH BISHARA SALAMEH SIRHAN
SHARIEF BISHARA SALAMEH GHATTAS SIRHAN

These records contain no registration under any of the above names.

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TO DIRECTOR

FROM LEGAT MEXICO CITY NO. 274

KENSALT.

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ABOVE FOR INFO OF BUREAU AND LOS ANGELES.

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June 10, 1968

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Via _____

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To: SAC, Los Angeles

From: Director, FBI (62-587)

KENSALT

Attached is copy of teletype from Legat,
Mexico City which is self-explanatory.

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To: **SAC, Los Angeles**

From: **Director, FBI (62-587)**

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/10/68

Re memo of SA [REDACTED] to SAC dated 6/6/68.

The following individuals were contacted during a neighborhood investigation in an effort to locate reference TOM GOOD, [REDACTED] Pasadena, California, which SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN listed on a previous employment for the California Horse Racing Board, 1/1/66. This investigation was conducted by SA [REDACTED] and S [REDACTED] on 6/9/68:

Mrs. [REDACTED] Pasadena, California, advised that she has lived at this address since April 1961, and knows everyone in the neighborhood and has never heard of anyone by the name of TOM GOOD.

Mrs. [REDACTED] Pasadena, California, advised that she has lived at this residence for the past 29 years and cannot recall anyone previously, or at the present time, residing in the neighborhood by the name of TOM GOOD.

MR. [REDACTED] Pasadena, California, advised that he has resided at this residence for the past 30 years and he is the only person in the neighborhood who takes in tenants and advised that he cannot recall anyone ever living in this neighborhood by the name of TOM GOOD.

Mrs. [REDACTED] Pasadena, California, was recontacted and advised that she has made inquiry around the neighborhood and neither she nor any of her neighbors can recall anyone by the name of TOM GOOD as having lived in this neighborhood.

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The following individuals were contacted during a neighborhood investigation in an effort to locate reference: JOHN STRATHMAN, [REDACTED] Pasadena, California, whom SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN listed on a previous employment for the California Horse Racing Board, 1/1/66:

Mrs. [REDACTED] Pasadena, California, advised that she has lived at this residence for the past 18 years and has never heard of anyone ever living in the neighborhood by the name of JOHN STRATHMAN. [REDACTED] further advised that she and her husband had this residence built and immediately after this home was completed, the original address was [REDACTED] and later changed to [REDACTED] although she reiterated that no one by the name of JOHN STRATHMAN has ever lived at this residence or, to her knowledge, in the neighborhood. [REDACTED] advised that there was no such address as [REDACTED] in Pasadena.

[REDACTED] Pasadena, California, advised that he has lived at this residence for the past 30 years and has never heard of anyone by the name of JOHN STRATHMAN. [REDACTED] advised that there was no such address as [REDACTED] in Pasadena.

[REDACTED] Pasadena, California, advised that she has lived at this residence for the past four years and has never heard of anyone living in the neighborhood using the name of JOHN STRATHMAN. She advised that there was no such address as [REDACTED] in Pasadena.

[REDACTED] Pasadena, California, advised that she has lived at this residence for the past 20 years and cannot recall anyone who has ever lived in the neighborhood by the name of JOHN STRATHMAN. She advised that there was no such number as [REDACTED] in Pasadena.

c The following individuals who have been interviewed regarding captioned matter were all asked if they knew either a TOM GOOD or a JOHN STRATHMAN and none of the individuals below admitted they knew either person:

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[REDACTED]
Pasadena, California
(Interviewed on 6/7/68)

[REDACTED]
Pasadena, California
(Interviewed on 6/7/68)

[REDACTED]
Pasadena, California
(Interviewed on 6/7/68)

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[REDACTED]
Pasadena, California
(Interviewed on 6/7/68)

[REDACTED]
Pasadena, California
(Interviewed on 6/7/68)

[REDACTED]
Pasadena, California
(Interviewed on 6/9/68)

[REDACTED]
Covina, California
(Interviewed on 6/9/68)

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/11/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

During a neighborhood investigation in an effort to locate a reference listed by SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN on his application for the California Horse Racing Board 1/1/66, a [REDACTED] was contacted at [REDACTED] Pasadena, California, and furnished the following information:

[REDACTED] advised that he just returned from church at the First Church of the Nazarene located at 2495 East Mountain Street, Pasadena, California. He advised that after the church services, he overheard either one of the members or Assistant Pastor, WARNIE TIPPIT, state that SIRHAN SIRHAN had attended this church four or five times but had discontinued his attendance because of his father.

[REDACTED] went on to say that he is not certain who made this statement but feels certain that if WARNIE TIPPIT, Assistant Pastor, First Church of the Nazarene, was to be contacted, he could furnish the necessary information concerning this. [REDACTED] added that TIPPIT's home address is [REDACTED] Pasadena, California, home telephone [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] advised that SIRHAN SIRHAN was unknown to him.

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AT PASADENA, CALIFORNIA: Will contact WARNIE TIPPIT, Assistant Pastor, First Church of the Nazarene, 2495 East Mountain Street, Pasadena, California, concerning any information he may be able to furnish pertinent to this investigation.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : **SA**

SUBJECT: KENSALT

This is to record a telephone call received from [REDACTED] at approximately [REDACTED] instant date.

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AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA: Will interview

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[REDACTED] to ascertain if
above information can be verified.

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[REDACTED]

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/10/68

In connection with interview of ELMER M. BOOMHOWER, [REDACTED] Granada Hills, an employee of the Ace Guard Service (FD 302 previously submitted), BOOMHOWER stated that WILLIAM F. GARDNER, Security Officer at the Ambassador Hotel had displayed an orange colored pamphlet with black lettering on the evening of 6/4/68. The leaflet bore the caption, "Kill KENNEDY." BOOMHOWER advised that he could recall no other specific details concerning this pamphlet except that it had some kind of insignia indicating the source of the pamphlet. He mentioned that GARDNER showed this to him and instructed him to not permit the passing of such pamphlets in the area where he BOOMHOWER was to be guarding on the evening of 6/4/68.

BOOMHOWER also stated that among the persons he had permitted into the KENNEDY suite (the Presidential suite of the Ambassador) earlier on the evening of 6/4/68 were the following CBS and newspaper men:

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Mr. BRUNO	(KENNEDY BODY GUARD)
Mr. BERRY	(BODY GUARD)
Mr. TUCK	(MEMBER OF KENNEDY BODY)
Mr. SMITH	(BROOKLYN)
Mr. DUTTON	(FBI DUTTON)

He stated that possibly a Mr. DRAIN (phonetic) also entered the suite. BOOMHOWER advised he was not aware whether any of these individuals were in the Embassy Room at the time Mr. KENNEDY was shot in the early morning hours of 6/5/68.

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Will contact WILLIAM F. GARDNER, Chief Security Officer, Ambassador Hotel, and obtain a copy of or information concerning the orange colored pamphlet with black printing that bears the exhortation "Kill KENNEDY" in order to ascertain if there could be any connection between the pamphlet and the shooting of Senator KENNEDY.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/11/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/10/68 the SIRHAN family was photographed at the Pasadena PD. The photographs were identified only by numbers ranging from one through five. When the family members consented to being photographed, they specifically and urgently requested that the photographs not be made available to any news media. The film was developed by Pasadena PD photo lab and no prints were made, according to my specific instructions and request and the instructions also [REDACTED] Pasadena PD Identification Division technician.

The members of the family are identified as follows in these photographs:

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- No. 1 ADEL BISHARA SIRHAN, born 10/10/38, Jerusalem, Palestine.
 - No. 2 SHARIF BISHARA SIRHAN, born 6/7/33, Jerusalem, Palestine.
 - No. 3 MARY SIRHAN, born 1/3/13, Jerusalem, Palestine.
 - No. 4 SAIDALLAH BISHARA SIRHAN, born 7/14/32, Jerusalem, Palesti
 - No. 5 MUNIR BISHARA SIRHAN, born 7/15/47, Jerusalem, Palestine.

The negatives were obtained by me from Pasadena PD on 6/11/68. It is noted there are two (2) negatives of Nos. 3 and 5

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*Photos of subjects family
obtained from Pasadena PD*

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/11/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re memo of SA ANDREW G. RICHARDS, 6/8/68 in captioned matter setting forth lead to locate BOB WHEELER.

b7D [On June 10, 1968, [REDACTED] Los Angeles, California, advised that WHEELER has already been located and interviewed by SA [REDACTED]

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TO : SAC, Los Angeles (56-156)

DATE: 6/10/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re Memo of SA [REDACTED] dated 6/8/68.

It was ascertained on 6/9/68 that records of the Pasadena Police Department re SIRHAN B. SIRHAN would not be available until 6/10/68 but that the arrest referred to in re memo was not the arrest of SIRHAN B. SIRHAN but that of his brother SHARIEF SIRHAN ~~xxx~~ who was booked 2 - 3 year ago for 317 PC (Attempt of Committ Murder) for blowing up a car of his girlfriend. This charge was later reduced to a minor offense of Tampering with a Car.

It was further ascertained on 6/10/68 that [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] It was also ascertained that SHARIEF SIRHAN was represented by attorney CHARLES HOLLOPETER, Pasadena, Calif., Tel. [REDACTED] and the HOLLOPETER had succeeded in reducing above 317 PC to a minor offense as stated above.

In view of the fact that above Pasadena Police Dept records are already in possession of the FBI and that the above-mentioned arrest involved SHARIEF SIRHAN rather than SIRHAN B. SIRHAN, no further investigation is being conducted in this phase at this time.

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

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

Indices: ☐ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases KENSALT		Address of subject		Character of case	
Complainant Maura Drechsler b7C [REDACTED] Cal.		Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED]		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-9-68 Time 1:17pm	
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

Claimed she had worked at Sen. Kennedy's Headquarters, 5615 Wilshire Bl. L. A. during period just before Kennedy shot. She had been looking at Published pictures of Sirhan and trying to recall if she had seen him around the headquarters. She had reached the conclusion she had not seen Sirhan there or elsewhere.

Action Recommended None

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-1567)

DATE: ~~XX~~ 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Attached are Xerox copies of five INS forms I-53 completed by subject for the year, 1968, and one form I-53 completed by the subject for the year 1966. The original of these forms have been submitted to the Bureau for hand-writing comparison.

Also attached is a copy of authorization for the writer to obtain the above items for use of the Bureau.

The cards have been reviewed and pertinent leads have been set forth by separate memo.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/7/68

Re Serial 69, complaint form, reflecting information received from [REDACTED] California.

Referenced complaint form reflects [REDACTED] California, called the Los Angeles Office on 6/5/68 advising that on 6/1/68, he had been in [REDACTED] in the Five Points Shopping Center, Huntington Beach, California, and was having a conversation with the owner of the store concerning the elections. At this time, the person in the store said that if KENNEDY wins the election, a couple of guys would kill him. He also stated he knew four guys in the Veterans Administration Hospital, ex-G.I.s, who were going to kill KENNEDY.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/10/68

On the evening of 6/9/68, [REDACTED] a source of information, telephonically advised SA [REDACTED] that he had met a girl who wanted to furnish information concerning this matter but that she did not want to become involved. He stated that her name was [REDACTED] and that she worked at [REDACTED] restaurant in Hollywood.

Arrangements were made to interview [REDACTED] at her residence, [REDACTED] telephone [REDACTED]

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/11/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

[REDACTED]
Los Angeles, California, telephone [REDACTED] was interviewed
by SA [REDACTED] SA [REDACTED] on
6/10/68. She is employed [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] She furnished information concerning
the atmosphere at this restaurant which is primarily Arabic
and indicated that many of the employees have been interviewed
by the authorities.

She noted that [REDACTED]
was observed by her to be quite elated over the assassination
of Senator KENNEDY. He expressed the opinion that it had been
committed by Jews. [REDACTED] (phonetic),
expressed the opinion it had been committed by Catholics. This
was before the identity of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN had been
established.

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b7D The brothers of SIRHAN SIRHAN, namely ADEL SIRHAN
and SHARIF SIRHAN, are known [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] is a regular customer.

[REDACTED] furnished the name of MYLENE KAY (phonetic)
as a former girl friend of ADEL and who probably is acquainted
with the entire SIRHAN family [REDACTED] and is
believed to be currently employed [REDACTED] at the
[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] is
[REDACTED] He resides [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] and has telephone number [REDACTED]
noted [REDACTED] does not appear to be sympathetic with
the Arabic clientele and has been quite upset about the
assassination. [REDACTED] has been closed since the assassination
inasmuch as [REDACTED] feels it is unsafe to open.

LEADS:

LOS ANGELES

AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA: (1) Consider [REDACTED]
with [REDACTED] telephone [REDACTED]

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for any assistance he can furnish concerning the SIRHAN family.

(2) Will consider furnishing information to San Diego and interview of MYLENE KAY (phonetic), the former girl friend of SIRHAN's brother, ADEL, and who is possibly acquainted with the entire SIRHAN family.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/11/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Records of the Department of Industrial Relations,
Workmen's Compensation Board, State of California, reflect
that ANNE TOOMER was the attorney for SIRHAN B. SIRHAN
in filing his claim with this board.

A review of these records reflect the following
doctors examined SIRHAN B. SIRHAN in connection with this
claim during the fall of 1967 or early 1968:

[REDACTED] Avenue
Los Angeles, California

[REDACTED] Avenue
Los Angeles, California

[REDACTED]
Hospital of the Good Samaritan
[REDACTED] Street
Los Angeles, California

[REDACTED] Street
Los Angeles, California

These records reflect that ERNEST A. LACKMANN
was the referee for the Department of Industrial Relations
handling this claim.

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[REDACTED] [REDACTED]

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LOS ANGELES

AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA: Will contact the above named persons concerning SIRHAN B. SIRHAN. Determine any background information and any information in their possession concerning political beliefs, nationalistic tendencies or any information pertinent to this investigation.

NOTE: Attorney ANNE TOOMER is being contacted by SA [REDACTED] in connection with obtaining handwriting samples and will be interviewed by him.

NOTE: Suggested these leads be assigned to SA [REDACTED] who has interviewed other doctors in this case.

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Date: 6/12/68

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

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

Re Portland telephone call to Los Angeles this
date.

Enclosed is photograph of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN.

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② - Los Angeles
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*Photographs of Subject
Sent to Portland
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Special Agent in Charge

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Complainant [REDACTED] b7D			Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED]		Complaint received XXX Personal <input type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-7-68 Time 4-13pm
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 he was highly interested in the KENNEDY Shooting and wished he could be of assistance to someone. C said he recalled the last June, 1967, he had witnessed and taken slides of the Israeli Bond Rally at the Hollywood Bowl. C said he recalled one day there was a sort of protest march by a group of Arabs. He said he took pictures of these people also.

C said in view of the recent "APB's" broadcast by the Police in regards to the "blonde girl in a white polka dot dress," he had some slides he ~~is~~ wished to leave to have reviewed. C said what is particularly interesting is that a blonde girl, appearing not to be of Arab descent is pictured in these slides. He said the pictures are quite clear and perhaps other faces might be recognized.

C said his only request is that the slides be returned to him after this office is through with them. He asked that they not be re-touched or damaged. ~~XXXX~~

With the help of SA **[REDACTED]** the writer prepared a "receipt" for the two slides. The original copy going to the C and a carbon for IA File.

Photos released
b7D **[REDACTED]** **[REDACTED]**
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Complainant b7D			Complainant's address and telephone number Rm.		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-11-68 Time 2-11pm.
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 related he had taken some slides of the Israeli Bond Rally at the Hollywood Bowl last June, 1967. C said some of the slides include those of the Arab protesters that appeared at that rally. C said he has several. C said one of the slides looks like accused assassin SIRHAN. C said there are several other "apparent Arabs" picture there, and he wanted to offer these slides to the FBI for whatever they might be worth. C said they could be picked up at his office, address above.

C was thanked for calling.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/7/68

FROM : [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

CLARENCE COPPING former employer of SIRHAN BISHARA
SIRHAN owner Elite Motor Service 2529 Foothill Blvd., Pasadena,
Calif., advised that the following individuals may be able to
furnish further information concerning SIRHAN:

WILLIAM BEVERIDGE

[REDACTED]
Pasadena, Calif.

COPPING advised that he understood that SIRHAN resided
in the BEVERIDGE residence while SIRHAN was employed by him. *Done*

WAYNE J. BRANTLEY

Monrovia, Calif., (exact address unk) *Done*

COPPING advised that BRANTLEY worked at the ELITE MOTOR
SERVICE during the same period of time that SIRHAN was emp-
loyed there.

LEADS

Will interview the two above mentioned individuals and
attempt to develop any background, political, ornationalistic
learnings for information pertinent to this investigation.

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[REDACTED]

*Interview is not
already done*

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

LUCY SALENGER, Press Office Secretary, KENNEDY Campaign Headquarters, 5615 Wilshire Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, with residence [REDACTED] Los Angeles, California, telephone [REDACTED] furnished the following information:

SALENGER advised that on Election Day, June 4, 1968, and a few days prior various individuals from local television stations photographed the activities at the KENNEDY Campaign Headquarters. She stated that she believes most of these individuals used motion picture cameras in making their films. She stated that aside from the local television channels there were also representatives from Canadian Broadcasting Company and Swiss Television. She stated that JOHN FRANKENHEIMER of MGM Studios also took photographs.

SALENGER advised that to her knowledge the only person that took any photographs for their own personal use was a volunteer worker by the name of ANNIE (LNU). SALENGER stated that she would attempt to further identify ANNIE and obtain her address and telephone number.

SALENGER added that she has no information as to the content of the films made at the headquarters or those photographs taken by ANNIE and reiterated that as far as she knows, the films and photographs were taken at various times of the day and merely recorded the activities which took place at the campaign headquarters.

LEAD

LOS ANGELES

AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA: Will contact LUCY SALENGER, [REDACTED] in an attempt to identify ANNIE (LNU).

(3) [REDACTED]

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/8/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/8/68 at 3:51AM one HECTOR SALAZAR, home address [REDACTED] California telephonically advised that his brother JESUS SALAZAR was at the AMBASSADOR HOTEL the morning SENATOR KENNEDY was shot. He added that JESUS told him that he observed a man and woman leaving the AMBASSADOR HOTEL immediately after the shooting, and one of the two made the statement that "WE SHOT THE SENATOR". He added that JESUS told him he had not called the police, because he was scared.

During this conversation with HECTOR SALAZAR, the writer heard an individual in the background, with a spanish accent, who seemed to be [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] HECTOR SALAZAR advised the writer, that this individual was his brother JESUS, and that he was [REDACTED] but reiterated that he felt positive his brother was being truthful, when he had told him what he had witnessed at the AMBASSADOR HOTEL, the morning SENATOR KENNEDY was shot.

HECTOR SALAZAR did not appear to be under the influence of alcohol during this conversation, and advised that he was calling long distance, and he was about to hang up, but added that he and his brother could be contacted at [REDACTED] California. He said that he and his brother would be at this residence on 6/8/68 and that they were both unemployed. He went on to say that this call was being made from a pay phone since there was no telephone at their residence.

LEAD: LOS ANGELES DIVISION
AT CULVER CITY CALIFORNIA

Will interview HECTOR & JESUS SALAZAR [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] concerning any information re above [REDACTED]

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☒ SAC LOS ANGELES

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RE: Sacramento tel. 6/7/68

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☐ Acknowledge

☐ Open Case

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☐ Delinquent

☐ Discontinue

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☐ File

☐ For information

☐ Handle

☐ Initial & return

☐ Leads need attention

☐ Return with explanation or notation as to action taken.

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☐ Submit report by

☐ Type

Attached hereto are copies of driver's license
for [REDACTED] (3 enc) SH

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SAC JOHN H. WILLIAMS

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Office SACRAMENTO

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Memorandum

TO : SAC (56-156)

DATE: 6-10-68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6-10-68 HANS PETER BIDSTRUP, Electrician, Maintenance Dept. Ambassador Hotel, Los Angeles advised that on the night of 6/4/68 and he was on duty in the sound booth at the Rafferty Party in the Venetian Room at the Ambassador.

At about 11:00 PM, 6-4-68 an individual wandered into the booth with a drink in his hand and made inquiries relative to Senator KENNEDY, ie whether KENNEDY was in the hotel; when he was coming to the hotel; what floor or room KENNEDY was staying in the hotel; also, the nature of the security for Senator KENNEDY, possibly whether or not the Senator had any "bodyguards".

During the conversation a Los Angeles Fire Dept. fireman in uniform came into the booth and was present for a portion of the above conversation. The fireman left and shortly thereafter returned, staying only a few minutes and left again.

BIDSTRUP stated that the individual to whom he talked in the booth looked very much like a photo of SIRHAN SIRHAN.

BIDSTRUP described the individual to whom he talked in the booth as follows:

Male; Caucasian, possibly Mexican; early twenties; 5'6" or 7"; black curly hair; slender build; wearing no hat; a dark blue faded sweatshirt, with long sleeves and a full length zipper down the front; with blue denim trousers.

BIDSTRUP described the fireman in question, as: male, white; 30 years; 6'; 180#; medium build; possibly blonde hair; fair complexion.

LEAD:

LOS ANGELES

At Los Angeles, Calif.

(1) Will thru the Los Angeles Fire Dept. identify and interview the fireman in question to determine his knowledge of the details of the above conversation; to obtain a description of the individual in question and to exhibit a photo of SIRHAN SIRHAN to the fireman to determine if the individual is identical to SIRHAN; also, if the individual was alone.

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Identify Fireman

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TO : SAC (56-156)

DATE: 6/10/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/6/68, WALTER S. CROWE, Jr., advised he had been an associate of SIRHAN SIRHAN since the 6th Grade. He stated one acquaintance of SIRHAN's on the campus at Pasadena City College was ABDUL DABBAS, a teacher of Arabic.

Investigation on 6/10/68 at PCC established DABBAS had, at some time during the period between 1962 and 1966, taken courses at California State College, Los Angeles, and had taken work toward a doctorate degree at University of California at Los Angeles, under supervision of the Department of Near Eastern Studies, headed at that time by Dr. WOLF LESLAU, and had reportedly returned to Jordan.

LEADS: LOS ANGELES, AT LOS ANGELES:

1) Will obtain all possible information concerning the present whereabouts of DABBAS from the records of Cal State College, Los Angeles.

2) Will obtain all possible information concerning the present whereabouts of DABBAS from the records of the University of California at Los Angeles.

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DATE: 6/10/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

JESUS PEREZ, Steward Department, Ambassador Hotel, 3400 Wilshire Boulevard, was a witness at the Grand Jury on 6/7/68, that indicted subject SIRHAN. PEREZ resides at [REDACTED] Los Angeles.

PEREZ was contacted on 6/7/68, for interview purposes and at this time refused to discuss the matter with agents in view of the fact that the Grand Jury had admonished him not to discuss his testimony.

On 6/8/68, SA [REDACTED] contacted the office of Mr. JOHN HOWARD of the District Attorney's Office, and was advised to recontact PEREZ. In the event any difficulty is experienced in conducting the interview with PEREZ or if he continues to refuse the interview, SA [REDACTED] who has liaison with the District Attorney Office, should be advised.

A Spanish speaking agent should conduct this interview inasmuch as PEREZ' command of the English language is limited.

LEAD

LOS ANGELES

AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA: Interview
JESUS PEREZ, [REDACTED]

*Per my recent letter
referred to be
interviewed
arrangements made to
have Perez interviewed
by S/A [REDACTED]
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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/10/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/10/68, Mr. GEORGE MURPHY, Los Angeles County District Attorney Inspector's Office, advised that of the 26 people whose names appear on a list of potential Grand Jury witnesses, only three did not testify. The following is the list of individuals tentatively subpoenaed to testify:

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[REDACTED]
LAPD, AID,

[REDACTED]
LAPD, Rampart Patrol,

[REDACTED]
LAPD, Rampart Patrol,

[REDACTED]
Los Angeles; Bus: Ambassador
Hotel, 3400 Wilshire Boulevard,
Los Angeles.

[REDACTED]
Ambassador Hotel,
3400 Wilshire Boulevard,

[REDACTED] Los Angeles,
[REDACTED] Ambassador Hotel.

[REDACTED] Los Angeles. Bus:

[REDACTED]
Los Angeles

[REDACTED] Boulevard,
Los Angeles

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[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
Hollywood; Bus: [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
La Puente
Bus: Central Receiving Hospital
[REDACTED]
Los Angeles
[REDACTED]
Los Angeles
LAPD, Central Homicide
[REDACTED]
Los Angeles
[REDACTED]
Hollywood, Goodhue Ambulance
Service, 1215 South Hoover,
Los Angeles
[REDACTED]
Los Angeles
Bus: [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
Lynwood
Bus: [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
Encino.
Central Receiving Hospital,
Los Angeles.
Good Samaritan Hospital,
Los Angeles.
Los Angeles County Coroner's
Office.

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[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
LAPD, Rampart Div. Dets.

LAPD, Rampart Div. Dets.

LAPD, [REDACTED]

Of the names appearing on the above list,
[REDACTED] a LAPD
Homicide Detective, did not testify before the Grand Jury.

JOHN HOWARD, a member of the Los Angeles County District Attorney's Prosecutive Staff, who thus far has handled the Grand Jury and court appearance in behalf of the Los Angeles County District Attorney with regard to SIRHAN, advised on 6/8/68, that [REDACTED] mentioned above, is an individual who appeared before the Grand Jury and was not, in his opinion, a particularly helpful witness. HOWARD requested that in the event [REDACTED] is reinterviewed by Agents of the FBI, the results of that interview be made available to his office so that a comparison and evaluation could be made with the previous interview conducted. It was further HOWARD's opinion that the caliber of witness which [REDACTED] proved to be was quite probably due to his limited intellectual capacity and a language problem in that he does not speak good English.

Mr. HOWARD also advised that Judge ARTHUR L. ALARCON has ordered five copies of the daily trial transcript to be prepared during subsequent proceedings in this matter. He stated that in the event the Federal Government would be in need of a copy of the daily transcript, arrangements should be made through his office for appropriate copies to be made and which would have to be paid for.

On 6/10/68, GEORGE MURPHY advised that a complete transcript of the proceedings in this matter before the Los Angeles County Grand Jury on 6/7/68, had not been completed. It is believed that the complete transcript will not be completely typed for a period of approximately ten days.

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SUGGESTED LEAD

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AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA: Maintain contact with ~~JOHN HOWARD~~ and/or ~~GEORGE MURPHY~~, Los Angeles County District Attorney's Office, with respect to copies of the daily trial transcript and transcript of all Grand Jury proceedings.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/10/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re ABDEL MAJED DOBASS

On 6/10/68, [REDACTED] California, advised that DOBASS was sponsored on his entry to the United States as a student from Jordan in 1956. He stated that he was sponsored by an unknown friend of [REDACTED] whose name was [REDACTED] now deceased. He said the sponsor, whose name is unknown, is also deceased, and in 1956 the unknown friend and [REDACTED] resided at [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] he has met DOBASS on several occasions in 1956 - 1958 and believes DOBASS returned to Jordan sometime in 1962. He does not know if he attempted to re-enter the United States. He did not know, nor did [REDACTED] know that DOBASS had attended any other school in the United States except PCC. [REDACTED] and wife visited Jordan in 1963 and tried to find DOBASS, but could not locate him by telephone. [REDACTED] advised that they have not seen DOBASS in at least eight years although she was aware that he had subsequently, that is after he had finished at PCC, attended USC and UCLA. They had no further information.

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LOS ANGELES

AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA: Proceed with previously set leads to check records INS, Los Angeles, USC School of Journalism at UCLA.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/10/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On June 10, 1968, [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]

California, personally appeared at the Santa Ana Resident Agency Office.

[REDACTED] stated that soon after the assassination of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY, she called [REDACTED] also known as [REDACTED] and stated "Isn't it terrible about Senator KENNEDY?" [REDACTED] replied, "He should have been killed he is so pro-Jewish." [REDACTED] stated that they felt this matter should be brought to the attention of the FBI since it is not known if the assassination was a conspiracy. They explained that they had known the [REDACTED] and that [REDACTED] had been a student at [REDACTED] from about 1961 to 1963, when he married [REDACTED]. She described [REDACTED] as follows:

Nationality	Jordanian
Age	29 - 30 years
Height	5'10" - 11"
Weight	150 pounds
Build	Slender
Hair	Black curly
Eyes	Brown

They described [REDACTED] as follows:

Race	White
Sex	Female
Age	24 years
Height	5'5"
Weight	165 pounds
Build	Heavy
Hair	Brown
Eyes	Brown
Parents	[REDACTED]

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They stated that they are very anti-Jewish, and they currently reside at [REDACTED] California.

No record identifiable with the [REDACTED] is located in the files of the Los Angeles Office.

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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 6-10-68 Time 11-41am.
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 emphatically requested his identity and the identity of his company be concealed. C said [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] L.A., telephone number above.
C said his purpose in calling was to furnish the name of one of their employees, that he felt should be made known to the FBI. C said the mans name is [REDACTED] C said he "talks like an Anarchist." He said [REDACTED] was present at the Ambassador Hotel, the night of the KENNEDY shooting. C said he came back to work the next day, making statements to the effect, "he deserved to be shot, and many others should get the same."

C said he was calling in the above for whatever it might be worth.

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Subject's name and aliases			Address of subject			Character of case KENSALT		
Complainant [REDACTED]			Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED]			Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-10-68 Time 10-39am		
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 [REDACTED] b7D
[REDACTED] Pasadena [REDACTED] C said she usually accompanies her husband to the shop on Monday mornings. When she does this, she usually has breakfast at the little coffee shop, (name unknown) right next door to [REDACTED] on the north). C related she had a lunch in there about two weeks ago. She said there was a young Arabic or Cuban fellow eating in there, and he seemed to be arguing with a couple (later identified to C as [REDACTED] over politics and campaigns, and violence in the U.S. in general. She said she believes this young man may have been SIRHAN, or at least it looked like him. C said she did not give the matter too much more thought, but did remember the young man seemed quite insensed by the whole thing. C said since then she has had occasion to go back to the coffee shop. She brought this incident up to the operator of the shpp who became quite reluctant to discuss the matter, indicating "others had been asking alot of questions too, and I don't want to talk about it." C said she felt this might be of some interest or value. She was thanked for calling.

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Indices: ☐ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases			Address of subject			Character of case KENSALT		
Complainant [REDACTED]			Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED]			Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-10-68 Time 11-40am.		
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace		
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	Scars, marks or other data							

Facts of complaint

C related he realizes it is a little late to be calling somebody now about the following, but he felt it might be of some interest. C said about four months ago, he had been employed at the [REDACTED] in Westchester. C said there had been a man there, [REDACTED] (phonetic), a sandy haired, male, cauc., 28 years, 6'3-4", 220-230lbs. unemployed, who constantly hung around the station. He was against "the establishment" and C said he heard more than one of this man making statements that he hated the KENNEDYS' and they should all be killed.

C said he feels the man probably still hangs out there. He was thanked for calling.

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[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] *Wenthouse, Cbf-*

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Date 6-10-68

Mrs. HALDOR LILLENAS (LOLA), age 74, [redacted] Kansas, advised she and her late husband were sponsors for BISHARA SIRHAN and family. Two oldest children of SIRHAN family remained in Jordan because LILLENAS refused to sponsor them as they were of legal age.

LILLENAS stated she and her husband, who was an ordained minister of the Church of the Nazarene, went on a European vacation in 1955. While visiting in Jordan, BISHARA SIRHAN contacted LILLENAS and inquired as to the possibility of coming to the United States. LILLENAS decided to sponsor the SIRHAN family as their inquiries reflected the SIRHAN family to be a worthy christian family.

Mr. LILLENAS, working through Church World Service and the Friends Organization, became the sponsor of the SIRHAN family and in November, 1957, SIRHAN came to Pasadena, California, and lived in the LILLENAS home for about three months until suitable housing and employment could be obtained.

BISHARA SIRHAN left his family in 1958 and returned to Jordan because he felt living in the United States did not allow him to control his family as in the past. BISHARA SIRHAN wrote letters to his wife requesting her to return to Jordan and if she refused he would obtain a divorce. Mrs. SIRHAN refused to return to Jordan and told LILLENAS since she had been married in the Greek Orthodox Church, no divorce would be granted to her husband.

LILLENAS advised her husband had handled all the responsibilities pertaining to the SIRHAN family and after Mr. LILLENAS died in 1959, she has had only one contact with the SIRHAN family which was in about 1963 when AYDA SIRHAN, a daughter, died. At this time, LILLENAS saw only Mrs. SIRHAN and she visited for only fifteen minutes. LILLENAS moved from Pasadena, California, to Mission, Kansas, about three years ago and has had no contact with the SIRHAN family since moving to Mission, Kansas.

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On 6-8-68 at Mission, Kansas File # KC 62-2651
LA 56-156
 by S [redacted] Date dictated 6-10-68

KC 62-8651

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During the time LILLENAS knew SIRHAN, politics were never discussed and they always appeared to be a devout christian family. SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN was recalled as a well-behaved, industrious, and obedient child.

LILLENAS stated her contact with SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN was only at the time when they resided for the three month period in her home in Pasadena, California, at which time SIRHAN was a child approximately thirteen years of age.

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Date: 6-10-68

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

TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)
 FROM: SAC, KANSAS CITY (62-8651) P
 RE: KENSALT

Re Kansas City teletype to Los Angeles dated 6-8-68.

Enclosed for Los Angeles are 9 copies of FD-302
 reflecting an interview of Mrs. HALDOR LILLENAS.

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② Los Angeles (Encs. 9)
 2 - Kansas City
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Approved: [Signature] Sent _____ M Per _____
 Special Agent in Charge

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, Los Angeles (56-156)

DATE: June 11, 1968

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

In connection with the lead being coordinated by SA [REDACTED] relating to a student-oriented publication titled, "The Opinion," found by the police among the personal property of SIRHAN B. SIRHAN, the following information was furnished the writer by [REDACTED] established source.

[REDACTED] on June 11, 1968:

[REDACTED] he personally was not previously acquainted with the publication "The Opinion," but he caused a team of library researchers at the USC Library to check on this matter, and he has been advised that "The Opinion" is an intercollegiate mimeographed periodical, put out in two column format, for circulation to student leaders on college and university campuses throughout the United States. It is published by one JOSEPH MORELLA, Box 82, Nutley, New Jersey.

Publication of "The Opinion" was started in 1962. Contributors to it have been from Harvard University, the University of Illinois, University of Pennsylvania, and the University of Wisconsin. Except for a limited "carry over" the periodical deals largely with colleges and universities east of the Mississippi River.

The above is the only student-oriented periodical bearing the title "The Opinion," which the USC library research team was able to come up with, according to [REDACTED]

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/11/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSAIT

Re Complaint Form dated 6/7/68 regarding [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Los Angeles, California, was contacted at her residence regarding her telephone call to the FBI stating that [REDACTED] might be identical with the girl in the polka dot dress being sought by the Los Angeles Police Department.

During the interview it appeared that [REDACTED] had a personal dislike for [REDACTED] and had no basis for believing that she might be the girl in the polka dot dress. She had worked for [REDACTED] as a KENNEDY campaign worker and during this time had never seen [REDACTED] in a dress. She also had not been in contact with [REDACTED] since the assassination. She stated further she had no real reason for believing that [REDACTED] might be identical with the unknown girl.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/11/68

FROM :

SA

SUBJECT:

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/11/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

While contacting STEVE SMITH, Southern California Coordinator for the KENNEDY campaign, on 6/11/68, JEAN ISACSON advised that FBI agents had taken several boxes of 3 x 5 index cards from her office, probably on Saturday, 6/8/68. It was Miss ISACSON's opinion that these cards were going to be duplicated and returned to her. She was very desirous of knowing when they were going to be returned as campaign headquarters had intended to acknowledge in writing the cooperation of each of these individuals and that this was the only record which they had of the volunteers. She was advised that the writer would determine when she might expect them back and she would be contacted either by the writer or another representative of the Bureau.

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[REDACTED] was advised
that cards would be returned
on 6/12/68 per [REDACTED]
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Memorandum

TO : SAC (56-156)

DATE: 6-11-68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6-11-68 HANS KORTHOFF, Assistant Manager, Ambassador Hotel advised that on Monday evening, June 3, 1968 Mrs. MARGARET MARY VENABLES, [REDACTED] Pasadena, California, one of the supervisors in the House-keeping Dept. of the hotel telephoned him from her station in the hotel to tell him that two individuals whom she described only as "young Mexicans" were prowling her department and had requested of her or one of the employees in her department, that they furnish these individuals mess jackets so they could pose as waiters to get into the "KENNEDY quarters".

KORTHOFF advised that Mrs. VENABLES is presently on extended leave as her husband is seriously ill and her return to work indefinite.

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LEAD:

LOS ANGELES

At Pasadena, Calif.

Will interview Mrs. VENABLES at her residence for details of the above incident; to obtain descriptions of the individuals in question and to exhibit a photo of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN to determine if either of the individuals in question is identical to SIRHAN.

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Complainant Protect - b7D - [REDACTED]		Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED]		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6/11/68 Time 10:20 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>ALL b7C</p> <p>C. advised [REDACTED] at above address. A [REDACTED] works at the Ambassador Hotel, and was there the night of the KENNEDY shooting. He went home in tears, and has been upset ever since.</p> <p>[REDACTED] he was interviewed by the FBI, and he appears to be very upset about that, too. Recently, a salesman went to [REDACTED] door, and [REDACTED] is certain it was not a salesman, but rather was an FBI agent in disguise.</p> <p>Because of this experience [REDACTED] is planning to leave to return to Mexico.</p> <p>b7D [REDACTED]</p> <p>[REDACTED] He is not certain whether he will decide to return to the USA.</p> <p>C. advised [REDACTED] resides in [REDACTED]. He was born in [REDACTED].</p> <p>INTERVIEW BY SA [REDACTED]</p> <p>[REDACTED]</p>					
Action Recommended <p>[REDACTED]</p> <p>(Agent)</p>					

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, WFO (173-135) (P)
KENSALT
(OO:LA)

ReWFOairtel dated 6/5/68.

Enclosed to Los Angeles is one copy each of the following documents:

A 3-page list of copies of index cards of the investigative files of the Refugee Relief Program (IRP);

IRP report of investigation dated 8/23/56, at Amman, Jordan, concerning MARY BISHARA SALAMEH GHATTAS MIZHIR SIRHAN, mother of subject SIRHAN B. SIRHAN;

IRP report of investigation dated 8/23/56, at Amman, concerning AIDA BISHARA SALAMEH GHATTAS SIRHAN, sister of subject;

IRP report of investigation dated 5/22/56, at Amman, concerning BISHARA SALAMEH GHATTAS SIRHAN, father of subject;

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IRP report of investigation dated 8/23/56, at Amman, concerning ADEL BISHARA SALAMEH GHATTAS SIRHAN, brother of subject.

The Bureau is advised that identical copies of these investigative reports are being furnished to the Bureau through liaison channels by the Office of Security (SY), Department of State, on 6/6/68.

b7C These documents were made available to SA [REDACTED] on 6/6/68, by SA [REDACTED] of SY who obtained them from the Visa Office, Department of State.

Los Angeles will note that the investigative report concerning subject's mother points out that her case includes her sons SARHAN SIRHAN, subject, and his brother MUNIR SIRHAN. Los Angeles will also note that these investigative reports contain background information concerning members of this family. An apparent discrepancy is noted in that the mother's file states she has four children, all accompanying her whereas the file of BISHARA SIRHAN states that he had six children, none of whom would accompany him. It is believed that this is explained by the difference in dates of these respective reports.

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Date

6-10-68

TO: CHIEF CLERK

Subject

Aliases

Address

Birth Date

Birthplace

Race

Sex

☐ Male

☐ Female

☐ Exact Spelling

☐ All References

☐ Main Subversive Case Files Only

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☐ Main Criminal Case Files Only

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☐ Main Subversive (If no Main, list all Subversive References)

☐ Main Criminal (If no Main, list all Criminal References)

☐ Restrict to Locality of

File & Serial Number	Remarks	File & Serial Number	Remarks
[REDACTED]	CAU MATE -		ALGERIAN
	Age 24		
[REDACTED]		[REDACTED]	W. LA
[REDACTED] S/S		[REDACTED]	
[REDACTED] S/S		[REDACTED] LA	
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Date

TO: CHIEF CLERK

Subject

Aliases

Address

Birth Date

Birthplace

Race

Sex

☐ Male

☐ Female

☐ Exact Spelling

☐ All References

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Address

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Race

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☐ Male

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/11/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]
INFORMATION CONCERNING

On 6/6/68 [REDACTED] telephonically contacted the Los Angeles Office and advised as follows:

He was referred to the writer by [REDACTED] Attorney, with offices at [REDACTED] a personal acquaintance of SA [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] is an attorney and is associated with the [REDACTED] Los Angeles, telephone [REDACTED]

A friend of his, [REDACTED] with offices at [REDACTED] Los Angeles, telephone [REDACTED] residence phone [REDACTED] has told him of an individual that might be of interest to the FBI in view of the recent assassination of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY.

[REDACTED] work in Algeria a year or two ago through the U.S. State Department. While in Algeria, he became acquainted with a young Arab who later came to the United States for a visit and then returned to Europe. [REDACTED] does not know this individual's name but he is about 25 years old and he attended some Arab League meetings while in the United States. This individual is technically not an Arab but a member of the Khabil tribe in Algeria. [REDACTED] understands that this individual may now be employed at the U.S. Embassy in Paris, France. He speaks Arabic, French and English fluently. [REDACTED] could furnish more detailed information concerning this person.

Efforts to contact [REDACTED] on 6/7/68 were unproductive. On 6/7/68 [REDACTED] advised that the individual in question is known to him as [REDACTED] and is about 24 years of age and a member of the Khabil tribe in Algeria.

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entered the United States in January, 1968 in New York and left in about May, 1968 to return to Europe. He was in the United States on a student visa. He believes this visa was obtained in Paris. [REDACTED] attempted to obtain permission to stay here as a student but was unsuccessful.

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[REDACTED] visited in [REDACTED] home while in Los Angeles and visited the campuses of UCLA and USC while here and also attended meetings of the Arab League. [REDACTED] was quite disturbed to find a strong anti-American feeling in the Arab League. [REDACTED] is very much pro-American.

[REDACTED] left Los Angeles in the spring of 1968 on a bus tour of the South and departed New York for Europe in May, 1968. He understands that [REDACTED] is now in Paris working for the American Embassy or a Bechtol (phonetic) Engineering Company.

[REDACTED] stated that he has photographs of [REDACTED] should they be needed.

Indices search slip attached.

FBI

Date:

June 8, 1968

Transmit the following in

(Type in plaintext or code)

Via

Airtel

(Priority)

To: SAC, Los Angeles

From: Director, FBI

KENSALT

California, telephone number [redacted] Los Angeles, [redacted] telephonically contacted Bureau Headquarters 6/7/68 and advised she believes her next door neighbor is a friend of an individual who conspired with Sirhan Sirhan in the assassination of Robert Kennedy. [redacted] was unable to furnish any coherent reason for believing there is a conspiracy or any acceptable description of the conspirator. Her conversation was faltering and her voice sounded as though she may have been inebriated.

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Los Angeles should determine if [redacted] has any information of value to this investigation. Bureau unable to positively identify [redacted] in files.

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Information pertained only to a third party. Your name is listed in the title only.



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For your information: LAPD



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FBI

Date: 6/11/68

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Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL
(Priority)

TO: SAC, INDIANAPOLIS
FROM: *[initials]* SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)(P)
RE: KENSALT

Re Los Angeles teletype dated 6/11/68.

Enclosed for Indianapolis are two copies of double-face mug photograph of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN.

Above are to be used in connection with lead set out in referenced teletype for interview with JAMES MC MANUS, Mooresville, Indiana, telephone Area Code *[redacted]*. Mr. MC MANUS is employed by Westinghouse Electric Corporation, but was assisting in the ROBERT F. KENNEDY campaign.

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*Photographs of Subject
sent to Indianapolis
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Date 6/3/64

To:

☐ Director

FILE

Att.:

☐ SAC

Title

☐ ASAC

☒ Supv. Bill Tolson

☐ Agent

☐ SE

☐ IC

☐ CC

RE:

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☐ Clerk

☐ Rotor #:

ACTION DESIRED

☐ Acknowledge

☐ Assign Reassign

☐ Bring file

☐ Call me

☐ Correct

☐ Deadline

☐ Deadline passed

☐ Delinquent

☐ Discontinue

☐ Expedite

☐ File

☐ For information

☐ Handle

☐ Initial & return

☐ Leads need attention

☐ Return with explanation or notation as to action taken.

☐ Open Case

☐ Prepare lead cards

☐ Prepare tickler

☐ Return assignment card

☐ Return file

☐ Search and return

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☐ Serial #

☐ Post

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☐ Type

*SAC says make memo
for file only - do not
include in report.*

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Office

THE HOSPITAL OF THE GOOD SAMARITAN
MEDICAL CENTER
1212 SHATTU STREET
LOS ANGELES, CALIF. 90017

June 10, 1968

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
Ninth and Pennsylvania
Washington, D. C. 20535

Dear Mr. Hoover:

The staff of The Hospital of the Good Samaritan extends to you and your staff our deepest appreciation for the surveillance and protection afforded us during the time Senator Kennedy and his family were here.

The Federal Bureau of Investigation has a tremendous responsibility in these matters and we are fortunate, indeed, for the efficiency evidenced by the members of your staff who were here.

With many thanks, I am

Sincerely yours,

(Miss) Margaret J. Wherry
Administrator

MJW:bjs

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Chief of Police
Sgt. [unclear]
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THE OFFICE OF THE ADMINISTRATOR

THE HOSPITAL OF THE GOOD SAMARITAN
MEDICAL CENTER
1212 SHATTO STREET
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA 90017

June 10, 1968

Mr. Wesley G. Grepp
Special Agent-in-Charge
Federal Bureau of Investigation
1340 West Sixth Street
Los Angeles, California 90017

Dear Mr. Grepp:

The enclosed letter is self-explanatory. However, we should like to extend our personal thanks to you and the members of your staff who were most helpful and cooperative during last week's tragedy.

Sincerely,

Margaret J. Wherry
(Miss) Margaret J. Wherry
Administrator

MJW:bjs

Enclosure

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/11/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re FD-302 dated 6/10/68, covering interview of [REDACTED]

On 6/10/68, [REDACTED] date of birth [REDACTED] in Jerusalem, who resides at [REDACTED] Pasadena, and owns [REDACTED] Pasadena, advised that [REDACTED] attended USC School of Journalism in the early to middle 1960s. [REDACTED] who is Arameic, came to the United States in May 1959 and is now a U. S. citizen. b7D

[REDACTED] he is quite certain [REDACTED] is now married and returned to Jordan about one year ago.

LEADS

LOS ANGELES

AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA: (1) Check records of USC School of Journalism for record of [REDACTED]

(2) At INS, Los Angeles, check records for last I-53 card for [REDACTED] enter a check at USC (to first determine proper spelling of his name).

(3) If in United States, set out lead to locate and interview him concerning his knowledge of SIRHAN.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/11/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Rebutel dated 6/9/68, which, among other things, requested Los Angeles to locate and interview one [REDACTED] who, according to Bureau files, was President of the [REDACTED] in Pasadena in 1963.

Established source checks, INS, credit, criminal, Pasadena directories, and check of records of Registrar at Pasadena City College failed to develop any identifying information concerning this person.

On 6/10/68, [REDACTED] Pasadena, and [REDACTED] Avenue, Pasadena, advised that the individual in question was probably named [REDACTED] or something similar, but not [REDACTED] attended Pasadena College (Nazarene) in the early 1960s and is believed to have returned to Jordan about two years ago. [REDACTED] also from Jordan and knows [REDACTED] there.

At Pasadena College, the records of the Registrar reflected that this person's proper name is [REDACTED]. His date of birth is shown as [REDACTED]. He attended Pasadena College from [REDACTED] and, according to information in the file, later attended [REDACTED] California from [REDACTED] While at Pasadena College, he resided at [REDACTED] according to these records.

There is no information in the file concerning [REDACTED] whereabouts or activities subsequent to 1963. A check of INS I-53 card on [REDACTED] is presently being made and information received therefrom will be included in this memo at the conclusion.

A check of INS I-53 card on [REDACTED] on 6/10/68 reflects that the last address for him on [REDACTED] record was [REDACTED].

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was dated 2/23/66, at which time he was [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] His
visa was extended to [REDACTED] is Alien number is
[REDACTED]

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b7c AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA: (1) Check office
indices, Los Angeles, under proper spelling of the name,
[REDACTED]

(2) Check INS file [REDACTED] for possible
current information concerning [REDACTED]

AT LOMA LINDA, CALIFORNIA: Contact Loma Linda
University and determine if subject is presently in the
United States. If he is in the United States, interview
him concerning his knowledge of SIRHAN SIRHAN.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/11/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

CHESTER ADAM YASHUK, [REDACTED] Pasadena, California, telephone [REDACTED] was interviewed on 6/9/68. YASHUK was employed from March 1965 through December 1967, at Jack Davies Richfield Service Station, 2529 East Foothill Boulevard, Pasadena. SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN was employed at this station with YASHUK from March 1965 through November or December 1965.

YASHUK stated that a security guard with the Hough Security Patrol would guard the station nightly while the day's cash was placed in the safe, then the guard would leave the station.

YASHUK recalled that one particular guard was a very profane individual, and on one occasion SIRHAN asked this guard to tone down his profanity. The guard offered to fight SIRHAN, but SIRHAN would not fight this guard. YASHUK did not know the name of this guard.

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LOS ANGELES OFFICE:

AT ALHAMBRA, CALIFORNIA: Contact Hough Patrol Service, 1009 South 5th, phone 282-6982. Establish the identity of this guard and interview re above incident with SIRHAN.

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on interview
with Seldon Hough
and former employee
Carmelius H. Carroll.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SAA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/11/68

THIS MEMO FOR LEAD PURPOSES.

Neighborhood in vicinity of SIRHAN family residence.

SAs [REDACTED] on 6/8/68, conducted neighborhood investigation in the immediate vicinity of 696 East Howard Street, Pasadena, California.

The following individuals, in the immediate neighborhood of the SIRHAN family residence, 696 East Howard Street, Pasadena, were contacted by SAA [REDACTED]. Separate 302s prepared:

[REDACTED] Street.

[REDACTED] Street.

Mrs. [REDACTED]
MARY SIRHAN is employed. His present employment is at [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] identified [REDACTED] as a fellow employee of MARY SIRHAN at the Westminster Nursery School, 1757 North Lake Street, Pasadena. She related that [REDACTED] Street, had related that SIRHAN SIRHAN had left home for some time several [REDACTED]

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years ago and his mother did not know his whereabouts during that period. She identified [REDACTED] Pasadena, as the former tenant at Howard.

identified [REDACTED] as occupants at [REDACTED] Howard which is directly across the street from the SIRHAN residence. He identified [REDACTED] as an acquaintance of SIRHAN SIRHAN, who spoke the same Arabic or Syrian language that SIRHAN spoke and conversed with SIRHAN in that language.

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Will contact and interview the following as neighbors and acquaintances of SIRHAN SIRHAN or Mrs. MARY SIRHAN, the subject's mother:

[REDACTED] Pasadena, California, employment [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
Pasadena.

[REDACTED] (phonetic).
Pasadena.

[REDACTED]
Pasadena.

[REDACTED] Pasadena.

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Date: 6/8/68

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(Type in plain text or code)

Via AIRTEL

AIRMAIL

(Priority or Method of Mailing)

TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES
FROM: SAC, JACKSONVILLE (44-793)
SUBJ: KENSALT
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Information copy of this communication being furnished New York in event OO requests additional investigation re [REDACTED]

On 6/7/68, [REDACTED] Bunnell, Fla., telephonically advised that at about 8:30 PM this date, he stopped a vehicle and issued speeding ticket to the driver who identified himself as [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] advised [REDACTED] stated he knew the man who had assassinated ROBERT F. KENNEDY and that he had lived with this man's father for two years at [REDACTED] New York City.

According to [REDACTED] he had been in Miami, Florida since 6/3/68 and was returning to New York City. [REDACTED] remarked that he had been in telephonic contact with his family in New York City on 6/6/68 and was advised the FBI had been attempting to locate him.

[REDACTED] alleged that he is employed by [REDACTED] New York City and has to return to work Monday, 6/10/68.

[REDACTED] was traveling in a 1968 Chevrolet, green with black vinyl top, bearing 1968-1969 Florida License 1E-9455 and this vehicle is property of Surf's Rent-A-Car, Miami, Beach, Florida.

- ② - Los Angeles
- 1 - New York (Info)
- 2 - Jacksonville

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Reassign to [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

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The following is descriptive information re
[REDACTED]

Sex	Male
Race	White
DOB	[REDACTED]
Height	6'2"
Weight	145 lbs.
Build	Slender
Characteristics	Mustache with goatee
New York Drivers License	[REDACTED]
Residence	[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] reportedly returning to
New York City via I-95 and US 301.

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Complainant ANONYMOUS			Complainant's address and telephone number			Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-6-68 Time 4:02pm			
Subject's Description	Race	Sex	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace			
	Age	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Weight	Eyes	Complexion				
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Facts of complaint

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C said the ~~girl~~ in the ~~xx~~ dotted dress that the police are looking for ~~is~~ is possibly a belly dancer that worked at the Greek Village, Hollywood Blvd., Los Angeles. C said her name is ~~xxxx~~ (LNU) and he does not believe she is now working there. C said he believes she was going out with ~~xxxx~~ one of SIRHAN'S brothers. C said she was married to an Arab ~~xxx~~ that is now in Mexico.

C could furnish no further information and refused to give his name.

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Reassigned to
See this interview

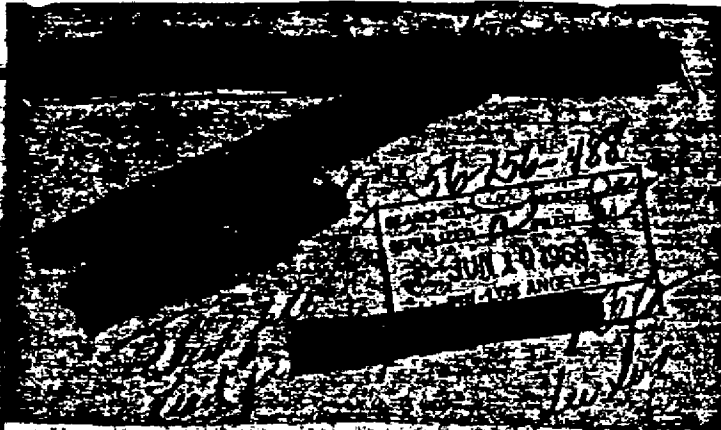
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Dear Sir,

I don't know if my word is any good or not, as I was in jail for non-sufficient funds, & I was just yesterday sentenced to starbuck for treatment. I will do, if you think I can be of help, tell you what I know, because I am against violence, even tho I'm an ex-con & am on my way to take treatment in a state Hospital. I was watching TV here in the jail yesterday morning, when Senator Kennedy's assassin's picture was shown on T-V. I have seen this man in L.A. recently & he made remarks concerning Robert Kennedy's assassination. As a citizen, I am trying to be a better man.

Thank you

[Handwritten signature]

[Redacted area]
inmate Starbuck State Hospital

[Handwritten signature]

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F.B.I.
 Los Angeles, Calif.
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Complainant HARRY BAUM				Complainant's address and telephone number Los Angeles		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-13-68 Time 12:23pm									
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 style="text-align: center;">June 3, 1968</p> <p>C said he was at a meeting Sunday night at the Ambassador Hotel, that was held by Senator Kennedy. C said the meeting was at approximately 8:00pm and last ed for about two hours. C said there was a girl standing near him which he gave his seat to. C said this girl was wearing a <u>polka dot dress</u>, was tall, slender, small face, and had dark hair. C said he didn't know if this was the same girl that was there the night he was shot, but thought this office might be interested.</p> <p>ALL b7C</p> <p><i>for low 750</i></p> <p><i>make a summary of all police info</i></p> <p>56-156-489</p> <table border="1"> <tr> <td>SEARCHED</td> <td>INDEXED</td> </tr> <tr> <td>SERIALIZED</td> <td><i>al</i></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" style="text-align: center;">JUN 11 1968</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" style="text-align: center;">FBI - LOS ANGELES</td> </tr> </table>								SEARCHED	INDEXED	SERIALIZED	<i>al</i>	JUN 11 1968		FBI - LOS ANGELES	
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA AMADEE O. RICHARDS, JR.

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/12/68

Mrs. STROLL, the mother of IRWIN STROLL, who was the 17 year old victim shot at the time that Senator KENNEDY was shot at the Ambassador Hotel, advised the Los Angeles Police Department that her son shared a double ward at the hospital with another patient. According to information furnished by the Los Angeles Police Department, Mrs. STROLL advised that this patient received a phone call from a friend who told the patient that he worked with SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN's brother in the same place of business.

STROLL was confined at the Midway Hospital,
5925 San Vicente Boulevard.

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Contact Midway Hospital and determine patient who shared double accommodations with STROLL and interview him concerning the identity of his friend who worked with SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN's brother.

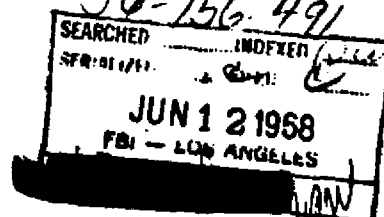
(2) Interview that individual for any information he may have concerning this matter.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

AOR
(3)

[REDACTED]



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

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Indices: ☐ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases				Address of subject		Character of case KENSALT	
Complainant [REDACTED] = b7D Pasadena				Complainant's address and telephone number [REDACTED]		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-12-68 Time 12:54pm	
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 a friend of his [REDACTED] who works for [REDACTED], Van Nuys, California, telephone number [REDACTED] as a claims adjuster, furnished him the following information:</p> <p>[REDACTED] overheard a conversation between [REDACTED] and another individual. [REDACTED] Adjuster for Traversers Insurance, 2 3600 Wilshire, Los Angeles, telephone number 381-0011, ext. [REDACTED] said he remembers SIRHAN SIRHAN having an insurance policy with Traversers xxxxxx four or five years ago, and handled it. The policy was canceled because SIRHAN had cut the break fluid lining on another persons car, causing this person to have an accident. [REDACTED] he has requested the file from the head office in Conn.</p> <p>C said he has no further info mation, and he did not talk with [REDACTED] but thought this office max might like to discuss it the matter with him.</p>							
<p>ALL b7C</p> <p><i>Interview</i></p> <p>56-156-492</p> <p>SEARCHED INDEXED SERIALIZED FILED JUN 12 1968 FBI - LOS ANGELES</p>							
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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/12/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re FD-71 of SA [REDACTED] dated 6/9/68, and complaints of one [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
Hollywood, California, advised she desired to call to the attention of the FBI certain observations of hers which she believed might be pertinent to the FBI's investigation of the assassination of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY.

She said from approximately [REDACTED] she had been employed by the [REDACTED] which had office space at [REDACTED]. She said this company has much money behind it, was involved in land development, and that one of the principle financial backers of the company was one [REDACTED] who is extremely wealthy.

She stated that while employed by this company she gained the impression that [REDACTED] was very much in favor of the candidacy of RONALD REAGAN for president of the U.S., and she also believed he had contributed financially to REAGAN's campaign, although she stated she could not substantiate this information.

She said in doing her work for the firm she had been able to "read between the lines of various communications and believed this company was not completely honest, as she felt they do have secure of certain lands, zoning privileges and the like, may have offered bribes, at times even Cadillacs, in order to secure these gains. She said again she had no proof of this and that it was merely her own impression.

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[redacted] advised she is [redacted] years of age, and that she considers herself to be quite intelligent. She said she had attended [redacted]

[redacted] She further stated the apartment in which she was now living was rather expensive, at about \$175 per month, and that she did not believe she would be able to maintain this apartment beyond her three month lease, but stated she had taken the apartment in the hopes of meeting some eligible males.

She stated she had been [redacted] no reason being given, but that it was her belief she had been fired because she understood the situation far better than the other girls, and that the company's officials feared what she might do.

[redacted] discussed at some length the high taxes that the citizens of the State of California have had to pay during the administration of RONALD REAGAN, and that she feels that if REAGAN were elected president that the taxes would be even higher. She also stated she felt, in her own mind, that if REAGAN were elected that much of his policy making would be dictated by financiers such as [redacted] of Los Angeles.

[redacted] was questioned as to any information of any kind known to her which might link [redacted] or any other company officials, with the KENNEDY assassination, at which time she stated she had no information to furnish relative to this, other than her belief that any individuals contributing money to other political candidates may have had some interest in seeing KENNEDY assassinated.

A review of Los Angeles Office Indices reflects numerous references to [redacted] none of which are of derogatory nature. Reference [redacted] contain information to the effect that [redacted]

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[REDACTED]

Inasmuch as there is no positive factual information
[furnished by [REDACTED] relative to the KENNEDY assassination,
it is believed no further inquiry in this regard need be pursued.

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Date:

Transmit the following in _____
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(Priority)

TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM: SA [REDACTED]

RE: KENSALT

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

On 6/8/68 Mrs. BETTY EVELYN JOHNSTON, [REDACTED] Pasadena, California advised that SIRHAN B. SIRHAN unknown to her. She and husband, ELLWOOD B. JOHNSTON own several race horses, and have a stable at Hollywood Park Race Track. Also own a ranch at [REDACTED] California. Her Son, BUD, who manages ranch advised SIRHAN unknown to him and according to his records has never worked or applied for work. Mrs. JOHNSTON'S husband advised her that SIRHAN may have worked as horse exercise boy for trainer who has stable space near theirs at Hwd Race Track. Mrs. JOHNSTON advised that her picture appeared on front page of Monday, 6/3/68, issue of Racing Form regarding a horse of hers, O'LUCKY YOU racing at Golden Gates Field, Albany, California.

610 [According to [REDACTED] Hwd Park Race Track, trainer mentioned above who SIRHAN worked for was GORDON BOWSER, [REDACTED] Calif.

[REDACTED] Park Race Track advised on 6/8/68 that photograph of SIRHAN B. SIRHAN unfamiliar to him.

On 6/10/68 JOHN H. STRATHMANN, [REDACTED] San Marino, Calif., frequently a frequent associate of SIRHAN since attending Pasadena City College together in 1964. Both are linguist, and SIRHAN frequent guest of STRATHMANN and wife. Last saw SIRHAN about 6 months ago.

SIRHAN very passive politically, except on one occasion he expressed an admiration for Adolph Hitler in his ability to get to the top so rapidly. SIRHAN criticized the U.S. because of existing poverty and difficulty to advance rapidly to wealth and success. SIRHAN seemed obsessed with idea that he wanted instant wealth and success. SIRHAN also very emotional in his attitude toward loyalty toward Arabs in Arab-Israeli conflict.

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pro-Israeli attitude. SIRHAN never discussed individual personalities in American politics.

SIRHAN and STRATHMANN studied Arabic and Russian languages together. SIRHAN was always alone when visiting STRATHMANN'S except on one occasion when he brought an Arabian, MUSTAFA (LNU) with him. MUSTAFA was from Lebanon and a Science or engineering student at PCC.

~~STRATHMANN~~ SIRHAN appeared to change considerably after his fall from a horse in 1966. He appeared to have difficulty seeing out of one eye, and seemed to be very impatient, nervous, and emotional. After the fall SIRHAN became interested in the study of Mystical bodies which he was studying with an individual named PAUL, who STRATHMAN never met. SIRHAN gave STRATHMANN a book on mystical bodies which he misplaced.

The only other individual who may be acquainted with SIRHAN is DONALD LLOYD RICE, [REDACTED] Santa Monica, Calif. Apt [REDACTED] who is a student at UCLA.

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① AT CHINO, CALIF. If not already done, interview GORDON BOWSER, [REDACTED] who in past year employed SIRHAN as a horse exercise boy.

② AT PASADENA, CALIF. At Pasadena City College attempt to locate and interview MUSTAFA (LNU), A Labanese student majoring in science or engineering, and is or was an acquaintance of SIRHAN.

③ AT SANTA MONICA, CALIF. Interview DONALD LLOYD RICE. [REDACTED] and attempt to determine his knowledge and association with SIRHAN.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/12/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

ATTN: SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/11/68, ROOSEVELT GRIER was interviewed by the above SA and during the interview he stated that the following individuals were with the KENNEDY party on the fifth floor of the Ambassador Hotel. GRIER does not know whether these people witnessed the shooting of Senator KENNEDY.

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1. Mrs. JOHN GLENN [REDACTED]?
 2. JOAN BRADEN, Chairman, Women for Kennedy Campaign, California. TT/ SP 2/20 6/7/68 [REDACTED]
 3. BLANCHE WHITAKER (phonetic), wife of [REDACTED] [REDACTED] to Seattle 6/13/68
JAMES WHITAKER, who is a personal friend of the KENNEDY family.

GRIER also said that BILL or FRANK DUTTON (phonetic), a KENNEDY staff member, was standing with Senator KENNEDY on the stage during the victory speech and may have been present when Senator KENNEDY was shot. GRIER also stated that GEORGE PLIMPTON (phonetic) and BILL BARRY were wrestling with SIRHAN SIRHAN prior to the time GRIER disarmed him.

The above information is furnished to assist in coordinating the interviews of individuals who were with KENNEDY on 6/4 - 6/5/68. It is unknown whether any of the above individuals have been interviewed to date.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/12/68

On 6/9/68, SCOTT BARRY HOWARD, [REDACTED] Tarzana, California, advised the following individuals were present at the Ambassador Hotel, 3400 Wilshire Boulevard, Los Angeles on 6/4-5/68, and may have additional information re captioned topic:

① LORI PORTER-

[REDACTED]
Encino

② MILTON BERLE
TV Star

③ GENE BARRY
TV Star

④ FREDDIE STEWART
Hollywood, California
(can be located through

⑤ [REDACTED]
telephone [REDACTED]

⑥ DEBBIE MOONEYHAM
Hidden Hills, California
(can be located at place of employment,
Ice Capades Chalet, 6600 Topanga Canyon,
Canoga Park, telephone 348-9121)

LEAD

Will locate and interview above captioned individual re their presence at Ambassador Hotel 6/4-5/68.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/12/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

The following investigation was conducted by
SA [REDACTED] at Pasadena, California, on
June 6, 1968:

b1D [REDACTED] Pasadena,
California, made available the following information
concerning GEORGE CHARLES ERHARD, JR., who sold the pistol
to MUNIR SIRHAN:

Address

[REDACTED]
Pasadena, California

Phone

Race

[REDACTED]
White

Sex

Male

Date of Birth

Social Security

Number

Height

[REDACTED]
5 feet 8 inches

Weight

110 pounds

Eyes

Hazel

Hair

Dark brown

Marital Status

Single

Operators License

Education

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/12/68

FROM : SA's [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSAIT

Re memorandum by SA [REDACTED] dated 6/8/68.

On 6/8/68, [REDACTED] Los Angeles, California, advised the writers that [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] are [REDACTED] years, both of whom reside with him at the above address. [REDACTED] stated that to the best of his knowledge, neither of his sons have any information concerning the assassination of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY, and neither was present at the Ambassador Hotel, in Los Angeles, on the night of 6/4 - 6/5/68.

[REDACTED] advised that he and his [REDACTED] had been discussing the assassination of Senator KENNEDY, and [REDACTED] had mentioned to his brother that he had been at the Ambassador Hotel on one occasion, this being in February 1968, when his employer, Volkswagen Pacific, had held a company party there for all their employees. He advised that his brother had apparently misunderstood him and believed that [REDACTED] had been present at the Ambassador Hotel the night of KENNEDY's assassination. He added that he vaguely recalled his brother having mentioned something last night in regard to calling the FBI, but he had not taken his brother's remark seriously and was unaware that he had called the FBI.

[REDACTED] that he had been at home in bed at the time of the assassination and definitely was not at the Ambassador Hotel on that night. He was unable to furnish any information whatsoever regarding the assassination.

[REDACTED] advised that he is presently employed by [REDACTED] California.

[REDACTED] advised that he and his [REDACTED] had been drinking on the night of 6/7 - 6/8/68, and had been discussing the assassination.

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of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY at that time. He stated that his brother had made a remark about having been present at the Ambassador Hotel at the time of the assassination and having witnessed a man and a woman leaving the hotel immediately after the shooting stating, "We shot the Senator." [REDACTED] stated that he had attempted to have his brother call the FBI, and when he had refused to do so, [REDACTED] had decided to make the call himself. [REDACTED] that he is presently unemployed.

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It was apparent to the writers through interviews with both [REDACTED] as well as with [REDACTED] had done a considerable amount of drinking the night of 6/7 - 6/8/68, and that both had been drunk at the time that they called the FBI Office in Los Angeles. Neither was able to recall exactly what remarks had been made concerning the assassination, and neither was able to furnish any information of value.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/12/68

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

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On 6/12/68, Captain RICH BROWN, Commander, Central Homicide, advised SA [REDACTED] that he has been detached from his regular assignments with Homicide and has been put in charge of the investigation of the KENNEDY assassination. A special office is in the process of being set up in Room 803 of the Los Angeles Police Department Administration Building. Captain BROWN expects this unit to be operational approximately 9:00 a.m., 6/13/68. Special telephones have been installed and they are as follows:

MA 4-5211, extensions 2962, 2963, 2964, 2965, 2966, and 2967.

Liaison has been established with this unit.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/12/68

Following information is submitted to assist in coordinating the interview of witnesses:

On 6/10/68, Mrs. ROOSEVELT GRIER, [REDACTED] Los Angeles, California, advised that her husband is presently in Los Angeles and would be available for interview on 6/11/68. On 6/11/68, GRIER was interviewed by SAs [REDACTED] and the interview has been recorded on an FD-302.

During this contact with GRIER he indicated that on this date he received a telephone call from ETHEL KENNEDY who advised him that RAFER JOHNSON is presently in Washington, D.C. and will go to New York City. GRIER could not supply JOHNSON's current address and stated that the only method which he had of obtaining this information was through the KENNEDY family. GRIER was thanked for his cooperation and told that it was not our desire that he contact the KENNEDY family in this regard.

On 6/10/68, IRMA JOHNSON, sister of RAFER JOHNSON, was telephonically contacted and stated that she is not certain as to when her brother will return to Los Angeles. She requested to be recontacted on 6/11/68. On 6/11/68, IRMA JOHNSON was again telephonically contacted and stated that she has learned that RAFER JOHNSON will probably return to Los Angeles during the evening hours of 6/11/68 or morning hours of 6/12/68.

(1) [REDACTED]

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6/12 James Johnson, Rafer's brother, returned at 9:40 AM and 4:20 PM. He has no out of town addresses for Rafer nor did he call his residence on 6/11/68. James Johnson will tell Rafer to contact Relabne 514 when he returns to Los Angeles on 6/12, Ref N.Y. 66-11111-11111

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