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Miss Elaine Johnson of Mr. Slawson's office, Commission, inquired Coday of Inspector Malley if Commission has in its NOTE: This appears to possession results of all interviers of Barrios. be the case and Miss Johnson was so advised on 9/2/64 by J. C. Stokes. However, advisable to double check this with Legat. We will confirm this with Commission on receipt of Legat's reply.

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URGENT 9-3-64
TO DIRECTOR (105-82555)
FROM LEGAT MEXICO CITY NO. 833

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REBUCAB NUMBER 239 DATED SEPTEMBER 2 LAST.

ROLANDO BARRIOS, FORMER EMPLOYEE OF CHIHUAHUENSES TRAVEL AGENCY WAS INTERVIENDED ON APRIL 2 LAST BY SA ROLF L. LARSON AND WAS SHOWN PHOTOSTATS OF EXCHANGE ORDERS ON BASIS OF WHICH H. O. LEE PURCHASED TRANSPORTES DEL NORTE AND GREVHOUND TRANSPORTATION FROM MEXICO CITY TO DALLAS. HE ALSO WAS SHOWN PHOTOGRAPH OF OSWALD'S TOURIST CARD AND STATED HE WOULD INTERPRET THE COMMA FOLLOWING THE LEE TO INCICATE THE SURNAME TO BE LEE AND IN ORDER TO AVOID UNNECESSARY WRITING ON EXCHANGE ORDERS WOULD HAVE USED INITIALS OF FIRST AND MIDDLE NAMES WHICH HE COISIDERED TO BE HARVEY OSWALD. HE COULD NOT RECALL SUBJECT OR DEALING WITH HIM BUT ON VIEWING ABOVE DOCUMENTS AFFIRMED THAT HE WOULD HAVE WRITTEN NAME AS H. O. LEE IF TAKING IT FROM TOURIST CARD.

ON BASIS OF ARRANGEMENT MADE AT THAT TIME BARRIOS STATED HE WOULD ATTEMPT TO RECONSTRUCT EVENTS IN EFFORT TO RECALL ADDITIONAL INFORMATION BUT CALLED SA LARSON TELL PHONICALLY ON APRIL 6 LAST TO ADVISE HE HAD BEEN UNABLE TO REMEMBER HIS CONTACT WITH OSMALES.

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RE TRANSPORTES DEL NORTE TICKET. MEXICO CITY MANAGER RICARDO MEDINA ADVISED TICKETS ISSUED FOR TRAVEL TO LAREDO COMSIST OF THREE SECTIONS WHICH ARE DELIVERED TO PURCHASER AND EACH OF WHICH BEARS SAME NUMBER. ONE SECTION IS FOR TRAVEL MEXICO CITY MONTERREY AND SECOND SECTION FOR TRAVEL MONTERREY LAREDO AND ARE REMOVED BY OPERATOR AT BEGINNING OF PARTICULAR TRAVEL. THIRD SECTION REFLECTS TOTAL TRAVEL FROM MEXICO CITY TO LAREDO, TEXAS AND IS RETAINED BY PASSENGER. IT REFLECTS TOTAL PRICE OF 93 PESOS AND 75 CENTAVOS, RECORDS INSURANCE DATA ON FRONT AND BACK, AND IS TWO AND THREE QUARTERS INCHES IN LENGTH, SHOWING EVIDENCE OF PERFORATIONS ON EITHER END. THE COMPLETE TICKET IS PINK IN COLOR. A BOUND, NUMBERED BOOK OF TICKETS IN WHICH A STUB REMAINS TO RECORD SALE THEREOF.

RE AREAS MARKED ON MAPS OF MEXICO CITY. PRELIMINARY REVIEW OF INKED MARKS ON MAP DESCRIBED IN REBUCAB INDICATES CENTRAL MARKING IN J - 7 AND H - 3 AREAS OF LARGE AND SMALL MAPS RESPECTIVELY DEFINED LOCATION SUBJECT'S PLACE OF RESIDENCE AT HOTEL DEL COMERCIO AT BERNARDIN DE SAHAGUN STREET NUMBER

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PAGE TWO FROM LEGAT MEXICO CITY NO. 834

NAME OF STREET OFTEN ABBREVIATED ON CITY MAPS TO SAHAGUN.

CONTACT OF THEATERS AND INQUIRIES AT OTHER AREAS

MARKED ON MAP AND LOCALITIES MENTIONED IN PROGRESS AND BUREAU

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SEPTEMBER 11 NEXT.

CLARK D. ANDERSON

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MARINA OSWALD was interviewed at her residence, 629
Belt Line Road, Richardson, Texas. Mr. DECLAN FORD, an
advisor of MARINA OSWALD, was present during this interview.

MARINA advised that on the evening of August 26, 1964, Mr. JAMES WESLEY LIEBELER, a representative of the President's Commission, telephonically contacted MARINA at her residence to inquire of her concerning several matters in the investigation of the assassination, including an inquiry as to whether LEE HARVEY OSWALD had left New Orleans for Mexico the day following the departure of MARINA from New Orleans to Texas, or if OSWALD had stayed on in New Orleans for a while before his departure for Mexico. MARINA said that when Mr. LIEBELER asked this question it recalled to her that she had, on about August 17 or 18, 1964, found among some personal effects belonging to her, a stub of a Mexican bus ticket. She said she told Mr. LIEBELER about this ticket and that she had found it in a paperback pamphlet which OSWALD had brought back from Mexico. MARINA said these items, as well as the other items described below, discovered by her in a small brown suitcase which contained old magazines, personal letters, personal photographs of her children, greeting cards and books. This suitcase and its contents had been in MARINA's possession at the PAINE house at the time of the assassination. Following the assassination, these items were delivered to her. She does not recall now exactly when she acquired them or from whom.

MARINA made available these pertinent items which are described as follows:

(1) A paper stub of a bus ticket issued by Transportes del Norte showing travel from Mexico, D. F. to Laredo, Texas. The price shown is \$93.75 (MM-Pescs). The stub number is 13688. A block stamp bearing this legend appears on the back of the stub, "Transportes del Norte, Set. 30, 1963, Mexico D.F., J. Gascon". The date shown is September 30, 1963. MARINA stated she found this stub inside the paperback pamphlet entitled "This Week - Esta Semant" which is described immediately below.

(2) A paperback pamphlet entitle Semana", for the week September 28 - Oc	10061 4, 2000)
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written in the English and the Spanish languages. This book is a well-known tourist and entertainment guide for the Republic of Mexico and is published on a weekly basis.

MARINA exhibited handwriting which appears on page 38 of this pamphlet. Some of this handwriting is in English and there is some Russian handwriting. MARINA identified the handwriting as that of LEE HARVEY OSWALD. She also pointed out markings made by a pen on pages 29, 31, 50, 54 and 78, but she could not identify these markings as having been made by LEE HARVEY OSWALD or any other person.

- Russian", published by Foreign Languages Publishing House, Moscow. Author is NINA POTAPOVA. On page 12 of this book the Russian alphabet is printed and part of the alphabet is torn out. MARINA remarked that she had been exhibited by a representative of the President's Commission pieces of paper on which had been pasted printed letters cut from some book or magazine. She said therefore this item might be of interest in the investigation. She identified this book as a book used by OSWALD in his study of the Russian language.
- (4) A guide map of Mexico City, folded, published by Editorial Flecha, printed in Mexico, D. F., which contains a large map of Mexico City on which appear three enclosed circle markings. There also appears on the back a smaller map which contains three circle markings, as well as a line drawn along streets in Mexico City. In the index opposite this smaller map, several locations are checked. MARINA identified this map as being the property of OSWALD. She said he probably obtained it in Mexico on his trip there.
- (5) A paperback pamphlet entitled FIESTA BRAVA, published by Pemex Travel Club, Mexico, D. F., which describes the bullfight. MARINA stated this was also the property of OSWALD and was probably obtained by him in Mexico on his trip there and brought back by him to Dallas.
- (6) A library pass in the name of LEE HARVEY OSWALD, dated April, 1962, written in the Russian language. This pass was used by OSWALD to obtain books in public libraries in Russia.

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MARINA stated she had probably seen these pamphlets and book on several occasions, but did not think them of particular pertinence in this investigation. She said she did not know that the bus ticket stub was contained in one of the pamphlets.



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Dallas, Texas August 28, 1964

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LEE HARVEY OSWALD

On August 27, 1964, James Wesley Liebeler of the President's Commission, advised the Federal Bureau of Investigation headquarters, Washington, D. C., that in a telephone conversation on the previous evening Marina Oswald had told him she had located a bus ticket stub issued by the Mexican Bus Line, Transportes del Norte. Mr. Liebeler requested that Marina Oswald be interviewed concerning this bus ticket stub and that such bus ticket stub be obtained.

Attached hereto are the results of the investigation requested.

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To: Legat, Mexico City (105-3702)

From: Director, FBI (105-82555)

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Been in Oswald's possession in Mexico which was turned over by Marina Oswald 8/27/64. Enclosed for Legat are 21 photographs depicting Exhibits D-237, three pages of D-238 and all of D-240 which items were described in recab. Also enclosed is a copy of Dallas letterhead dated 8/23/64 and attachment thereto. The photographs are forwarded for assistance in connection with investigation requested in recab. Note particularly markings on the may, Exhibit D-240, placements of which were described in recab. The rarkings on pages 29, 50, 54 and 78 of D-233 appeared to have been random marks of no discernible significance.

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NOTE FOR LEGAT. MEXICO CITY:

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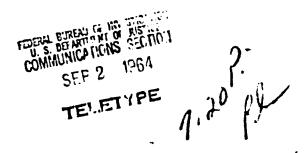
have been available at Nuevo-Nuevo Laredo for travelers 9-26-63. Include results in letterhead to be submitted.

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NOTE:

William Coleman of Commission inquired of SA John C.
Stokes 9-2-64 if the Hotel Cuba was listed in pamphlet in question.
Stokes checked and determined that Hotel Cuba was listed on page
20 and that the rates were indicated to be 30 to 35 pesos a day
for single room. This is more than Oswald paid at Del Comercio.
There are no markings on page 20. Coleman was advised of this
on 9-2-64.

We are photographing page 20 to be sent to Commission. Coleman observed that Oswald made reference to Hotel Cuba to 2 passengers aboard the bus to Mexico City and he asked if we determined if he could have picked up the booklet at Newson Ruevo Laredo on way into Mexico. This is reasonable request and may establish how Oswald was able to speak of the hotel to 2 passengers who boarded the bus at Monterrey.



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To: SAC, Dallas (100-10461) (Enclosures - 4)
2 - San Antonio (105-2909) (Enclosures - 4)
2 - Legat, Mexico City (105-3702)

From: Director, FBI (105-82555)

LET MARVEY OSHALD 18 - R - CUBA

For information of Dallas and San Autonio there are enclosed one copy each of Legat, Mexico City, airtel and letterhead dated 8/25/64 and Legat, Mexico City, airtel and letterhead dated 8/25/64.

In view of the results of reinterview of Lima Juarez, no further action is desired concerning his previous statements concerning his observance of Oswald at Hotel del Comercio. San Antonio discontinue efforts to locate Francisco Morales. For information of legat, Bureau is not furnishing copy of your 8/25/64 airtel and letterhead to New Haven as it is deemed unnecessary to reinterview. Huerta Oliva. No further action desired by Legat, Mexico City, concerning Lima Juarez phase of this investigation.

Buorta Oliva. No further action desired by Legat, Mexico City, concerning Lima Juarez phase of this irrestigation. REC 30 12-12:15-4762 JCS:pah $\mathcal{V}a$ 19 SEP 4 1964 - Foreign Liaison Unit HOIE: Lima advised a San Antonio PSI that he believed he saw Cawald at Del Comercio Hotel in company of four Cubans. His story has been completely discredited as there was only one Cuban at the hotel (Huerta Oliva) at pertinent period. Huerta Oliva denies meeting Oswald. Lima, on viewing a photograph furnished by Huerta Oliva, Folson identified 5 individuals depicted therein and admitted that he was wrong in previously stating that picture in question depicted two cattation of the Cubans to whom he referred. On reinterview by Legat, Lina onrod recented; he now states that he is quite certain he has never seen Oswald.





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VASUINCTON 25, D. C. September 11, 1964

LEE HARVEY OSWALD

BASIS FOR INQUIRY

On August 27, 1964, MARINA OSWALD made available to the Federal Bureau of Investigation the following items:

- (1) A section of a bus ticket for Transportes del Norte Bus Company for travel from Kexico, D. F., to Laredo, Texas, bearing No. 13688. A block stamp on the back of the ticket section reflects the following data: "Transportes del Norte, Set. 30, 1963, Kexico, D. F., J. Gascon." MARINA OSWALD stated that she had found the above-described ticket section inside a paperback pamphlet entitled "THIS WEEK ESTA SEMANA" (tourist guide book).
- (2) A paperback pamphlet entitled "THIS WEEK ESTA SEMANA" for the week September 28 October 4, 1963, which contains material in both the English and the Spanish languages. MARINA OSWALD identified handwriting which appeared in the pamphlet in the English and the Russian languages as being the handwriting of LEE HARVEY OSWALD.
- (3) A guide map of Mexico City, which folds to pocket size and is published by Editorial Flecha, Mexico, D. F. This includes a map of the entire city, an enlarged map of the downtown area of Mexico City, an index of streets, and an index of points of interest, and contains ink markings and check marks as follows:

On the index of points of interest, check marks appeared opposite the National Palace, the National Tourist Department, the National History Museum, the Anthropology Museum, the Natural History Museum, the Olimpia Theater, the Fronton (Jai Alai) Mexico, the Alameda Central Park, and Constitution/Square.

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On the downtown area map, there appears an inked tracing which begins at the corner of Insurgentes Norte along Puente de Alvarado, turns north at Buenavista street, east at Ferrocarrileros street, and continues until the latter becomes Mina street, terminating at the point where the latter intersects Zarco street. In the same area, a heavy ink mark is placed in the center of an area bound by Bernal Diaz, Ferrocarrileros, Buenavista and Puente de Alvarado streets. In the H-3 area of the above map, the Palace of Fine Arts and the "Coliseo Arena" (Sports Arena) are encircled in ink, and a small inked arrow pointing north appears on Dr. Jimenez street at the intersection of Dr. Jose Terres and Dr. Olvera streets.

On the main, larger map, inked circles appear at the following localities: At the intersection of Juanacatlan, Chicontepec and Jalisco streets; at the corner of Fernando and Tula streets; a larger circle with a large ink dot or marking in the center is noted in the area of Bernardino de Sahagun street in the area bordered by Buenavista, Ribera San Cosme, Diaz Bernal and Ponciano Arriaga streets.

INFORMATION CONCERNING BUS TICKET SECTION

The following information was furnished by a confidential source abroad:

On September 3, 1964, RAMON LEDINA PELTRAN, manager of the Mexico City terminal of the Transportes del Norte Bus Company, Insurgentes Sur 137, advised that tickets of that company for travel from Mexico City to Laredo, Texas, // are printed in three sections which are detachable from each other and from a stub which remains in a bound, numbered book of tickets resembling a checkbook in its general appearance. Different colors are used for tickets to different destinations served by the company, and the Mexico, D. F. - Laredo tickets are pink in color. The stub and the three detachable sections of the ticket bear the same serial number, and it is an optional practice for the ticket salesman to place an identification and date stamp on the back of all three sections of the ticket at the time they are delivered to the purchaser. The ticket

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sections are separated by perforations which permit the bus operator to detach the outer section at the time the traveler boards the bus at Mexico City. The second section is detached by the driver at the time of boarding at Monterrey for the last phase of travel to Laredo, and the main section of the ticket remains in the possession of the traveler as a receipt and evidence of entitlement to the transportation.

MEDINA stated that the ticket section found by Mrs. OSWALD as described above, being numbered 13688, is definitely a portion of the ticket which was sold on the basis of a Transportes Chihuahuenses Travel Agency purchase order presented by an individual who was identified on that purchase order as H. O. LEE and was assigned seat No. 12 for travel on October 2, 1963.

INQUIRY CONCERNING "THIS WEEK - ESTA SEMANA"

On September 9, 1964, JUAN MIRANDA, Ramon Alcazar No. 6, Mexico, D. F., advised that he is the distribution manager of the publication, THIS WEEK - ESTA SEMANA." He described this publication as a weekly tourist pamphlet in English and Spanish of approximately 80 pages, which is published weekly at the above address and is distributed widely throughout Mexico, principally in areas frequented by tourists. It is also sent to Mexican Consulates, Mexican tourist bureaus, and airline offices in the United States and other countries. MIRANDA related that much of the information in the pamphlet is repeated from week to week, but data which is subject to change is modernized for each He stated that the publication always bears an issue. inclusive date from Saturday to the following Friday, but it actually leaves the presses in Mexico City at approximately 12:00 noon the previous Thursday. He mentioned that 8,000 copies of the pamphlet, which has been published continuously for almost thirty years, are run off each week, and most of the distribution is gratis. He expressed the firm opinion that the issue of September 28 - October 4, 1963, could not possibly have reached Laredo, Texas, or Nuevo Laredo, Tamaulipas, for distribution by the afternoon of September 26, 1963.

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MOVIE THEATERS OF POSSIBLE INTEREST TO OSWALD

It was advised that on page 31 of the copy of "THIS WEEK," which had been made available by MARINA OSWALD, inked check marks appeared which indicated an apparent interest in the following theaters which were showing the films indicated, all of them being in English with subtitles in Spanish:

- (A) Ariel, Avenida Ejercito Nacional 826, "Mi Novia es del Otro Mundo" (My Sweet-heart is from Another World).
- (B) Chapultepec, Reforma 505, "Las Picaras Doncellas" (The Gay Maidens).
- (C) Diana, Ave. Reforma and Mississippi, "West Side Story."
- (D) Metropolitan, Ave. Balderas and Independencia, "Jose Vendido en Egipto" (Joseph Sold into Egypt).
- (E) Variedades, Ave. Juarez, "The Parent Trap."

The inquiries recorded hereinafter were conducted by a confidential source, who has furnished reliable information in the past, and who provided the results of his inquiries on September 10, 1964:

Photographs of LEE HARVEY OSWALD were shown to various employees of the movie theaters mentioned, with the request that they bear in mind the dates from September 28 to October 2, 1963, in an effort to recall having seen OSWALD at any of the theaters. In order to locate one of the employees, MAXIMINO MOLINA, the leader of the Union of Movie Theater Employees of the Capital, was contacted, and he expressed the opinion that it would be virtually impossible for personnel at the ticket booths or entrances to remember anyone who entered the theater unless the individual was a celebrity whom they recognized from previous familiarity with photographs of the person. In general, the ticket

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salesladies commented that they rarely look up or see the faces of the persons purchasing tickets, as they are occupied with the ticket vending machine and the matter of making correct change. The salesladies and also the ticket takers who are identified in connection with each theater were unable to recall having seen OSWALD at any time other than in newspaper and magazine photographs subsequent to the assassination:

ARIEL - ticket saleslady, EMANTINA COLIN; ticket takers, JUAN ROBLES and FRANCISCO TORRES; and soda fountain clerk, CONSUELO BARROSO. EMANTINA COLIN was no longer employed at the Ariel but was located at the headquarters of the Union of Movie Theater Employees. Other personnel on duty at the theater had not been so employed as of September - October of 1963.

CHAPULTEPEC - ticket saleslady, ELENA URBIOLA; ticket takers, JESUS BARRIENTOS and CARLOS MERCADO; manager of the soda fountain, REBECA CASTANEDA.

DIANA - ticket saleslady, ROSITA RAMOS LUNA; ticket takers, CRISOFOR FRANCO and MARGARITO SANCHEZ; manager of the soda fountain, MARTHA-RIOS.

METROPOLITAN - ticket saleslady, JOSEFINA RAMOS; ticket takers, AGUSTIN LOPEZ and LUIS AQUINA; manager of the soda fountain, CATALINA TORRES; theater manager, LUIS EANCHEZ CORTEZ.

VARIEDADES - ticket saleslady, MARIA DOLORES
FLORES; ticket takers, LEOPOLDO RALMA and MARIO LUEVANO;
manager of the soda fountain, CARMEN LUNA; theater manager,
JOSE OCHOA.

OLIMPIA - ticket saleslady, ADELA ROMERO; ticket takers, ENRIQUE SOTO and FERNANDO VEJAR; manager of the soda fountain, LUCILA MARTINEZ.

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GUIDE MAP OF MEXICO CITY

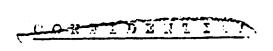
The confidential source abroad advised on September 8, 1964, that a "Guide Map of Mexico City," also described as a "Guia Flecha de la Ciudad de Mexico," published by the "Flecha" (Arrow) printing firm and registered in the name of MANUEL REJON NUNEZ as copyright owner, is widely distributed by the Mexican Government Tourist Department and the Pemex Travel Service in the name of "Pemex," which is the popular name for "Petroleos Mexicanos" (Mexican Petroleum), the Mexican Government monopoly for production and distribution of petroleum products in Mexico. Source stated that the principal features of the above-mentioned map are a full map of Mexico City, an index of streets and districts, an index of points of (tourist) interest, and an enlarged though smaller map of the central area of Mexico City.

(with respect to the points of interest which had been checked on the map described under paragraph (3), information previously has been reported concerning the National Palace, the National History Museum, the Anthropology Museum, and the Fronton (Jai Alai) Mexico.)

The confidential source abroad furnished the following information on September 8, 1964:

Circle in area of Juanacatlan, Chicontepec and Jalisco streets

There is a Pemex gasoline station located in the vicinity of the intersection of Juanacatlan, Chicontepec and Jalisco streets, but this also is the neighborhood of the Soviet Embassy in Mexico, the official address of which is listed in the Mexican Government "Diario Oficial" (Official Daily) as Calzada de Tacubaya No. 204. The Mexico City telephone directory lists the address of the Consular Department of the Soviet Embassy as being C. B. Zetina street No. 12.



Circle in the area of Fernaudo Marquez and Tula streets

The telephone directory of the Federal District of Mexico published in September, 1963; records that the address of the Cuban Consulate in the Mexican capital is located at the corner of Zamora and F. Marquez streets

Hotel del Comercio at Bernardino de Sahagun 19

Earlier inquiries had established that LFE EARVEY OSWALD had lodgings at the Hotel del Comercio, Berrardino de Sahagun (street) No. 19, while in Mexico City in September and early October, 1963. The foregoing street is only one block in length, is often referred to on Mexico City maps as Sahagun because of lack of space to print the longer name, and is the approximate center of the area bordered by Buenavista, Ribera San Cosme, Diaz Bernal and Ponciano Arriaga streets in the J-? area in the main map and in the H-3 locality of the smaller, central area map which is bordered by Bernal Diaz, Ferrocarrileros, Buenavista and Puente de Alvarado streets.

With respect to the inked tracing which begins approximately at the intersection of Puente de Alvarado and Insurgentes streets and terminates at Marco street on Mina, it was observed that the Puente de Alvarado-Insurgentes intersection is located one and one-half blocks from the Hotel del Comercio on Bernardino de Sahagun street and is an embarcation point for numerous bus lines which provide transportation to virtually all areas of the city from that point. It also would be a logical area in which to find a taxi during the rush hours in Mexico City.

Intersection of Mina and Zarco streets

The following information was provided by the confidential source on September 2 and 11, 1964:

In the vicinity of the intersection of Mina and Zarco streets, the only facility of possible tourist interest was found to be the Hotel Astoria, which is located at

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Zarco No. 39. Photographs of OSWALD were displayed to FRANCISCO de la CONCHA and FRANCISCO SAN PEDRO, co-managers of this small hotel, but they advised that they could not recall OSWALD as having been at that hotel at any time. Photographs of OSWALD were displayed to numerous individuals operating small business establishments along Mina and Zarco streets without locating anyone who recognized the photographs or could furnish any information concerning him.

It was observed that several bus lines which provide service to such localities as the downtown area of the city, the airport, and the Villa de Guadalupe Basilica travel along Mina street at this point.

It was also noted that Zarco street is on the route of several bus lines which provide service to the southern section of the city to such points as University City, the bull ring, and the football stadium.

Intersection of Dr. Jimenez, Dr. Jose Terres and Dr. Olvera streets

It was noted that the area of the intersection of Dr. Jimenez, Dr. Jose Terres and Dr. Olvera streets is characterized by small businesses and humble, tenementtype residences. Photographs of OSWALD were displayed to employees and owners of numerous restaurants, lunch stands, automobile repair shops, shoe stores, grocery and dry goods stores, beauty shops, and other establishments in the area without locating anyone who recalled ever seeing OSWALD in Similarly, permanent residents in the proximity of the junction of the three streets were interviewed, and they advised that there are no facilities of tourist interest in the neighborhood and they were not familiar with OSWALD's photographs. Caretakers of the several small apartment buildings in the locality were interviewed, and all insisted that during the past year there had been no Cuban nationals or other foreigners residing in any apartments under their care. They were unable to recall OSWALD from his photographs as having been seen by them personally.

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It was observed that the intersection of the three streets mentioned above is a logical place for boarding busses of a number of lines which provide transportation to numerous facilities of the Federal District.

Arena Coliseo

The Arena Coliseo is a popular boxing and wrestling stadium located at Peru Street No. 77. The manager of the establishment, VICENTE BOCANEGRA, advised that he could not recognize photographs of OSWALD as being of anyone he had ever seen at the Coliseo. He related that on September 28, 1963, a boxing program had been presented, and on the night of September 29, 1963, a wrestling program had taken place. MANUELEZAVALA and HECTOR LOPEZ/VIZCARRA, ticket salesmen, and JUAN BUENTELLO and LUIS BRAVO, ticket takers at the Coliseo on both September 28 and 29, 1963, advised that they did not recognize photographs of OSWALD as having been at the stadium at any time.

National Tourist Department and Remex Travel Club

The tourist information service of the National Tourist Department is located at Juarez Avenue 89, and occupying space in the same general reception room is the Pemex Travel Club. JESUS RODRIGUEZ, manager of the Tourist Department information service at the above address was unable to recognize photographs of OSWALD as being of anyone he had seen at that locality. The following employees of the Pemex Travel Club were interviewed and shown photographs of OSWALD with similar negative results: RAMON ALPIZAR CAYDE, EMILIO TERRANO, ANGEL TERAN, ALFONSO VILLASENOR, MANUEL PERNAS, and ALVARO SANCHEZ ACOSTA.

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The Alameda Central Park and Constitution Square

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The Alameda Central Park is located in the heart of the Mexico City commercial area between Juarez and Hidalgo Avenues and occupies several square blocks of landscaping of monuments, walks, fountains, plants, shrubs and trees. It is provided with numerous benches for the public and access thereto is not controlled in any fashion whatsoever.

The Constitution Square, located in the center of Mexico City and commonly referred to as the "Zocalo," is several acres of paved area surrounded by the National Palace (Federal Government), the headquarters of the government of the Federal District, the National Cathedral, and one block of business establishments. It is traversed by thousands of persons daily and access thereto is not controlled in any manner.

In view of the foregoing, no effort was made to conduct interviews or display photographs of OSWALD in relation to his presumed interest in those localities.

The Palace of Fine Arts

It was observed that the Palace of Fine Arts, which is located to the east of the Alameda Central Park in Mexico City, is a huge building which, in addition to its main theater area where operas, musicals, ballet performances and symphonies are presented during various seasons, has numerous other halls utilized continuously for recitals, art exhibits, and varied special events. Access to the building is not controlled and it is open to the public at all times; consequently, no effort was made to display photographs of OSWALD or interview persons connected with the enterprises which are housed at the Palace of Fine Arts at the present time.

ATRTEL

To: Director, FBI (105-82555)

Date: 9/11/64

From: Legat, Mexico (105-3702) (P)

Subject: LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka

ENCLOSURES

Enclosed herewith are thirteen (13) copies of a letterhead memorandum, dated and captioned as above.

Also enclosed is a Transportes del Norte bus line ticket for travel from Mexico, D. F., to Laredo, Texas, as is currently used by that company and was in use at the time of travel by LEE HARVEY OSWALD on 10/2/63, as well as a copy of a 1964 edition of the Editorial Flecha guide map of Mexico City, which appears to be identical with that recently furnished to the Bureau by MARINA OSWALD,

REFERENCES

cable dated 9/3/64.

SOURCES

The confidential source abroad, referred to in the enclosed letterhead memorandum, is SA ROLF L. LARSON

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MEXICO CITY OFFICE

At Mexico, D. F

Will continue to follow vigorously the investigation outstanding in connection with this case and will report promptly the results thereof.

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No local dissemination is being made of the enclosed letterhead memorandum.

Three extra copies of this airtel are being furnished to the Bureau, together with copies of the enclosed letterhead memorandum, for transmittal to Dallas, the office of origin, and to San Antonio, which has been conducting investigation related to that reported in the enclosed letterhead memorandum.

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LEGAT MEXICO CITY

FROM DIRECTOR FBI (105-82555)

LEE HARVEY OSWALD. IS - R - CUBA.

RE YOUR LETTERHEAD MEMORANDUM SEPTEMBER BLEVEN LAST REPORTING INTERVIEW OF JUAN MIRANDA DISTRIBUTION MANAGER OF PUBLICATION QUOTE THIS WEEK END QUOTE. SOURCES AT LAREDO REPORT PAMPHLET IS GENERALLY RECEIVED SOME FOUR DAYS PRIOR TO THE SATURDAY BEGINNING WEEK COVERED BY PUBLICATION. MIRANDA'S STATEMENT THAT PAMPHLET LEAVES PRESSES ON THURSDAY PRECEDING SATURDAY BEGINNING WEEK COVERED BY PUBLICATION WOULD SEEN TO DEFEAT PURPOSE OF PUBLICATION BY PROHIBITING CIRCULATION THROUGHOUT ALL OF MEXICO PRIOR TO BEGINNING OF WEEK COVERED. NOTE THAT PUBLICATION IS TOURIST GUIDE FOR ALL OF MEXICO. RECONTACT MIRANDA AND IF NECESSARY PUBLISHER OF THE PAMPHLET TO INSURE THAT DATE PAYPRIET LEAVES PRESSES IN MEXICO CITY IS SUCAB. DALLAS ADVISED BY MAIL. ACCURATELY REPORTED. REC- 46

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on 8,28 turned over pamphlet "This Week" This is tourist guide of which was among Oswald's effects. Mexico and issue in question was for week September 28 through

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October 4. In it appeared listing for the Hotel Cuba to which Oswald made reference in talking to fellow passengers on the bus en route Mexico City. Commission has asked if Oswald could have picked up the pamphlet in Laredo en route Mexico City which might explain his knowledge of the Hotel Cuba. San Antonio reports this entirely possible. Legat, Mexico City, reports that according to distribution manager of the publication, this was not possible. It is likely that the distribution manager in Mexico City was confused for if pamphlet does not come off presses until noon on Thursday preceding the week beginning on Saturday it would not be possible to distribute the pamphlet throughout all of Mexico so that it would be of value to tourists in the following week. This seeks clarification of remarks of distribution manager.

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URGENT 9-18-64 TO DIRECTOR (105-82555) FROM LEGAT MEXICO CITY NO. 863

LEE HARVEY OSWALD, IS - CUBA.

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INVESTIGATION MEXICO CITY TODAY CONFIRMS INFORMATION IN MC LHM DATED SEPTEMBER 11 LAST REPORTING DATA FROM JUAN MIRANDA DISTRIBUTION MANAGER OF PUBLICATION "THIS WEEK," THAT PAMPHLET LEAVES PRESSES THURSDAY PRIOR TO SATURDAY OF FIRST DATE THEREON MIRANDA AND ASSISTANT TO EDITOR, ROSA MARIA PEREDA, REAFFIRMED FOREGOING AND MANUAL VELEZ, SHOP FOREMAN AT EDITORIAL CULTURA, WHICH PRINTS PAMPHLET, STATED THAT ONCE OR TWICE A YEAR PRINTING MAY HAVE BEEN COMPLETED PRIOR TO THURSDAY BECAUSE OF EASTER OR OTHER NATIONAL HOLIDAY BUT ON SUCH CASES DISTRIBUTION DOES NOT BEGIN UNTIL THURSDAY. SA ROLF L. LARSON INSTANT THURSDAY PERSONALLY OBSERVED CURRENT MAILING FOR WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 19 TO 25, WHICH MIRANDA STATED WOULD BE PLACED IN POST OFFICE WITH MEXICAN TOURIST DEPARTMENT FRANKING SAME AFTERNOON OF SEPTEMBER 17. ALL PERSONS INTERVIEWED ADVISED THAT WEEKLY SCHEDULE OF PRODUCTION, PRINTING AND COLLECTING LATE INFORMATION THEREIN HAS ESTABLISHED SCHEDULE OF COMPLETION FOR MAILING ON THURSDAY WITH HOPE IT WILL REACH PRINCIPAL DESTINATIONS BY FOLLOWING SATURDAY.

INTERVIEWS CORRECTED INFORMATION PREVIOUSLY PROVIDED BY

MIRANDA RE NUMBER OF COPIES STATING TOTAL COPIES OF PAMPHLET ARE DISTRIBUTED REC-42

Airtel

Legat, Mexico City (105-3702)

From:

Director, FBI (105-82555)

LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka 18 - R - CUBA

Re your summary airtel August 17, Bucab August 31 and your airtel and letterhead memorandum dated September 11, 1964.

In view of results of inquiries into claims of Lima Juarez and in light of our findings concerning travel of Oswald under name H. O. Lee on the Del Norte Line busses on October 2-3, 1963, no further action is desired concerning efforts to locate guests at Hotel Del Comercio or fellow It will not be necessary travelers on Del Norte Line busses. for you to continue efforts to locate Manuel Santos as Commission has been advised Bureau is not taking further action in connection with claims of Lima Juarez.

For completion of Commission's records, submit in form to disseminate a summary of negative investigation to locate remaining hotel guests and bus passengers.

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Lima who claimed to have seen Oswald at Hotel Del Comercio in company of four Cubans has recanted and now denies that he saw Oswald. In addition, his claims concerning number of Cubans at Hotel have been completely discredited. Marina Oswald's action in finding the passenger portion of Oswald's

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Airtel to Legat, Mexico City Re: LEE HARVEY OSWALD 105-82555

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bus ticket on Del Norte Lines which portion match two other portions of ticket we uncovered during our investigation clearly establishes that Oswald traveled on that bus line out of Maxico on 10-2/3-63 under name H. O. Lee. Heretofore Legat has been attempting to locate all of the fellow passengers on these busses. 15 of 29 have been located and one of the passengers identified Oswald. It, therefore, appears that further efforts to locate guests at the Rotel and passengers on the busses are unnecessary. Santos was one of individuals involved in Lima's claims.

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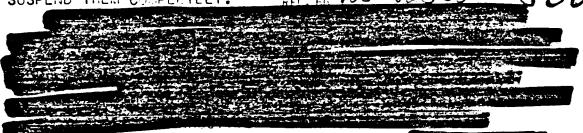
VERY URGENT 9-25-64 TO DIRECTOR (105-82555) FROM LEGAT MEXICO CITY NO. 882 ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED

LEE HARVEY OSWALD, IS - R - CUBA.

REMY TELEPHONE CALL TO ASSISTANT DIRECTOR W. C. SULLIVAN TODAY.

IT IS BELIEVED FOLLOWING FACTORS, WHICH COULD NOT BE MENTIONED IN TELEPHONE CALL FOR SECURITY REASONS, SHOULD BE TAKEN INTO CONSIDERATION IN REACHING DECISION AS TO WHETHER MEXICO LHM OF MAY 18 LAST SHOULD BE DECLASSIFIED IN ORDER TO PERMIT ITS PUBLICATION BY COMMISSION.

WRITER FEELS MOST STRONGLY THAT LHM SHOULD NOT BE DECLASSIFIED AS ITS PUBLICATION WOULD MATERIALLY DAMAGE OUR OPERATIONS IN MEXICO AND CONCEIVABLY WOULD RESULT IN NEED TO HIC. EC 105-82555 SUSPEND THEM COMPLETELY.



INFO CONTAINED PAGES 122 - 127 LHM ON

IF PUBLISHED, PROBABLY WOULD PERMIT THEM READILY TO IDETTIFY THE SOURCE AND WOULD ENABLE THEM AND OTHER MEMBERS OF AMERICAN COMMUNIST GROUP IN MEXICO TO RATHER ACCURATELY ESTIMATE THE DEPTH OF OUR COVERAGE ON THIS GROUP.

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FROM LEGAT MEXICO CITY NO. 882



FINALLY INFORMATION FURNISHED BY EXCELLENT LIAISON CONTACTS OF THIS OFFICE WAS GIVEN AS A RESULT OF CONFIDENCE INSTILLED BY US IN THESE CONTACTS OVER THE YEARS THAT INFORMATION FURNISHED BY THEM TO US WOULD BE HANDLED IN SUCH A MAINER AS TO CAUSE NO EMBARRASSMENT TO THEM.

PUBLICATION OF THE ENTIRE LHM COULD WELL DESTROY THIS CONFIDENCE AND YEARS OF WORK INVOLVED IN ESTABLISHING IT.

IF IT IS STILL FELT THAT THE BUREAU, IN ORDER TO FULFILL ITS COMMITMENTS TO THE PRESIDENT AND THE COMMISSION, SHOULD DECLASSIFY THE LHM, IT IS STRONGLY RECOMMENDED THAT A SANITIZED VERSION OF THE LHM BE PREPARED, OMITTING THOSE PARTS WHICH COULD SERIOUSLY DAMAGE OUR OPERATIONS HERE IF PUBLISHED.

CLARK D. ANDERSON

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To: Legat, Mexico City (105-3702)

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From: Director, FBI (105-82555)

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Reurairtel 6/8/64 enclosing two portions of Del Norte line Ticket Number 9511 issued in connection with travel of Paula Rusioni. Returned herewith are ticket portions in question. Return them to Del Norte line.

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1 - Dallas (100-10461)

1 - Foreign Liaison Unit (Route through for review)

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NOTE:

Tickets in question are not exhibits in this case and were sent for forwarding to San Antonio in an effort to develop facts concerning issuance of exchange tickets for Rusioni. We have succeeded in locating and interviewing this woman. We have no needs for the tickets.

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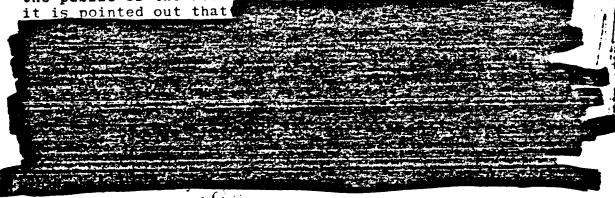
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LEE HARVEY OSWALD Subject: IS - R - CUBA

Enclosed herewith to the Bureau is a copy of Mexico City letterhead memorandum dated 5/18/64, and captioned as above, containing penciled corrections and deletions as suggested by this office.

ReBucab 9/27/64 and Mexico City cables dated 9/25/64 and 9/28/64.

In addition to the problems previously suggested to the Bureau in Mexico City cables of reference in connection with the possible publication and general distribution to the public of the above-mentioned letterhead mem



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URGENT 9-30-64

TO DIRECTOR (105-82555)

FROM LEGAT MEXICO CITY NO. 890

LEE HARVEY OSWALD, IS - CUBA - R.

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US EMBASSY PRESS OFFICER, MEXICO CITY TODAY RECEIVED INQUIRY FROM TWO REPRESENTATIVES OF SPANISH LANGUAGE EDITION OF "LIFE" MAGAZINE WHO ASKED FOR LOCAL ADDRESS OF SYLVIA DURAN, FORMER CUBAN EMBASSY EMPLOYEE HERE WHO DEALT WITH OSWALD DURING VISIT TO MEXICO, FOR INFORMATION ON ALBERT OSBORNE, WHO ALLEGEDLY SAT BY SUBJECT ON BUS TRIP TO MEXICO FROM US, AND IN EFFORT SECURE COPIES OF DOCUMENTS SUCH AS HOTEL REGISTRATION SHEET AND OTHER DOCUMENTS WHICH MAY HAVE BEEN ACQUIRED BY MEXICAN GOVERNMENT DURING ITS INQUIRIES. PRESS OFFICER BELIEVES INQUIRY BASED ON DATA REVEALED IN COMMISSION'S REPORT RELEASED ON SEPTEMBER 27 LAST AND STATED LIFE REPRESENTATIVES PLAN TO PREPARE PICTORIAL PRESENTATION OF SUBJECT'S VISIT TO MEXICO.

EMBASSY PRESS OFFICER CONTACTED THIS OFFICE TODAY CONCERNING ABOVE PRESS INQUIRY AND WAS TOLD LEGAT UNABLE TO ENLARGE ON ANY INFORMATION RELEASED BY COMMISSION.

ABOVE FOR BUREAU'S INFO.

CLARK D. ANDERSON - 5079

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To:

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All Legats Director, FBI (62-100000) From:

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOIN FITZGERALD KERNEDY 11-22-63, DALLAS, TEXAS MISC. - INFO CONCERNING

Although the President's Commission's report on the assas-Bination of President Kennedy has been published, it is anticipated complaints and allegations will continue to be received concerning the assassination. These complaints, allegations and the like must continue to be appropriately investigated and the results reported.

Miscellaneous-type complaints and allegations will be reported under the above caption by Dallas, the office of origin (Dallas file 89-13), while information specifically relating to Loo Harvey Oswald will be reported under the caption "Leo Harvey Ogwald, aka., IS - R - Cuba," Dureau file 105-82555, Pallas file

Investigative results should be prepared in accordance 100-10161. with existing Bureau reporting procedures with the exception that 25 copies of inserts and FD-302s, where necessary, should be furnished to Dallas for incorporation in subsequent reports under the applicable captions.

It cannot be emphasized too strongly that thoroughness of investigation is absolutely essential. It will be the responsibility of the office first receiving the complaints or allegations or to whom the Bureau first refers a matter for invostigation, to conduct a thorough inquiry and promptly initiate logical investigation where necessary. Meticulous care must be taken in preparing investigative results to preclude the necessity of Dallas' making corrections and/or revisions.

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Those matters received, which would appear to require prompt dissemination, should be submitted to the Bureau and Dallas in a letterhead memorandum without property stamp. In those instances where investigative results are furnished by letterhead memorandum, inserts need not be submitted to Dallas. Any question which should arise with regard to the appropriateness of disseminating information, should be resolved in favor of submitting a letterhead memorandum at which time a decision as to dissemination will be made or further instructions issued.

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instructions and to remind our offices and personnel that this matter will continue to be closely followed by the Bureau. The Commission has been requested to advise us to which authority our investigative results should be furnished when the Commission finally terminates all its activities. As of this date we have not been advised; however, all results will be incorporated in report form and dissominated to the Commission or its duly designated authority.

See memorandum Rosen to Belmont, "Assassination of President Kennedy," 10/6/64, RDR: las.

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From:

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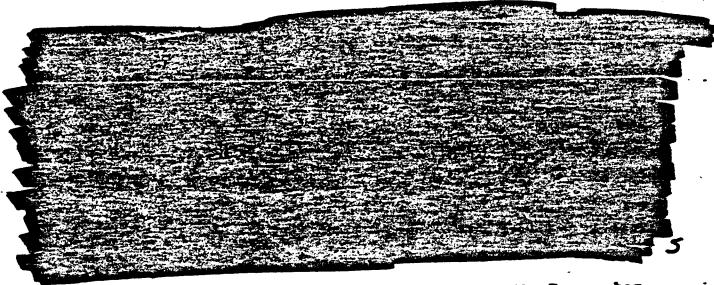
LEE HARVEY OSVALD IS - R - CUDA

Re Legat cable number 885 dated 9/29 last and Legat airtel of same date, one copy of each of which is enclosed for information of Dallas.

Enclosed for Legat are title page and 40 pages of your 5/18 last summary letterhead in this case which have been amended by the Bureau in order to enable declassification of your summary letterhead. The declassified version of your summary letterhead has been reproduced by the Bureau on xerox equipment and, where possible, the pages in your original summary were utilized in the uhclassified version. The 40 pages enclosed herewith, when Enserted among the appropriate pages in your classified letterhead, enstitute the unclassified version furnished to the President's Emmission. Note in this regard that the information set forth on pages 122 through and including 127 of your classified letter-O head has been condensed into pages 122 through and including 124 in the unclassified version. This has necessitated renumbering the pages in the original draft beginning with page 128. The upclassified version is now 178 pages in length as opposed to the 181-page classified version.

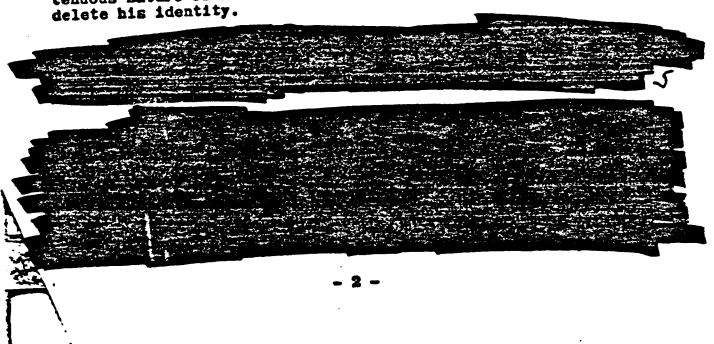
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In preparing the unclassified version, the Bureau has endeavored to include therein results of all investigation, specifically requested by the Commission, and any investigation which was touched upon in the Commissions summary report. Accordingly, it was not possible to completely delete all of the information concerning Charles Small. The information concerning Small furnished by the has been further condensed in the unclassified version and dates when information was furnished by sources have been deleted.

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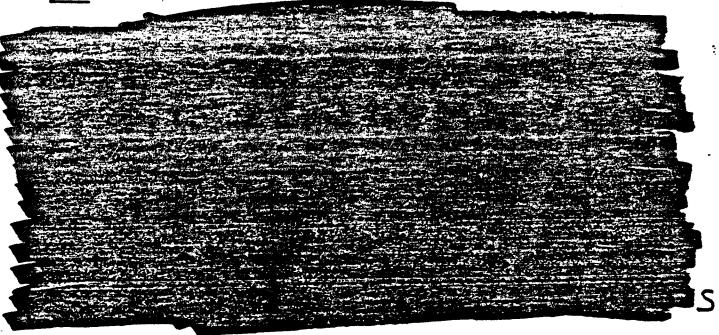
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Enclosed for Dallas in addition to referenced Legat communications are the title page and the 40 amended pages of the unclassified version of Legat's 5/18/64 letterhead.

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10/29/64

Airtel

To:

Legat, Mexico City (105-3702)

From:

Director, FBI (105-82555)

LEE HARVEY OSWALD IS - R - CUBA

ReDuairtel to Legat, Mexico City, 10/12 last enclosing title page and 40 pages of Legat's 5/18 last summary letterhead in this case which were amended by the Bureau in order to enable declassification of Legat's summary letterhead.

At the request of CIA, the Bureau has further amended pages 154 through 157 of the declassified version of summary letterhead by deleting therefrom the name of and other identifying data pertinent to the who is now referred to on amended pages 154 through 157 as source T-32.

Enclosed for Legat and Dallas is one copy each of amended pages 154 through 157.

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These amended pages were furnished to President's Commission on 10/21/64.

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LEE HARVEY OSWALD

The following was received from a confidential source abroad:

Mr. Roland Barrios, former employee of the Chihuahuenses Travel Agency, Mexico, D.F., Mexico, when shown Photostats of the exchange order (Exhibit D-202) issued in connection with the travel of H. O. Lee from Mexico, D.F., Mexico, to Laredo, Texas, via the Transportes del Norte bus line on October 2-3, 1963, stated that the handprinting and signature on this document were his and that undoubtedly he handled the transaction represented by the document. photograph of the tourist card (Exhibit J-3) of Lee Harvey · Oswald was also displayed to Mr. Barrios. He stated that he would interpret the comma following the name "Lee" on the tourist card to indicate surname of the traveler to be "Lee" and, in order to avoid unnecessary writing on the exchange order, he would have used the initials of the first and middle names appearing on the tourist card which he considered to be "Harvey Oswald."

Mr. Barrios stated he could not recall Lee Harvey Oswald or his dealings with him. On viewing the above-described documents, he affirmed that he would have written the name of the traveler as "H. O. Lee" had he copied this name from Oswald's tourist card.

Mr. Barrios stated that he would attempt to reconstruct the events following issuance of the exchange order in question. However, he subsequently advised that he was unable to recall his contact with the traveler for whom he issued the exchange order in the name "H. O. Lee."

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September 4, 1964

LEE HARVEY OSVALD

Concerning the markings on the large and small maps depicted in Exhibit D-240, a confidential source abroad has advised that the central markings in the J-7 and the H-3 areas of these maps define Lee Harvey Oswald's place of residence at the Hotel del Comercio at Bernardin de Sahagun Street, Number 19, Mexico, D.F., Mexico.

Examination by the FBI Laboratory of Exhibit D-237, the portion of the Transportes del Norte bus ticket obtained from Mrs. Oswald, established that D-237 was originally connected to the two ticket stubs depicted in Exhibit D-202. The examination further established that the D-202 ticket stubs were originally connected.

According to a confidential source abroad,

Mr. Ricardo Medina, Mexico City manager of the Transportes del
Norte line explained that tickets issued by his company for
travel from Mexico City, Mexico, to Laredo, Texas, consist
of three sections which are delivered to the purchaser. Each
of these sections bears the same number. According to Mr. Medina
one section is for travel from Mexico City to Monterrey and
the second is for the travel between Monterrey and Laredo,
Texas. The third section, recording the total travel from
Mexico City to Laredo Texas, is retained by the passenger.
This section (Exhibit D-237) records the price of the ticket
to be ninety-three pesos and seventy-five centavos. The
tickets of the Del Norte line are pink in color and are torn
from a bound, numbered book of tickets in which a stub remains
to record the sale thereof.

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October 15, 1964

LEE HARVEY OSWALD

In connection with the availability of the pamphlet "This Week - Esta Semana" in the Laredo area on September 26, 1963, a confidential source abroad has reaffirmed the information obtained from Juan Miranda as set forth on page three of our memorandum in the Lee Harvey Oswald Case dated September 11, 1964, at Washington, D. C.

In this connection, our source advised that Rosa Maria Pereda, assistant to the editor of the pamphlet, and Manual Velez, shop foreman at Editorial Cultura, the firm printing the pamphlet, confirmed that the publication is printed each week on the Thursday immediately preceding the initial date of the publication and that it is mailed on the day it is printed with the hope that it arrives at its principal destination by the following Saturday.

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Letterhead memorandum prepared for dissemination to The President's Commission by 9/16/64 letter. Two xerox copies of original sent to Commission.

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Legat, Mexico City (105-3702)

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Director, FBI (105-82555)

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In addition to the 5/18 summary, the Bureau has declassified 30 other letterheads dealing with investigation in Mexico. The following 25 letterheads as prepared by you have been declassified for inclusion in the Commission's public record of this case:

1. Memorandum portion (3 pages) of 12/2/10

2. LHM of five pages dated 1/13/64. LIM of four pages dated 1/23/CEC 20 LIM of four pages dated 2/20/04. 4. LHM of seven pages dated 3/12/64. LIDI of seven pages dated 3/10/64. 6. LIM of five pages dated 4/8/64. 7. MAILED II LIM of 13 pages dated 4/22/64. 8. LHE of three pages dated 5/4/64. LHE of 24 pages dated 5/11/64. 9. 1.07 - 1.1334 10. LIM of five pages dated 5/18/64. 11. COMM LEI LHW of three pages dated 6/10/64. 12. LIE of three pages dated 6/23/04. 13. LHM of two pages dated 6/23/64. 14. LIIM of four pages dated 6/23/64. 15. LIM of three pages dated 7/9/64. 16. Enclosures - 10 Beimoni 1 - Dallas (100-10461) (Enclosures - 10) Callabor 1 - Foreign Liaison Unit - Route through for review JCS:mec SEE NOTE PAGE THREE. (7)

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17. LIM of four pages dated 7/10/64.
18. LIM of five pages dated 7/21/64.
19. LIM of two pages dated 7/23/64.

20. LIE of two pages dated 7/31/64.

21. Lill of four pages dated 3/7/64.

22. LIM of two pages dated 8/25/64.
23. LIM of five pages dated 8/10/64.

24. LHM of three pages dated 8/23/64.

25. LHH of ten pages dated 9/11/64.

In addition, after partial rewriting by Dureau, the following five LHMs were declassified:

1. LHL of 11 pages dated 3/31/64.

2. LIM of 33 pages dated 4/7/64.

3. LMM of 13 pages dated 4/20/G4.

4. LIEI of 14 pages dated 5/25/64.

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In regard to the latter five items, note that Pureau rewrote only portions of these LIEMs and, where possible, the pages, as prepared by Legat, were reproduced by xerox with classification deleted and these pages were then assembled with copies of pages rewritten at Bureau. In this connection, the following items are enclosed for completion of Legat's and Dallas' files:

1. Copy of amended page one of 3/31/64 LIM.

2. One copy each of amended pages 1, 32, and 33 of the 4/7/64 LPI.

3. One copy each of amended pages

12 and 13 of the 4/20/64 LPI.

4. One copy of complete declassified 5/25/64 LHM in which pages 5, 6, 8, 10, and 11 were rewritten at Bureau and in which other deletions were made in xerox reproduction of pages 1, 9, 12, 13, and 14.

In connection with the seven enclosures to Legat's 4/7/64 letterhead, Bureau has declassified the enclosures which have been designated as Bureau Exhibit D-202 in this case.

In addition, Bureau has furnished to the Commission three letterhead memoranda prepared at Bureau dated September 4, 1964 (2), and October 15, 1964, in which is set forth information

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from three Bureau letters to the Commission which letters the Bureau declined to declassify. One copy each of these three letterheads are enclosed for Legat and Dallas. The information incorporated therein was reported to the Bureau by cable from Legat.

NOTE:

All of the letterheads declassified have been carefully reviewed and all sources therein properly protected.

State Department advised it had no objection to declassifying results of our investigation in this case in Mexico. Enclosures and information reported herein are being furnished to Legat and Dallas for completion of their files and to enable Legat to note exactly what data the Bureau has declassified and to see how Bureau further protected Legat's sources in those memoranda which were rewritten.

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Date:

November 6, 1964

To:

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Central Intelligence Agency

Attention: Deputy Director, Plans

From:

John Edgar Hoover, Director

Subject:

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INTERNAL SECURITY - RUSSIA - CUBA

Reference is made to our letter dated November 4, 1964, advising you of the declassification of various memoranda prepared in this case.

Pursuant to the request of the President's Cormission, we have, in addition, declassified our memorandum of twenty-seven pages dated Harch 16, 1964, at Washington, D. C.

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NOTE FOR LEGAT, MEXICO CITY, AND SAC, DALLAS:

Refer to Buairtel to Legat, Mexico City, 10/30/64. The March 16, 1964, letterhead referred to herein was prepared by Legat, Mexico City, and referred to the individuals who entered Mexico at Nuevo Laredo on 9/26/63.

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