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LEE HARVEY OSWALD

- 1 - Mr. Bassett
- 1 - Mr. Cramer
(Attn: Mr. [redacted])
- 1 - Mr. [redacted]
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- 1 - Mr. Mats
(Attn: Mr. Coulson)
- 1 - Mr. Ryan
- 1 - Mr. Foster

PURPOSE: To furnish additional information relating to news reporter Kent Biffle's interest in captioned subject.

DETAILS: Kent Biffle's name was noted, among others, in personal papers belonging to Lee Harvey Oswald (Bufile 105-32555-2579). Biffle was interviewed by the FBI on 12/16/63 (Bufile 105-32555-1212). He advised that he was formerly employed by the Fort Worth (Texas) Press as a reporter in the latter part of 1959 and had been assigned to prepare articles on Oswald's defection. He mentioned no personal contacts with Oswald, but stated he utilized public source information on Oswald and had contact with Oswald's mother and brother for background information. He also stated that the resultant articles (three) contained "all the information which he actually know about Oswald."

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