

4/9/64

**Airtel**

**To: SAC, Dallas (100-10461)**

**From: Director, FBI (105-82555)**

**LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka  
IS - R - CUBA**

Re Legat, Mexico City, 3/16/63 airtel and enclosed letterhead memorandum (LHM) in which are set forth the identities of the individuals who entered Nuevo Laredo on 9/26/63. These people were identified from FM-11 Mexican immigration forms, copies of which have previously been furnished to Dallas. For information of Dallas there is enclosed one copy each of re Legat airtel and LHM. Bureau is not furnishing copies of re LHM to offices indicated in reairtel nor will leads be set forth to interview individuals in re LHM who reside outside of U. S. Reason for this is that Oswald's means of travel into Mexico is known, as same has been verified by four witnesses on bus and his travel to Mexico City 9/25 - 27/63 has been further confirmed by Rod Arrow baggage list and Mexican immigration records. Information copy to Legat, Mexico City.

**Enclosures - 2,**

**1 - Legat, Mexico City (105-3702)**

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# Memorandum

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TO : Mr. Conrad *JW*

DATE: 4/7/64

FROM : R. H. Jevons *RHJ*

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

*5-21-64*

During an investigation by the Dallas Office in response to a letter from the President's Commission dated 3/3/64, two boxes of 20 cartridges were obtained from two sources in the Dallas area. The two boxes of cartridges were received in the Laboratory on 4/6/64.

The cartridges in the box obtained from Masen's Gun Shop, Dallas, Texas, were comprised of Western 6.5 mm Mannlicher-Carcano cartridge cases which are the same in all observable physical characteristics as the C6, C7 and C38 cartridge cases found in the Texas School Book Depository. The bullets loaded into these cartridges are "soft point" hunting-type bullets which Masen loaded into the cartridge cases as set forth in Dallas letterhead memorandum dated 4/1/64. Therefore, the bullets are not the same as the assassination bullets. However, Masen indicated he sold some of this ammunition without reloading hunting-type bullets.

The 6.5 mm Mannlicher-Carcano cartridges in the box obtained from John H. Brinegar of The Gun Shop, Dallas, Texas, are the same in all observable physical characteristics as the cartridges represented by the assassination bullet and bullet fragments, C1 through C3, and the C6, C7 and C38 cartridge cases.

However, nothing was found from examination of the cartridges in these two boxes to indicate whether or not the ammunition used by Lee Harvey Oswald came from either of the above sources.

**RECOMMENDATION:**

It is recommended that the above information be brought to the attention of the Domestic Intelligence Division for inclusion in a letter being prepared for the President's Commission.

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- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Rosen
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan

- 1 - Mr. Malley
- 1 - Mr. Gheesling, Rm. 644 RB

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Mr. Rosen	
Mr. Sullivan	
Mr. Tavel	
Mr. Trotter	
Tele. Room	
Mr. Holloman	
Miss Gandy	

*Scraper*

FBI LOS ANG.

739 PM URGENT 3/24/64 AH

TO DIRECTOR 105-82555 AND DALLAS 100-10481

FROM LOS ANGELES 89-75 1P

LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA. IS - R - CUBA. REBUTEL TODAY.

PAGE FROM LOOSE LEAF NOTEBOOK OF MICHAELIS ON WHICH IS ENTERED RECORD OF POINT THIRTY EIGHT SMITH AND WESSON REVOLVER SN V FIVE ONE ZERO TWO ONE ZERO, ASSEMBLY NUMBER SIX FIVE TWO FOUR EIGHT SHIPPED TO A.J. HIDELL, DALLAS, TEXAS, WAS PHOTOSTATED BY LOS ANGELES OFFICE AND PHOTOSTATE FORWARDED TO DALLAS. ORIGINAL RETURNED TO MICHAELIS AS NECESSARY PART OF HIS RECORDS.

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AIRGRAM  CABLEGRAM  RADIO  TELETYPE

URGENT 4-8-64  
 TO DIRECTOR  
 FROM LEGAT MEXICO CITY NO. 533

*Brinkley*

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

RE OSWALD'S MODE OF DEPARTURE FROM MEXICO. LHM REPORTING THIS PHASE OF INVESTIGATION SUBMITTED APRIL 7 WITHOUT TABLE OF CONTENTS. ALTHOUGH 40 PAGES IN LENGTH, NOT KNOWN IF BUREAU WOULD HANDLE EIGHT PHOTOGRAPHIC EXHIBIT PAGES AS INTEGRAL PART THEREOF AS SUBMITTED. AFTER BUREAU HAS REVIEWED LHM REQUEST INSTRUCTIONS AS TO WHETHER OR NOT TABLE OF CONTENTS DESIRED FOR FIRST 32 PAGES OR ENTIRE LHM AS SUBMITTED.

RE OSWALD'S TRAVEL TO MEXICO. INVESTIGATION TO LOCATE PASSENGER LISTS FOR RED ARROW BUS OF SEPTEMBER 26 LAST FROM MAIN OFFICES HERE NEGATIVE BUT OFFICIALS OF COMPANY HAVE AGREED TO PERMIT BUREAU AGENTS TO SEARCH RECORDS FOR THOSE LISTS AND LISTS OF PASSENGERS WHO MAY HAVE EMBARKED SAME BUS AT INTERMEDIATE POINTS.

RE OSWALD'S DEPARTURE FROM MEXICO. PHOTOGRAPHS OF PHILIPPE PITER E. VAN DER VORM BEING SUBMITTED APRIL 9 NEXT WITH REQUEST SAN ANTONIO OFFICE BE FURNISHED COPIES TO EXHIBIT TO AGAPITO DEL RIO.

CLARK D. ANDERSON

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Information disclosed in the above message is to be disseminated outside the Bureau, it is suggested that it be suitably paraphrased in order to protect the Bureau's cryptographic systems.



FBI

Date: 3/25/64

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_  
(Type in plain text or code)

Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL  
(Priority or Method of Mailing)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (105-82555)  
ATTN: FBI LABORATORY

FROM: SAC, DALLAS (100-10461) (P)

SUBJECT: LEE HARVEY OSWALD aka  
IS-R-CUBA  
OO: DL

*J. J. [Signature]*

ReButel to Dallas and Los Angeles, 3/24/64; Los Angeles teletype to Bureau and Dallas, 3/24/64, regarding a page from a loose-leaf notebook concerning the shipment of the .38 caliber Smith & Wesson Revolver, Serial No. V510210, to A. J. HIDEELL, Dallas, Texas, by the George Rose & Company, Inc., Los Angeles, Calif.

Enclosed herewith is one Photostat of the loose-leaf notebook page referred to in retels.

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ENCLOSURE

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*C.C. Wick*

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Approved: \_\_\_\_\_ Sent \_\_\_\_\_ M Per \_\_\_\_\_  
Special Agent in Charge

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*Encl detached in file 191*

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Date: 4/1/64

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Mr. Conrad	_____
Mr. DeLoach	_____
Mr. Evans	_____
Mr. Gale	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Sullivan	_____
Mr. Tavel	_____
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Tele. Room	_____
Miss Holmes	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (105-82555)

FROM: SAC, WFO (105-37111) (P)

LEE HARVEY OSWALD  
IS-R-CUBA  
(OO:DL)

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ReBuairtel 3/26/64.

EFFORTS TO DETERMINE HOW OSWALD DEPARTED MEXICO;  
CENTRAL INS CHECK OF PERSONS ON BUS MANIFEST

Enclosed for the Bureau are ten copies and for recipient offices one copy each of an LHM dated and captioned as above wherein is set forth Central INS investigative results of persons on a manifest of the bus line Transportes Frontera.

Reairtel requested WFO endeavor at Central INS to locate I-94 forms for all individuals manifested with the destination of Laredo, Texas. It further requested I-94s be checked for OSWALD. It also indicated that the President's Commission has asked that the Bureau endeavor to locate and interview all of the individuals appearing on the bus manifest in question whose destination was Laredo.

ENCLOSURE

- 3-Bureau (Enc.10)
- 1-Dallas (100-10461)(Enc.1)(AMRM)
- 1-San Antonio (105-2909)(Enc.1)(Info)(AMRM)
- 1-Washington Field

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C. C. Wick

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Approved: *Thomas J. [Signature]*  
Special Agent in Charge

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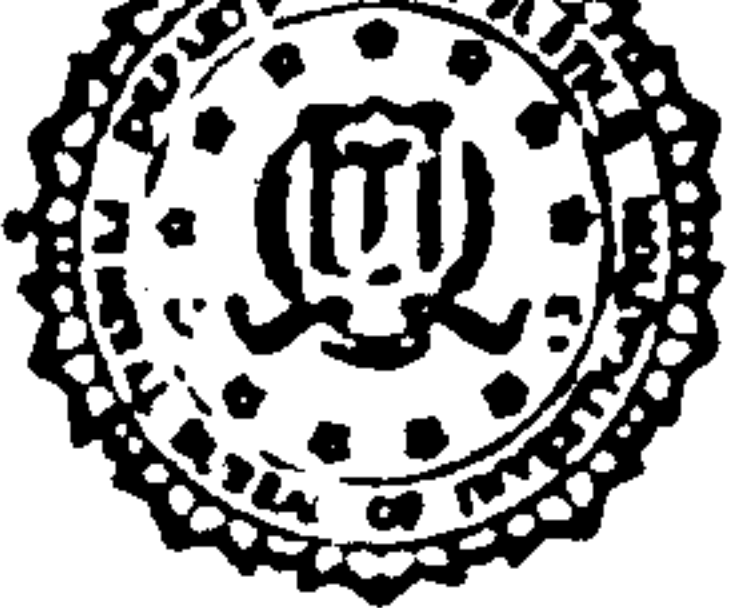
WFO 105-37111

The attached LHM indicates no I-94 forms available at Central INS for LEE HARVEY OSWALD. Mr. ABE KRICHESKY advised that alien file A12531002 for OSWALD is charged to the District Office of INS in Dallas, Texas, as of 3/7/62.

REQUEST OF THE BUREAU

The Bureau is requested through Legat, Mexico to locate and interview CONSTANTINO GARCIA-MORALES and JUANA LANDEROS-GARCIA as possibly identical to those of like name on the bus manifest for purpose outlined in reairtel. Legat is further requested to ascertain if these individuals can furnish identifying data regarding their fellow passengers, and if necessary, to request recheck of Central INS for any additional information to further identify and locate them for interview.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

WASHINGTON 25, D. C. 20535

In Reply, Please Refer to  
File No.

April 1, 1964

LEE HARVEY OSWALD  
INTERNAL SECURITY-R-CUBA

It will be recalled that a manifest of the bus line Transportes Frontera allegedly for a bus trip from Mexico City to Nuevo Laredo, Texas, on October 2-3, 1963, contained the following information:

<u>Seat Number</u>	<u>Ticket Number</u>	<u>Name of Passenger</u>	<u>Destination</u>
1	39633	<del>Pco. Saucedo</del>	Monterrey
2			
3	39634	Pco. Saucedo	Monterrey
4		Oswald	Laredo
5	10347	Sra. Landeros	Laredo
6	39648	Adrian Hernandez	Mty.
7	10357	Juana	Laredo
8	39649	Angel Gallegos	Monterrey
9	10348	Sra. Morales	Laredo
10	Pase	Nicolas Gonzalez	Torreón
11	10351	Rafael Flores	Laredo
12	10354	Gautier ? (Gahstine)	Laredo
13		Angel Perez	
14	39650	Antonio Cazarez	Mty.
15	10356	Sra. Aguilar	Laredo
16	10355	Sra. Franco	Laredo
17	10352	Constantino Garcia	Laredo
18	39659	Eliasar Gonzalez	Monterrey
19	10353	Constantino Garcia	Laredo
20	39661	Ynignes (Iniguez ?)	Mty.

At the top of the manifest the name "Transportes Frontera" is handwritten, and in Spanish the following headings are printed:



LEE HARVEY OSWALD

RESERVATIONS FOR 13 O'CLOCK,

DESTINATION Laredo, DEPARTURE NO. 2,

ON BUS NO. 340, DATE 2, MONTH, October of 1963.

The underlined portions are blanks which had been completed in ink.

Following the list of passengers is the notation:  
"9 Laredo, 7 Monterrey."

The names of those above who listed their destination as Laredo were searched through the files of Central Office, Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS), Washington, D.C., on March 31, 1964, in an attempt to locate persons possibly identical with those listed on the bus manifest.

The bus manifest contains the name Constantino Garcia in two places.

On March 31, 1964, at the Central Office of INS, Washington, D. C., Mr. Abe Krichesky, Contact Representative, furnished the following information to Investigative Clerk (IC) Dennis E. Addington, from I-94 forms (Arrival-Departure record for nonimmigrant) concerning one Constantino Garcia-Morales, born March 11, 1912, Mexico, D. F., Mexico.

One I-94 form indicated that he was admitted to the United States at Laredo, Texas, on October 3, 1963, on a B-2 visa (temporary visitor for pleasure), admitted until October 4, 1963. The visa was issued October 1, 1963, at Mexico, D. F., Mexico. He had passport number 57581 and his United States address was listed as Laredo, Texas. His permanent address was listed as Tempoala 51-5, Col. Independencia, Mexico, D. F., Mexico. The reverse side of this same I-94 form bore a stamp of E. DeWitt M. (not legible), Attache, American Embassy, Mexico, D. F., Mexico, and contained a written notation under this stamp which Mr. Krichesky said meant the Attache indicated on October 8, 1963 that Garcia-Morales departed the United States at Laredo on October 4, 1963.

Another form indicated he was admitted to the United States at Laredo, Texas, on October 24, 1963 on a B-2 visa issued October 1, 1963 at Mexico, D. F., Mexico, admitted until October 31, 1963. His United States address

LEE HARVEY OSWALD

appeared as Laredo, Texas, Hotel, and his permanent address was listed as Zempoahula #51-5, Mexico, D. F. No information was available regarding his departure. He had passport number 57581.

Another form indicated he was admitted to the United States at Hidalgo, Texas, via International Bridge on November 17, 1963 on a B-2 visa, admitted until November 25, 1963. The visa was issued October 1, 1963, at Mexico, D. F., Mexico. He had passport number "Mex. Ord. PP #57581." His United States address was listed as hotel or motel, McAllen, Texas. His permanent address was indicated as Zempoala 51-5, Col. Independencia, Mexico 12, D. F., Mexico. No information was available concerning his departure.

INS Form I-190 (Application for Nonresident Alien's Mexican Border Crossing Card) revealed he was issued Border Crossing Card 1373182 on January 2, 1963 at Laredo, Texas. This application listed his address as Zempuala 51 Int 5, Mexico, D. F., Mexico, contained his picture and described him as 5 feet 6 inches in height, with brown hair, brown eyes and weighing 160 pounds. This form contained as part of it a statement that the person had never been arrested; refused a visa; apprehended by immigration officials in the United States; granted voluntary departure or excluded or deported therefrom; or been a member of a proscribed organization, except as stated below. Typed underneath this statement on the form appears the following: "male - married - alone - salesman." The bus manifest also contains the name Sra. Landeros. On March 31, 1964, Mr. Krichesky also furnished the following information to IC Addington from I-94 forms concerning one Juana Landeros-Garcia, born June 24, 1917 at Guanaguato, Gto., Mexico, Mexican nationality.

One I-94 form indicated she was admitted to the United States at Los Angeles, California, on January 3, 1961 on a B-2 visa, admitted until January 31, 1961. The visa was issued at Mexico City on January 3, 196-. She had passport 45903 and her United States address was listed as Hotel Alexandro, Los Angeles, California. Her permanent address was listed as Bahia de Ballenas #28, Veronica Anzures. She departed the United States on January 16, 1961 for Mexico, the port of departure not legible.

Another form indicated that she was admitted to the United States at Laredo, Texas, on June 26, 1961 on a B-2 visa, admitted until July 5, 1961. Her United States address



**LEE HARVEY OSWALD**

was listed as San Antonio, Texas, Hotel. Her permanent address and birthplace were previously listed. She departed the United States on June 28, 1961 via the International Bridge for Mexico at Laredo, Texas.

Another form indicated that she was admitted to the United States at Laredo, Texas, on December 22, 1962 on a B-2 visa, admitted until January 15, 1963. She indicated that she was touring for 20 days; that her passport number was 63426. She departed the United States at Laredo, Texas, on January 5, 1963 via the International Bridge for Mexico.

INS Form I-190 revealed she was issued Border Crossing Card 994789 on May 4, 1961 at Laredo, Texas. This application reveals her place of birth as Guanajuato, Gto., Mexico. It contained her picture and described her as 5 feet 2 inches in height, with brown hair, brown eyes and weighing 149 pounds. In the space under the form statement that she had never been arrested, refused a visa or apprehended by immigration officials, as described above in the case of Constantino Garcia-Mcrales, appears the following notation: "Female - Single - Alone."

Mr. Krichefsky advised on March 31, 1964 that he was unable to locate any I-94 forms for Lee Harvey Oswald at Central Office, INS.

Mr. Krichefsky stated that he was unable to furnish any identifiable information concerning the other names appearing on the bus manifest as listed above.

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11-31 AM URGENT 4-1-64 WD

TO BUREAU (105-82555) ATTN FBI LABORATORY  
FROM DALLAS (100-10461) 2 P

LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA. IS-R-CUBA.

REBUTEL TO DALLAS MARCH THIRTY LAST, SEVEN FIFTYEIGHT PM.

REINTERVIEW OF LIEUTENANT J. CARL DAY, IDENTIFICATION  
DIVISION, DALLAS POLICE DEPARTMENT, MARCH THIRTYONE LAST,  
REVEALED DAY OBTAINED SAMPLES WRAPPING PAPER, DESIGNATED K  
TWO THIS CASE, FROM FOUR OPENED ROLLS MOUNTED IN SHIPPING  
ROOM OF MAIN FLOOR, TEXAS SCHOOL BOOK DEPOSITORY (TSBD),  
NOVEMBER TWENTYTWO, SIXTYTHREE. SAMPLES OF THREE INCH PAPER  
TAPE LIKEWISE OBTAINED FROM MAIN FLOOR SHIPPING ROOM. DAY  
ADVISED THESE SAMPLES OBTAINED UNDER SUPERVISION ROY S.  
TRULY, WAREHOUSE MANAGER, TSBD.

Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. Belmont	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Casper	_____
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____
Mr. DeLoach	_____
Mr. Evans	_____
Mr. Gale	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Sullivan	_____
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Mr. Tele. Room	_____
Miss Holmes	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

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WRAPPING PAPER AND TAPE UTILIZED IN FORMING REPLICA  
PAPER SACK DECEMBER ONE, SIXTYTHREE, BY BUAGENTS, DESIGNATED  
K FIFTYTWO THIS CASE, LIKEWISE OBTAINED FROM SAME ROLLS OF  
WRAPPING PAPER LOCATED MAIN FLOOR, TSBD.

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ENTIRE MAIN FLOOR, TSBD, REFERRED TO AS "SHIPPING ROOM" AND HAS NO OTHER DESIGNATION OR ROOM NUMBER. WAREHOUSE MANAGER ADVISES LEE HARVEY OSWALD HAD FULL LEGITIMATE ACCESS TO ENTIRE SHIPPING ROOM, INCLUDING PAPER AND TAPE SUPPLIES.

END

MSL

FBI WASH DC

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TO SAC DALLAS

REC-11

FROM DIRECTOR FBI (105-82555)

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LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA IS-R-CUBA.

REURTEL APRIL ONE. NOTE K TWO THIS CASE CONSISTS OF ONE

PIECE OF WRAPPING PAPER AND ONE PIECE THREE INCH GUMMED TAPE.

RETEL ADVISES QUOTE DAY OBTAINED SAMPLES WRAPPING PAPER,

DESIGNATED K TWO THIS CASE FROM FOUR OPENED ROLLS MOUNTED IN

SHIPPING ROOM OF MAIN FLOOR UNQUOTE AND QUOTE SAMPLES OF THREE

INCH PAPER TAPE LIKEWISE OBTAINED UNQUOTE. RETEL FURTHER STATES

WRAPPING PAPER AND TAPE DESIGNATED K FIFTY TWO THIS CASE

LIKEWISE OBTAINED FROM SAME ROLLS OF WRAPPING PAPER LOCATED MAIN

FLOOR. SINCE K TWO ONLY ONE PIECE OF PAPER AND ONE PIECE OF TAPE

ADVISE IF SAMPLES ACTUALLY OBTAINED FROM ALL FOUR OPENED ROLLS.

ADVISE IF ANY SAMPLES OF GUMMED TAPE OBTAINED OTHER THAN THE ONE

WHICH IS PART OF K TWO. WITH REFERENCE TO REPLICA SACK,

K FIFTY TWO, ADVISE IF PAPER AND TAPE OBTAINED FROM MORE THAN

JCC:NLB (11)

- Tolson \_\_\_\_\_
- Belmont 1 - Mr. Belmont
- Mohr 1 - Mr. Rosen
- Casper \_\_\_\_\_
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- Conrad \_\_\_\_\_
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- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. Rosen
- 1 - Mr. Conrad
- 1 - Mr. Griffith
- 1 - Mr. Cadigan

April 8, 1964

By Courier Service

Honorable J. Lee Rankin  
 General Counsel  
 The President's Commission  
 200 Maryland Avenue, Northeast  
 Washington, D. C.

GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION RECEIVED

Dear Mr. Rankin:

During the testimony of Special Agent James C. Cadigan on April 3, 1964, before the President's Commission, Mr. Melvin Eisenberg of your staff orally requested Special Agent Cadigan to make a fiber analysis of the gummed tape on the paper sack found on the sixth floor of the Texas School Book Depository Building, Commission Exhibit 142, and of the sample of gummed tape in Commission Exhibit 677 obtained November 22, 1963, at the Texas School Book Depository Building.

Fiber analysis of the two gummed tapes in Commission Exhibits 142 and 677 revealed that they were similar in fiber composition.

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 Sincerely yours, 105-82555-3058

BY COURIER SVC  
 APR 8  
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JCC:kw

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(NOTE: Based on similarity of other more important characteristics of the materials, the Bureau previously has advised the Commission that the materials of the paper bag and tape, Commission Exhibit 142, were similar to known samples, Commission Exhibit 677, and could have come from the same source.)

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FBI DALLAS

810 PM CST URGENT 2-6-64 MH

TO DIRECTOR 105-82555

FROM DALLAS 100-10461 2P

LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA, IS-R-CUBA.

RE NEW YORK TEL TO BUREAU AND DALLAS FEB FIVE.

RE REINTERVIEW OF ALEXANDRA TAYLOR IN EFFORT TO DETERMINE SUBJ PLACE OF RESIDENCE DURING THIRTEEN-DAY PERIOD BETWEEN OCT NINETEEN, SIXTYTWO, DAY SUBJ CHECKED OUT OF YMCA, DALLAS, AND NOV. THREE, SIXTYTWO, DAY HE TOOK UP RESIDENCE AT SIX ZERO TWO ELSBETH ST, DALLAS, IT WAS ALEXANDRA'S BELIEF SUBJ STAYED YMCA, DALLAS, DURING PERIOD MARINA OSWALD STAYED WITH TAYLORS, DALLAS, AND WITH MRS. ELENA HALL, FORT WORTH. SHE HAD NO KNOWLEDGE OF ANY OTHER PLACE SUBJ MAY HAVE STAYED TEMPORARILY EXCEPT POSSIBLY WITH HER FATHER, GEORGE DE MOHRENSCHILDT, AND HER STEPMOTHER.

SHE RELATED DURING THIS PERIOD SHE WAS NOT ON SPEAKING TERMS WITH HER FATHER SO HAD NO DIRECT KNOWLEDGE OF WHETHER SUBJ STAYED WITH HIM. HER FATHER THEN LIVED ON COOPER STREET, DALLAS, SPECIFIC

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ADDRESS NOT KNOWN TO HER. ALEXANDRA'S FATHER IS A GEOLOGIST PRESENTLY BELIEVED TO BE IN HAITI.

REVIEW OF DALLAS FILES RE INTERVIEWS OF DE MOHRENSCHILDTIS CONDUCTED BY STATE DEPT AT PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAITI, FAILED TO REVEAL ANY INFO RE SUBJS PLACE OF RESIDENCE FOR ABOVEDESCRIBED PERIOD.

IT IS SUGGESTED BUREAU REQUEST STATE DEPT TO REINTERVIEW DE MOHRENSCHILDTIS AT PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAITI, IN EFFORT TO DETERMINE IF SUBJ LIVED WITH THEM DURING THIS PERIOD. IF SUBJ DID NOT LIVE WITH THEM, IT SHOULD BE DETERMINED WHETHER THEY HAVE ANY INFO AS TO HIS PLACE OF RESIDENCE FOR INDICATED PERIOD.

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TO DIRECTOR -12- AND DALLAS  
FROM NEW YORK 105-38431  
LEE HARVEY OSWALD, -IS-R- CUBA.

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REDTEL TO BUREAU, TWO FOUR SIXTY FOUR.

ALEXANDRA TAYLOR, CARE OF YENO, DOVER PALINS, NEW YORK, AND EMPLOYED AS AN ATTENDANT AT HARLEM VALLEY STATE HOSPITAL, WINGDALE, NEW YORK, ADVISED SA LOWELL W. BARTON THIS DATE SHE WAS UNABLE TO RECALL SPECIFIC DATE SHE AND GARY TAYLOR HELPED MOVE MARINA OSWALD FROM FORT WORTH TO DALLAS, OTHER THAN IT BEING SOMETIME IN THE LATE FALL, ONE NINE SIX TWO.

SHE BELIEVED THEY RENTED THE U-HAUL TRAILER AT A PLACE ON MAPLE AVE., DALLAS, IN A YARD WHICH DEALT EXCLUSIVELY WITH U-HAUL TRAILERS AND WHICH WAS OPPOSITE A SERVICE STATION. SHE RELATED THAT MARINA ORIGINALLY HAD STAYED WITH THEM FOR A FEW WEEKS WHILE GETTING HER TEETH TREATED AT A CLINIC IN DALLAS. MARINA THEN MOVED TO FORT WORTH TO STAY WITH MRS HALL. MRS. HALL HAD AN ACCIDENT AND MARINA STAYED ON WITH HER FOR A LONGER PERIOD THAN ORIGINALLY INTENDED DUE TO THE INJURIES SUFFERED BY MRS. HALL. ALEXANDRA SUGGESTED THE DATE OF THE MOVE MAY BE DETERMINED FROM THE DATE OF MRS. HALL'S ACCIDENT.

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IT WAS ALEXANDRA-S BELIEF THAT OSWALD HAD STAYED AT THE YMCA, DALLAS DURING PERIOD MARINA STAYED WITH THE TAYLORS AAND WITH MRS. HALL. SHE HAD NO KNOWLEDGE OF ANY OTHER PLACE OSWALD MAY HAVE STAYED TEMPORARILY EXCEPT POSSIBLE WITH HER FATHER, GEORGE DE MOHRENSCHILDT, AND HER STEPMOTHER. SHE RELATED THAT DURING THIS PERIOD SHE WAS NOT ON SPEAKING TERMS WITH HER FATHER SO HAD NO DIRECT KNOWLEDGE OF WHETHER OSWALD STAYED WITH HIM HER FATHER THEN LIVED ON COOPER STREET IN DALLAS, SPECIFIC ADDRESS NOT KNOWN TOHER. SHE BELIEVED GARY TAYLOR WOULD BE ABLE TO POINT OUT THE SPECIFIC HOUSE.

IT IS NOTED ALEXANDRA-S FATHER IS A GEOLOGIST, PRESENTLY BELIEVED TO BE IN HAITI AND HIS CURRENT ADDRESS MAY BE KNOWN TO THE PETROLEUM CLUB IN DALLAS.

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PAGE THREE.....

ALEXANDRA ADVISED THAT WHEN MARINA MOVED INTO THE APARTMENT ON ELSBETH STREET, DALLAS, LEE OSWALD ALSO MOVED IN WITH HER. SHE SUGGESTED THE POSSIBILITY MOVE MAY HAVE BEEN PRIOR TO NOVEMBER TWO ONE NINE SIX TWO AND THAT OSWALD HAD OCCUPIED THE APARTMENT PRIOR TO THE RENTAL PERIOD ACTUALLY BEGINNING. SHE RELATED THIS SOMETIMES OCCURRED IN DALLAS, HAVING EXPERIENCED SUCH A SITUATION HERSELF. SHE WAS SURE MOVE MOST LIKELY HAD OCCURRED ON A SUNDAY INASMUCH AS NEITHER HER HUSBAND OR LEE WAS WORKING. SHE CONFIRMED THEY HAD PICKED UP LEE OSWALD IN FRONT OF THE YMCA IN DALLAS.

ALEXANDRA STATED ANOTHER PERSON WHO KNEW LEE OSWALD WAS AN ALEX / LNU/, WHO WAS A SUITOR OF MRS. HALL AND WHO SPOKE SEVERAL LANGUAGES, INCLUDING RUSSIAN. SHE RELATED ALEX OFTEN GOT IN VIOLENT ARGUMENTS WITH LEE OSWALD.

SHE WAS UNABLE TO FURNISH ANY MORE SPECIFIC INFORMATION CONCERNING DATES OF THE MOVE.

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BY COURIER SERVICE

Honorable J. Lee Rankin  
 General Counsel  
 The President's Commission  
 200 Maryland Avenue, N. E.  
 Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Rankin:

There are enclosed a list and two copies each of fifteen reports and seven memoranda containing further results of our investigation concerning "Lee Harvey Oswald". There are also enclosed two copies each of two memoranda captioned "Assassination of President John Fitzgerald Kennedy, November 22, 1963, Dallas, Texas," dated March 13, 1964, at Dallas, Texas, and "Ruth Hyde Paine and Michael Ralph Paine" dated March 19, 1964, at New York, New York.

There are also enclosed two copies each of three memoranda to which are attached photographs of exhibits. These three memoranda show where investigation concerning the exhibits is reported in other communications which have been forwarded to you.

We will continue to furnish you with communications, in duplicate, containing further results of our investigation.

Upon removal of classified material submitted herewith, this transmittal letter becomes unclassified.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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Honorable J. Lee Rankin

NOTE:

Classified "Confidential" because one of the enclosures is so classified. These reports and memoranda have been reviewed by the supervisors, Mr. Eclmont and Mr. Malley. They consist of 840 pages. Some of the listed items contain attachments and enclosures. These are not being listed as separate items to avoid confusion and possible further correspondence with the Commission.

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REPORTS PREPARED BY THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

<u>Report of</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Office</u>
Robert P. Gemberling	3-10-64	Dallas
Chester C. Orton	3-10-64	Los Angeles
Edwin Dalrymple	3-16-64	Houston
Marion C. Street	3-16-64	Kansas City
Robin O. Cotten	3-16-64	Memphis
Donald G. Harris	3-16-64	Pittsburgh
Earl M. Raney	3-17-64	St. Louis
George N. Denton	3-19-64	Houston
John T. Murphy	3-19-64	Newark
Dennis W. Shanahan	3-20-64	Chicago
James R. McCance	3-20-64	Detroit
John W. Lewis	3-21-64	Springfield
Edward F. McFadden	3-23-64	Little Rock
Milton R. Kaack	3-23-64	New Orleans
Homer E. Wilbur	3-18-64	Boston

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Confidential	2-27-64	Washington, D. C.
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None	3-17-64	New York
None	3-18-64	Dallas
None	3-18-64	Dallas
None	2-19-64	Washington, D. C.
None	3-20-64	Charlotte
None	3-20-64	New York
None	3-19-64	New York

MEMORANDA PREPARED AT DALLAS, TEXAS, RELATING TO EXHIBITS

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Date of Memoranda</u>
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#D-105	3-20-64
#D-107	3-20-64

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Mohr
- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Rosen

DATE: 4-6-64

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TO : MR. SULLIVAN

FROM : MR. BRANIGAN

SUBJECT: LEE HARVEY OSWALD  
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- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. Malley
- 1 - Mr. Lenihan
- 1 - Mr. Gheesling
- 1 - Mr. Branigan

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The President's Commission, by letter 3-26-64, forwarded 30 questions to which they requested a reasoned response in reasonable detail and with such substantiating materials as seem appropriate. There is attached a letter addressed to Mr. Rankin forwarding the answers to the questions raised by the Commission. (U)

Pursuant to the Director's observations, we have included all the answers in one letter. Heretofore, we included the answers to questions 23, 28 and 29 in a separate letter which was classified "Secret." (U)

The SAC, New Orleans, has advised that he has reviewed the material with the Agents of that office and there are no changes suggested. (U)

SAC, Dallas, observed that inquiries of the Retail Merchants' Credit Association, Fort Worth, Texas, were originally made under the name Marina Oswald but that the answer as proposed by the Bureau is factual and complete. SAC, Dallas, recommended that the phrase "prior to the assassination" be added to the answer to question 27 showing that SA James P. Hosty had not interviewed Marina Oswald 11-1-63 or at any other time prior to the assassination. This has been incorporated in the reply. (U)

**ACTION:**

There is attached a letter to Mr. Rankin, together with a 15-page attachment which, if you approve, should be forwarded to the President's Commission. (U)

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BY COURIER SERVICE

- 1 - Lonihan
- 1 - Stokes

Honorable J. Lee Rankin  
 General Counsel  
 The President's Commission  
 200 Maryland Avenue, N. E.  
 Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Rankin:

Reference is made to our letter dated April 6, 1964, summarizing recent developments concerning the Mexican aspects of our investigation into the activities of Lee Harvey Oswald.

In this connection there are enclosed two copies of a memorandum dated April 1, 1964, at San Antonio, Texas. Our investigation into the activities of Oswald in Mexico is continuing and results thereof will be furnished to you

as received  
 BY COURIER SVC

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Attached letterhead, which has been approved for dissemination by Mr. Belmont and Mr. Malley, sets forth results of interview of a passenger on Mexican Del Norte line bus on 10/2-3/63 from Mexico City to Laredo. Oswald is believed to have

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traveled on this bus under name H. O. Lee. The passenger interviewed does not recall Oswald, but describes an American on board this bus who, with the exception of age, closely fits description of Oswald. The witness who is elderly Mexican - American states man about whom he speaks was about 38 years of age.

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TO : W. C. Sullivan

DATE: 4-6-64

FROM : W. A. Branigan

1 - DeLoach  
1 - Rosen  
1 - Malley  
1 - Sullivan  
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1 - Lenihan  
1 - J. M. Sizoo

SUBJECT: LEE HARVEY OSWALD  
INTERNAL SECURITY - RUSSIA - CUBA

*W.A.B.*

In connection with our coverage of the public appearances of Mark Lane and Marguerite Oswald, it has been determined that Marguerite Oswald has publicly stated she is working on a book regarding her son, Lee Harvey Oswald. The New York Office, by means of a pretext telephone call, has received information that an individual identifying himself as Mr. Conrad stated he is presently assisting Marguerite Oswald in writing a book concerning herself and her son.

The New York Office has advised that the above Mr. Conrad is identical with a free-lance writer named Earl Conrad in New York City who was carried on the Security Index of that office from 1951 to 1955. Earl Conrad was reportedly born at Auburn, New York, on December 17, 1906, as Earl Cohen and has claimed he uses the name Conrad, although he has never legally changed his last name from Cohen. Conrad has been identified as a member and contributor to many communist front groups prior to 1952 and as a member of the Communist Party (CP) USA prior to 1950. (100-370093)

Louis P. Budenz, self-admitted former CP official, advised in 1950 that from information he received from Benjamin Davis and Jack Stachel, both members of the National Committee of the CP in the past, that Earl Conrad was a member of the CP. Budenz stated he received such information during the early 1940s.

In 1948 a notice in the "National Guardian" of September 23, 1948, indicated that the work of Earl Conrad would be appearing in that newspaper.

Conrad has been associated with the following organizations designated by the Attorney General pursuant to Executive Order 10450:

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Memorandum W. A. Branigan to W. C. Sullivan  
RE: LEE HARVEY OSWALD  
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In 1944 and 1945 Conrad was identified as an instructor at the George Washington Carver School, New York City; in 1947 Conrad was listed as leader for entertainment at a celebration sponsored by the Congress of American Women; in 1947 he was listed as a speaker at the Jefferson School of Science; in 1948 he joined the International Worker's Order along with his wife Alyse and was listed as a member of that organization in 1950; in 1950 Conrad spoke at a meeting in Madison Square Garden in New York City which was sponsored by the Civil Rights Congress; and in the early 1950s he was involved in other activities in behalf of the Civil Rights Congress.

In 1949 Conrad wrote a tribute of Communist Party functionary Benjamin J. Davis for Davis' campaign for re-election as a city councilman in New York City. In 1952 Conrad was known to be a subscriber to "The Worker," east coast communist newspaper.

Conrad has written several books in the past including "Harriet Tubman, Negro Soldier and Abolitionist," an account of a well-known figure in American Negro history; "Scottsboro Boy," which he co-authored with Heywood Patterson, one of the defendants in the widely publicized Scottsboro case in Alabama in the 1930s; and "The Public School Scandal," an attack on public education in this country as controlled by American businessmen.

The Bureau is closely following the coverage of Mark Lane and Marguerite Oswald, and the President's Commission is being furnished pertinent information concerning Conrad by attached letter. The New York Office has been instructed to follow this matter and to obtain a copy of the book as soon as available for the Bureau's purposes.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the attached letter with letterhead memorandum be sent to the President's Commission.

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*I think we should make a current check on Conrad*  
*Yes*



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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
United States Department of Justice  
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

We would appreciate further investigation by the Federal Bureau of Investigation for the purpose of locating a safe deposit box which Lee Harvey Oswald may have rented in his name, a member of his immediate family or any assumed name in one of the following localities which he was known to have visited since his return from Russia.

- Irving, Texas
- Fort Worth, Texas
- Dallas, Texas
- Houston, Texas
- Laredo, Texas

According to the Gemberling Report, dated December 23, 1963, subject Lee H. Oswald, pages 662 to 666, the officers of the banks contacted all advised that no checking accounts or any other banking accounts could be located. Page 660 refers to the West Side State Bank, Fort Worth, and pages 667 to 669 refer to First National Bank of Fort Worth. In this regards it would be appreciated if you would advise us whether this statement was meant to include safe deposit boxes.

The agents making the inquiries at the various banks should carry a picture of Oswald, just in case the safe deposit box was leased in a name not known at the present time.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

J. Lee Rankin

J. Lee Rankin  
General Counsel

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