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 FROM: SAC, NEW ORLEANS (100-16601)
 SUBJECT: LEE HARVEY OSWALD
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ReBuairtel to New Orleans 12/20/63 requesting immediate contact with CARLOS QUIROGA for any information he might have concerning contacts with OSWALD.

CARLOS QUIROGA was interviewed 11/27/63, the results of which are set forth on pages 705 and 706 of the report of SA WARREN C. deBRUEYS dated 12/2/63 at Dallas, Texas. The above information is attributed to New Orleans T-5 inasmuch as QUIROGA requested his identity not be disclosed.

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Re Bureau airtel, dated 12/16/63 advising that logical inquiries should be continued at known places of residence of OSWALD in an effort to identify the source of any ammunition purchased by him but that contact with retail outlets as set forth in Chicago teletype to the Bureau 12/4/63 may be discontinued as recommended by Dallas.

Leads based on Chicago teletype of 12/4/63 were set out by Louisville teletype of 12/5/63 for Buffalo, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Los Angeles, Milwaukee and New Haven. Cleveland by teletype dated 12/6/63 set out lead for Pittsburgh. Milwaukee set out lead for New York by teletype dated 12/6/63. No other leads indicated in Louisville file re this phase of investigation.

If investigation based upon Louisville teletype dated 12/5/63, not already completed by offices receiving copies of this airtel such inquiry should be discontinued. If leads have been set out for other auxiliary offices as result of investigation based on Louisville teletype dated 12/5/63, such leads should be discontinued.

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URGENT 11-27-63 6-31 AM CST WW 12 PAGES
TO DIRECTOR AND SAC, DALLAS
FROM SAC, NEW ORLEANS /89-69/

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY, NOVEMBER
TWENTYTWO, SIXTYTHREE, DALLAS, TEXAS.

RE NEW ORLEANS TEL SIX TWENTYSEVEN A.M., NOVEMBER TWENTYSIX
INSTANT.

FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED BY NEW ORLEANS OFFICE
TODAY. ELEVEN TWENTYSIX SIXTYTHREE.

ASSOCIATES OF HARVEY LEE OSWALD,

CONCERNING FELLOW STUDENTS IN NINTH GRADE AT BEAUREGARD
JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOLS/

MRS. JOANNA LOYAKONO, FELLOW STUDENT OF OSWALD IN NINTH
GRADE, FIFTYFIVE DASH FIFTYSIX, ADVISED NOT A CLOSE FRIEND OF
OSWALD BUT SAID FROM HER OBSERVATION HE APPEARED TO BE
INTROVERTED AND UNFRIENDLY. NO CLOSE ASSOICATES KNOWN WITH
POSSIBLE EXCEPTION OF EDWARD VOEBEL PREVIOUSLY INTERVIEWED AND
REPORTED REFTEL.

ALLEGED ASSOCIATION BETWEEN LEE HARVEY OSWALD AND DAVID W. ILLIAM FERRIS

JOSEPH W. EHRLICKER, COMMANDER, LOUISIANA WING, CIVIL AIR PATROL

/CAP/ ADVISED COULD NOT LOCATE CAP APPLICATION FOR OSWALD BUT

LOCATED RECORD REFLECTING OSWALD ENROLLED AS CAP CADET JULY TWENTYSEVEN

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NINETEEN FIFTYFIVE. AT MOISANT FIELD, NEW ORLEANS, UNDER SER/10,
ZERO EIGHT FOUR NINE SIX FIVE. NO TERMINATION DATE LOCATED BUT TERMINATE
WOULD HAVE OCCURRED AUTOMATICALLY DECEMBER THIRTYONE NINETEEN FIFTYFIVE,
IF NOT RENEWED. WAS UNABLE TO LOCATE FILE FOR DAVID W.
FERRIE BEYOND FOUR YEAR DESTRUCTION PERIOD BUT ADVISED
FERRIE/S FIRST PERIOD AS SQUADRON COMMANDER TERMINATED
DECEMBER THIRTYONE NINETEEN FIFTYFOUR. FERRIE LATER
FOUND TO BE WORKING UNOFFICIALLY WITH SQUADRON AT MOISANT
FIELD. IN LATE NINETEEN FIFTYEIGHT FERRIE BECAME AGAIN OFFICALLY
CONNECTED WITH CAP AND WAS AGAIN TERMINATED DECEMBER THIRTYONE
NINETEEN SIXTY.

ERRLICHER IS NOT AQUAINTED WITH OSWALD .

RELATIONS OF LEE HARVEY OSWALD.

FOLLOWING RELATIVES OF LEE HARVEY OSWALD

ON FATHERS SIDE, ARE CURRENTLY RESIDING IN NEW ORLEANS, ^{all} La

ADVISED THEY HAVE NEVER MET LEE HARVEY OSWALD AND HAVE NO

INFORMATION CONCERNING HIM. AUNTS / MRS. JAMES COKER, NEE

HATTIE OSWALD / MRS. ARTHUR A. P. BARRE, NNEE ALICE OSWALD / MRS.

EDMOND C. CARTER, NEE ETHEL OSWALD, AUNT BY MARRIAGE MRS. #BARRE

ADELE F. OSWALD WIDOW OF THOMAS OSWALD / COUSINS MRS.

WILLIAM BROWN NEE FLOY OSWALD / MRS. TONY BEVINETTO, NEE

SHIRLEY OSWALD, DAUGHTERS OF HARVEY OSWALD / MISS ADELE OSWALD,

DAUGHTER OF THOMAS OSWALD.

UNCLES THOMAS, WILLIAM, AND HARVEY OSWALD ARE DECEASED.

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EMPLOYMENT OF LEE HARVEY OSWALD/

ALFRED A. CLAUDE, JR. AND JOHN D. BRANYON FORMER EMPLOYEES OF WILLIAM B. REILY CO., INC., NEW ORLEAND RECALLED OSWALD WORKING AS OILER IN MAINTENANCE DEPARTMENT. OSWALD BEGAN EMPLOYMENT AROUND JUNE ONE LAST. OSWALD DID NOT ASSOCIATE WITH OTHER EMPLOYEES, KEPT TO HIMSELF AND NEVER TALKED ABOUT HIS BACKGROUND. CLAUDE AND BRANYON NEVER SAW OSWALD DRIVE A CAR AND BELIEVED HE CAME TO WORK ON BUS. OSWALD WAS POOR WORKER AND WOULD NOT BE RECOMMENDED FOR EMPLOYMENT. BOTH CLAUDE JR. AND JOHN D. BRANYON ADVISED HAVE NO KNOWLEDGE OF OSWALDS ASSOCIATES OR ACTIVITIES.

S. K. MANSON, PRESIDENT, MANSON MARBLE AND GRANITE COMPANY, FIVE ZERO ONE, NORTH JEFFERSON DAVIS PARKWAY, NEW ORLEANS FURNISHED UNDATED APPLICATION FILLED OUT BY LEE H. OSWALD FOR EMPLOYMENT DURING JULY LAST. OSWALD NOT EMPLOYED AS YARD MAN DUE TO APPARENT ERRORS IN APPLICATION SUCH AS LISTING AGE AS TWENTYFIVE, WHEN HE APPEARED MUCH YOUNGER, AND LISTING TELEPHONE NUMBER WHERE HE WAS NOT RESIDING. OSWALD LISTED CHARLES HARRISON, TULANE UNIVERSITY AS REFERENCE. INVESTIGATION BEING CONDUCTED TO IDENTIFY AND INTERVIEW HARRISON. APPLICATION BLANK BEING FORWARDED TO FBI LAB.

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THE FILES OF GERALD F. TUJAGUE, INC., NEW ORLEANS, REVEALED A RELEASE FROM EMPLOYMENT SIGNED BY LEE HARVEY OSWALD ON JAN. SEVENTEEN FIFTYSIX. ALSO FIVE TIME CARDS IN THE NAME OF LEE HARVEY OSWALD COVERING PERIOD NOV. TEN FIFTYFIVE TO JAN . FOURTEEN FIFTYSIX. A LIST OF EMPLOYEES WHO WORKED FOR THE COMPANY DURING THE SAME PERIOD THAT OSWALD WAS EMPLOYED WAS OBTAINED. OF THIS LIST FIVE ARE STILL EMPLOYED. INTERVIEW WITH FOUR OF THESE PRESENTLY AVAILABLE REVEALED THEY HAD NO INFORMATION REGARDING OSWALD, HIS FRIENDS OR ASSOCIATES.

NEIGHBORHOOD RE LEE HARVEY OSWALD

RECORDS NEW ORLEANS RETAILERS CREDIT BUREAU

REFLECT MARGUERITA OSWALD RESIDED AT FOURTEEN FIFTY FOUR ST MARY STREET, NEW ORLEANS, IN MAY, NINETEEN FIFTY FOUR.

JULIAN EVANS, ¹⁹¹⁰ ONE NINE ONE ZERO PRYTANIA STREET, NEW ORLEANS, ^{La} OWNER OF RESIDENCE AT FOURTEEN FIFTY FOUR ST MARY, ADVISED LEE HARVEY OSWALD RESIDED AT THE ABOVE ADDRESS FROM APPROXIMATELY MAY, NINETEEN FIFTY FOUR TO MAY, NINETEEN FIFTY FIVE. EVANS CHARACTERIZED OSWALD AS HEAD STRONG, BOISTEROUS

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INDIVIDUAL, WHO HOLLERED WHEN ANGRY. OSWALD DID NOT ...
ASSOCIATE WITH ANY NEIGHBORS AND NEVER KNOWN TO TEND TOWARD
VIOLENCE. EVANS HAD NO INDICATION OF DISLOYALTY ON THE PART
OF OSWALD WHILE LATTER LIVED AT ABOVE ADDRESS. LEE HARVEY
OSWALD VISITED EVANS IN SPRING SIXTYTHREE.

EVANS STATED HAD NO KNOWLEDGE CONCERNING ANY ORGANIZATION
OSWALD MIGHT BE AFFILIATED WITH.

FAIR PLAY FOR CUBA COMMITTEE/

HAROLD GORDON ALDERMAN, ^{NY} SIX TWO THREE TWO DELORD ST., NEW ⁵² ORLEANS, ^{D.C. Wash store} ⁶⁻²⁻³⁻² ^{La} ^{La}

ADVISED THAT IN THE SUMMER OF SIXTY THREE ANOTHER
GRADUATE STUDENT AT TULANE UNIVERSITY, HUGH MURRAY, FURNISHED
HIM A HANDBILL WHICH HAD REPORTEDLY BEEN DISTRIBUTED AT THE TULANE
LIBRARY. THE HANDBILL WAS UNDER THE NAME OF THE FAIRPLAY FOR
CUBA COMMITTEE AND CONTAINED THEREON THE STAMPED DESIGNATION
QUOTE A. J. HIDELL, POST OFFICE BOX THREE ZERO ZERO SIX ONE,
NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA UNQUOTE. ALDERMAN DID NOT SEE THE PERSON
WHO DISSEMINATED THE HANDBILL AND HE DID NOT FOLLOW IT UP BY
CORRESPONDENCE WITH HIDELL, NOR DOES HE KNOW ANYONE WHO
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THE PERSON WHO DISSEMINATED THE HANDBILL OR CORRESPONDED WITH
HIDELL. ALDERMAN ACKNOWLEDGED SYMPATHY WITH THE AIMS OF THE
FAIR PLAY FOR CUBA COMMITTEE AND ACTIVITY FOR THE FPCC IN PICKET

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LINES IN WASHINGTON, D. C. AND SEATTLE, WASH., ADDITIONAL TO ACQUIRING FPCC LITERATURE IN NEW YORK CITY. HE SAID, HOWEVER HE DID NOT JOIN THE FPCC COMMITTEE, BECAUSE HE CONSIDERS MEMBERSHIP OF SAME MORE MOTIVATED EMOTIONALLY THEN POLITICALLY. KNOWS OF NO ORGANIZED FPCC ACTIVITY IN NEW ORLEANS AREA, NOR DOES HE KNOW LEE HARVEY OSWALD. HUGH T. ^{8 9 2 6}MURRAY, EIGHT NINE TWO SIX DIXON ST., NEW ORLEANS, LA., FORMER TULANE GRADUATE STUDENT, ADVISED THAT IN ABOUT MAY, SIXTY THREE HE PICKED UP A HANDBILL FROM A STACK WHICH HAD BEEN LEFT IN THE FOYER AT TULANE UNIVERSITY LIBRARY. HE RECALLS IT WAS TITLED QUOTE HANDS OFF CUBA UNQUOTE AND SPONSORED BY THE FPCC COMMITTEE. HE RECALLS THAT IT HAD A NAME AND BOX NO. STAMPED ON IT BUT DOES NOT RECALL THE DESIGNATION. HE SAID HE KNOWS NO ONE WHO FOLLOWED UP THE HANDBILL BY CORRESPONDENCE AND HE DOES NOT RECALL EVER HAVING MET LEE HARVEY OSWALD.

CHARLES HALL STEELE, JR. VIEWED PHOTOS ^{La} TAKEN BY W D S U TV AUGUST SIXTEEN, SIXTYTHREE OF OSWALD PASSING OUT HANDBILLS IN FRONT OF THE INTERNATIONAL TRADE MART, NEW ORLEANS. THESE PHOTOS SHOWED SEVERAL UNIDENTIFIED PERSONS IN ADDITION TO OSWALD AND STEELE.

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STEELE WAS UNABLE TO IDENTIFY ANY PERSON SHOWN IN THESE PHOTOGRAPHS OTHER THAN LEE HARVEY OSWALD AND STEELE, HIMSELF.

MISC. INVESTIGATION RE OSWALD/

HOWARD J. HERBERT, DIRECTOR OF ADMISSIONS, CHARITY HOSPITAL, ADVISED HOSPITAL RECORDS INDICATED THAT ON JUNE EIGHT, SIXTYTHREE, MARINA PROASAKAVA OSWALD, ⁴⁻⁹⁻⁰⁷ FOUR NINE ZERO SEVEN MAGAZINE ST. AND LEE OSWALD EXECUTED APPLICATION REVEALING ^{New Orleans, La.} MARINA OSWALD REQUESTED MEDICAL TREATMENT IN REGARD TO OBSTETRICS. ADDRESS LISTED AS FOUR NINE ZERO SEVEN MAGAZINE ST., NEW ORLEANS, AGE TWENTYTWO, WF, ⁷⁻¹⁷⁻⁴¹ BORN JULY SEVENTEEN, FORTYONE, ARXANGLESH, RUSSIA. HUSBAND LISTED AS LEE OSWALD, AGE TWENTYTHREE, UNEMPLOYED PHOTOGRAPHER. MARINA LISTED AS PHARMACIST IN RUSSIA. DEPENDENT LISTED AS DAUGHTER, JUNE, AGE SIXTEEN MONTHS, BORN MINSK, RUSSIA. EMPLOYMENT OF LEE OSWALD SHOWN FROM OCTOBER, SIXTYTWO TO JANUARY, SIXTYTHREE AS TOPOGRAPHICAL CO., FORT WORTH, TEXAS, SALARY FIFTY DOLLARS PER WEEK. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER LISTED AS FOUR THREE THREE FIVE FOUR THREE NINE THREE SEVEN. NOTATIONS INDICATE DISHONORABLE DISCHARGE FROM USMV, SERVICE NO. ONE SIX FIVE THREE TWO THREE ZERO. APPLICATION SIGNED LEE W. OSWALD. APPLICATION REFUSED

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DUE TO INSUFFICIENT LA. RESIDENCE.

LEAD CONCERNING ABOVE EMPLOYMENT HAS BEEN SET OUT
BY PRIOR COMMUNICATION.

CONCERNING POSSIBILITY OSWALD MAY HAVE RECEIVED OR APPLIED
FOR WELFARE BENEFITS/

MRS. KATHERINE M. JUBLIN, DIRECTOR COMMUNITY INFORMATION
SERVICE, SOCIAL WELFARE PLANNING COUNCIL, TWO ONE ONE CAMP STREET,
NEW ORLEANS, LA. ADVISED PEOPLE NOT ELIGIBLE FOR BENEFITS FROM
LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE WERE MANY TIMES REFERRED
TO HER TO DETERMINE WHAT, IF ANY, AGENCY SUCH PEOPLE COULD
RECEIVE AID FROM. JUBLIN ADVISED OSWALD WOULD NOT HAVE QUALIFIED
FOR BENEFITS FROM LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE AND
SHE WAS OF THE OPINION THAT THE TRAVELERS AID SOCIETY WOULD
HAVE BEEN THE MOST LIKELY AGENCY THAT SHE WOULD HAVE REFERRED OSWALD
TO HAD HE COME TO HER FOR COUNSEL. JUBLIN ADVISED RECORD
GENERALLY MADE OF ALL INDIVIDUALS COMING TO HER SERVICE BUT ON
OCCASION WHEN PERSON WAS REFERRED ON TO ANOTHER AGENCY THAT NO
RECORD KEPT. JUBLIN CAUSED SEARCH OF HER RECORDS TO BE
MADE FOR OSWALD UNDER TRUE NAME AND ALL KNOWN ALIASES
AND ADVISED NO RECORD LOCATED. SEARCH OF RECORDS FOR
LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE AND TRAVELERS AID SOCIETY,
NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA, ALSO NEGATIVE.
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CONCERNING INFORMATION THAT OSWALD ATTENDED A MEETING OF NEW ORLEANS ASTRONOMY ASSOCIATION/

RALPH HARTWELL, FORMER VICE PRESIDENT, NEW ORLEANS ASTRONOMY ASSOCIATION, ADVISED NO RECORD IDENTIFIABLE WITH OSWALD IN ASSOCIATIONS FILES^A AS A MEMBER OR ATTENDING ANY MEETINGS.

RE CHECK OF BANKS OF NEW ORLEANS/

NO RECORD FOUND OF CHECKING, SAVINGS, OR LOAN ACCOUNT OR SAFE DEPOSIT BOX IN BANK IN NEW ORLEANS AREA IN ^{NAME} AMEN OF LEE HARVEY OSWALD.

RECORD CHECKS RE/ OSWALD/

NO RECORD FOUND FOR LEE HARVEY OSWALD AT LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, INCOME TAX DIVISION, LOUISIANA DRIVERS LICENSE DIVISION OR LOUISIANA^S MOTOR VEHICLE DIVISION, NEW ORLEANS SANITATION DEPARTMENT.

EFFORTS TO IDENTIFY A. J. HIDELL/

RECORDS OF FOLLOWING CHECKED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS AS TO ANYONE NAME HIDELL.

LOUISIANA STATE SELECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM, ALL BANKS IN CITY OF NEW ORLEANS, CHECKING AND SAVINGS, LOAN ACCOUNTS AND BANK BOXES. NEW ORLEANS RETAILERS CREDIT BUREAU. NEW ORLEANS POLICE DEPARTMENT. NEW ORLEANS SCHOOL BOARD. NEW ORLEANS PUBLIC LIBRARY. ORLEANS^S PARISH REGISTRAR OF VOTERS.

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LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, INCOME TAX DIVISION. LOUISIANA
MOTOR VEHICLE DIVISION. LOUISIANA DRIVERS LICENSE BUREAU.

NEW ORLEANS SANITATION DEPARTMENT. NEW ORLEANS PUBLIC SERVICE,
INC., UTILITIES.

MISCELLANEOUS INVESTIGATION RE OSWALD/


 NEW ORLEANS, ^{LCC} HAS ADVISED THAT A FRIEND,
ROBERT SANTONIE, RESIDING IN AN APARTMENT AT THREE ZERO

TWO THREE ESPLANADE, NEW ORLEANS, HAD TOLD HER ONE OR

ABOUT NOV. TWENTYTHREE LAST THAT HE HAD KNOWN AS

INDIVIDUAL WHO HUNG AROUND THE EXCHANGE ALLEY AREA OF

THE FRENCH QUARTER IN THE SPRING OF SIXTYTHREE, WHO HE

BELIEVED WAS IDENTICAL TO LEE HARVEY OSWALD. SANTOINE

HAD DESCRIBED THIS INDIVIDUAL AS A HOMOSEXUAL AND RECALLED

A CONVERSATION WITH THIS INDIVIDUAL IN WHICH OSWALD WANTED

TO KNOW WHERE HE COULD OBTAIN WEAPONS SO THAT HE COULD SEND THEM

TO CUBA AS A GOOD PRICE COULD BE OBTAINED FOR

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WEAPONS. SANTONINE HAD INDICATED THAT HIS INDIVIDUAL WAS GREEDY AND WOULD DO ANYTHING FOR MONEY.

SANTOINE ALSO INDICATED THAT THIS INDIVIDUAL HAD HUNG AROUND WANDA STOMPE/S AND THE SOCIETY PAGE BARS IN THE FRENCH QUARTER, NEW ORLEANS.

[REDACTED] REQUESTED HER IDENTITY NOT BE REVEALED TO SANTOINE AS THE SOURCE OF THIS INFORMATION AS SANTOINE HAD NOT WANTED TO BECOME INVOLVED WITH LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICIALS AS HE WAS THEN ON PAROLE FROM LSP AND DID NOT WANT HIS ASSOCIATION WITH THIS INDIVIDUAL KNOWN. *Robert Santoin*

RECORDS OF THE NIPD, SHOW A ROBERT MILTON/SANTOINE, NOPD NUMBER SEVEN SEVEN ONE TWO ONE, FBI NUMBER FIVE ONE FIVE ZERO NINE SEVEN DASH C AS HAVING ARRESTS FOR CRIME *LA* AGAINST NATURE DASH SODOMY, SIMPLE BURGLARY AND CONTRIBUTING TO THE DELINQUENCY OF JUVENILES.

INVESTIGATION TO LOCATE AND INTERVIEW SANTOINE BEING CONDUCTED.

RE LONNIE BEN MORGAN REFERRED TO IN NEW ORLEANS *LA*
TEL NOV. TWENTY SIX, SIX TWENTY SEVEN AM.

FRIENDS, BUSINESS ASSOCIATES AND NEIGHBORS OF LONNIE MORGAN ADVISE MORGAN DOES NOT AGREE WITH RACIAL AND OIL ALLOWABLE.
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POLICIES OF PRESENT ADMINISTRATION BUT MORGAN HAS NEVER INDICATED OR MENTIONED ANY FUND OR CONTRIBUTION QUOTE TO GET RID OF OR KILL PRESIDENT KENNEDY UNQUOTE THE ONLY KNOWN ORGANIZATION MORGAN IS A MEMBER OF IS THE MASONIC ORDER. THERE ARE NO KNOWN FRIENDS , ACQUAINTANCES OR ASSOCIATES OF MORAGAN IN DALLAS, TEXAS, AREA. OWNER OF BILLIES CAFE, LAKE CHARLES, LA., ADVISES MORGAN UNKNOWN TO HER AND NO PERSON HAS CONTACTED HER ABOUT CONTRIBUTING TO FUND QUOTE TO GET RID OF KENNEDY UNQUOTE. DISTRICT SUPERVISOR OF MORGAN AT CONTINENTAL OIL COMPANY STATES HE IS IN CONTACT WITH MORGAN TWO OR THREE TIMES DAILY AND PERSONALLY OBSERVED MORGAN IN CONTINENTAL OFFICES AT LAKE CHARLES DURING THE MORNING HOURS OF ELEVEN TWENTYTWO SIXTYTHREE AND SENT MORGAN TO RIG IN GULF OF MEXICO DURING THE AFTERNOON. HE RECIEVED RADIO COMMUNICATION FROM MORGAN AT ABOUT THREE PM ELEVEN TWENTYTWO SIXTYTHREE. RECORD OF TELEPHONE CALLS FROM ^HPHONE OF MORGAN FOR PERIOD NINE DASH TEN SIXTYTHREE NEGATIVE, FOR ANY CALL TO OR FROM DALLAS, TEXAS, AREA.

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TO DIRECTOR /105-82555/ AND SAC, DALLAS /100-10461/
FROM SAC, NEW ORLEANS /100-16601/

LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA., IS DASH R.

RE DALLAS TEL DEC. NINETEEN TO JACKSONVILLE, KNOXVILLE,
MEMPHIS, MIAMI AND NEW ORLEANS.

RE JAMES FREDERICK MURPHY.

JOHN DONALD ALONZO, COACH, CATHEDRAL HIGH SCHOOL,
NATCHEZ, MISS., FATHER THOMAS FULLAM, PASTOR, ST. MARY
CATHEDRAL, NATCHEZ, MISS. AND BISHOP R. O. GEROW, DIOCESE
OF NATCHEZ DASH JACKSON, JACKSON, MISS. ALL ADVISE NOT
ACQUAINTED WITH JAMES FREDERICK MURPHY.

Handwritten notes:
- *Shedli*
- *Partridge*
- *Ch...*
- *...*

ALONZO STATES HAS NOT BEEN TO DALLAS, TEXAS SINCE
NINETEEN FIFTY. FATHER FULLAM HAS NOT BEEN IN STATE OF
TEXAS IN PAST FIFTEEN YEARS. BISHOP GEROW STATES HAS NOT
BEEN TO DALLAS, TEXAS FOR APPROXIMATELY TWO OR THREE YEARS
AND HAS NEVER STAYED IN YMCA, DALLAS.

DALLAS ADVISE REASON FOR BELIEF ABOVE INDIVIDUALS MAY
HAVE KNOWLEDGE OF MURPHY.

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JOHN F. KENNEDY, 11/22/63,
DALLAS, TEXAS

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See Oswald

Enclosed to Bureau are eight copies of letterhead memorandum.

Enclosed for Dallas are two copies of this letterhead memorandum.

One copy has been furnished to Secret Service, San Antonio, Texas.

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November 25, 1963

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT
 JOHN F. KENNEDY, November 22, 1963
 DALLAS, TEXAS

Records of Mexican Immigration Service, Nuevo Laredo, Mexico, disclose that LEE HARVEY OSWALD entered Mexico at Nuevo Laredo, Mexico, on September 26, 1963. At time of entry OSWALD's age was given as 23, occupation photographer, residence New Orleans, and destination Mexico City. His mode of transportation was not indicated. Immigration records carry name as LEE HARVEY OSWALD.

On October 3, 1963, OSWALD departed Mexico at Laredo, Texas, and the records of the Mexican Immigration Service indicate OSWALD was traveling by automobile.

No record of OSWALD having registered an automobile as required by Mexican Customs laws at time he entered into Mexico.

Mexican
 Immigration Inspector HELIO TUEXI MAYDON, an elderly man who admitted OSWALD into Mexico, advised that he thinks he recalls OSWALD's entry into Mexico and that he was of opinion that OSWALD may have been accompanied by a young couple.

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 Records of Mexican Immigration Service disclose that the only young couple entering Mexico on September 26, 1963, was BILL STEVY ALLEN, age 25, engineer, Miami, Florida, and his wife ELAINE ESTERMAN ALLEN, age 24, teacher, Miami, Florida. Mr. ALLEN had Mexican Immigration Tourist card number 47905, and his wife, ELAINE, had tourist card number 47906.
Bill Steve Allen *Report 1939*

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FROM: SAC, DALLAS (100-10461)

B. J. JAMES, aka "BRJ"; JOHN CONNALLY,
GOVERNOR, STATE OF TEXAS - VICTIM
EXTORTION
OO: SAN ANTONIO

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT
FITZGERALD KENNEDY, 11-22-63
DALLAS, TEXAS
MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION CENTER
OO: DALLAS
DALLAS FILE 89-43

LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka
IS R CUBA
OO: DALLAS
DALLAS FILE 100-10461

Re San Antonio teletype to Bureau and Oklahoma City
12-27-63 which is quoted as follows:

"Today O. NEWT HUMPHREYS, Jr., Chief, Internal
Security Division, Texas DPS, Austin, Texas, made available to

- ③ - Bureau
- 2 - Atlanta
- 2 - Kansas City
- 2 - Oklahoma City
- 2 - San Antonio
- 2 - Dallas (100-10461)

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SA H. T. BURK a typewritten letter dated 12-12-63 addressed to Honorable JOHN CONNALLY, Governor of Texas, Austin, Texas, postmarked McAlester, Okla., 12-16-63, 4:00 P.M., unsigned but bearing typewritten initials 'BRJ'.

Return typed address on envelope reads 'B. J. JAMES, General Delivery, McAlester, Oklahoma'. HUMPHREYS advised above letter turned over to his office as 'crank letter' by Governor's Office and inquiry through Chief of Police, McAlester, Okla., failed to identify B. J. JAMES or B. R. JAMES and Texas DPS unable to identify same from available information. Letter reads as follows:

'December 12, 1963, Honorable JOHN CONNALLY, Governor, State of Texas, Austin, Texas.
Dear Governor CONNALLY, LYNDON JOHNSON was desperate to be President of the United States and Major EDWIN A. WALKER is desperate to be Governor of the State of Texas. What were these men's chances to achieve their ambition with JOHN F. KENNEDY and JOHN CONNALLY alive? --- So they began early in 1963 to plan the assassination of YOU and President KENNEDY. It was understood that Mr. JOHNSON would immediately take over the duties as President of the U. S. and be in a position to direct all investigations into the assassinations; as has been the case thus far. Following a closeout of investigations Mr. JOHNSON was to begin using his influence as President to aid Major WALKER's bid for Governor of Texas during the next election in Texas.

'Trace all LEADS - Major WALKER had his house fired into early in the year. Mr. JOHNSON had a private interview filmed of himself in which he stated how happy he was as Vice President. At the same time it had been hinted that Mr. JOHNSON might be dropped from the Democratic ticket as President KENNEDY's running mate in 1964. Mr. JOHNSON remembered what happened to JACK GARNER and HENRY WALLACE. Hence they began the plans for the double assassination.

• You will note that Major WALKER has been a frequent visitor to New Orleans, the place where OSWALD has lived until it was announced that President KENNEDY was coming to Texas. (Who arranged this Texas trip for the President?) Who secured this job for OSWALD in this PARTICULAR building? Whose STATION wagon from Texas had transported OSWALD to and from New Orleans? Who arranged the parade in Dallas? Who designated this particular STREET at this PARTICULAR hour? Why was Mr. JOHNSON's car arranged so far from the President's car? Why the Governor, President and Vice President were not riding together in the same car and their wives in another? Why did Major WALKER leave town at the time of the President's visit? Why the Police of Dallas didn't offer you, the President and OSWALD any more protection than a BOY SCOUT PATROL of three boys with hand axes? Why was the LADY judge so handy for swearing Mr. JOHNSON in as President? Pen her in for information. Why was she so well prepared to go on the plane? Whose Bible was used? Why nothing has been said about her since? Why Mr. JOHNSON didn't let Mr. HOOVER and the FBI complete the investigation? Why bring Justice WARREN into the picture? Mr. JOHNSON knows that Justice WARREN is not going into the South to gather information about President KENNEDY's assassination. Mr. JOHNSON knows that Judge WARREN is not well favored by the leading politicians of the South. Mr. JOHNSON knows that the people in authority in the South are not going to give Judge WARREN much information about the assassination of President KENNEDY.

• Why is Mr. JOHNSON shielding his girls with so much protection? (He is afraid someone will get information from them about the assassination).

• Mrs. JOHNSON's family and friends are mostly located in Alabama and some high officials from that way have been recent visitors to President KENNEDY's home state. For what purpose?

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- 'You are still the number ONE man on the JOHNSON and WALKER LIST. If they are not exposed and brought to trial they will continue to carry through their plans.
- 'All these threats on Major WALKER and Mr. JOHNSON are prepared hoax to divert attention from their HIDEOUS crimes.
- 'Who had OSWALD's wife to lie about the April shooting into the WALKER home??????
- 'Has there been an investigation of the LBJ Ranch to see if they were really prepared for the President and his party?
- 'Why some of the party didn't go to the ranch?
- 'It is understood that there was not to have been a Dallas parade. Who planned it? Why along this street where OSWALD had been working?????
- 'What about the other workers of this building?
- 'RUBY was selected beforehand to carry out this mission--just in case./s/ BRJ'
- 'The above letter has been discussed with USA, San Antonio on 12-27-63 and prosecution under extortion statute declined.
- 'OC endeavor to identify JAMES.
- 'Secret Service will be advised if JAMES is considered potentially dangerous.'

Dallas indices reflect B. J. JAMES is one of many aliases of ELDRIDGE SOLOMON PRICE, FBI No. 451137, who in January, 1960 was described as follows:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Date of Birth	7-4-92 or 94 at Johnson County, Georgia

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Height	5' 6"
Weight	194 lbs.
Hair	White
Eyes	Hazel
Complexion	Ruddy
Characteristics	Wears moustache and glasses; well-dressed

The information available in the Dallas files reflects that PRICE was sentenced 11-22-57 to seven years in custody of the Attorney General, by U. S. District Judge FRANK A. HOOPER, in Georgia (Atlanta file 87-2762; Bufiles 87-45727, 62-20548 and 50-2683).

Dallas files also reflect that on 1-22-60 PRICE was removed from the El Paso County Jail, El Paso, Texas by the U. S. Marshal, en route to the Federal Penitentiary at Leavenworth, Kansas.

It is not known by the Dallas Office if PRICE is now in custody. He is known from available information at Dallas to have threatened people on several occasions.

LEADS

REQUEST OF BUREAU

Will check the identification records for PRICE under FBI No. 451137 to determine if he may now be in custody and thus eliminate him as the writer of the letter referred to above.

THE KANSAS CITY DIVISION

AT LEAVENWORTH, KANSAS

Will ascertain if PRICE is in custody at the Federal Penitentiary, and, if not, determine his release date and indicated destination and set out leads to have him interviewed.

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THE ATLANTA DIVISION

Review its files concerning PRICE to determine if PRICE's present whereabouts known, and, if not in custody, set out lead to have him interviewed re letter set forth above.

All offices receiving this communication are requested to endeavor to identify JAMES in order that he may be interviewed in connection with captioned Dallas case, 100-10461.

1-6-64

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TO: SAC, Dallas (100-10461)

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FROM: Director, FBI (105-82555)

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**B. J. JAMES, AKA "BRJ"; JOHN CONNALLY,
GOVERNOR, STATE OF TEXAS - VICTIM
EXTORTION
OO: SAN ANTONIO**

**ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN
FITZGERALD KENNEDY, 11-22-63,
DALLAS, TEXAS
MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION CONCERNING
OO: DALLAS
DALLAS FILE (89-49)**

**LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA.
IS R CUBA
OO: DALLAS
DALLAS FILE (100-10461)**

Reurairtel 12-31-63 captioned as above.

**Records of the Identification Division indicate that Eldridge
Solomon Price, FBI Number 451137 was received at the Federal Penitentiary,
Leavenworth on 1-24-60 to commence serving a seven year sentence. These
records further indicate he was transferred to the FCI, Seagoville, Texas,
on 11-13-62. Identification records do not indicate if Price is still incarcerated.**

**For the information of receiving offices, the data contained
in San Antonio teletype to the Bureau and Oklahoma City dated 12-27-63 was
furnished to the headquarters of Secret Service on 12-30-63. Logical efforts
should be continued to identify sender of the anonymous communication.**

- 3 - Atlanta
- 2 - Kansas City
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- 2 - San Antonio

- 1 - J. P. O'Keeffe
 - 1 - O. H. Bartlett
- RDR:map

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NOTE:

Above referenced Dallas airtel and San Antonio airtel 12-27-63 relates to a communication dated 12-12-63 directed to Governor John Connally of Texas, which was postmarked at McAlester, Oklahoma, on 12-16-63, and bore the return address of B. J. James. The letter, which was quite lengthy, indicates the assassination of President Kennedy and the wounding of Connally was a deliberate conspiracy on the part of President Lyndon Johnson and Major General Edwin A. Walker to eliminate President Kennedy and Governor Connally so that they could succeed to the Presidency of the United States and Governorship of Texas. It also cautions Governor Connally to be careful as he is "the number one man on the Johnson and Walker list." This information has been furnished to Secret Service in Washington, D. C.

In re airtel Dallas has come up with a suspect in Eldridge Solomon Price, who has in the past threatened people. Investigation is being conducted to run Price out as a suspect.

Identification Division records checked by Louise Oakes on 1-3-64 and furnished to Rogge.

Inasmuch as this letter was directed to the Governor of Texas and makes allegations concerning prominent individuals, including the President of the United States, it is felt we should make reasonable efforts to determine the author of the communication.

Memorandum

TO : SAC, New Orleans (100-16601)

DATE: 11/26/63

FROM : *MRK* SA MILTON R. KAACK

SUBJECT: LEE HARVEY OSWALD
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This case was assigned to me on 7/18/63, at which time LEE HARVEY OSWALD's residence was unknown. A residence address was obtained on 7/23/63, which address proved fictitious.

A change of address was received from New York on 7/20/63 which OSWALD forwarded to "The Worker" and this was verified and his employment ascertained on 8/5/63 through investigation. By communication dated 8/13/63 Dallas was requested to submit FD-128.

Meanwhile the subject was arrested for disturbing the peace on 8/9/63. It was at this time he was distributing what was alleged Fair Play for Cuba Committee material.

OSWALD was interviewed at the New Orleans Police Department on 8/10/63. On 8/17/63 and 8/21/63, OSWALD was interviewed by a radio commentator and the interview on the latter date was broadcast. On 8/22/63 and 8/30/63 transcripts of OSWALD's interviews were obtained and reviewed.

The records of the New Orleans Police Department and the Office of the Clerk of Municipal Court, New Orleans, were examined on 8/27 and 8/28/63 respectively. On 8/30/63 the radio commentator, BILL STUCKEY, was interviewed and additional information was secured from him.

Informants and sources familiar with Cuba and Communist Party activities were contacted on 9/9, 9/10 and 10/1/63 regarding OSWALD.

On 10/1/63 it was learned that OSWALD had moved from his place of residence at New Orleans on or about September 25, 1963 and on the same date it was learned that he had terminated

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his employment on 7/19/63. As soon as it was learned that OSWALD left New Orleans, request was forwarded to the Dallas Office on 10/2/63 to attempt to determine OSWALD's whereabouts through relatives and acquaintances in Vernon and Fort Worth, Texas, also pointing out that OSWALD's wife was expecting a second child due about mid-October, 1963.

New Orleans obtained a forwarding address for the subject on 10/25/63 and an airtel furnishing this information was sent to Dallas on the same date.

On 10/31/63 an investigative report covering all investigation conducted to date was submitted to the Bureau and Dallas.

In addition to the above report, a letterhead memorandum concerning OSWALD's arrest was submitted on 9/24/63, pursuant to Bureau instructions set out in Bulet 8/21/63. It should be pointed out that it was necessary to obtain a characterization from New York of CORLISS LAMONT prior to the time this letterhead memo was submitted. New York was requested by airtel dated 9/12/63 to furnish a characterization on LAMONT which New York supplied by airtel received 9/21/63.

Although the investigative period in New Orleans report dated 10/31/63 extended from 7/23/63 through 10/25/63, continuous attention was afforded this case during this period.

An examination of the file reflects this case was not delinquent from the time same was assigned to me until it was RUC'd to Dallas on 11/19/63.

Based on the information received and the fact that a letterhead memorandum suitable for dissemination and other interoffice communications were prepared during the period this case was pending, a report was not written until 10/31/63.

It is noted that I planned to write a report the first week in October, 1963 but when I recontacted a neighborhood source, it was determined the OSWALD family had moved. My immediate concern upon learning this was to set out leads to locate OSWALD and appropriate leads were set out by airtel dated 10/2/63.

OSWALD had not been recommended for inclusion in the Security Index by the New Orleans Office since his activities did not appear to fit the criteria set forth on page 45, Section 87 of the Manual of Instructions. Although he had distributed alleged Fair Play for Cuba material in New Orleans, it has never been established that such an organization existed in the New Orleans area.

In this connection, it is noted that five sources familiar with Cuban activities in New Orleans area were contacted during the month of September, 1963 and each advised he had no knowledge regarding OSWALD or any of the alleged activities of the Fair Play for Cuba organization in New Orleans, except the information concerning OSWALD's arrest on 8/9/63 and OSWALD's distribution of alleged Fair Play for Cuba material. These contacts were made in connection with an investigation conducted for the purpose of determining whether a Fair Play for Cuba Committee group was active in New Orleans.

At the time my report of 10/31/63 was submitted and the subsequent FD-128 was forwarded to the Bureau and Dallas, there had been no corroboration to OSWALD's statement that there was an active Fair Play for Cuba Committee in New Orleans. In view of this, it appeared that a recommendation to place him on the Security Index would be premature.

Memorandum

TO : Assistant Director JAMES H. GALE

DATE: 11/26/63

FROM : SAC H. G. Maynor, New Orleans (100-16601)

SUBJECT: LEE HARVEY OSWALD
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Security Matter cases are assigned to the desk of
SAC H. G. MAYNOR.

I have reviewed this file and agree with the
comments made in the memorandum of explanation submitted
by SA MILTON R. KAACK.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : J. H. Gale

DATE: November 29, 1963

FROM : L. L. Anderson

SUBJECT: LEE HARVEY OSWALD
INTERNAL SECURITY - R - CUBA

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Belmont	_____
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Tele. Room	_____
Holmes	_____
Gandy	_____

SCOPE OF SUPERVISION:

Captioned matter was referred to me on 8/16/63 by Soviet Section, which had been conducting inquiries regarding subject and wife, for consideration of Fair Play for Cuba (FPCC) aspects. An identification record had been received in view of security flash placed by Soviet Section indicating Oswald was arrested 8/9/63 in New Orleans for disturbing the peace. A New Orleans "Times Picayune" newspaper clipping 8/13/63 was also received indicating Oswald was distributing FPCC literature when arrested.

By Bureau letter 8/21/63 I set forth background information regarding Oswald and instructed New Orleans to ascertain facts concerning subject's distribution of FPCC literature, including nature of literature, following which contact should be made with established sources familiar with Cuban activities in the New Orleans area to determine whether subject involved in activities inimical to internal security of the U.S. New Orleans was instructed to submit results in letterhead memorandum form suitable for dissemination with appropriate recommendation regarding further action. It is noted there was no previous information in Bureau files of any FPCC activities in the New Orleans area.

A request was also set forth for Dallas to advise status of lead outstanding under Soviet Section SOBIR Program so that Bureau might be in possession of all pertinent data developed to date regarding subject. Soviet Section was advised and furnished results of SOBIR lead set forth in Dallas airtel 8/23/63. I was later orally advised (date not recalled) that the security flash placed by Soviet Section regarding subject had been removed inasmuch as subject was now in the U.S. and security flash no longer necessary. I had not been contacted prior to the removal of the security flash by Soviet Section and did not replace the security flash as subject at that time reportedly was in the U.S. and security flash notices are not normally placed on security subjects until such time as they are placed on Security Index (SI) or unless known to be out of country and security flash appears warranted.

On 10/18/63 information was received from Legal Attache, Mexico, indicating Oswald was in contact with the Soviet Embassy in

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Memorandum for Mr. Gale
Re: LEE HARVEY OSWALD

- Mexico, which information as well as subsequent information regarding Oswald's contacts with Soviets was handled by the Soviet Section.

With respect to the CIA teletype dated 10/10/63, I did not see this communication until sometime after I had seen the 10/18/63 cable from Legal Attache, Mexico City, at which time it had been initialed by the Soviet Section.

Investigation by New Orleans based on my instructions was incorporated in a letterhead memorandum 9/24/63 and report dated 10/31/63. Further, a report under the caption of FPCC - New Orleans was submitted on 10/25/63, wherein it was indicated that no FPCC activity or organization was known to be in existence in the New Orleans area with the exception of that by the subject. In addition, A.J. Hidell, the individual with whom Oswald indicated he had been in contact with regard to FPCC activities in New Orleans, was determined to be nonexistent according to records available.

SI CONSIDERATION:

Upon receipt of the data from Soviet Section regarding subject's distribution of FPCC literature, I promptly reviewed Bureau files and determined there was no known FPCC activity in New Orleans area. I also reviewed Bureau file concerning Oswald and by Bureau letter 8/21/63 set forth pertinent background and leads. In view of my previous supervisory responsibilities both in the field and at the Seat of Government dealing directly with SI matters, I instinctively reviewed subject's file at that time from an SI standpoint, noting that he was not on SI. In my opinion, subject did not qualify for SI at that time and I directed the FPCC phases of this investigation in that direction. Specific inquiries were conducted by New Orleans Office toward establishing extent of Oswald's participation in the FPCC; however, no information was developed indicating a chapter of the FPCC even existed in New Orleans, the only established activity being that undertaken by Oswald on his own initiative of a comparatively limited nature. Following receipt of results of Cuban aspects of this investigation as well as Oswald's known over-all activities at that time, Oswald still did not appear to warrant inclusion on the SI in my considered opinion as facts available did not appear to clearly and unmistakably depict Oswald as a dangerous individual who could be expected to commit acts inimical to the national defense in the event of an emergency.

On both occasions when I considered the SI status of Oswald I gave due consideration to his defection, return to the U.S. and recalcitrant attitude during interview. I did this despite the fact that I considered my supervisory responsibilities over the investigative phases of the case to extend only to the Cuban aspects. I noted, however, that the Soviet phases of the case were receiving due attention in the Soviet Section.

Memorandum for Mr. Gale :
Re: LEE HARVEY OSWALD

It is noted that following receipt of the above reports, primary investigative responsibility reverted to Soviet Section, based on subject's contact with Soviets in Mexico. Inasmuch as Soviet Section had been furnished all pertinent data regarding subject's FPCC activities, I, therefore, took no further action in this matter under the Oswald caption. New Orleans FPCC report 10/25/63, however, did contain pending lead to follow and report any further FPCC activities on part of Oswald.

CRITERIA FOR SI:

With respect to citizens who engage in pro-Castro propaganda distribution, the SI criteria delineate that they must be connected with some pro-Castro group as an officer or leader or substantially participate in its activities. These factors were not established in this case. With regard to the over-all investigation of Oswald at that time, the following is noted: (1) in accordance with established procedures, SI recommendations originate with the field. The field saw no need to so recommend in this case and as indicated above, I concurred; (2) no evidence of established membership in a basic revolutionary organization or leadership in a Communist Party dominated or controlled front group had been established; and (3) Oswald had indicated he was a Marxist; however, following his return to the U.S. he denied any Communist Party membership or sympathies toward Russia.

It is noted substantially reduced criteria have been established for pro-Castro aliens and were set forth in SAC Letter 62-55 dated 10/5/62.

DISSEMINATION TO LOCAL POLICE:

We do not normally disseminate results of security investigations to local police departments in the absence of some data indicating a specific or primary interest to local police such as planned picketing, threats to do violence, violations of local ordinances, et cetera. Any such information, of course, would be promptly furnished; however, no such data was developed in this case.

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FBI

Date: 12/5/63

Transmit the following in PLAIN TEXT
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Via AIRTEL
(Priority or Method of Mailing)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (105-38431) (RUC)
SUBJECT: LEE HARVEY OSWALD
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Reference is made to urgent teletype this date, 12/5/63, re Mr. WILLIAM J. VANDEN HEUVEL, President, International Rescue Committee (IRC), and Special Assistant to the Attorney General of the United States, furnishing the IRC file on LEE HARVEY OSWALD.

Enclosed for the Bureau are zerox copies of four pertinent letters in IRC file.

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Approved: [Signature] Special Agent in Charge
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RUSSIAN SECTION

THE FOREIGN SERVICE
OF THE
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

American Embassy,
Moscow, USSR,
December 14, 1961

Mr. Lee Harvey Oswald,
Ulitsa Kalinia,
House 4, Apartment 24,
Minsk, USSR.

Dear Mr. Oswald:

I refer to your letter of December 1, 1961, in which you raise a question regarding your application for an exit visa and your Soviet documentation.

It is the Embassy's view that, since you are not considered a Soviet citizen by the authorities in this country, you are entitled to receive a Soviet exit visa upon presentation of a valid foreign national passport. Regarding the latter, as we have indicated to you before, we can take up the matter of renewing your expired American passport upon your next personal appearance at the Embassy.

It further appears to us that your right to an exit visa will not be affected by your acceptance of an extension of your present Soviet documentation, which is after all, Prima facie evidence that you are not regarded here as a Soviet citizen.

If you intend to press your own individual application for a Soviet exit visa and are prepared to depart as soon as you receive it, I suggest that you come to this Embassy at your earliest opportunity to see about renewal of your expired American passport.

Sincerely yours,

Joseph B. Norbury
American Consul

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Mrs Helen Harwell
Executive Secretary
American Red Cross

Jan. 13, 1961

International Rescue Committee
251 Park Avenue South
New York N.Y.

Gentlemen:

All outstanding documentation has already been resolved. We only need the money in the \$800.00, for two tickets to New York and from New York to Texas. For further information contact the American Embassy, Moscow USSR.

At this writing my wife has been granted non-quotó immigration status for entrance into the United States, and both of us have received Soviet exit visas to leave the Soviet Union.

We are in need of help and would appreciate any help that you can give us. We are expecting a baby the latter part of February.

Lee Harvey Oswald

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January 22, 1962

Mrs. Helen Harwell
Executive Secretary
American Red Cross
Wilbarger County Chapter
Box 1766
Vernon, Texas

Re: Lee Harvey OSWALD

Dear Mrs. Harwell:

Since we had a call from the State Department on Mr. Oswald's case, your communication of January 14th did not come as a surprise. However, since we are a refugee agency which is usually not concerned with the problems of American citizens who need funds to return home, I'm afraid I will need some additional information before I can submit Mr. Oswald's request to our Finance Committee. Even then the outcome is dubious.

What we would need is:

1. Some background information on Mr. Oswald, why he is in the Soviet Union and what are the salient features of his case.
2. His wife's personal data. I presume she is a Soviet citizen.
3. The name and address of the person to whom Mr. Oswald is destined in Texas and especially why this person cannot assume the responsibility for the transportation expenses.

If Mr. Oswald's case has meritorious features, I also wonder whether some funds could not be obtained from local civic groups and why the State Department would not assume the responsibility for his repatriation, if not for the travel expenses of his wife.

We are a strongly anti-Communist organization and it does not happen very often that we have appeals for help from behind the Iron Curtain, let

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Mrs. Harwell

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alone from the Soviet Union. You will therefore appreciate, I'm sure, our
concern for the specifics of this unusual case.

Sincerely yours,

CS:ma
CC: J.H.
W.v.H.

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Charles Sternberg
Director
Resettlement Department

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LEE M. OSWALD
KALININA ST. 4, APT. 24
MINSK, U.S.S.R.

January 26, 1962

International Rescue Committee
215 Park Ave. South
New York, N.Y.

Dear Sir,

I'd like to request your aid in helping myself and my wife to get resettled in the U.S.A.

I am a citizen of the United States, I have lived in the Soviet Union since October, 1959. My wife is a Soviet citizen, born in the U.S.S.R. in 1941.

She has been classified under the immigration act of the United States and is eligible to enter the U.S.A. as my wife, for permanent residence.

However, in making the move, it incurs many expenses and inconveniences, this is where your fine organization can help.

Since July 1961 I and my wife have been working and waiting to get Soviet exit visas to leave the Soviet Union for the U.S.A.

After all this time our visas have finally been granted, thank God, but our troubles are not finished, only if your organization steps in.

I would direct you to contact the American Embassy, Moscow U.S.S.R. for information in regards to our case, a sum of \$1000. is necessary.

Our need is urgent, please render all assistance you can.

Sincerely,

Lee M. Oswald

FBI

Date: December 17, 1963

Transmit the following in _____
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Vld AIRTEL AIR MAIL
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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, DALLAS (100-10,461) (P)

LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka
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There are enclosed to the Bureau ten sets of Pages 400A, 400B, and 400C and for New Orleans one set of these pages which should be inserted into the report of SA WARREN C. DE BRUEYS dated 12/8/63 at Dallas in captioned matter.

- ③ - Bureau (Enc. 10) (RM)
 - 1 - New Orleans (Enc. 1) (RM)
 - 2 - Dallas (100-10,461)
- WRH/gm
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encl. filed in copies in Mr. Post's office 5718.

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TO DIRECTOR, AND SAC, DALLAS AND ST. LOUIS
FROM SAC, SAN ANTONIO /105-2909/ P

LEE HARVEY OSWALD OSWALD. IS DASH R DASH CUBA. OO, DALLAS.
 RE ST. LOUIS TEL DATED DEC. SEVEN, LAST.

THE PASSENGER MANIFEST OF FLECHA ROJA PAREN RED
 ARROW END PAREN BUS LINE FOR SEPT. TWENTYSIX, LAST,
 BUS NUMBER FIVE ONE SIX, CARRIES HARRY J. MITCHELL,
 DESTINATION MONTERREY, MEXICO, AS HAVING BEEN ASSIGNED
 SEAT NUMBER ELEVEN. DIRECTLY UNDER NAME OF MITCHELL
 AND IN SPACE PROVIDED FOR NAME OF PERSON OCCUPYING
 SEAT NUMBER TWELVE A LINE HAS BEEN DRAWN AND NO NAME WRITTEN
 INTO THIS SPACE INDICATING THAT THIS PERSON WAS ALSO NAMED
 MITCHELL. NEXT SPACE ON THE MANIFEST IS FOR SEAT
 NUMBER THIRTEEN AND A LINE HAS ALSO BEEN DRAWN THROUGH THIS
 SPACE AND NO NAME WRITTEN. THIS PROCEDURE APPEARS TO INDICATE
 THAT HARRY J. MITCHELL, HIS WIFE, AND ANOTHER PERSON WERE EN
 ROUTE TOGETHER TO MONTERREY.

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AGE TWO.

ST. LOUIS REINTERVIEW MITCHELLS TO DETERMINE IF THEY RECALL NAMES OF ANY PERSONS ON THE BUS WITH THEM FROM LAREDO, TEXAS, TO MONTERREY, MEXICO, ON SEPT. TWENTYSIX, LAST, AND PARTICULARLY IF THEY HAD STRUCK UP AN ACCQUANTANCE WITH ANYONE AT THE TIME THEY WERE BEING CHECKED IN NUEVO LAREDO, MEXICO, ONTO THE BUS DESCRIBED ABOVE. IT IS NOTED FOR INFO OF ST. LOUIS SEAT NUMBER FOURTEEN OCCUPIED BY PERSON USING NAME LEE H. OSWALD AND THAT PERSON IN SEAT NUMBER THIRTEEN IN ALL PROBABILITY WAS SEATED NEXT TO OSWALD.

REINTERVIEW MITCHELLS CONCERNING TIME OF ARRIVAL IN MONTEBREY SICE THEY STATED THEY ARRIVED AT NINE P. M. WHICH WOULD MAKE A SEVEN HOUR TRIP COVERING A DISTANCE OF ONE FIFTY MILES WHICH WOULD BE EXCESSIVE UNLESS THE BUS HAD BROKEN DOWN EN ROUTE. REINTERVIEW SHOULD OBTAIN ALL DETAILS CONCERNING ANY RECOLLECTIONS THE MITCHELLS MAY HAVE HAD OF ANY PERSONS ON TRIP FROM NUEVO LAREDO, MEXICO, TO MONTERREY, MEXICO, ON SEPTEMBER TWENTYSIX, LAST, AND PARTICULARLY PERSONS IN SEAT BEHIND THEM. END AND ACK PLS

~~CORR IN TITLE TITXXX OMIT REPITITION OF WD. OSWALD~~

~~PG. 2 LINE 2, 11 18, 3-3 WORD ONE IS SHOD BE WD. 5 IS MONTERREY~~

~~LINE 12 WD. ONE IS SINGE END~~

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CC: Mr Rosen

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (105-82555)

FROM: SAC, BOSTON (105-10911)

SUBJECT: LEE HARVEY OSWALD, Aka.
IS - R Cuba

Re: Dallas airtel to Director and
Boston 12/17/63 re endeavor to trace
sling on OSWALD'S rifle.

Mr. RALPH N. HVOSLEF, Sales Manager,
Carr Fastener Division, United - Carr Fastener Corp., 31
Ames Street, Cambridge, Massachusetts, interviewed by SA
DARREL B. CURRIE on 12/23/63. After an examination of
photographs of sling he furnished following information:

The snaps on the sling are "Durable" fasteners
(not "Baby Durable") consisting of a stud #BS 10370 riveted
to the wide portion of sling by means of a "Durable" eyelet #BS
10412, both components being black metallic finish. He
stated that the flange on the eyelet has a "stepped"
appearance common to the "Durable" fastener which does
not appear on the "Baby Durable" fastener.

The 8 rivet attachments resemble the Carr-
Fastener "Dot Speedy Rivet", large size, Part #'s BS 99972
(Button-top) and BS 22405 (eyelet-base). These appear on
page 20 of the same catalogue.

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Mr. HVOSLEF has no idea who manufactured this sling.

He stated that in his opinion the leather looks "raw" and that the whole job looks "home made".

United - Carr Fastener has about 150 customers in the luggage and leather goods trade and about 175 jobbers in the U. S. handling these fasteners and rivets.

He suggests that the sling be exhibited to Mr. WILLIAM R. MC EWAN, United - Carr Fastener, Dallas, who could probably say whether the fasteners and rivets were attached by a production machine or by hand tool. If by production machine, it would have been done by a United - Carr kick - press shown as item #M235 or M236 on page 24 of the catalogue.

If it is determined that a kick - press was used, Mc EWAN can furnish list of jobbers in Texas area and possibly locations of kick presses, thereby reducing the number of possible manufacturers of the sling.

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Will exhibit the sling to WILLIAM R. MC EWAN, United - Carr Fastener Corp., Dallas to determine method of attachment of fasteners and rivets and possible location of kick - presses.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (105-8255) AND SAC, DALLAS (100-1046)

FROM: SAC, WFO (105-37111)

LEE HARVEY OSWALD, IS-R.

RE DALLAS TEL DECEMBER TWENTYTHREE LAST. FILES OF MARINE CORPS PERSONNEL RECORDS BRANCH CHECKED ON DECEMBER TWENTYFOUR, SIXTYTHREE AND FAILED TO DISCLOSE ANY RECORD OF A CHARLIE BROWN STATIONED WITH MARINE AIR CONTROL SQUADRON DASH NINE, PAREN MACS DASH NINE END PAREN, USMC, SANTA ANA, CALIFORNIA, OR AT US MARINE CORPS AIR STATION, EL TORO, CALIFORNIA BETWEEN DECEMBER, FIFTYEIGHT AND SEPTEMBER FIFTYNINE. RECORD LOCATED RE ONE STAFF SERGEANT CAMILOUS BROWN, SERIAL NUMBER ONE TWO ONE ONE ZERO TWO EIGHT, STATIONED MACS DASH NINE FROM MAY FIFTYSEVEN TO MAY SIXTYONE. CHARLOTTE TEL DECEMBER FOUR LAST TO BUREAU AND DALLAS SET FORTH RESULTS OF INTERVIEW WITH CAMILOUS BROWN WHO WAS ACQUAINTED WITH OSWALD AT MACS DASH NINE. DALLAS CONSIDER REQUESTING DAVID CHRISTIE MURRAY, JR, BE REINTERVIEWED TO DETERMINE WHETHER CAMILOUS BROWN IDENTICAL WITH CHARLIE BROWN, MENTIONED BY HIM.

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An information copy is being sent to the Louisville Office for their information in view of information developed at Brown's Suburban Motel possibly indicating further investigation.

INFORMANTS

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