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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (105-82555)

DATE: 2/27/64

FROM: *BM* LEGAT, MEXICO (105-3702) (P)

SUBJECT: LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA  
IS - R - CUBA

ENCLOSURES

Enclosed are 31 copies of a letterhead memorandum dated and captioned as above.

Classified by *2040*

REFERENCES

Exempt from GDS, Category 2  
Date of Declassification Indefinite

- Bucab 933 dated 2/14/64.
- San Antonio airtel to Bureau dated 12/3/63.
- Mexico City letter and letterhead memorandum 12/11/63.
- Mexico City letter 2/20/64.

ADMINISTRATIVE

- 55 - Bureau (Encs. 31)
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  - (2 - Chicago)
  - (6 - Dallas, 100-10461)
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  - (4 - Houston)
  - (4 - Indianapolis, 105-3399)
  - (4 - Kansas City, 105-1736)
  - (2 - Miami)
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  - (2 - New Orleans, 100-16601)
  - (6 - New York)
  - (2 - Omaha)
  - (10 - San Antonio, 105-2909)
  - (3 - Springfield)
  - 4 - Mexico City

*X 1cc to CIA with Prop/amp  
by OIF with Prop/amp  
3/20/64 "ICABIE ALLEE"  
CITY 3-4-64  
"will/sh"*

*1cc retained 645 RB. SO TEL  
Remains in excess of CIA AIR TEL  
and LHM that have sent to  
field were destroyed  
EJS 3/25/64*

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*JCC - Pres Comm  
4/6/64 - Liaison  
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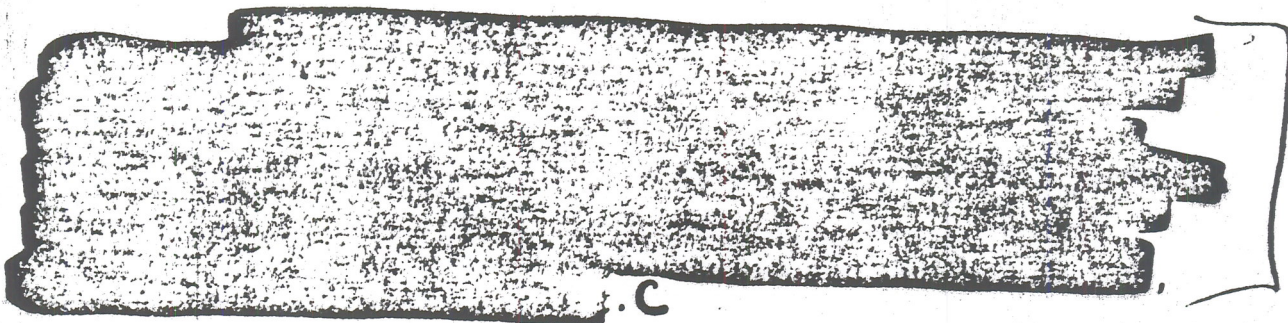
*1 letterhead memorandum  
submitted by FP-4  
5/5/64*

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*3/2/64 7:46:00*

ReBucab 2/14/64 instructed that all individuals who departed from Nuevo Laredo 10/3/63 during the shift following that of ALBERTO ARZAMENDI CHAPA be identified. This has been done and the results set forth in the letterhead memorandum. Since a great percentage of the travelers leaving Mexico at Nuevo Laredo on 10/3/63 departed during the shift following the one in which OSALD departed and in the interest of thoroughness, all travelers departing Nuevo Laredo on 10/3/63 on tourist cards have been listed in the letterhead memorandum and leads have been set forth below to locate and interview all of these travelers. u

Referenced San Antonio airtel of 12/3/63 listed some of the names appearing in the attached letterhead memorandum and set forth leads to locate and interview these people. The results of investigation growing out of these leads were not furnished to the Mexico City Office and it is not known which of the persons listed in the San Antonio airtel and duplicated in the attached letterhead memorandum were located and interviewed. Offices for whom leads are set forth below who have located and interviewed any of the persons mentioned should ignore the leads so far as these persons are concerned. u



If investigation has already been conducted to interview these eight people, leads set forth below concerning them should be ignored. u

Referenced Mexico City letter of 2/20/64 forwarded to the Bureau three Zerox copies each of the form FM-11 covering departures at Nuevo Laredo on 10/3/63 and entries at the same place on 9/26/63. If the attached letterhead memorandum is disseminated to the Presidential Commission, B

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it is suggested the Bureau may desire to furnish one copy each of the FM-11 departures (covering persons traveling on FM-5 tourist cards and FM-8 tourist cards) to the Commission.

*11 yes!*

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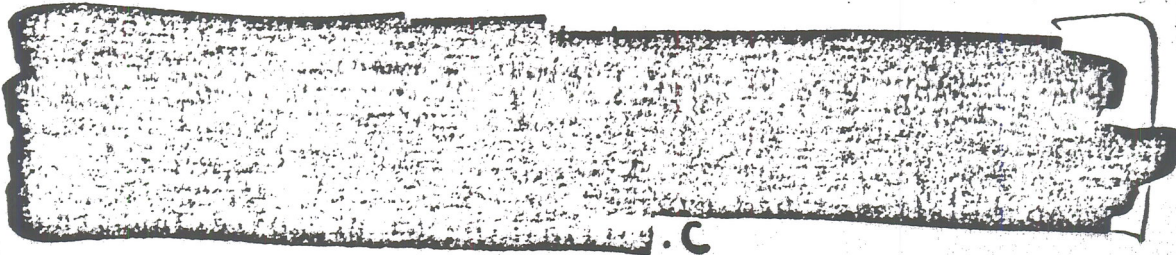
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SOURCES

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COPIES

It will be noted that the number of copies designated for the various domestic field offices is not uniform. Copies were designated on the basis of the number of leads for each field office, and for this reason there is a variation in the number of copies. It is suggested that the Bureau furnish the corresponding number of copies of the letterhead memorandum to each field office listed, a sufficient number of copies of the letterhead memorandum having been furnished for this purpose. u

REQUEST OF BUREAU

If not previously done, the Bureau is requested to prepare and furnish to all offices receiving leads herewith sufficient copies of the best available photograph or photographs of LEE HARVEY OSWALD. In view of the fact that some offices have numerous leads, it is suggested that, if necessary to furnish same, the number of copies of the photograph be provided to coincide with the number of copies of this airtel and enclosure designated for each office. u

The Bureau is requested to determine the desirability and best method of conducting investigation in the foreign countries listed hereinunder in connection with the persons identified by the forms FM-5 and FM-8 in connection with each. If it is determined that coverage is feasible, it is suggested that photographs be provided to the agency handling same with the request that the individual, in each instance, be located, shown a photo of OSWALD, and interviewed concerning his knowledge of the latter's activities, travel in Mexico, and departure from Mexico, with particular attention to his probable destination at the time he left Mexico on October 3, 1963:

AT ARUBA, DUTCH WEST INDIES

With respect to FM-5, numbered 84, will locate, interview and display photograph of OSWALD to JUAN MATEO DE CUBA on the basis of the following information:

FM-5 No. 3625296, issued by the Honorary Mexican Consul in Curacao, Dutch West Indies, on July 18, 1963. He entered Mexico at Nuevo Laredo on August 7, 1963, by autobus with announced destination of Mexico City. He is described as a male Dutch citizen, 28 years of age, born Aruba, Dutch West Indies, married, customs official, home address Savaneta 237-A, Aruba. He presented Dutch Passport No. NA 089553 as proof of citizenship. The FM-11 shows a final destination at time of departure of Aruba and indicated he was traveling by autobus.

With respect to FM-5, numbered 85, will conduct similar investigation regarding ADA FRANCISCA BISLIP DE LA CUBA on the basis of the following data:

FM-5 No. 3625295, issued by the Honorary Mexican Consul, Curacao, on July 18, 1963. She entered Mexico at Nuevo Laredo on August 7, 1963, with announced destination of

Mexico City. She was traveling by autobus at time of entry. Described as female Dutch citizen, 28 years of age, born Aruba, Dutch West Indies, married, housewife. She presented Dutch Passport No NA 089552 as proof of citizenship. FM-11 indicated final destination of Aruba at time of departure from Mexico and traveling by autobus.

At Portland, Jamaica, British West Indies

Will locate, interview and display photograph of OSWALD to EUGENE EVERALD HUNTER on the basis of FM-5 data appearing under No 92 as follows:

*sent* → FM-5 No. 4193457, issued September 12, 1963, by Honorary Mexican Consul, Kingston, Jamaica, B.W.I. Entry made at International Airport, Merida, Yucatan, Mexico, September 29, 1963. Final destination in Mexico given as Mexico, D. F. Described as male citizen of British Commonwealth, 41 years of age, born Portland, Jamaica, married, contractor, home address Long Rd, P. A., Portland, Jamaica. Presented Jamaican Passport No. 25517 as proof of citizenship. FM-11 shows final destination as Portland, Jamaica. Mode of travel upon departure not shown.

At Caracas, Venezuela

*sent* Will locate, interview and display photograph of OSWALD to MATILDE MURACCIOLE DAVILA and MA. CRISTINA CARACCIOLE DAVILA DE PIEDRA on the basis of information recorded on FM-5 forms under paragraphs 103 and 105 as follows:

FM-5 No. 3461434, issued by Mexican Embassy, Caracas, Venezuela, on March 4, 1963. Entry made at Central Airport, Mexico, D. F., April 3, 1963, with destination of Mexico, D. F. Described as female Venezuelan citizen, 54 years of age, single housekeeping, born Venezuela, residence Caracas. Presented Venezuelan Passport No. DF-148820 dated July 1, 1959, bearing Mexican Visa No. 367, as proof of citizenship. FM-11 shows departure by plane with final destination of Caracas, Venezuela.

FM-5 No. 3461432, issued March 4, 1963, Caracas, Venezuela, by Mexican Embassy. Entry made at Central Airport, Mexico, D. F., on April 3, 1963, with no destination in Mexico indicated. Described as female Venezuelan citizen, widow,

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housekeeping, born Venezuela, residence Caracas. Presented Venezuelan Passport No. M-05635, bearing Mexican Visa No. 369, as proof of citizenship. FM-11 showed departure by plane with final destination of Caracas, Venezuela.

No specific addresses are recorded but it appears that the above persons might be located through their Venezuelan passport data. *u*

At Belize, British Honduras

Will locate, interview and display photograph of OSWALD to LEIGHTON COLIN HINKSON on the basis of the following identifying data from FM-8, numbered 93, as follows:

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FM-8 No. 454694, issued by Mexican Consulate, Belize, British Honduras, September 24, 1963. Entry occurred at Subteniente Lopez, Quintana Roo, September 25, 1963, and travel was by autobus with Mexico, D. F., as final destination. Described as male British citizen, 35 years of age, single, office worker. Traveling on British Passport No. 16442. FM-11 showed no means of travel or final destination upon departure at Nuevo Laredo.

In the event any of the leads recorded above have already been covered, the corresponding leads herein should be disregarded. *u*

ALL OFFICES RECEIVING LEADS:

All offices with leads designated herein are requested to locate, fully identify and interview each individual listed in the enclosure in connection with the forms FM-5 and FM-8 recorded for each, which provide available information therefrom concerning background data and residence addresses in each territory. In connection with the interviews, photos of OSWALD should be displayed and complete information obtained concerning the individual's knowledge of OSWALD and his activities in Mexico with particular emphasis on his departure from Mexico on October 3, 1963, and his destination at that time. In the event any of these individuals have been located and interviewed previously, the corresponding lead herein should be disregarded.

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CHARLOTTE DIVISION

Will conduct the investigation requested above in connection with the information which appears in the enclosure with respect to FM-5 numbered 100.

CHICAGO DIVISION

Will conduct investigation with respect to FM-5 numbered 90.

DALLAS DIVISION

Will conduct similar investigation as requested of Charlotte with respect to form FM-5 numbered 79, 80, 81, 86, 97, 98, 102, 110, 111, and FM-8 numbered 108.

DETROIT DIVISION

Will conduct investigation with respect to forms FM-5 numbered 96 and 99.

HOUSTON DIVISION

Will conduct investigation with respect to form FM-5 numbered 95 and forms FM-8 numbered 77 and 92.

INDIANAPOLIS DIVISION

Will conduct investigation with respect to form FM-5 numbered 104 and forms FM-8 numbered 78 and 96.

KANSAS CITY DIVISION

Will conduct investigation with respect to forms FM-5 numbered 109, 116 and 117, and forms FM-8 numbered 80 and 81.

MIAMI DIVISION

Will conduct investigation with respect to form FM-8 numbered 83.



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MINNEAPOLIS DIVISION

Will conduct investigation with respect to forms FM-5 numbered 82, 83 and 108.

NEW ORLEANS DIVISION

Will conduct investigation with respect to form FM-8 numbered 113.

NEW YORK DIVISION

Will conduct investigation with respect to forms FM-5 numbered 88, 89, 93, 94, 101 and 118.

OMAHA DIVISION

Will conduct investigation with respect to form FM-5 numbered 114.

SAN ANTONIO DIVISION

Will conduct investigation with respect to forms FM-5 numbered 87, 91, 107, and forms FM-8 numbered 76, 79 (place of origin not clearly shown, possibly was Laredo, Texas), 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 94, 95, 98, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 109, 110, 111 and 112.

SPRINGFIELD DIVISION

Will conduct investigation with respect to forms FM-5 numbered 112 and 113.