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JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY,
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Synopsis: **During course of captioned investigation numerous
allegations have been received concerning persons other than the
alleged assassin, LEE HARVEY OSWALD, and logical investigation
has been conducted in each instance in an effort to resolve such
allegations.**

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To President's Commission

Enclosed for the President's Commission are two copies of the following described exhibit, together with information as to where the results of investigation concerning such exhibit are reflected:

<u>Exhibit Number</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Where Results of Investigation Reported</u>
D-232 (Q606)	Anonymous letter received by New York Office of FBI from Huddersfield, England, on July 24, 1964	Instant report, pages 9-12

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DETAILS:

This report contains the results of investigation concerning allegations made against numerous other persons other than the alleged assassin of President JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY, LEE HARVEY OSWALD.

For the most part, the allegations reflected herein do not pertain to LEE HARVEY OSWALD.

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RE: ALLEGATION BY UNKNOWN INDIVIDUAL MADE
TELEPHONICALLY TO RADIO STATION WFBR,
BALTIMORE, MARYLAND, THAT ASSASSINATION
INVOLVED CONSPIRACY BY TWENTY PERSONS
INCLUDING EARL JACKSON OF BALTIMORE, NOT
FURTHER IDENTIFIED, AND SENATOR DIRKSEN
(POSSIBLY REFERRING TO SENATOR EVERETT M.
DIRKSEN OF ILLINOIS)

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At 4:30 p.m. on September 1, 1964, Mr. HARRY SHRIVER, News Department, Radio Station WFBR, Baltimore, Maryland, telephonically advised Assitant Special Agent in Charge GEORGE W. HALL of the Baltimore Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation that his radio station had received a series of four telephone calls from a young male who would only identify himself as "HARRY" and would not give his location or other indication of his identity. The anonymous caller named HARRY also refused to call any law enforcement agency.

"SCOOBY JACKSON"

Mr. SHRIVER stated that "HARRY" alleged that the assassination of President KENNEDY involved a conspiracy by 20 persons, including one EARL JACKSON of Baltimore, Md. not further identified, and a current United States Senator. HARRY had alleged that JACKSON fired the shot which killed President KENNEDY at the same time that shots were fired by LEE HARVEY OSWALD. In his most recent call to the radio station HARRY had identified the United States Senator as Senator DIRKSEN. He did not provide any further identification or details.

"HARRY" had stated to the radio station that he had tried this entire group himself, found them guilty, and will execute them. He first stated he would execute them within 23½ hours, and in his most recent call said he would execute them by 1:30 that night, which would have been 1:30 a.m., September 2, 1964.

Mr. SHRIVER advised "HARRY" did not sound intoxicated although he was obviously a mental case. Mr. SHRIVER stated he would advise the Baltimore Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation in the event any additional calls are received from HARRY during which he further identifies himself or furnishes any additional allegations.

On the basis of information currently available, no prior information received by the Baltimore Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation could be identified with "HARRY", EARL JACKSON or the alleged conspiracy in which he was said to have been involved.

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RE: ANONYMOUS LETTER POSTMARKED AT
BREMERTON, WASHINGTON, AUGUST 23,
1964, RECEIVED BY COMMANDER R. W.
SMILEY, PUGET SOUND NAVAL SHIPYARD,
BREMERTON, WASHINGTON

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AT SEATTLE, WASHINGTON

The following letter was received by SA GEORGE L. LEWIS from Commander R. W. SMILEY, Puget Sound Naval Shipyard, Bremerton, Washington, postmarked Bremerton, Washington, August 23, 1964, which states as follows:

"Dear Commander Smiley:

"Please destroy this letter just as soon as you have read it because it is probably extremely dangerous even to be writing it. As I told you when I was upset about my son's letter from Panama--you're the most influential person I know & that is why I am entrusting this confidence to you.

"We do not always know exactly how close another world is to us. I only know that sometimes I get 'designs' & perhaps messages from 'somewhere.' Something is impelling me to write you tonight that more investigation should be made of Pres. Kennedy's death. You see people from Wash D.C. often--there must be some way you can get word to the Pres' brother Bobby Kennedy that he should do some careful but strenuous investigation. One of the weaknesses of people who are raised in the Kennedy's circumstances is that they have known too little of 'struggle' & feel that all persons are honest & straight forward & kindly like themselves not having enough knowledge of the motivation that will lead less fortunate people to lie & steal & kill for power & prestige. This too trusless attitude was death for Pres. Kennedy. I for one do not want to cast a vote in the next election for the forces that brought about his murder. I don't believe for a minute that Oswald did this thing on his own--or even that he was a communist tool--there are too many persons in our own country who could have had strong reasons for killing the President for certain stands he was taking.

"There must be some way for a good detective to find out who is sending money to Oswald's widow.

"Jack Ruby should be taken out of Texas to Washington as he has asked. If Mrs. Kennedy would talk

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with him it would uncover something to prove who has plotted the President's murder.

"Jack Ruby did not plan Oswald's murder. Something 'inspired' him & guided him that night. It may have been the Presidents own spirit seeking to protect his wife & his country. If Jack Ruby can talk with Mrs. Kennedy truth will out.

"Here are just a few thoughts on persons who might have cause & power to plot the President's death: 'Scoop' Jackson waited hours in his rooms to be notified of his nomination as V.P. with Pres. Kennedy. It never came. He was married to a proud girl of a politically active family from down there--there could be a link here.

"Mrs. 'Lady Bird' Johnsen has a record of being very desirous of power & prestige. She could not have enjoyed being second to a younger more beautiful woman like Jacquèline Kennedy. Texas is her own territory where she could pull strings as no one else would be able to.

"I am not politically minded at all--thats why its so silly for me to be writing this letter at all. But you must be aware of other personalities in the political scene who would fit the pattern of conspiracy. Remember your history--time points that it was likely Sec. of State Stanton who plapped Pres. Lincoln's murder. Really detection should be somewhat improved by now--if an investigation can just be made now before the trial is complely cold--Justice will be done.

"If I wrote to the Pres' brother or Mrs. Kennedy my letter would never even reach them. But you must be very astute & practical to be the commander you are. Use some of your know-how & get this message that has come to me to the dead President's family.

"Just burn this letter & don't try to talk to me about this. I have no facts--just a strong strong feeling from somewhere."

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By communication dated September 9, 1964, the Seattle Office advised that the foregoing letter was unsigned and the identity of the writer unknown.

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**RE: ANONYMOUS LETTER RECEIVED BY
NEW YORK OFFICE OF FBI FROM
HUDDERSFIELD, ENGLAND, ON
JULY 24, 1964**

