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URGENT 2-17-64  
 TO DIRECTOR  
 FROM LEGAT MEXICO CITY NO. 379

*Respect*

BUFILE 105-82555  
 LEE HARVEY OSWALD, IS-R-CUBA.  
 REBUCAB 932 FEBRUARY 14 LAST.

EFFORTS TO DATE TO RESOLVE DISCREPANCY OUTLINED IN MYLET DECEMBER 11 LAST ON PAGES THREE AND FOUR UNSUCCESSFUL TO DATE. THERE IS NO IDENTIFYING DATA AVAILABLE RE FELLOW PASSENGERS OF OSWALD OTHER THAN THAT SET FORTH ON TRANSPORTES FRONTERA PASSENGER MANIFEST. EXHAUSTIVE EFFORTS TO DETERMINE WHY OSWALD'S TICKET NUMBER WAS NOT RECORDED ON MANIFEST HAVE FAILED TO OBTAIN ANY LOGICAL EXPLANATION FOR THIS DISCREPANCY FROM BUS COMPANY OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES.

RE BUREAU AIRTEL JANUARY 13 LAST CONCERNING REGISTER OF HOTEL DEL COMERCIO. INVESTIGATION AT HOTEL DISCLOSED THAT ROOM 17 LOCATED ON DIFFERENT FLOOR FROM ROOM 18 AND HOTEL RECORDS CONTAINED NO INFORMATION WHICH WOULD HELP TO IDENTIFY RODOLFO RODRIGUEZ WHO OCCUPIED ROOM 17. HOTEL MANAGER ADVISED THAT ROOMS 18 THROUGH 23 ARE ON SAME FLOOR. HE FURNISHED NAMES OF THREE PEOPLE WHO OCCUPIED ROOMS ON THIS FLOOR DURING TIME OSWALD WAS THERE. IT HAS BEEN POSSIBLE TO LOCATE ONLY ONE OF THESE PERSONS TO DATE AND HE COULD FURNISH NO INFORMATION CONCERNING OSWALD. INVESTIGATION IN THIS REGARD IS CONTINUING.

LETTERHEAD MEMO WILL BE SUBMITTED IN POUCH FEBRUARY 20 NEXT.

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cc: Mr. Tolson  
 387 CC: Mr. [unclear]  
 FEB 28 1964

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 TO DIRECTOR  
 FROM LEGAT MEXICO CITY    NO. 380

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BUFILE 105-82555  
LEE HARVEY OSWALD, IS-R-CUBA.

REBUCAB 933, FEBRUARY 14 LAST RE PAGES FIVE THROUGH SEVEN OF MYLET OF DECEMBER 11 LAST.

MEXICAN IMMIGRATION RECORDS CONTAIN NO ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OTHER THAN THAT APPEARING ON TOURIST CARD OF SUBJECT. FORM FM-11 IS RECAPITULATION PREPARED BY EACH MEXICAN PORT OF ENTRY AND ALL INFORMATION APPEARING ON THIS FORM IS TAKEN FROM TOURIST CARD ITSELF. FORM IS PREPARED EACH 15 DAYS BY EACH PORT OF ENTRY IN TWO SECTIONS, ONE SHOWING ENTRIES AND OTHER SHOWING DEPARTURES AT EACH PORT OF ENTRY FOR 15 DAY PERIOD. IT IS SET UP IN CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER AND WITHIN THIS ORDER NAMES FOR EACH DAY ARE LISTED ALPHABETICALLY.

THIS OFFICE DOES NOT HAVE COPY OF DALLAS REPORT OF DECEMBER 8 LAST WHICH SHOWED THAT OSWALD ON DEPARTURE TRAVELED BY AUTOMOBILE TO DESTINATION, NEW ORLEANS. IMMIGRATION RECORDS HERE DO NOT SHOW THIS.

STEPS HAVE BEEN TAKEN TO IDENTIFY ALL INDIVIDUALS WHO DEPARTED FROM NUEVO LAREDO ON OCTOBER 3 LAST DURING SHIFT FOLLOWING THAT OF ARZAMENDI CHAPA AND AS SOON AS RESULTS AVAILABLE LETTERHEAD MEMO WILL BE SUBMITTED.

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CLARK D. ANDERSON

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM : SAC, MIAMI (105-8483) (RUC)

SUBJECT: RAYMOND BUENROSTRO CORTEZ  
IS - CUBA - MEXICO  
(OO: San Antonio)

DATE: 2-14-64

Re Miami letter to Bureau, dated 1-9-64, in which it was stated that Miami would review Alien Registration Cards of USINS, Miami, for record of any individual with the dual surname FERNANDEZ FEITO. It will be recalled that one (FNU) FERNANDEZ FEITO is allegedly associated with the subject.

On 1-23-64, [redacted] CIA representative, Miami, Florida, advised that no new information concerning the allegation involving the subject and FERNANDEZ FEITO in the assassination of President KENNEDY had been received.

A review of the Miami Office indices failed to locate any reference under the name FEITO with a second surname of FERNANDEZ, either paternal or maternal.

On 2-12-64, inquiry at the office of the USINS, Miami, Florida, resulted in the determination that the address report cards which are submitted in January of each year by aliens in the United States, are executed by the aliens themselves and in the vast majority of cases reflect only the first surname of the alien. In light of this, no effort was made to review the address report cards under the name FERNANDEZ.

Also on 2-12-64, a review of records at USINS, Miami, pertaining to Cuban refugees who are in the United States under an order of indefinite voluntary departure

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 date 2-17-64  
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were reviewed. These records are composed by INS personnel and reflect in most instances both surnames of the individual refugee. A review of these records failed to reveal a single individual with the dual surnames FERNANDEZ FEITO. It was pointed out by INS personnel, however, that these cards represented only about one-tenth of the Cuban refugees who have arrived in the United States.

In view of the lack of logical names to identify (FNU) FERNANDEZ FEITO at Miami and in the absence of any other lead in this matter, the case is being made RUC by Miami.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-264688)

FROM : *[Signature]* SAC, WFO (100-19414) (P\*)

SUBJECT: ROMANUL AMERICAN  
IS - RU  
(OO:DE)

DATE: 2/13/64

ReDElet to Bureau 11/27/63, and report of SA JOHN E. KING, Detroit, 1/23/64.

Enclosed for the Bureau are three copies and for Detroit two copies of two articles from captioned newspaper, issue of 2/8/64, received by WFO, 2/12/64. Translation by SA WARREN L. ROWLANDS on 2/12/64.

Copies furnished Bureau in view of reference to FBI and the Internal Security Act in articles.

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THE FANTASTIC DECISION OF APPEALS COURT AGAINST  
USCIB, WILL BE APPEALED TO THE U. S. SUPREME COURT

The recent majority decision of the U. S. Court of Appeals of the District of Columbia, which sustained the contention of the Subversive Activities Control Board that the American Committee for the Protection of the Foreign Born must register as a "communist front organization" is completely devoid of any logic or democratic content. Moreover it flies in the face of its own contention, as we shall see.

The Court admitted that "The Committee. . . undoubtedly devoted the major portion of its efforts to contesting the deportation of aliens." It also conceded that "The protection of the foreign-born is not only a laudable objective; it is a basic one in this country. This is true not only theoretically and philosophically but also historically."

If this is the thinking of the majority of the Court, why in heaven's name the contrary ruling. Obviously you cannot maintain, on the one hand that the defense of the rights of the foreign-born is a laudable act, and at the same time punish the same organization or individual for performing such laudable acts, unless the Court wants to go along with the SACB and rule the (McCarran) Internal Security Act constitutional, when it is in reality unconstitutional.

The decision of the American Committee for the Protection of Foreign Born to appeal to the U. S. Supreme Court is well taken. We trust that the Court will reverse the Appeals Court's fantastic decision.

The Committee's statement points out that it places its case not only before the highest tribunal in our land, but also "before the court of public opinion."

In common with many other Americans, states the Committee, "we regard the (McCarran) Internal Security Act which

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set up an administrative censorship, the Subversive Activities Control Board, as in violent conflict with basic American tradition. Passed over President Truman's veto in an hour of hysteria, the Act flagrantly violates the Bill of Rights, especially the First Amendment guarantees of freedom of speech and association."

It is worthwhile recalling the characterization made of the McCarran Act by the late Senator Herbert Lehman, who was decorated only recently posthumously by President Johnson.

"The potentialities for evil in that broad and sweeping statute," Sen. Lehman said, "its incipient danger, its embedded in our laws like a time bomb aimed at labor unions, fraternal organizations, charitable foundations, and associations of every kind."

In seeking reversal of this decision, the Committee said, "we fight not only for the rights of the foreign-born, but for the rights of every American".

Obviously, the decision to appeal the fantastic ruling entails tremendous expenses. That is why the ACPFB calls upon all Americans and organizations to lend a helping hand, by sending financial help. Its address is: American Committee for Protection of Foreign Born, 49 East 21st Street, Suite 405, New York 10, New York.



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Article entitled "OSWALD's widow in front of the Warren Commission of Inquiry."

Article states that MARINA OSWALD will testify in front of the Warren Commission in Washington.

Mrs. MARGUERITE OSWALD, mother of LEE OSWALD, is not satisfied by the way her daughter-in-law, MARINA, was kept isolated by Secret Service Agents and the "FBI." She insists that she be heard before the Commission, where she will be represented by Lawyer MARK LANE from New York, a former democratic state representative.

Article concludes by stating that LANE will have a conference in Detroit on February 14, at 8 p.m., concerning OSWALD and the different aspects of the assassination of President KENNEDY. The conference will be held at the Central Methodist Church, Adams and Woodward. Lawyer ERNEST GOODMAN will preside.

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VERY URGENT    2-18-64  
 TO DIRECTOR  
 FROM LEGAT MEXICO CITY    NO. 384

*Bryan*

BUFILE 105-82555.    LEE HARVEY OSWALD, IS-R-CUBA.    REBUCAB  
 THIS DATE.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH INSTRUCTIONS CONTAINED THEREIN THE  
 FOLLOWING DAILY SUMMARY SUBMITTED:

BUAIRTEL FEBRUARY 13 FURNISHED PHOTOGRAPHS OF SILVER  
 COLORED BRACELET GIVEN BY SUBJECT TO HIS WIFE UPON HIS  
 RETURN TO DALLAS FROM MEXICO AND PHOTOGRAPHS OF SIX COLORED  
 POSTCARDS. [REDACTED] RELIABLE, ADVISED TODAY CHARLES SMALL  
 DOES NOT SELL POSTCARDS IN HIS TOURIST-TYPE STORE HERE.    *Mexico*  
 SOURCE THIS AFTERNOON WAS GOING TO VISIT SMALL'S STORE  
 UNDER PRETEXT AND EXAMINE ALL BRACELETS FOR SALE THERE.  
 NOTED THAT BRACELET BOUGHT BY SUBJECT IS STAMPED "JAPAN"  
 ON INNER SIDE. SOURCE DOUBTFUL SMALL HANDLES JAPANESE  
 JEWELRY DUE TO HEAVY IMPORT DUTIES INVOLVED. IF INVESTIGATION  
 SMALL'S STORE NEGATIVE, SOURCE WILL CONDUCT CANVASS OF ALL  
 JEWELRY OUTLETS HERE HANDLING JAPANESE MERCHANDISE.

RE PERSONS DEPARTING NUEVO LAREDO OCTOBER 3 LAST DURING  
 SHIFT FOLLOWING DEPARTURE OF OSWALD. [REDACTED]  
 [REDACTED] ADVISED TODAY APPROXIMATELY 68 PERSONS DEPARTED  
 DURING THIS SHIFT AND HE IS IN PROCESS OF DIGGING OUT ORIGINAL  
 TOURIST CARDS FROM POORLY-KEPT MEXICAN IMMIGRATION SERVICE  
 FILES. HE WILL MAKE THEM AVAILABLE TO THIS OFFICE IN ORDER

*VERUX - Dallas  
 2/26/64 RS/0-7 JCF/jlf*

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FROM LEGAT MEXICO CITY

NO. 384

THAT ALL INFORMATION APPEARING ON TOURIST CARD CAN BE UTILIZED  
 IN SETTING FORTH LEADS TO LOCATE AND INTERVIEW THESE INDIVIDUALS.  
 ADDITIONAL DAILY SUMMARY WILL BE SUBMITTED TOMORROW.

CLARK D. ANDERSON

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CC - Mr. Anderson P.B.

FEB 18 1964

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FBI SANANTON

436PM CST URGENT 2-18-64 CJH

TO DIRECTOR (105-82555) AND DALLAS

FROM SAN ANTONIO (105-2909) 4-P

LEE HARVEY OSWALD, IS-R-CUBA.

*Bl... [Signature]*

REBUTEL TO DALLAS AND SAN ANTONIO AT FIVE FIFTY-ONE P. M.,  
DATED FEBRUARY FOURTEEN LAST, BEGINNING THE COMMISSION NOTES AND INQUIRY  
AND BUREAU TELEPHONE CALL TODAY.

HARVEY CASH, AMERICAN CONSUL, NUEVO LAREDO, MEXICO, ADVISED SA ROBERT  
L. CHAPMAN ON DECEMBER TWO, SIXTY THREE AND AGAIN ON FEBRUARY FOURTEEN,  
SIXTY FOUR, THAT LISTS OF PERSONS ENTERING MEXICO ON SEPTEMBER TWENTY SIX  
SIXTY THREE, AND DEPARTING MEXICO ON OCTOBER THREE, SIXTY THREE, AS  
OBTAINED BY HIM FROM MEXICAN IMMIGRATION AND CUSTOMS OFFICIALS AND AS  
FURNISHED TO SPECIAL AGENT CHAPMAN ON DECEMBER TWENTY SIX, SIXTY THREE, WERE  
GIVEN TO HIM BY THESE MEXICAN OFFICIALS AS COMPLETE LISTS. //

NAME OF LEE HARVEY OSWALD APPEARED ON BOTH LISTS AND WAS NOT SET  
OUT IN THREE NAUGHT TWO OF SA CHAPMAN DATED DECEMBER TWO, SIXTYTHREE,  
SINCE IT WAS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED BY THREE NAUGHT TWO DATED NOVEMBER TWENTY  
SEVEN, SIXTY THREE. THREE NAUGHT TWO DATED NOVEMBER TWENTY SEVEN, SIXTY  
THREE, WAS FORWARDED TO DALLAS BY AIRTEL DATED NOVEMBER TWENTY NINE,  
SIXTY THREE, STATING THAT OSWALD HAD ENTERED MEXICO ON SEPTEMBER TWENTY  
SIX, SIXTY THREE, AT NUEVO LAREDO, AND HAD DEPARTED ON OCTOBER THREE, SIXTY  
THREE, AT NUEVO LAREDO.

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THREE NAUGHT TWO OF DECEMBER TWO, SIXTY THREE, WAS BROKEN  
DOWN BY STATE AND WAS PREPARED FOR INVESTIGATIVE LEAD PURPOSES,  
AND CONTAINS NAMES OF PERSONS OTHER THAN OSWALD ENTERING  
AND DEPARTING MEXICO ON SEPTEMBER TWENTY SIX AND OCTOBER THREE,  
SIXTY THREE. IN THIS REGARD, THE NUMBER OF PERSONS DEPARTING  
MEXICO OCTOBER THREE, SIXTY THREE, WAS LIMITED TO NUMBER OF  
PERSONS DEPARTING MEXICO BY BUS OR UNKNOWN MEANS AS SO STATED  
IN THREE NAUGHT TWO AND THEREFORE DID NOT PURPORT TO BE COMPLETE *// - NOT*  
LIST OF PERSONS LEAVING MEXICO ON OCTOBER THREE, SIXTY THREE,  
WHICH EXPLAINS APPARENT DISPARITY OF NUMBER ENTERING AND LEAVING  
MEXICO. IT IS NOTED THAT IT HAD ALREADY BEEN DETERMINED THAT *when?*  
OSWALDS NAME APPEARED ON BUS MANIFEST OF TRANSPORTES FRONTERA,  
ARRIVING AT THE BORDER ON THAT DATE. CONCERNING QUESTION RELATING TO  
SIGNIFICANCE OF ENTRY IN MEXICAN IMMIGRATION RECORDS SHOWING OSWALD LEFT  
BY AUTOMOBILE, THIS INFORMATION ORIGINALLY OBTAINED FROM CASH WHO  
REPORTED THE ABBREVIATION OF AUTO AS AUTOMOBILE. CONCERNING QUESTION  
AS TO WHETHER OSWALD WAS ACTUALLY IN AUTOMOBILE WHEN HE CROSSED  
BORDER, ONLY INFORMATION AVAILABLE CONCERNING THIS IS BASED UPON  
THE CANCELLED TOURIST PERMIT OF OSWALD WHICH, ACCORDING TO CASH,  
REFLECTS MODE OF TRANSPORTATION FROM MEXICO CITY TO NUEVO LAREDO,  
END PAGE TWO

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PAGE THREE

MEXICO, AS QUOTE AUTO PERIOD UNQUOTE. THIS COULD MEAN AUTOMOBILE OR AUTOBUS. WHETHER OSWALD WAS ACTUALLY IN AUTOMOBILE WHEN HE CROSSED BORDER IS UNKNOWN.

FROM INFORMATION AND SOURCES AVAILABLE AT NUEVO LAREDO, IT IS NOT POSSIBLE TO DETERMINE WHO MIGHT HAVE BEEN IN ANY AUTOMOBILE WITH OSWALD AT THE TIME HE CROSSED THE BORDER OR THEREAFTER.

REGARDING REQUEST THAT SAN ANTONIO RECHECK MEXICAN IMMIGRATION RECORDS AT NUEVO LAREDO, THIS <sup>W</sup>ILL ADVISE THAT THE INFORMATION WHICH WAS OBTAINED CAME FROM A LIST MADE AVAILABLE BY MEXICAN AUTHORITIES TO MR. HARVEY CASH. SINCE ORIGINALS IN MEXICO CITY AND SINCE THIS LIST WAS MADE UP BY MEXICAN OFFICIALS FROM OFFICIAL MEXICAN RECORDS, BUREAU MAY DESIRE TO MAKE THIS REQUEST OF LEGAL ATTACHE, MEXICO CITY. CASH HAS ADVISED THAT THE TOTAL NUMBER OBTAINED FROM MEXICAN AND IMMIGRATION RECORDS AS PERSONS LEAVING NUEVO LAREDO, MEXICO, OCTOBER THREE, BY ALL MEANS, WAS SEVENTY NINE. ||

ACCORDING TO CASH, MEXICAN IMMIGRATION RECORDS OF PERSONS ENTERING MEXICO AT NUEVO LAREDOO, MEXICO, ON SEPTEMBER TWENTY SIX, SIXTY THREE, IS AS FOLLOWS CONCERNING OSWALD. TOURIST PERMIT NO. TWO FOUR NAUGHT EIGHT FIVE. NAME LEE HARVEY OSWALD. SEX MALE, AGE TWENTY THREE. MARITAL STATUS MARRIED. NATIONALITY, NORTH AMERICAN.

END PAGE THREE

PAGE FOUR

OCCUPATION PHOTOGRAPHER, FROM NEW ORLEANS, LA. DESTINATION,  
MEXICO, D. F. METHOD OF TRAVEL QUOTE SINDATOS UNQUOTE. PARENS  
TRANSLATION QUOTE WITHOUT RECORDS UNQUOTE MEANING MODE OF  
TRAVEL NOT NOTED END PARENS. IMMIGRATION INSPECTOR WHO CHECKED  
HIM INTO MEXICO WAS HELIO TUEXI MAYDON.

ACCORDING TO CASH, MEXICAN IMMIGRATION RECORDS REFLECT  
CANCELLATION OF MEXICAN TOURIST PERMIT AT NUEVO LAREDO, MEXICO,  
ON OCTOBER THREE, SIXTY THREE, CONCERNING OSWALD IS A  
FOLLOWS. TOURIST PERMIT NO. TWO FOUR ZERO EIGHT FIVE. NAME,  
LEE HARVEY OSWALD. SEX MALE. AGE TWENTY THREE. MARITAL STATUS  
MARRIED. NATIONALITY NORTH AMERICAN. OCCUPATION PHOTOGRAPHER.  
FROM, MEXICO, D. F. DESTINATION, NEW ORLEANS, LA. METHOD OF TRAVEL  
QUOTE AUTO PERIOD UNQUOTE. IT IS NOTED THE QUOTE METHOD OF TRAVEL  
UNQUOTE CONTAINED ON MEXICAN IMMIGRATION TOURIST CANCELLATION OR  
DEPARTURE LIST OF OCTOBER THREE, SIXTY THREE, SHOWS THE ABBREVIATION QUOTE <sup>OTF</sup>  
AUTO PERIOD UNQUOTE. THIS COULD MEAN EITHER AUTOMOBILE OR AUTOBUS PARENS <sup>IS</sup>  
BUS END PARENS. INSPECTOR CHECKING HIM OUT ALBERTO ARCAMENDI CHAPA.  
ON NOVEMBER TWENTY FIVE, SIXTY THREE, SA HAROLD H. CROSSETT INTERVIEWED  
CHAPA AND HE COULD NOT RECALL ANYTHING CONCERNING THE DEPARTURE OF OSWALD <sup>LD</sup>

SUPPLEMENTAL LETTERHEAD MEMO BEING SUBMITTED.

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CORR. PLS--PG 1 LINE 5 WD 3 SHOULD BE "AMERICAN", PG 1 LINE 10 WD 8  
SHOULD BE "TWO", PAGE 2 LINE 8 WD 4 SHOULD BE "TWO", PG. 2 LINE 13  
WD 9 SHOULD BE "WHEN", PG 3 LINE 9 WD 6 SHOULD BE "WILL"

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PG ONE U OVERLINED BADLXXX BAD REPEAT LAST WDS OF FOLLOWING LINES

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PG 4 LN 15, & 16

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LINE 3 - INQUIRES., 5 - ROBERT, 7 - SIX., 14 - TWENTY, 18 - SIX

PG. 4 LINE 15 - QUOTE, LINE 16 PARENS (OK)

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Date: 2/19/64

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (105-82555)  
 FROM: SAC, SAN ANTONIO (105-2909) (P)  
 RE: LEE HARVEY OSWALD  
 IS - R - CUBA

*Bevan*

Re San Antonio tel to Bureau dated 2/18/64, San Antonio tel to Bureau dated 2/20/64, 1:45 a.m., and San Antonio airtel to Bureau dated 2/17/64, with accompanying LHM same date.

Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are 9 copies of amended LHM prepared to take the place of referenced LHM. Enclosed herewith for Dallas are 2 copies of this LHM. Bureau and Dallas are requested to replace referenced LHM with the one enclosed. San Antonio copies being appropriately handled.

Photostats of verbatim copy of entry and departure records of OSWALD in HARVEY CASH's possession as reflected on page 2 of referenced tel of 2/20/64 will be furnished Bureau under separate cover.

GILBERTO CAZARES GARZA, Chief of Mexican Immigration at Nuevo Laredo, Mexico, has advised he could not allow photographs to be taken of Mexican Immigration documents at Nuevo Laredo inasmuch as they are copies. He pointed out the originals of these documents are located in Mexico, D. F. and can be photographed there. It is to be noted these documents are the Form FM 11 and the tourist card or permit. The Bureau has been advised of this by teletype 2/20/64 with a suggested lead for Legat, Mexico, to photograph these documents.

ENCLOSURE

- 8-Bureau (Enc. 9) (AMSD RM) *Acc. sent returned (4) KB*
- 2-Dallas (Enc. 2) (100-10461) (AMSD RM)
- 2-San Antonio

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Approved: *[Signature]*  
 57 FEB 23 1964 Special Agent In Charge

Sent 22 FEB 26 1964 M Per \_\_\_\_\_

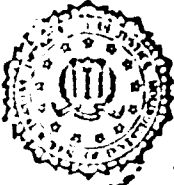
SA 105-2909

LEAD

SAN ANTONIO

AT LARFEDO, TEXAS:

Will re-interview ALBERTO ARZAMENDI CHAPA, Mexican Immigration official, for any information he may be able to furnish concerning OSWALD's departure from Mexico on 10/3/63.



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

San Antonio, Texas

February 19, 1964

In Reply, Please Refer to  
File No.

LEE HARVEY OSWALD

On February 14, 1964, Mr. HARVEY CASH, American Consul, Nuevo Laredo, Mexico, advised Special Agent ROBERT L. CHAPMAN that the list furnished Special Agent CHAPMAN by CASH on December 2, 1963, of persons entering and departing Mexico at Nuevo Laredo, Mexico, on September 26, 1963, and October 3, 1963, respectively, was furnished to him by Mexican Immigration and Customs officials as a complete list of entries and departures on those dates. The name of LEE HARVEY OSWALD appeared on the September 26, 1963, list of persons entering Mexico and the October 3, 1963, list of persons departing Mexico.

It is to be noted that CASH, on November 24, 1963, had furnished the data appearing on Mexican Immigration records concerning OSWALD's entrance into Mexico on September 26, 1963, and his departure therefrom on October 3, 1963, which information was reported.

The Mexican Immigration records of persons entering Mexico on September 26, 1963, as furnished by Mr. CASH, is as follows concerning OSWALD:

Tourist Permit:	Number 24085
Name:	LEE HARVEY OSWALD
Sex:	Male
Age:	23
Marital status:	Married
Nationality:	North American
Occupation:	Photographer
From:	New Orleans, La.
Destination:	Mexico, D. F.
Method of travel:	"Sindatos" (translation - without records, meaning record was not available or out of file)

Mexican Immigration  
Inspector:

HELIO TUEXIMAYDON.

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The Mexican Immigration records reflecting cancellation of Mexican tourist permits at Nuevo Laredo, Mexico, on October 3, 1963, as furnished by Mr. CASH, is as follows concerning OSWALD:

Tourist Permit:	Number 24085
Name:	LEE HARVEY OSWALD
Sex:	Male
Age:	23
Marital status:	Married
Nationality:	North American
Occupation:	Photographer
From:	Mexico, D. F.
Destination:	New Orleans, La.
Method of travel:	"Auto."
Mexican Immigration Inspector:	ALBERTO ARZAMENDI CHAPA.

On February 19, 1964, CASH advised Special Agents LEOPOLDO E. ARMIJO and ROBERT L. CHAPMAN that he still has in his possession a verbatim copy of the Mexican Immigration records concerning entry of OSWALD into Mexico at Nuevo Laredo on September 26, 1963, and his departure at Nuevo Laredo, Mexico, on October 3, 1963, which were prepared by Assistant Chief of Mexican Immigration, ARNOLDO TIJERINA. CASH furnished this information to Special Agent CHAPMAN on November 24, 1963. This record shows OSWALD was traveling by "Auto," when he reached the Mexican border at Nuevo Laredo on October 3, 1963. CASH stated it was his opinion that "Auto" in Spanish was a complete word meaning automobile, but, upon reflecting on this matter, stated it could be the abbreviation for autobus.

On February 19, 1964, Special Agents LEOPOLDO E. ARMIJO and ROBERT L. CHAPMAN, Mr. CASH, GILBERTO CÁZARES GARZA, Chief of Mexican Immigration at Nuevo Laredo, and TIJERINA together reviewed the Mexican Immigration records (FM 11) concerning the entry of OSWALD on September 26, 1963, and departure of OSWALD on October 3, 1963. These records are as set forth above, and show that OSWALD was traveling by "Auto" when he arrived at the Mexican border from Mexico City on October 3, 1963.

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According to GARZA, ALBERTO ARZAMENDI CHAPA, Mexican Immigration official who cancelled OSWALD's tourist permit on October 3, 1963, is not available for interview since he is on vacation until February 21, 1964, and CHAPA's location is unknown to GARZA. GARZA commented that CHAPA recalls nothing concerning OSWALD or the particular events of October 3, 1963.

It is noted CHAPA was interviewed on November 25, 1963, by Special Agent HAROLD H. CROSSETT of the San Antonio FBI Office, and he could not recall anything concerning the departure of OSWALD from Mexico.

Mr. GARZA continued, explaining that the routine on October 3, 1963, and at the present, is that tourist permits of persons leaving Mexico at Nuevo Laredo by bus and automobile are collected at Kilometer 26. This is a Mexican Immigration and Customs station located 26 kilometers from the city limits. According to GARZA, when the tourist is traveling by bus, an inspector from Mexican Immigration boards the bus and collects all tourist permits of everyone on the bus who is required to have them. Mexican Customs at this same station, Kilometer 26, examine the luggage of the bus passengers. If the tourist is traveling by automobile, the Mexican Immigration official collects his tourist permit and Mexican Customs checks the luggage. If the tourist is traveling by train, the permit is collected at the train station, and, if traveling by air, at the airport.

GARZA also stated that CHAPA was the Inspector who stamped OSWALD's tourist permit on October 3, 1963. These permits are then placed in the outgoing mail and are sent to GARZA's office located in the Immigration and Customs Building, International Bridge, Nuevo Laredo, Mexico. These permits are sent to GARZA's office at the end of each day. The next day clerical personnel enter information thereon into a ledger book which is Form FM-11. According to GARZA, in the case of OSWALD, CHAPA did not note on OSWALD's tourist permit at the time he cancelled it on October 3, 1963, the mode of travel, thus accounting for the reason why the tourist card of OSWALD did not reflect mode of travel. The clerk who recorded the cancellation in the ledger book noted the mode of travel was "Auto." According to GARZA, this clerk

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was ROSA MARIA SOLALINDE.

ROSA MARIA SOLALINDE, on February 19, 1964, advised Special Agents ROBERT L. CHAPMAN and LEOPOLDO E. ARMIJO in the presence of CASH, GARZA, and TIJERINA, that she did not recall making the entry in the ledger book on OSWALD. She said that to her "Auto." means automobile, and, if it was autobus, she would have written autobus.

GARZA continued, advising that Clerk SOLALINDE was wrong in making this entry of "Auto," since it was not so recorded on the tourist permit of OSWALD by Inspector CHAPA when OSWALD arrived at the border on October 3, 1963, and that Mexican Immigration headquarters in Mexico City has been so advised that this was a mistake on SOLALINDE's part since she had no idea how OSWALD was traveling. According to GARZA, the actual mode of travel of OSWALD when he arrived at the Mexican border October 3, 1963, is unknown to Mexican Immigration officials at Nuevo Laredo, Mexico. He further stated his records in Nuevo Laredo are copies of the original ledger book (FM-11) and that the original is in Mexico City, as is the original tourist permit of OSWALD cancelled at Nuevo Laredo, on October 3, 1963.

It is to be noted the name "Oswald" appeared on passenger manifest of Transportes Frontera, Mexican bus line, of bus leaving Mexico, D. F., October 2, 1963, and arriving Nuevo Laredo, Mexico, October 3, 1963.

It is to be further noted Transportes Frontera Bus Line does not cross the International Bridge into Laredo, Texas, but has its bus station at the International Bridge on the Mexican side. Therefore, a passenger on a Transportes Frontera bus could have walked across the International Bridge to Laredo, Texas, which is approximately three blocks, or taken a taxi, since no shuttle bus operates across the bridge.

On February 11, 1964, H. O. DOLGNER advised Special Agent ARMIJO he is a bus driver for Continental Trailways, and on October 3, 1963, he drove the Trailways bus from Laredo, Texas, to Corpus Christi, Texas, leaving Laredo at 7:25 a.m., and arriving in Corpus Christi, Texas,

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at 10:05 a.m. He added that this bus goes by way of Alice, Texas.

Upon viewing a photograph of LEE HARVEY OSWALD, DOLGNER advised that this individual was not on his bus on October 3, 1963, or any other time. He stated that this morning run is usually light with passengers and if OSWALD had been on that bus, he would remember him.

He was exhibited a photograph of JACK RUBY and stated that he did not know this individual and stated that he had never seen him before.

Concerning the question as to whether OSWALD was actually in an automobile when he crossed the Mexican border at Nuevo Laredo, Mexico, on October 3, 1963, this has not been determined from records and sources available.

Similarly, from information and sources available at Nuevo Laredo, Mexico, it has not been possible to determine who might have been in any automobile with OSWALD at the time he crossed the border or thereafter.

The complete list of names obtained on December 2, 1963, from Mr. CASH of persons entering Mexico at Nuevo Laredo on September 26, 1963, except that of OSWALD's, was set out in the report of Special Agent JOHN M. KEMMY dated December 4, 1963, at San Antonio. A complete list of names of persons departing Mexico on October 3, 1963, by bus and by unknown means, with the exception of OSWALD, was set out in Special Agent KEMMY's report. This was done in view of the information set forth above concerning the name "Oswald" appearing on manifest of Transportes Frontera Bus Lines of bus arriving Nuevo Laredo October 3, 1963. Names of persons departing by other means on October 3, 1963, were not set out in Special Agent KEMMY's report.

The complete list of tourists entering Mexico on September 26, 1963, as obtained from CASH, was set out in its entirety since the fact of OSWALD's travel by bus to Mexico City was not known at that time. This was done to determine his mode of travel. It was subsequently determined that he traveled from Nuevo Laredo to Mexico City by Flecha Roja (Red Arrow) Bus Lines and some fellow passengers were located and interviewed.

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The information pertaining to OSWALD's entry into Mexico on September 26, 1963, and departure on October 3, 1963, was not set out in Special Agent KEMMY's report since this information had been reported elsewhere.

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TO DIRECTOR (105-82555) AND DALLAS (100-10461)

FROM SAN ANTONIO (105-2909)

LEE HARVEY OSWALD, IS DASH R DASH CUBA.

REMYTEL FEBRUARY EIGHTEEN LAST AND BUREAU TELEPHONE  
CALL FEBRUARY NINETEEN, INSTANT.

HARVEY CASH, AMERICAN CONSUL, NUEVO LAREDO,  
MEXICO, REINTERVIEWED THIS DATE BY SAS ROBERT L. CHAPMAN  
AND LEOPOLDO E, ARMIJO. CASH STILL HAS IN HIS POSSESSION  
A VERBATIM COPY OF THE MEXICAN IMMIGRATION RECORDS CONCERNING  
ENTRY OF OSWALD INTO MEXICO AT NUEVO LAREDO ON SEPTEMBER  
TWENTY SIX LAST, AND HIS DEPARTURE AT NUEVO LAREDO, MEXICO,  
ON OCTOBER THREE LAST, WHICH WERE PREPARED BY ASSISTANT  
CHIEF OF MEXICAN IMMIGRATION, ARNOLDO TIJERINA, AND CASH  
FURNISHED THIS INFORMATION TO SA CHAPMAN ON NOVEMBER TWENTY  
FOUR LAST. THIS RECORD SHOWS OSWALD WAS TRAVELING BY  
QUOTE AUTO PERIOD UNQUOTE, WHEN HE REACHED THE MEXICAN BORDER  
AT NUEVO LAREDO ON OCTOBER THREE, SIXTY THREE.

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Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. Belmont	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Casper	_____
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____
Mr. DeLoach	_____
Mr. Evans	_____
Mr. Gale	_____
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CASH STATED THAT IT WAS HIS OPINION THAT AUTO IN SPANISH WAS A COMPLETE WORD MEANING AUTOMOBILE BUT UPON REFLECTING ON THIS MATTER IT COULD BE THE ABBREVIATION FOR AUTOBUS.

PHOTOSTATS HAVE BEEN MADE FOR THE BUREAU OF THE VERBATIM COPY OF THE ENTRY AND DEPARTURE RECORDS OF OSWALD IN CASH'S POSSESSION. THESE ARE VERBATIM COPIES OF FM ELEVEN, WHICH IS A LEDGER MADE TO REFLECT ENTRIES AND EXITS OF MEXICAN TOURISTS.

SAS CHAPMAN, ARMIJO, MR. CASH, GILBERTO ~~CAZARES~~ *Mexico* GARZA, CHIEF OF MEXICAN IMMIGRATION AT NUEVO LAREDO, AND TIJERINA, ASSISTANT CHIEF OF MEXICAN IMMIGRATION, THIS DATE REVIEWED TOGETHER THE MEXICAN IMMIGRATION RECORDS PAREN FM ELEVEN END PAREN, CONCERNING THE ENTRY OF OSWALD ON SEPT. TWENTY SIX LAST, AND THE DEPARTURE OF OSWALD ON OCTOBER THREE LAST. THESE RECORDS ARE AS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED IN SAN ANTONIO TELETYPE FEBRUARY EIGHTEEN LAST AND SHOW THAT OSWALD WAS TRAVELING BY QUOTE AUTO PERIOD UNQUOTE WHEN HE ARRIVED AT THE MEXICAN BORDER FROM MEXICO CITY ON OCTOBER THREE LAST.

ALBERTO ~~ARZAMENDI~~ CHAPA, MEXICAN IMMIGRATION OFFICIAL WHO CANCELLED OSWALD'S TOURIST PERMIT ON OCTOBER THREE LAST, IS NOT AVAILABLE FOR INTERVIEW  
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SINCE HE IS ON VACATION UNTIL FEBRUARY TWENTY ONE NEXT,  
AND LOCATION UNKNOWN TO GARZA, WHO SAYS CHAPA RECALLS  
NOTHING CONCERNING OSWALD OR DAY IN QUESTION.

GARZA EXPLAINED THE ROUTINE ON OCTOBER THREE  
LAST AND AT PRESENT IS THAT TOURIST PERMITS OF PERSONS  
LEAVING MEXICO AT NUEVO LAREDO, MEXICO, BY BUS AND AUTOMOBILE  
ARE COLLECTED AT KILOMETER TWENTY SIX. THIS IS A MEXICAN  
IMMIGRATION AND CUSTOMS STATION LOCATED TWENTY SIX KILOMETERS  
FROM THE CITY LIMITS. WHEN THE TOURIST IS TRAVELING BY BUS,  
AN INSPECTOR FROM MEXICAN IMMIGRATION BOARDS THE BUS AND  
COLLECTS ALL TOURIST PERMITS OF EVERYONE ON THE BUS WHO IS  
REQUIRED TO HAVE THEM. MEXICAN CUSTOMS, AT THIS SAME STATION  
KILOMETER TWENTY SIX, EXAMINES THE LUGGAGE OF THE BUS  
PASSENGERS. IF THE TOURIST IS TRAVELING BY AUTOMOBILE, THE  
MEXICAN IMMIGRATION OFFICIAL COLLECTS HIS TOURIST PERMIT AND  
CHECKS THE LUGGAGE. IF THE TOURIST IS TRAVELING BY TRAIN,  
THE PERMIT IS COLLECTED AT THE TRAIN STATION, AND IF TRAVELING  
BY AIR, AT THE AIRPORT.

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CHAPA WAS THE INSPECTOR WHO STAMPED OSWALDS TOURIST PERMIT ON OCTOBER THREE LAST. THESE TOURIST PERMITS ARE THEN PLACED IN THE OUTGOING MAIL AND ARE SENT TO THE OFFICE OF GILBERTO CAZARES GARZA LOCATED IN THE IMMIGRATION AND CUSTOMS BUILDING AT THE INTERNATIONAL BRIDGE IN NUEVO LAREDO, MEXICO. THESE TOURIST PERMITS ARE SENT TO THE OFFICE OF GARZA AT THE END OF EACH DAY. THE NEXT DAY CLERICAL PERSONNEL ENTER INFORMATION THEREON INTO A LEDGER BOOK PARENS FM ELEVEN END PARENS. IN THE CASE OF OSWALD, CHAPA DID NOT NOTE ON OSWALDS TOURIST PERMIT AT THE TIME HE CANCELED IT ON OCTOBER THREE LAST THE MODE OF TRAVEL THUS ACCOUNTING FOR THE REASON WHY THE TOURIST CARD OF OSWALD DID NOT REFLECT MODE OF TRAVEL. THE CLERK WHO RECORDED THE CANCELLATION IN THE LEDGER BOOK, HOWEVER,

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NOTED THE MODE OF TRAVEL WAS QUOTE AUTO PERIOD UNQUOTE.  
THIS CLERK WAS ROSA MARIA SOLALINDE. SOLALINDE WAS  
INTERVIEWED THIS DATE BY SPECIAL AGENTS CHAPMAN AND ARMIJO  
IN PRESENCE OF CASH, GARZA AND TIJERINA, AND STATED THAT SHE  
DID NOT RECALL MAKING THE ENTRY IN THE LEDGER BOOK ON OSWALD.  
SHE SAID THAT TO HER QUOTE AUTO PERIOD UNQUOTE MEANS AUTOMOBILE  
AND IF IT WAS AUTOBUS SHE WOULD HAVE WRITTEN AUTOBUS. GARZA  
STATED THAT CLERK SOLALINDE WAS WRONG IN MAKING THIS ENTRY  
OF QUOTE AUTO PERIOD UNQUOTE SINCE IT WAS NOT SO RECORDED  
ON THE TOURIST PERMIT OF OSWALD BY INSPECTOR CHAPA WHEN HE,  
OSWALD, ARRIVED AT THE BORDER ON OCTOBER THREE LAST, AND  
THAT MEXICAN IMMIGRATION HEADQUARTERS IN MEXICO CITY HAS  
BEEN SO ADVISED THAT THIS WAS A MISTAKE ON SOLALINDES PART  
SINCE SHE HAD NO IDEA HOW OSWALD WAS TRAVELING. THIS  
TYPIFIES THE HAPLESS MANNER IN WHICH SUCH RECORDS ARE  
MAINTAINED BY THE MEXICAN GOVERNMENT AT BORDER CROSSING  
POINTS. THE ACTUAL MODE OF TRAVEL OF OSWALD WHEN HE  
ARRIVED AT THE MEXICAN BORDER OCTOBER THREE LAST IS UN-  
KNOWN TO MEXICAN IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS AT NUEVO LAREDO,  
MEXICO. GARZA FURTHER STATED HIS RECORDS IN NUEVO LAREDO  
ARE COPIES OF THE ORIGINAL LEDGER BOOK PARENS FM ELEVEN END  
PARENS, AND THAT THE ORIGINAL IS IN MEXICO CITY AS IS THE  
ORIGINAL TOURIST PERMIT OF OSWALD CANCELLED AT NUEVO  
LAREDO ON OCTOBER  
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THREE LAST.

RECORDS, TRANSPORTES FRONTERA, MEXICAN, BUS LINE, AS FURNISHED BY LEGAT, MEXICO, REFLECT PERSON NAMED OSWALD ON MANIFEST OF BUS LEAVING MEXICO, D. F., OCTOBER TWO LAST AND ARRIVING NUEVO LAREDO, MEXICO, OCTOBER THREE LAST. TRANSPORTES FRONTERA DOES NOT CROSS THE INTERNATIONAL BRIDGE INTO LAREDO, TEXAS, BUT HAS ITS BUS STATION AT THE INTERNATIONAL BRIDGE ON THE MEXICAN SIDE. THEREFORE, OSWALD WOULD HAVE HAD TO WALK ACROSS THE INTERNATIONAL BRIDGE TO LAREDO WHICH IS APPROXIMATELY THREE BLOCKS, OR TAKE A TAXI SINCE NO SHUTTLE BUS OPERATES ACROSS THE BRIDGE.

H. ~~O~~DOLGNER, ON FEBRUARY ELEVEN LAST ADVISED SA ARMIJO HE IS BUS DRIVER FOR CONTINENTAL TRAILWAYS AND ON OCTOBER THREE LAST DROVE THE TRAILWAYS BUS FROM LAREDO, TEXAS, TO CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS, LEAVING LAREDO AT SEVEN TWENTY FIVE A.M., AND ARRIVING IN CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS AT TEN NAUGHT FIVE A.M. HE ADDED THAT THIS BUS GOES BY WAY OF ALICE, TEXAS. UPON VIEWING PHOTOGRAPH OF OSWALD, ~~O~~DOLGNER ADVISED THIS INDIVIDUAL WAS NOT ON HIS BUS ON OCTOBER THREE LAST OR ANY OTHER TIME.

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CASH INTERVIEWED ON NOVEMBER TWENTY FOUR LAST AND INFORMATION RECEIVED WAS SET FORTH BY SA CHAPMAN IN THREE NAUGHT TWO DATED NOVEMBER TWENTY NINE LAST REFLECTING OSWALD-S ENTRY INTO MEXICO ON SEPTEMBER TWENTY SIX LAST AND HIS DEPARTURE ON OCTOBER THREE LAST, AS CONTAINED IN THE MEXICAN IMMIGRATION RECORDS AT NUEVO LAREDO.

ON DECEMBER TWO, LAST, A COMPLETE LIST OF ALL PERSONS ENTERING MEXICO ON SEPTEMBER TWENTY SIX LAST AND DEPARTING OCTOBER THREE LAST AT NUEVO LAREDO, WAS OBTAINED FROM CASH BY SA CHAPMAN. THE COMPLETE LIST OF NAMES OBTAINED FROM CASH OF PERSONS ENTERING ON SEPTEMBER TWENTY SIX LAST EXCEPT THAT OF OSWALDS WAS SET OUT IN A THREE NAUGHT TWO OF SA CHAPMAN-S OF DECEMBER TWO LAST. SEE PAGE NINE OF REPORT OF SA JOHN M. KEMMY DATED DECEMBER FOUR LAST AT SAN ANTONIO. A COMPLETE LIST OF THE NAMES OF PERSONS DEPARTING MEXICO ON OCTOBER THREE LAST BY BUS AND BY UNKNOWN MEANS WITH EXCEPTION OF OSWALD WAS SET OUT IN THE THREE NAUGHT TWO OF SA CHAPMAN OF DECEMBER TWO LAST SINCE INFORMATION SET FORTH ABOVE CONCERNING OSWALD-S NAME ON TRANSPORTES FRONTERA BUS LINES ARRIVIN NUEVO LAREDO, OCTOBER THREE HAD BEEN RECEIVED. NAMES OF PERSONS DEPARTING BY OTHER MEANS WAS NOT SET OUT.

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THE COMPLETE LIST OF TOURISTS ENTERING MEXICO ON SEPTEMBER TWENTY SIX LAST AS OBTAINED FROM CASH WAS SET OUT IN ITS ENTIRETY SINCE THE FACT OSWALD-S TRAVEL BY BUS TO MEXICO CITY WAS NOT KNOWN AT THAT TIME. THIS WAS DONE TO DETERMINE HIS MODE OF TRAVEL.

IT WAS SUBSEQUENTLY DETERMINED HE TRAVELED FROM NUEVO LAREDO TO MEXICO CITY BY FLECHA ROJA PAREN RED ARROW END PAREN BUS LINES AND FELLOW PASSENGERS LOCATED AND INTERVIEWED.

THE INFORMATION PERTAINING TO OSWALD-S ENTRY INTO MEXICO ON SEPTEMBER TWENTY SIX AND DEPARTURE OCTOBER THREE LAST WAS NOT SET OUT IN THE THREE NAUGHT TWO OF DECEMBER TWO LAST, SINCE THIS INFORMATION HAD PREVIOUSLY BEEN REPORTED IN THREE NAUGHT TWO OF SA CHAPMAN DATED NOVEMBER TWENTY NINE LAST. LETTER HEAD MEMO FOLLOWS.

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CORRECTIONS; ~~THE TIME~~ THE DATE SHOULD BE 2-20-64. PAGE TWO LINE THREE WORD TWO IS "REFLECTING". WORD TEN IS "ABBREVIATION" PAGE FIVE LINE SEVEN WORD ELEVEN IS "GARZA". LINE EIGHT WORD ONE IS "STATED". PAGE SIX LINE ELEVEN WORD FOUR IS "ON". PAGE SEVEN LINE TWELVE WORD TEN IS THREE. LINE THIRTEEN WORDS THREE AND FOUR ARE "OF DECEMBER" LINE FIFTEEN WORD SEVEN IS "OF" 2

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LEE HARVEY OSWALD  
IS - R - CUBA

RE: ALBERT OSBORNE, aka John Howard Bowen

Re Buairtel to Atlanta, Cincinnati, Detroit, Knoxville, Memphis, and Richmond, cc Dallas 2/21/64 and telephone call from Bristol, Va. RA to Johnson City, Tenn. RA 2/20/64.

For information San Antonio, Bureau is endeavoring to locate and interview OSBORNE-BOWEN, who is believed to have sat next to OSWALD on bus trip via Red Arrow Line from Nuevo Laredo to Mexico City on September 26, 1963. Bureau instructs that if located advise Bureau immediately so that detailed instructions for interview may be forwarded.

Referenced telephone call advised that GEORGE FULLER CUIDLIN, Jonesville, Va., advised 2/20/64 that he had received a post card from JOHN HOWARD BOWEN postmarked 2/20/64 at Jonesboro, Tennessee. CUIDLIN also advised BOWEN a close friend of FRED B. ALLEN, 1400 N. 4th Avenue, Knoxville, Tenn.

Investigation Jonesboro, Tennessee, 2/20-21/64, disclosed no information re whereabouts of BOWEN.

On 2/21/64, Rev. FRED B. ALLEN, Jr., pastor North Glenwood Baptist Church, Knoxville, advised he and his parents

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Mr. and Mrs. FRED B. ALLEN, Sr. are long time friends of JOHN HOWARD BOWEN, whom he described as an 84-year old missionary who has worked in Mexico for the past 22 years. Rev. ALLEN had no information re whereabouts of BOWEN, but stated that on 2/20/64 he received a post card from BOWEN, postmarked 2/19/64 at San Antonio, Texas. ALLEN advised this was an air mail post card of the type purchased at U. S. Post Offices and said the only message on the card was BOWEN's new mailing address "Niza 22, Mexico DF" and a message that BOWEN hoped to hear from him soon. Rev. ALLEN stated he would immediately notify the Knoxville FBI Office if he or his parents heard anything further from BOWEN.

*John Howard Bowen Mexico Texas*  
San Antonio handle lead per above Bureau instructions.

*Albert Osborne*

It is suggested the Bureau may wish to furnish BOWEN's new address to the Legat, Mexico City. UACB, Knoxville not submitting report on efforts to locate BOWEN.

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2:47 AM URGENT    2-22-64    EGL  
 TO DIRECTOR AND DALLAS AND HOUSTON  
 FROM SAN ANTONIO    212350

LEE HARVEY OSWALD. IS - R - CUBA. RE LEGAT, MEXICO, CABLE  
 FEBRUARY 3, LAST, AND BUTEL FEBRUARY 20 LAST.

SOURCE HAS BEEN ATTEMPTING TO LOCATE INFO DESIRED FROM RECORDS OF COMPANIA MEXICANA DE AVIACION CMA NUEVO LAREDO, MEXICO, AND THROUGH CHECK OF RECORDS OF HOTELS IN NUEVO LAREDO, MEXICO. ON NIGHT OF FEBRUARY 20 LAST, SOURCE LOCATED RECORD AT CMA FOR TICKET PURCHASE ORDER NUMBER A 37240 FOR HILARIO ROJAS, FOR AIRLINE TICKETS FROM GUADALAJARA, MEXICO, TO NUEVO LAREDO, MEXICO. CMA TICKET ORDER NUMBER A 37240 WAS PLACED BY SANBORNS AIRLINES OFFICE, LAREDO, TEXAS, ON JULY 31, 1962, AND WAS TRAVELED BY HILARIO ROJAS FROM GUADALAJARA ON AUGUST 4, 1962.

MARIA ESPERANZA GARCIA, AKA., HOPE GARCIA, MANAGER, SANBORNS AIRLINES OFFICE, HAMILTON HOTEL, LAREDO, TEXAS, ADVISED SA ROBERT L. CHAPMAN ON FEBRUARY 21 INSTANT, THAT SHE HAD PERSONALLY HANDLED THE PLACING OF TICKET PURCHASE ORDER NUMBER A 37240 WITH CMA ON JULY 31, 1962. GARCIA STATED SHE HAD RECEIVED A TELEPHONE CALL DURING LATTER PART OF JULY, 1962, FROM ATTORNEY JACOB S. FLOYD, ALICE, TEXAS, CONCERNING THE PURCHASING OF ROUND TRIP TICKET FROM GUADALAJARA, JALISCO, MEXICO, TO NUEVO LAREDO, MEXICO, FOR YLARIA V. ROGAS (BUREAU NOTE SPELLING). GARCIA STATED THAT ON

JULY 13, 1962, SHE RECEIVED A LETTER DATED JULY 30, 1962, FROM FLOYD ENCLOSING A CHECK FOR \$60.64. THIS LETTER STATED " I "

*Cable sent  
 Roger Max  
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ENCLOSED HERewith A CHECK FOR \$60.64 COVERING A ROUND TRIP TICKET FOR YLARIA V. ROGAS, CHILARDE 665, GUADALAJARA, JALISCO. THE TRIP IS TO BEGIN ON AUGUST 4, 1962, AND IS FROM GUADALAJARA TO NUEVO LAREDO AND RETURN." THIS LETTER REQUESTED REFUND IF NOT USED AND GAVE RESIDENCE TELEPHONE NUMBER AS MOHAWK 4-6823 AND OFFICE TELEPHONE AS MOHAWK 4-6561, ALICE, TEXAS. THE LETTER WAS SIGNED "JACOB S. FLOYD" AND IS ON STATIONERY OF THE LAW firm OFFICES OF PERKINS, FLOYD, DAVIS, AND ODEN (PHOTOSTATIC COPY OF LETTER OBTAINED). GARCIA STATED THAT SHE HAD ALSO RECEIVED A COPY OF A LETTER WRITTEN BY JACOB S. FLOYD TO "SR. YLARIA V. ROGAS, CHILARDE 665, GUADALAJARA, JALISCO, MEXICO, D. F.," DATED JULY 30, 1962. THIS LETTER STATES "DEAR SR. ROGAS: WE HAVE YOUR TWO LETTERS AND HAVE ARRANGED WITH THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY AND A GOOD INTERPRETER TO MEET YOU SUNDAY AFTERNOON AUGUST 5, 1962, AT THE PLAZA HOTEL IN LAREDO USA. WE ARE SENDING YOU A TICKET THROUGH THE SANBORNS AS AGENT FOR EARVONES AIRLINES, AND YOU ARE TO GO TO EARVONES AIRLINES AND CALL FOR THE TICKET IN YOUR NAME. THIS IS A ROUND TRIP TICKET."

"I AM ENCLOSING YOU HERewith A TEN DOLLAR BILL IN CURRENCY TO PAY FOR YOUR FOOD AND YOUR HOTEL BILL IN MONTERREY, SHOULD YOU HAVE TO REMAIN THERE OVERNIGHT. YOU MAY NOT MAKE CONNECTIONS IN MONTERREY TO GET TO LAREDO SATURDAY AND YOU WILL PROBABLY HAVE TO STAY IN MONTERREY SATURDAY NIGHT.

"IF YOU GET TO MONTERREY IN TIME TO CATCH THE PLANE SATURDAY

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FOR NUEVO LAREDO, PLEASE CALL THE WRITER COLLECT IMMEDIATELY UPON REACHING NUEVO LAREDO."

"I BELIEVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS ARE PLAIN ENOUGH FOR YOU TO UNDERSTAND THEM IF YOU CAN FIND THE AIRLINE OFFICE IN YOUR CITY. YOURS VERY TRULY; JACOB S. FLOYD."

RECORDS OF HOTEL PLAZA FROM AUGUST 1 TO 10, 1962, WERE CHECKED BY SA CHAPMAN AND NO RECORD LOCATED OF FLOYD OR ROJAS UNDER NAMES OF ROJAS, ROGAS, OR VILLANUEVA. SOURCE HAS CHECKED RECORDS OF CMA AND TEXAS HOTELS IN DOWNTOWN NUEVO LAREDO, MEXICO, WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS AND IS CONTINUING CHECK OF DOWNTOWN NUEVO LAREDO, MEXICO HOTELS.

HOUSTON IS BEING SENT BACKGROUND INFO BY SEPARATE COMMUNICATION AND UPON RECEIPT UACB HOUSTON CHECK INDICES ON FLOYD AND IMMEDIATELY INTERVIEW FLOYD ON INFO FLOYD POSSESSES CONCERNING YLARIA V. ROGAS OR ROJAS. OBTAIN COMPLETE INFO TO EITHER PROVE OR DISPROVE ALLEGATIONS OF ROJAS MADE TO LEGAT, MEXICO. DETERMINE FROM FLOYD WHEN TRIP ACTUALLY MADE BY ROJAS AND WHERE STAYED WHILE IN NUEVO LAREDO, MEXICO, AND WHETHER OR NOT ROJAS WAS ACCOMPANIED BY ANY OTHER PERSONS.

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TO LEGAT MEXICO  
FROM DIRECTOR <sup>REC-43</sup> FBI (105-82555) - 2114

LEE HARVEY OSWALD, IS - R - CUBA.

REURCABS NUMBERED THREE EIGHT NINE AND THREE FOUR FIVE.

BY TELETYPE FEBRUARY TWENTY-TWO LAST TO BUREAU, DALLAS AND HOUSTON, SAN ANTONIO ADVISED THAT SOURCE LOCATED RECORD AT COMPANIA MEXICANA DE AVIACION (CMA) NUEVO LAREDO, MEXICO, FEBRUARY TWENTY LAST FOR TICKET PURCHASE ORDER NUMBER A THREE SEVEN TWO FOUR ZERO FOR HILARIO ROJAS FOR TRAVEL FROM GUADALAJARA, MEXICO, TO NUEVO LAREDO, MEXICO. ORDER WAS PLACED BY SANBORNS AIRLINES OFFICE, LAREDO, TEXAS, JULY THIRTY-ONE ONE NINE SIX TWO AND WAS TRAVELED BY HILARIO ROJAS FROM GUADALAJARA ON AUGUST FOUR ONE NINE SIX TWO.

SANBORNS AIRLINES OFFICE, LAREDO, TEXAS, ADVISED THAT TICKET PURCHASE TELEPHONICALLY MADE BY ATTORNEY JACOB S. FLOYD, ALICE, TEXAS, FOR YLARIA V. ROGAS (NOTE SPELLING). FLOYD ALSO FURNISHED LETTER TO SANBORNS AIRLINES JULY THIRTY ONE NINE SIX TWO ENCLOSING CHECK FOR SIX ZERO DOLLARS AND SIX FOUR CENTS STATING IN PART ENCLOSED CHECK TO COVER ROUND TRIP FOR YLARIA V. ROGAS, CHILARDE

SIX SIX FIVE, GUADALAJARA, JALISCO, TRIP TO BEGIN AUGUST FOUR ONE

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CABLEGRAM TO MEXICO  
RE: LEE HARVEY OSWALD  
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NINE SIX TWO FROM GUADALAJARA AND RETURN. LETTER REQUESTED REFUND IF NOT USED AND SIGNED JACOB S. FLOYD ON STATIONERY OF LAW FIRM PERKINS, FLOYD, DAVIS AND ODEM. COPY OF LETTER FROM FLOYD TO ROGAS JULY THIRTY ONE NINE SIX TWO ALSO FURNISHED STATING WE HAVE YOUR TWO LETTERS AND HAVE ARRANGED FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY AND INTERPRETER TO MEET YOU SUNDAY AFTERNOON AUGUST FIVE ONE NINE SIX TWO AT PLAZA HOTEL, LAREDO, USA. WE ARE SENDING YOUR TICKET THROUGH SANBORNS AIRLINES AS AGENT FOR EARVONES AIRLINES AND YOU ARE TO GO TO EARVONES TO CALL FOR ROUND TRIP TICKET IN YOUR NAME. I AM ENCLOSING ONE ZERO DOLLAR BILL IN CURRENCY TO PAY FOR FOOD AND HOTEL BILL IN MONTERREY SHOULD YOU REMAIN THEIR OVERNIGHT, AS YOU MAY NOT MAKE CONNECTIONS IN MONTERREY TO GET TO LARDO SATURDAY AND WILL HAVE TO STAY IN MONTERREY SATURDAY NIGHT.

IF YOU GET TO MONTERREY IN TIME TO CATCH PLANE SATURDAY, PLEASE CALL WRITER COLLECT IMMEDIATELY ON REACHING NUEVO LAREDO. I BELIEVE INSTRUCTIONS PLAIN ENOUGH FOR YOU TO UNDERSTAND IF YOU CAN FIND AIRLINES OFFICE IN YOUR CITY. SIGNED JACOB S. FLOYD.

RECORDS OF HOTEL PLAZA AND OTHER NUEVO LAREDO HOTELS NEGATIVE, HOWEVER, INVESTIGATION CONTINUING.

APPROPRIATE BACKGROUND SENT HOUSTON AND IN ABSENCE OF INFORMATION IN POSSESSION OF HOUSTON DICTATING TO CONTRARY, FLOYD WILL BE INTERVIEWED CONCERNING THIS MATTER. FURTHER DETAILS BEING SENT SEPARATELY BY MAIL. YOU WILL BE KEPT APPROPRIATELY ADVISED OF ADDITIONAL INFORMATION DEVELOPED.



CABLEGRAM TO MEXICO  
RE: LEE HARVEY OSWALD  
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WITH REGARD TO ALLEGATIONS OF ERNESTO FLORES LUNA CONCERNING  
VICTOR COHEN INCLUDE STATUS OF INVESTIGATION IN YOUR NEXT DAILY  
CABLE SUMMARY.

NOTE:

Ylario Rojas Villanueva, a Mexican citizen in Mexico, volunteered information that he knew Oswald in company with unidentified Cubans and an American named Albert were attempting to smuggle propaganda material to Mexico and plotted assassination of President Kennedy while in Cozumel, Mexico. Numerous discrepancies in his account have been developed and are being run out including alleged trip to Nuevo, Laredo, where he also allegedly met Oswald. Above being immediately furnished to Mexico for information in view of continuing investigation in Mexico. It appears interview with Floyd is pertinent as Rojas at no time has indicated correspondence with or knowledge of Floyd.

Ernesto Flores Luna has also furnished wild allegation concerning Oswald receiving some undescribed documents in Mexico through clerk of a shoe store run by Victor Cohen who also harbored Oswald in Mexico. Investigation to date has failed to substantiate this allegation and no information developed indicating Cohen involved in political activities or acquainted with Oswald. Bureau desires current status of this matter.

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Enclosed for the Bureau are 8 copies of LHM concerning information furnished by ALBERTO ARZAMENDI CHAPA of Mexican Immigration on 2/22/64. Two copies are enclosed for Dallas.

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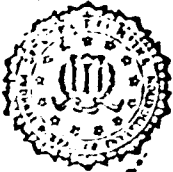
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

San Antonio, Texas

February 22, 1964

LEE HARVEY OSWALD

ALBERTO ARZAMENDI CHAPA, Mexican Immigration Inspector, Nuevo Laredo, Mexico, was interviewed on February 22, 1964, in the presence of Assistant Chief of Mexican Immigration ARNOLDO TIJERINA. CHAPA is an elderly person in his late 60's. CHAPA stated he has been interviewed on several occasions by Mexican officials and from the Mexican Immigration records showing that he, CHAPA, cancelled the tourist permit of LEE HARVEY OSWALD on October 3, 1963, he knows that he, CHAPA, was on duty at that time and cancelled OSWALD's tourist permit, but that he personally recalls nothing concerning the cancellation of OSWALD's tourist permit.

CHAPA viewed a photograph of LEE HARVEY OSWALD and stated he did not recognize the photograph as being that of anyone he had seen previously. CHAPA did not recall who else was on duty with him on October 3, 1963, but stated that he, CHAPA, was "Jefe de Turno" (translation, in charge of the shift) and was the person who actually stamped OSWALD's tourist permit cancelled.

CHAPA stated it was his duty to collect the tourist permits of persons departing Mexico and to stamp them cancelled and take them to the Mexican Immigration headquarters located in Mexico at the International Bridge. The clerical employees, according to CHAPA, in the Immigration headquarters then record the cancellations on the ledger books. CHAPA denied it was his duty to record the mode of transportation being used by the tourist. He stated, however, that if he were to record the mode of transportation being used by the tourist, he would write "auto." for automobile and "autobus" for bus.

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LEE HARVEY OSWALD

On October 3, 1963, CHAPA was stationed at Kilometer 26 (Mexican Immigration check point), Nuevo Laredo - Monterrey, N. L., Highway.

Assistant Chief TIJERINA stated that CHAPA did not understand his duties and that he should place upon the tourist permit at the time he stamped it cancelled the mode of transportation being used by the tourist.

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TO DIRECTOR AND DALLAS

FROM SAN ANTONIO 1105-29091

LEE HARVEY OSWALD. INTERNAL SECURITY - RUSSIA - CUBA  
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REMYTEL DATED FEBRUARY NINETEEN LAST.

ALBERTO ARZAMENDI CHAPA, MEXICAN IMMIGRATION

INSPECTOR, NUEVO LAREDO, MEXICO REINTERVIEWED THIS DATE BY  
ASA LEOPOLDO E. ARMIJO AND ROBERT L. CHAPMAN IN PRESENCE OF  
ASSISTANT CHIEF OF MEXICAN IMMIGRATION, ARNOLDO TIJERINA.

CHAPA IS ELDERLY PERSON IN LATE SIXTIES. CHAPA STATED HE HAS  
BEEN INTERVIEWED ON SEVERAL OCCASIONS BY MEXICAN OFFICIALS  
AND FROM THE MEXICAN IMMIGRATION RECORDS SHOWING THAT HE,  
CHAPA, CANCELLED THE TOURIST PERMIT OF LEE HARVEY OSWALD ON  
OCTOBER THIRD, SIXTYTHREE. HE KNOWS THAT HE, CHAPA, WAS  
ON DUTY AT THAT TIME AND CANCELLED OSWALD/S TOURIST PERMIT,  
BUT THAT HE PERSONALLY RECALLS NOTHING CONCERNING CANCELLATION  
OF OSWALD/S TOURIST PERMIT. CHAPA VIEWED PHOTOGRAPH OF  
LEE HARVEY OSWALD AND STATED HE DID NOT RECOGNIZE THE  
PHOTOGRAPH AS BEING THAT OF ANYONE HE HAD SEEN PREVIOUSLY.

CHAPA DID NOT RECALL WHO ELSE WAS ON DUTY WITH HIM ON OCTOBER

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THIRD, SIXTYTHREE, BUT STATED THAT HE, CHAPA, WAS QUOTE "JEFE DE TURNO UNQUOTE / TRANSLATION IN CHARGE OF THE SHIFT/ AND WAS THE PERSON WHO ACTUALLY STAMPED OSWALD/S TOURIST PERMIT CANCELLED.

CHAPA STATED IT WAS HIS DUTY TO COLLECT THE TOURIST PERMITS OF PERSONS DEPARTING MEXICO AND TO STAMP THEM CANCELLED AND BRING THEM INTO THE MEXICAN IMMIRGATION HEADQUARTERS LOCATED IN MEXICO AT THE INTERNATIONAL BRIDGE. THE CLERICAL EMPLOYEES, ACCORDING TO CHAPA, IN THE IMMIGRATION HEADQUARTERS THEN RECORD THE CANCELLATIONS ON THE LEDGER BOOKS. CHAPA DENIED IT WAS HIS DUTY TO RECORD THE MODE OF TRANSPORTATION BEING USED BY THE TOURIST. HE STATED, HOWEVER, THAT IF HE WERE TO RECORD THE MODE OF TRANSPORTAION BEING USED BY THE TOURIST, HE WOULD WRITE QUOTE "AUTO" UNQUOTE FOR AUTOMOBILE AND QUOTE "AUTOBUS" UNQUOTE FOR BUS.

ASSISTANT CHIEF TIJERINA STATED THAT CHAPA DID NOT UNDERSTAND HIS DUTIES AND THAT HE SHOULD PLACE UPON THE TOURIST PERMIT AT THE TIME HE STAMPED IT CANCELLED THE MODE OF TRANSPORTATION BEING USED BY THE TOURIST. CHAPA WAS WORKING AT KILOMETER TWENTY-SIX / MEXICAN IMMIGRATION CHECK POINT / WHEN HE PICKED UP TOURIST CARD OF OSWALD. (SEE APP. PHOTO) LHM FOLLOWS.

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CC-MR. SULLIVAN

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : *W.C. Sullivan*

FROM : *W.A. Branigan*

SUBJECT: *LEE HARVLY OSWALD*  
*IS - R - CUBA*

DATE: February 24, 1964

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Mohr
- 1 - Mr. Casper
- 1 - Mr. Callahan
- 1 - Mr. Conrad
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This will identify communications sent to Central Intelligence Agency (CIA) 2-20-64 in conformance with request of Mr. Rankin of the President's Commission.

By letter 1-31-64 Rankin requested that specific reports be sent to CIA and that in the future as additional materials in these "general areas" are developed, reports should be furnished to CIA. These "general areas" are:

1. Interviews of Mrs. Marina Oswald.
2. Material pertaining to the Mexican trip.
3. Material pertaining to possible subversive activities by Oswald in the United States.
4. Material pertaining to Oswald's trip to Russia.
5. Correspondence carried on by Oswald with persons in the Soviet Union.

By letter 2-5-64 we forwarded to Rankin all pertinent reports and advised him that we would furnish CIA communications on a current basis which fall into the "general areas" outlined in the 1-31-64 letter.

For record purposes this is to advise that the following reports were furnished to the CIA by liaison on 2-20-64:

<u>Report of SA</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Serial Number</u>
J.A. Harley	1-27-64	105-32555-1523
William D. Cronin	1-29-64	1578
John H. Creech	1-29-64	1616

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Memo Branigan to Sullivan  
RE: LEE HARVLY OSWALD  
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<u>Report of SA</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Serial Number</u>
John T. Reynolds	1-30-64	105-82555-1618
Charles S. Harding	2-5-64	1791
John T. Murphy	2-11-64	1873
Robert P. Cemberling	2-11-64	2027
Letterhead memorandum Mexico City	1-23-64	1554

ACTION:

None. For record purposes.

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Date: 2/11/64

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Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL  
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (105-82555)  
FROM: SAC, SAN ANTONIO (105-2909) (P)  
RE: LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka  
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Rerep SA JOHN M. KEMMY dated 2/6/64 at San Antonio and Bureau airtel to San Antonio dated 2/7/64.

Enclosed for the Bureau are 10 copies each of revised page 23 and additional page 23 a, and five copies each of revised page 23 and additional page 23a are enclosed for Dallas, of report of SA JOHN M. KEMMY dated 2/6/64 at San Antonio.

The revised page and additional page contain more detailed information ascertained from interview of Reverend WALTER LADDIE HLUCHAN on 2/3/64 and includes information requested in referenced Buairtel dated 2/7/64. Further, misspelled words in this page have been corrected.

San Antonio copies of this report have been corrected.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA  
FRED T. USE, JR.

AT EAGLE PASS, TEXAS:

On February 3, 1964, Reverend WALTER LADDIE  
HUCHAN, Church of God, 711 Madison, advised he has  
known ALBERT OSBORNE for about twenty-five years. Reverend  
HUCHAN stated OSBORNE, who has also used the name  
JOHN HOWARD BOWEN, is presently residing at San Martin,  
Puebla, Mexico, which city is also known as Texmelucan,  
Puebla, Mexico, and is about seventy miles southeast  
of Mexico City.

Reverend HUCHAN stated he recalls that OSBORNE  
told him many years ago that when he, OSBORNE, was in  
Mexico some twenty years ago he was associated with a  
missionary by the name of JOHN HOWARD BOWEN. According  
to OSBORNE, he, OSBORNE, lost his Mexican tourist card  
at about the time JOHN HOWARD BOWEN was leaving Mexico  
to return to the United States for residence. Reverend  
HUCHAN stated that OSBORNE told him that inasmuch as  
BOWEN would have no further need for a Mexican tourist  
card and that as he, OSBORNE, had lost his Mexican tourist  
card, he obtained the Mexican tourist card of BOWEN and  
for some time used this identification card of BOWEN for  
residence in Mexico. Reverend HUCHAN stated that  
OSBORNE told him that inasmuch as he became widely known  
in that area of Mexico as JOHN HOWARD BOWEN, he has since  
that time used his true name, ALBERT OSBORNE, and also  
the name of JOHN HOWARD BOWEN. Reverend HUCHAN stated  
that since he has known OSBORNE, OSBORNE has used his  
true name and also the name JOHN HOWARD BOWEN and that  
other than for the reason given above, he did not know  
why OSBORNE had continued to use both his true name and  
the name JOHN HOWARD BOWEN.

Reverend HUCHAN advised that inasmuch as OSBORNE  
is a tourist in Mexico he is required to renew this tourist  
permit every six months and for this reason he travels  
usually to Nuevo Laredo, Mexico, or Laredo, Texas, to  
obtain a six months tourist permit. Reverend HUCHAN  
advised OSBORNE is approximately eighty years of age, and  
to his knowledge always travels by bus. Reverend HUCHAN

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stated that he has not seen OSBORNE or heard anything of him for over two years and does not know anything concerning the travel or activities of OSBORNE during this period. Reverend HLUCHAN stated there would be no difficulty in locating OSBORNE in San Martin, Puebla, Mexico, as he was well known in that city and is associated with a non-Catholic church in that area.

Reverend HLUCHAN stated OSBORNE is not a missionary, but is in some way connected with a non-Catholic church in San Martin, Puebla, Mexico. Reverend HLUCHAN explained that OSBORNE maintains a home where a small number of young boys reside and that in this home he, OSBORNE, affords these young boys some religious training. Reverend HLUCHAN pointed out that he does not know the name of the church with which OSBORNE is associated in San Martin and does not believe OSBORNE is active in the leadership of the church with which he is associated.

Reverend HLUCHAN stated he does not know anything concerning the religious training of OSBORNE, but in conversations with OSBORNE, OSBORNE had indicated a connection with missionary work for some fifty years. Reverend HLUCHAN stated that missionaries in Mexico maintain a tourist status as some Mexican law forbids religious activities on the part of foreign missionaries.

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