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Information received from CIA, Mexico City, dis-
cussed "SECRET" and not to be disseminated outside of the
Bureau. (Bufile 100-348413) advised LINDA DE VRIES (Bufile 101-6782) that she
had just received a card from BEVA BERNSTEIN from Detroit,
who had requested her to call DE VRIES if she needed anything.
SMALL indicated that BEVA BERNSTEIN and her husband, JOE
BERNSTEIN, were driving in from Detroit about the first of
the year. Both SMALL and DE VRIES decided not to make any
requests of BEVA BERNSTEIN because of the shortage of time.

The above and the information received from CIA.

OS-10 and DHS-10, who have furnished reliable
information in the past, advised on 1/8/64 that BERNSTEIN
LINDA (Bufile 100-308934) had stated that BEVA BERNSTEIN
had not yet arrived in Mexico.

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Joseph BERNSTEIN
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The informants further advised on 1/31/64 that in the intervening period ELIZABETH BERA demonstrated extreme concern over the failure of REVA and JOSEPH BERNSTEIN to appear in Mexico. By 1/29/64, she indicated that she believed there must have been trouble in Detroit and had written a special delivery letter to REVA BERNSTEIN to ascertain why they had not arrived in Mexico as promised. (X)(u)

On 2/6/64, FIVE-15 and ONE-15 advised that REVA and JOSEPH BERNSTEIN appeared in Mexico City on 2/2/64, claiming they had been in Mexico for one month. The BERNSTEINS stated they were staying at the Sevilla Hotel in Mexico City and claimed their plans included a trip to the resort town of Zihuatanejo by air on 2/7/64, and that they would leave their car at the Sevilla Hotel garage during the time they were in Zihuatanejo. (X)(u)

In conversation with the informants on 2/6/64, REVA BERNSTEIN stated that the "Orange thing" about the assassination of President KENNEDY was that she and her husband had been visited by two newspaper reporters following the assassination and by the Canadian "Secret Service" (regarding the use of the Cuban mail drop which had been utilized by them in Canada) but that neither local, state or national police of the United States had questioned them. The informants received the impression that the BERNSTEINS continue to be active in Cuban matters in the United States. (X)(u)

The informants further advised that REVA and JOSEPH BERNSTEIN had claimed that two persons from the Fair Play for Cuba Group in the United States had "disappeared" since the assassination of President KENNEDY, implying that these individuals had been kidnaped or murdered. The BERNSTEINS, however, did not furnish the names or further identification of these individuals. (X)(u)

On 2/13/64, the informants advised that as of 2/7/64 REVA BERNSTEIN claimed that she and her husband would depart the following day by plane for Zihuatanejo. The only persons whom informants determined that the BERNSTEINS had seen in Mexico City were ELIZABETH BERA and CHARLES [redacted] (Bufile 100-13632). The BERNSTEINS claimed they were scheduled to return to Mexico City 2/13/64. (X)(u) Mexico

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