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Re: JACK RUBY

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			Actual	Released	
1436	12/5/63	EP TELETYPE TO DL	1	1	
1437	12/5/63	SAC LETTER TO CITIZEN	1	1	
1438	11/30/63	FD-302 HARRY NALL	8	0	Primarily Released
1438a	UNDATED	INVESTIGATIVE INSERT	1	0	" "
1438b	12/5/63	DL AIRTEL TO DIR	2	0	" "
1439	12/2/63	NH AIRTEL TO DL	1	1	
1440	12/3/63	LETTER FROM CITIZEN	10	10	
1441	12/3/63	DL AIRTEL TO DIR	2	0	Primarily Released
1442	12/13/63	PG TELETYPE TO DL	3	3	
1442a	12/5/63	PG TELETYPE TO DIR & DL	2	0	Primarily Released
1443	12/5/63	CG TELETYPE TO DL	3	3	
1444	12/5/63	CG TELETYPE TO DL	2	2	670

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1445	12/3/63	DL RECEIPTS TO NY	1	1	
1446	12/5/63	DL TELETYPE TO DIR & CG	1	0	Exemptly Processed
1447	12/5/63	MM RECEIPTS TO DIR, DL & KX	1	0	" "
1448	12/5/63	SAC MEMO TO FILE	1	1	
1449	12/5/63	DL AIRTEL TO DIR	1	0	Exemptly Processed
1450	12/5/63	DL AIRTEL TO DIR	1	1	
1451	12/5/63	DL RECEIPTS TO DIR, DL & LHM	2	0	Exemptly Processed
1451A	12/2/63	DL TELETYPE TO DIR	1	0	" "
1452		THIS SERIAL IS A REVERT & FILED IN VOL. 15TH	1	1	
1453	12/2/63	SV AIRTEL TO DL	1	0	Exemptly Processed on 89-43
1454	12/2/63	WFO AIRTEL TO DIR	2	0	Exemptly Processed
1455	12/3/63	SA LHM	5	0	" "

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1456	12/3/63	SA BIRTEL TO DIR	1	0	Previously Released
1457	12/4/63	SM LHM FD-302	2	0	
1457A	12/4/63	HERMAN KUPPA	1	0	
1457B	12/4/63	FD-302 MRS. H. T. SIMS	1	0	" "
1457C	12/4/63	CHARLES J. KIRZEBER	1	0	" "
1458	12/4/63	SA BIRTEL TO DIR	1	0	" "
1459	12/4/63	SA AIRTEL TO DL	1	1	
1459A	12/4/63	FD-302 H. R. NIEMAN, DIR	1	1	
1460	12/3/63	MSMC MEMO TO SAC, DL	1	1	
1461	12/5/63	AGENT MEMO TO SAC	5	0	REVIEW 185
1462	12/5/63	NY TELETYPE TO DL & MD	2	2	
1463	12/5/63	PH TELETYPE TO DIR, DL & LA	4	0	Previously Released

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1464	12/5/63	DL LETTER TO DIR	1	0	Previously Processed
1465		THIS SERIAL WAS CHANGED TO FILE 100-10461	1	1	
1466	12/5/63	DL TELETYPE TO DIR & CG	2	0	Previously Processed
1467	12/5/63	AK TELETYPE TO CG & DL	4	4	
1468	12/5/63	DL TELETYPE TO DIR	2	0	Previously Processed
1469	12/5/63	LV TELETYPE TO LA & DL	1	1	
1470	12/5/63	DL TELETYPE TO SH	1	1	
1471	12/5/63	DL TELETYPE TO HQ	1	1	
1472	12/5/63	DL TELETYPE TO LA	1	1	
1473	12/5/63	CG TELETYPE TO DIR & DL	2	0	Previously Processed
1474	12/5/63	CG TELETYPE TO DIR & DL	1	0	" "
1475		THIS SERIAL WAS TRANSFERRED TO UNIT 4578 FILE	1	1	

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1476	12/3/63	LA TELETYPE TO DIR & DL	1	0	Exemptly Released
1477	12/3/63	WFO TELETYPE TO DIR & DL	2	0	" "
1478	12/3/63	WFO TELETYPE TO DIR & DL	2	0	" "
1479	12/3/63	LA TELETYPE TO DL	1	1	
1480	12/3/63	DL TELETYPE TO LA	1	1	
1481	12/3/63	DE TELETYPE TO DIR, DL & KY	2	0	Exemptly Released
1482	12/3/63	DL TELETYPE TO DIR & NY	1	0	" "
1483	12/3/63	DL TELETYPE TO DIR & PG	1	0	" "
1484	12/3/63	SF TELETYPE TO DIR, DL, & V & SI	4	0	" "
1485	12/3/63	CG TELETYPE TO WFO & DL	1	1	
1486	12/3/63	CG TELETYPE TO DIR, NY & DL	2	0	Exemptly Released
1487	12/3/63	CG TELETYPE TO DIR & DL	2	0	" "

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1488	12/5/63	DL TELETYPE TO NO	1	1	
1489	12/5/63	CG TELETYPE TO DIR & DL	11	0	Primarily Released
1490	12/5/63	DL TELETYPE TO DIR	2	0	" "
1491	12/5/63	LA TELETYPE TO DIR & DL	3	0	" "
1492	12/5/63	SA AIRTEL TO DL	2	2	
1493	12/5/63	DL AIRTEL TO DIR	2	0	Primarily Released
1493A	11/30/63	FD-302 JAMES EUGENE FINN, Jr	10	0	" "
1493B	UNORDERED	EXISTENTIALIVE INSERT	1	0	" "
1494	12/9/63	CG TELETYPE TO DL	1	1	
1495	12/6/63	CG TELETYPE TO DIR, DL & MM	2	0	Primarily Released
1496	UNORDERED	NUMEROUS LETTERS	4	4	
1497	11/26/63	LETTER FROM CITIZEN	2	2	b7D

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1498	11/26/63	LETTER FROM CITIZEN	2	2	
1499	12/4/63	HO AIRTEL TO DL	1	1	
1500	12/5/63	SA RADIOGRAM TO DIR & DL	1	0	Previously Processed
1501	12/5/63	CG TELETYPE TO DIR & DL	1	0	" "
1502	12/5/63	CG TELETYPE TO DIR & DL	2	0	" "
1503	UNSORTED	THIS SERIAL WAS TRANSFERRED TO 100-10461	1	1	
1504	UNSORTED	STATEMENT FROM CITIZEN	8	0	Previously Processed
1505	12/3/63	LETTER FROM CITIZEN	1	0	" "
1506	12/5/63	D.R. AIRTEL TO DL ENCLOSED SERIALS 1504 & 1505	1	0	" "
1507	12/5/63	LV AIRTEL TO DL	1	1	
1508	12/5/63	PH AIRTEL TO DIR	1	0	Previously Processed
1509	12/5/63	WFO AIRTEL TO DL	1	1	

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1509A	12/5/63	FD-302 GERALD O'LEARY, JR	4	0	Previously Processed
1510	12/3/63	LA AIRTEL TO DL	1	1	
1511	12/4/63	MI AIRTEL TO DIR	4	0	Previously Processed
1512	12/4/63	SF AIRTEL TO DL	2	2	
1513	12/4/63	MM AIRTEL TO D.R.	2	0	Previously Processed
1514	12/4/63	SF AIRTEL TO DL	1	1	b7c
1514A	12/4/63	FD-302 FRANK GALOSTEIN	2	0	Previously Processed
1515	12/4/63	LA AIRTEL TO DL	1	1	
1516	12/2/63	DL AIRTEL TO LA	1	1	
1517	12/6/63	DL TELETYPE TO NY	1	1	
1518	12/6/63	MO TELETYPE TO JK & DL	2	2	b2 b7D
1519	undated	INVESTIGATIVE INSERT	1	1	

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1519A	12/3/63	NY AIRTEL TO DL	2	2	
1520	11/24/63	LETTER FROM ESTER	1	0	Exemptly Released
1521	12/5/63	DIR AIRTEL TO DL & NY	1	0	" "
1522	11/29/63	SOURCE LETTER	2	0	" "
1523	12/6/63	DIR AIRTEL TO DL	1	0	" "
1524	12/5/63	AGENT MEMO TO SAC	1	1	
1525	12/5/63	CG AIRTEL TO DL	2	2	
1526	12/6/63	MO TELETYPE TO NO & DL	3	3	
1527	12/5/63	DIR AIRTEL TO DL	4	0	Exemptly Released
1528	12/5/63	EP MEMO TO DL	1	1	
1529	12/5/63	WFO AIRTEL TO DL	1	1	
1529A	12/5/63	FD-302 BRENTIS T. RAUGH	2	0	Exemptly Released

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1530	12/5/63	WFO AIRTEL TO DL	1	1	
1530a	12/5/63	FD-302 JOHN W. MASHETK	1	0	Previously Processed
1531	12/6/63	NO TELETYPE TO DIR & DL	1	0	" "
1532	1/14/64	THIS SERIAL WAS TRANSFERRED TO ANOTHER FILE	1	1	
1533	12/6/63	NO TELETYPE TO DIR & DL	1	0	Previously Processed
1534	12/6/63	RT TELETYPE TO DIR, DL & SL	2	0	" "
1535	12/6/63	NO TELETYPE TO DL	2	2	
1536	12/6/63	DL AIRTEL TO DIR	1	0	Previously Processed
1537	12/6/63	INSPECTOR MEMO TO SAC	2	0	b7D
1538	12/6/63	SAC MEMO TO FILE	1	1	
1539	12/6/63	NO TELETYPE TO DL & NY	2	2	REFER IRS
1540	12/6/63	NY TELETYPE TO DIR & DL	1	0	Previously Processed

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1541	12/6/63	HC TELETYPE TO DL	2	2	
1542	12/3/63	SUPERVISOR MEMO TO SHS DL	2	0	Partially Released in 89-43
1543	12/4/63	KC AIRTEL TO DL	1	1	
1544	12/6/63	DL TELETYPE TO SH	1	1	
1545	12/6/63	LV TELETYPE TO DL, CS, DWASL	3	0	Partially Released

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URGENT 12-5-63 1-02 PM MST WPS

TO SAC, DALLAS /44-1639/

FROM SAC, EL PASO /44-274/ /P/ 1P

143C

JACK L. RUBY, AKA., / LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA DASH VICTIM, CR.

RE DL TEL THIS DATE ELEVEN ZERO THREE AM.

CAPT. K. T. VOGEL, TRAFFIC DIVISION, EP PD, ADVISED THIS DATE AS FOLLOWS COLON. ATTENDED TEXAS POLICE ASSOCIATION CONVENTION IN DALLA ABOUT JUNE NINETEEN, SIXTYONE, STAYED BAKER HOTEL WITH OTHER OFFICERS VISITED SOME NIGHT SPOTS, INCLUDING CAROUSEL CLUE, ALONG WITH OTHER OFFICERS, DID NOT RECALL MEETING RUBY. ATTENDED POLICE SCHOOL IN DAL IN AUG., SIXTYTWO, MADE ROUND OF NIGHT SPOTS ONE NIGHT WITH ABOUT FIV OFFICERS, INCLUDING SGT. ^{already covered} JERRY HILL AND TED FLEMING OF DALLAS PD, WAS INTRODUCED BY HILL TO RUBY, WHO WAS TAELE HOPPING AND GREETING CUSTOM VOGEL DID NOT RECALL GIVING RUBY HIS CARD BUT SAID HE MIGHT HAVE DONE SO. NO FURTHER CONTACT WITH RUBY. NEVER HAS KNOWN RUBY TO VISIT EL AND HAS NOT BEEN CONTACTED BY RUBY IN EL PASO. FD THREE ZERO TWO FOLL CORR- LINE EIGHT, LAST WORD SHUD READ "OTHER"

END AND ACK PLS

2-07 PM OK FEI DL EEA

TO DISC

1410 covered 302 dictated & lead sheet

STWNO Evelyn Jnt. Fleming
K-112209

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Smith [initials]

Santa Fe Building
1114 Commerce
Dallas, Texas
December 5, 1963

Mr. W. Frank Hammett
1431 Omega Street
Dallas 12, Texas

Dear Mr. Hammett:

Your letter of November 27, 1963 to Attorney General Robert Kennedy has been referred to the Federal Bureau of Investigation. You may be assured of our appreciation for your interest and that appropriate action has been taken.

Very truly yours,

J. GORDON SHANKLIN
Special Agent in Charge

1 - Addressee
1 - Dallas (44-1639)

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FBI

Date: 12/2/63

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plain text or code)

Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority or Method of Mailing)

TO: SAC, DALLAS
FROM: SAC, NEW HAVEN (44-140)
RE: JACK LEON RUBY, Aka.;
LEE HARVEY OSWALD, Aka - VICTIM - DECEASED
CIVIL RIGHTS
OO: DALLAS

RE: New Haven teletype to Dallas, 11/25/63;
New Haven airtel to Dallas, enclosing FD-302s, 11/26/63.

Line 32, last word, of above FD-302 regarding interview with DOLORES SYLVA, should be "drinker" instead of "danger." Also, word "danger" in referenced teletype should be "drinker". Dallas please change copies of teletype and 302s to reflect same.

New Haven copies corrected.

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Approved: _____ Sent _____ M Per _____

Special Agent in Charge

2006 W 79th
Los Angeles 90047647

Dec 3, 1963

Federal Bureau of Investigation
Dallas Texas.

Dear Sir:

In regards to Jack Ruby
and Lee Harvey Oswald.

On or about April 22nd or
April 23rd I dropped into a
local Beer Bar for a Beer
at about 6 PM. just after work.

Jack Ruby entered this Beer
Bar just about the times that
I was served my first Beer

Ruby asked for Mitzi the
woman who owned the Bar.

The fellow who was working
behind the bar was Bob Willis
and he said Mitzi went out
for Dinner and she had been
gone over 1/2 hr. and she
should be back in about
10 minutes

I drank my first glass of Beer
and ordered my 2nd glass when
Mitzi returned to the Bar

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Bob Miller said to Mitzie
that fellow down at the end
of the Bar wants to see you
Mitzie went down to the
end of the Bar and she recognized
him and said well Jack
Rubenstein its been about
18 yrs since I saw you
and they yoked for a while
about Chicago and the Night
Club in Chicago where they
used to work together.

I had my third and last beer
and when Rubenstein left
the Bar Mitzie remarked
that Jack Rubenstein was
the Master of Ceremonies in
a night Club in Chicago where
Mitzie had worked as an
Entertainer.

This first time seeing Jack
Ruby was either Monday
or Tuesday April 22nd or on
April 23rd.
On April 25th which was
Thursday I went to an Union

meeting and I left the Union
Meeting around 9:10 PM and
I again stopped in this Beer
Bar at 7867 So Western Ave
I arrived at this Beer Bar
about 9:30 PM at 7867 So Western
and Mitzi was not working
then I walked right through
the place and back to the
Rest Room.

I can't remember who was in
the rest room but I was told
by who was in there that
the fellow who Renounced his
Citizenship and went to Russia
was in the bar with his
Russian wife.

There was one vacant stool
about the Middle of the Bar and
I sat down right next to
Jack Ruby as I had remembered
seeing him earlier that week.

I ordered a Beer and after
a few sips of Beer I reached
into my pocket and got a
Cigarette and I was out of
Matches and I asked the

Labe was "ing behind the
Bar" for a book of matches
but she was busy drawing
Beers and I guess she didn't
hear me

Jack Ruby reached into
his pocket and handed me
a book of matches and I noticed
it had an advertisement for
a club in Dallas Texas on
the cover

I am not too positive but
I believe the address was
600 Block Holt St. Dallas.
on that Match Book.

I remarked to Ruby that
you must have stopped off
in Dallas in returning
to California from the East
Ruby said no Dallas is
my home and that he owned
that night club.

I told Ruby that I had been
through Dallas several times
and that I didn't care too
much for Texas as a place
to live as I thought Texas

was too windy and even
if it wasn't real cold you
would almost freeze in them
Texas Winds.

I began to boost California
to him and I was telling him
about our new water project
to bring Feather River water
to Southern California.

Ruby remarked that he
knew about the water project
as he was at Los Banos the
day before and he had seen
Governor Brown and Kennedy
and had heard Kennedy's
speech.

Ruby said that they also
intended to go to San Francisco
to hear Kennedy speak at the
celebration of the founding of
the United Nations but that
Kennedy had canceled his
trip to San Francisco and
said they decided not to go
to San Francisco so that
was why they happened to
be in Los Angeles on April

25th.

During the time I was talking to Ruby Oswald and his wife and Oswald's Brother and his wife were playing pool on a pool table in the rear of the bar.

Oswald's Brother Bob Oswald dropped out of the pool game for one game and Ruby introduced me to Bob Oswald as Oswald sat down on the stool next to me on my right.

I had a little conversation with Bob Oswald and he told me he was a Building Materials salesman and he lived in Denton Texas 37 miles north west of Dallas.

Lee Harvey Oswald came over to the bar and Bob Oswald introduced me to his brother Lee Oswald.

Bob Oswald got back into the pool game when the next game started and I

again red med conversation
with Ruby.

I remarked to Ruby that
he wasn't an original Texan
and he said that he was
originally from Chicago I said
you akenit isint a Texas
accent.

It Hadn't been too long
since the killing of Roger
Toughen in Chicago and
Roger Toughen had been
convicted of the kidnaping
of Jake the Barber Factor
back in the 1930s and I
brought Roger Toughen into
the conversation I was having
with Ruby.

Ruby became very angry
and he began to attack
Factor and accuse Factor
of having Toughen rebbed
out.

Ruby came right out and
said that Factor was still
running Chicago and the

political machine in Chicago
from his offices in Beverly
Hills California.

Ruby then began to
attack the Kennedy Administration
because under Eisenhower
the State Dept. had Factor
up and was going to deport
him and that the Kennedy
administration had accepted
campaign contributions from
Factor and Factor had
contributed to the Chicago
Political machine and he
blamed this for Roger Touhy's
assassination.

Then Ruby started in on
the new Tax Law about
Entertainment deductions
on the Income Tax Returns
of Salesmen and Business
Men who claim deductions
for entertaining their clients
in night clubs.

I was baffled at this Ruby
that night for he had concealed

a trip to San Francisco
hear Kennedy's United Nations
address. because Kennedy was
not going to be there.

One half hour later this
Rubenstein was very bitter
against Kennedy.

I know this that when I
mentioned Roger Touhey that
it ignited a spark of hatred
that Ruby had against the
Kennedy Administration.

Lee Harvey Oswald was in
an intoxicated condition and
he and his brother got into
an argument in the Pool
Hall that all four of them
were playing and the lady
working at the bar that evening
tried to quiet Oswald that
is Lee Oswald.

Lee Oswald then began
to curse the lady bar tender
and Jack Ruby got up and
talked to Lee Oswald and
tried to quiet him.

I had to work the next day
so I could see there was
going to be some trouble
there with this guy Oswald
so I left about 11:15 pm and
went home.

I hope this will clear up
the question of whether Ruby
and Oswald had any connections
in the assassination of our
President

yours very truly
Joseph E. Field

DUPE MESSAGE

URGENT 12-13-63 6-38 PH PVC

TO SAC, DALLAS /44-1639/
FROM SAC, PITTSBURGH /164-8/ 3-P

WILLIAM H. DARNALL, AKA., CAA, OO PITTSBURGH.

RE DALLAS TEL TO PG INSTANT DATE CAPTIONED

QUOTE WILLIAM H. DARNALL, AKA., CAA, OO PITTSBURGH. UNQUOTE
DECEMBER FIVE MESSAGE WAS -

QUOTE JACK LEON RUBY, AKA., LEE HARVEY OSWALD DASH
VICTIM, DECEASED. CR. OO DALLAS.

ATTORNEY EDWARD H. GREENE, FOUR ONE NINE ELEVENTH
STREET, HUNTINGTON, W. VA., ADVISED SA RAY V. SHOEMAKER TODAY
THAT HUNTINGTON ATTORNEY WILLIAM H. QUOTE BILLY UNQUOTE
DARNALL, HUNTINGTON, ALLEGEDLY LEFT HUNTINGTON VIA COMMERCIAL
AIRLINE FOR DALLAS, TEXAS, FOLLOWING THE ARREST OF LEE HARVEY
OSWALD, DARNALL HAS NOW RETURNED TO HUNTINGTON.

GREENE STATED ROBERT K. MEANS, LAW PARTNER OF DARNALL,
SEVEN THREE FIVE FIFTH AVENUE, HUNTINGTON, FURNISHED THIS
INFO TO GREENE, MEANS STATED DARNALL ADVISED HE HAD PURCHASED
AND ARGE ONE

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opened under Darnall
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A ONEWAY TICKET TO DALLAS AND HAD TAKEN A LOADED REVOLVER WITH THE SOLE PURPOSE OF KILLING OSWALD. OSWALD WAS SLAIN BY RUBY WHILE DARNALL ENROUTE TO DALLAS, AND DARNALL THEN CONTACTED RUBY-S ATTORNEY AND OFFERED HIS ASSISTANCE IN DEFENSE OF RUBY.

DARNALL ALLEGEDLY WAS INVOLVED IN A FIGHT WHILE IN DALLAS, NO FURTHER DETAILS KNOWN ON FIGHT.

ALL ABOVE INFO IS FROM GREENE WHO IS REPUTABLE HUNTINGTON ATTORNEY.

GREENE ADVISED DARNALL WAS FORMER ASSISTANT PROSECUTING ATTORNEY, CABELL COUNTY, W. VA., SEVERAL YEARS AGO, STATED DARNALL HAS BEEN HEAVY DRINKER FOR LAST COUPLE YEARS AND NO LONGER ACTIVELY PRACTICES LAW DUE TO ALCOHOLIC CONDITION. HE STATED ATTORNEYS IN HUNTINGTON AREA ALL CONSIDER DARNALL TO BE DANGEROUS AND GENERAL OPINION IS HE WOULD NOT HESITATE TO KILL ANYONE FOR WHOM HE HAD DISLIKE DUE TO VIOLENT TEMPER.

DARNALL DESCRIBED WM, AGE APPROXIMATELY FIFTY, FIVE FOOT EIGHT, ONE HUNDRED SIXTY LBS., HAIR THINNING.
END PAGE TWO

PAGE THREE

DALLAS SUTEL PITTSBURGH IF ANY INFO HAS COME TO
ATTENTION THAT OFFICE THAT DARNALL CONTACTED RUBY-S ATTORNEY.

UACB PITTSBURGH WILL INTERVIEW ROBERT K. MEANS
AM TOMORROW FOR ALL DETAILS AVAILABLE TO HIM RE ALLEGED TRIP
BY DARNALL. DARNALL WILL THEREAFTER BE INTERVIEWED BUT
NOT UNTIL RECEIPT OF INFO FROM DALLAS, UACB. UNQUOTE.

DALLAS NOTE DALLAS LEAD HANDLED.

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TO SAC, DALLAS /44-1639/

FROM SAC, CHICAGO /44-645/ 3 P

JACK L. RUBY, AKA., LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA DASH
VICTIM, DECEASED. CR.

RE DALLAS AND OKLAHOMA CITY TELETYPES DECEMBER
FOUR LAST.

RE ATTEMPTS TO LOCATE SIDNEY SIEDEBAND THROUGH
RELATIVES IN CHICAGO..

ON DECEMBER FOUR NINETEEN SIXTY THREE, MRS. ROSEMARY
SIEDEBAND, WIDOW OF HERMAN, FOUR NINE TWO THREE QUINCY
STREET, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, ADVISED SA JAMES D. DEWHRST
HER HUSBAND/S BROTHER, SIDNEY, WAS LAST IN CHICAGO SIX
YEARS AGO, WHEN HE ATTENDED THE WEDDING OF HER DAUGHTER.
THREE YEARS AGO HE TELEPHONED FROM AN UNKNOWN LOCATION AT
TIME OF HER SON/S WEDDING. HE WAS QUOTE BLACK SHEEP UNQUOTE
OF FAMILY AND INVOLVED IN UNSAVORY ENDEAVORS SINCE BECOMING
AN ADULT. HE HAS REPORTEDLY BEEN MARRIED SEVERAL TIMES,
ONCE TO A WOMAN IN TEXAS APPROXIMATELY TWENTY FIVE YEARS
AGO AND MOST RECENTLY TO A WOMAN ENGAGED IN THE LUMBER
BUSINESS IN OKLAHOMA. HE WAS EMPLOYED IN THE JEWELRY
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BUSINESS WITH HIS BROTHER SAMUEL IN CHICAGO SEVERAL YEARS
AGO BUT QUIT DUE TO DISLIKE FOR SAME. HE HAS TRAVELLED
THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY APPARENTLY ENJOYING GAMBLING AND
ASSOCIATING WITH THE UNDESIRABLE ELEMENT.

ON DECEMBER FOUR NINETEEN SIXTY THREE, PAULINE
SIEDBAND SALZMAN, DIVORCED FROM HARRY SALZMAN, AND DABBETT
SIEDBAND, THREE ONE ZERO ONE SHERIDAN ROAD, CHICAGO,
FURNISHED SA DEWHIRST SIMILAR INFORMATION REGARDING THEIR
BROTHER, SIDNEY, OBTAINED FROM MRS. ROSEMARY SIEDBAND.
THEY ALSO STATED THEY WERE UNABLE TO LOCATE SIDNEY AT THE
TIME OF THE DEATH OF HARRIS SIEDBAND, THEIR FATHER, TWO
YEARS AGO. TO THEIR KNOWLEDGE, HE IS UNAWARE THAT HIS FATHER
IS DECEASED. BEING THE YOUNGEST OF THE FAMILY, DABBETT WAS
SOMEWHAT CLOSER TO SIDNEY, BUT KNOWS NOTHING FURTHER
REGARDING HIS WHEREABOUTS FOR THE PAST SIX YEARS.

ON DECEMBER FIVE NINETEEN SIXTY THREE, SAMUEL SIEDBAND
FOUR SIX FIVE THREE NORTH LAUNDALE AVENUE, CHICAGO,
FURNISHED SA DEWHIRST IDENTICAL INFORMATION REGARDING HIS
BROTHER SIDNEY AS OBTAINED FROM MRS. HERMAN SIEDBAND AND
HIS SISTERS, PAULINE AND DABBETT. HE KNEW NOTHING FURTHER
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REGARDING SIDNEY/S CURRENT WHEREABOUTS.

SAMUEL SIEBBAND STATED THAT A BROTHER, MASTER
SERGEANT LOUIS SIEBBAND, HAS BEEN IN THE UNITED STATES
AIR FORCE FOR THE PAST THIRTY NINE YEARS AND IS CURRENTLY
STATIONED AT THE SAN BERNARDINO, CALIFORNIA AIR FORCE
BASE. HE WAS NEVER CLOSE TO HIS BROTHER SIDNEY AND IN
CONTACTS WITH HIM, SAMUEL KNOWS HE IS NOT AWARE OF SIDNEY/S
WHEREABOUTS.

NO LEAD BEING SET FORTH FOR INTERVIEW OF LOUIS
SIEBBAND IN VIEW OF ABOVE INFORMATION.

NO FD THREE ZERO TUCS BEING SUBMITTED REGARDING
ABOVE INTERVIEWS DUE TO NEGATIVE INFORMATION AND SINCE
SIGNIFIGANSE OF INFORMATION OBTAINED FROM ABOVE NOT
PERTINENT TO CAPTIONED SUBJECTS.

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TO SAC, DALLAS 44-1639

FROM SAC, CHICAGO 44-645 2-P

JACK L. RUBY, AKA, . LEE HARVEY OSWALD DASH VICTIM DECEASED, CR

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[REDACTED] AND [REDACTED] ON TWELVE FOUR SIXTYTHREE, ADVISED SA THOMAS J. GREEN IN CONFIDENCE THAT DURING SEPTEMBER, SIXTY TWO, DETECTIVES RICCIO, R. CISCO, AND E. KALINOWSKI, TRAVELLED TO WEATHERFORD, TEXAS, TO RETURN TWO PRISONERS, RAYMOND BURKE AND LLOYD SMITH, TO CHICAGO. WHILE STAYING OVER AT DALLAS, TEXAS, ABOVE OFFICERS VISITED RUBY-S NIGHT CLUB. WALLEY WESTERN, ACTING AS MC, WAS KNOWN TO THEM FROM PREVIOUS CHICAGO APPEARANCES BY WESTERN. DURING THIS VISIT, THE OFFICERS MET RUBY, HAD CONVERSATION AND DINNER WITH HIM, AND LEFT THEIR CALLING CARD WITH RUBY. THESE OFFICERS INTERVIEWED AND COULD FURNISH NO INFORMATION PERTAINING TO

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INSTANT MATTER AND KNEW OF NO SYNDICATE OR OTHER CONNECTIONS WITH HOODLUMS OR LAW ENFORCEMENT PERSONNEL FOR RUBY.

ABOVE FURNISHED THE DALLAS OFFICE IN THE EVENT CALLING CARDS OF THESE DETECTIVES ARE LOCATED IN RUBY-S EFFECTS. NO 'FD THREE ZERO TWO WILL BE SUBMITTED.

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DL HOLD FOR MESSAGE PLS

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TO SAC, NEW YORK /44-974/

FROM SAC, DALLAS /44-1639/ 1-P

JACK L. RUBY, AKA., ETAL, CR.

REURTEL ELEVEN THIRTYTHREE PM., DEC. FOUR, LAST, INTERVIEW
WITH JANET ADAMS MOLE, AKA., CONFORTO, JADA.

YOUR FD THREE ZERO TWO SHOULD SPECIFICALLY STATE WHETHER
SHE HAS ANY INFORMATION OF A RUBY DASH OSWALD CONNECTION,
EVER SAW OSWALD, ETC.

PLEASE INSURE ALL FUTURE INTERVIEWS OF SIMILAR TYPE
INCLUDE SUCH INFORMATION.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : FILE (44-1639)

DATE: 12/5/63

FROM : SAC SHANKLIN

SUBJECT: JACK LEON RUBY, aka
LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka - VIC.
CR

Judge JOE B. BROWN called on 12/3/63 and referred to my letter to him relaying the fact that a Police Officer in New York had received information from a radio man to the effect that someone had called the radio man, threatening to kill anyone who sentenced JACK LEON ROBY. BROWN stated he was very concerned now about the trial of this case and any security measures he should take.

I informed him that of course that was a matter for him and the authorities handling the trial. I pointed out to him that we had made the same information available to Sheriff DECKER. He stated he was well aware that DECKER was going to protect RUBY, but that he was now concerned about his own safety. I again pointed out that, of course, I could make no recommendations in this regard.

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TO : SAC, MIAMI (44-1412)

FROM : SAC, DALLAS (44-1639) - P -

SUBJECT: JACK L. RUBY, aka;
LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka
(Deceased) - VICTIM
CR
OO: Dallas

Re Dallas teletype to Bureau and all continental offices 11/25/63.

There is attached one copy of an FD302 reflecting an interview of WILLIAM SMITH.

Please endeavor to locate and interview MICHAEL TRAMES for any pertinent information concerning subject and/or victim.

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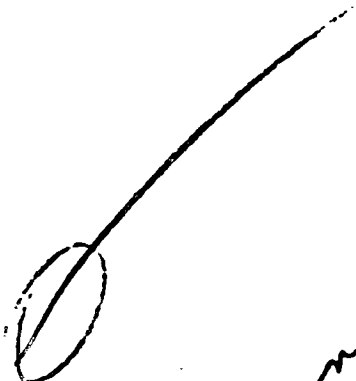
TO: SAC, DALLAS

FROM: SAC, SAN ANTONIO (44-748) (P)

RE: JACK LEON RUBY, aka;
LEE HARVEY OSWALD -
VICTIM (Deceased)
CIVIL RIGHTS

RE: POSSIBLE SOURCE RE RUBY'S CHARACTER

Enclosed for Dallas are 25 copies of FD-302 reflecting results of interview with H. R. NIEMAN at Austin, Texas, by SA DAVID G. LOVELESS on 12/4/63.



Answers letter
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"Colony Club" "max"
"Colonel" - genuine
by WEINSTEIN, competitor
J Ruby

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Date December 4, 1963

H. R. NIEMAN, JR., retired U. S. Naval Admiral, Executive Director, Texas State Building Commission, Austin, Texas, home address 4700 Falcones Drive, advised SA DAVID G. LOVELESS on December 4, 1963, the following:

NIEMAN in the early 1950s was Commanding Officer of the Naval Air Station in Dallas, Texas. He recalls that a young Naval officer, CHARLES LEON NAGLE, during 1951 was found in an unconscious state at the foot of a staircase leading from the Colonial Club, a night spot in Dallas, Texas. NAGLE was hospitalized and NIEMAN conducted an investigation.

The assassination of President KENNEDY and subsequent murder by JACK RUBY caused NIEMAN to recall the incident. He believes that RUBY was working at/or Manager of the Colonial Club at the time of above incident and that this club's present name is the Carousel Club.

NAGLE is presently Commander, U. S. Navy, assigned Office of the Comptroller of the Navy, Washington, D.C.

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On 12/4/63 at Austin, Texas File # SA 44-748
by SA DAVID G. LOVELESS/dte Date dictated 12/4/63

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, DALLAS (44-1639)

DATE: 12/5/63

FROM : ASAC KYLE G. CLARK *K*

SUBJECT:

JACK L. RUBY, aka.;
LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka. -
VICTIM (DECEASED)
CR

On 11/24/63, ~~EDDIE BARKER~~, KRLD, telephonically advised that his station had a video tape of closed circuit TV of RUBY shooting OSWALD in the basement of the Dallas Police Department. Mr. BARKER advised that, if desired, he would make an additional copy while processing the original and furnish it to the FBI.

Mr. BARKER was requested to furnish us with a copy of the video tape. In addition, he was requested to retain the original and notify the FBI in the event it was contemplated that the original tape would be released. It was explained to Mr. BARKER that it was possible that the original tape might be needed as evidence at a future date.

On 12/5/63, Chief of Police CURRY contacted Inspector MALLEY and advised that he had been in contact with FRITZ KUHLER, Manager of KRLD, and had attempted to obtain a copy of the video tape. Chief CURRY stated that KUHLER had informed him that the FBI had instructed that no copies be released. Chief CURRY was informed that there was a misunderstanding and that the only request that had been made was that the original tape be retained by KRLD.

EDDIE BARKER was immediately contacted concerning this matter, and he stated that as far as he was concerned, there was no misunderstanding and that he would straighten the situation out with Chief CURRY and KUHLER. BARKER further stated that in the event Chief CURRY desired a copy, same would be furnished.

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TO SAC DALLAS 44-1639 AND MOBILE

FROM SAC NEW YORK 44-974

JACK LEON RUBY, AKA., ET AL, CR., OO....DALLAS.

REDTEL NEW YORK TWELVE FOUR LAST - TWO TWO TWO PM AND DL TEL TO BUREAU, ELEVEN THIRTY SIXTY THREE, WHICH SETS FORTH INSTRUCTIONS RE INTERVIEW OF NEWSMEN.

DL TEL TWELVE FOUR LAST STATES LEROY ROLLINS, SOUND TECHNICIAN, CBS, CAN BE LOCATED THROUGH CBS, NYC.

WALTER LISTER, ASSIGNMENT DESK, CBS, NYC, ON TWELVE FIVE INSTANT, ADVISED LEROY ROLLINS RESIDES IN MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA, AND HE IS LISTED IN THE TELEPHONE DIRECTORY. LESTER STATES LAURENS PIERCE, CBS CAMERAMAN AND LOU WOOD, CBS REPORTER OUT OF NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA, ARE WITH ROLLINS AND THEY ARE WORKING ON AN ASSIGNMENT IN TUSKEGEE, ALABAMA. WOOD IS STAYING AT THE HOLIDAY INN- MIDTOWN IN MONTGOMERY, TELEPHONE TWO SIX FIVE- ZERO SEVEN FOUR ONE.

FOR THE INFORMATION MOBILE, BUREAU INSTRUCTS THAT NEWSMEN IN THE BASEMENT OF THE DALLAS CITY HALL WHEN LEE HARVEY OSWALD WAS SHOT AND KILLED BY JACK RUBY BE INTERVIEWED TO DETERMINE IF THEY KNOW WHETHER ANY PERSONS OTHER THAN OFFICERS AND REPRESENTATIVES OF NEWS MEDIA WERE PRESENT. IF SO, HOW THEY WERE, AND THE SOURCE OF THE INFO. IT IS NOT FIRST HAND WITH THE NEWSMEN. ALL PERSONS PRESENT SHOULD BE INTERVIEWED TO DETERMINE HOW THEY GOT INTO THE BLDG., WHETHER THEY WERE REQUIRED TO SHOW THEIR IDENTIFICATION. INTERVIEWS ARE TO BE EXHAUSTIVE AND SHOULD INCLUDE, BUT NOT BE LIMITED, TO THE FOLLOWING.....

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A. SECURITY PROCEDURE IN BASEMENT, NOV. TWENTY FOUR, SIXTY THREE AND WAS PERSON INTERVIEWED REQUIRED TO IDENTIFY HIMSELF. DOES HE KNOW OF ANY UNAUTHORIZED PERSONS PERMITTED TO ENTER BASEMENT OR ANY PERSON PERMITTED TO ENTER WITHOUT SHOWING IDENT. IF SO, IDENTIFY AND INTERVIEW.

B. ANY INDICATION ANY POLICE OFFICER OR OTHER OFFICIAL CONSPIRED WITH RUBY OR WILLFULLY PERMITTED THE KILLING.

C. DID PERSON INTERVIEWED SEE OR TALK TO RUBY FROM NOV. TWENTY TWO THROUGH NOV. TWENTY FOUR. IF SO, GIVE DETAILS.

D. DETERMINE IF THE PERSON INTERVIEWED HAS ANY KNOWLEDGE OF ANY RELATIONSHIP OR PRIOR ACQUAINTANCE BETWEEN JACK L. RUBY AND OSWALD.

ANY COMMUNICATION REGARDING THIS MATTER SHOULD BE MARKED FOR ATTENTION OF CIVIL RIGHTS SECTION OF BUREAU.

SUTEL SUMMARY OF INTERVIEW AT DALLAS AND BUREAU IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWED BY TWENTY TWO AND TWENTY THREE TELETYPE TWO AND OR INSERTS TO DALLAS FOR INFORMATION.

MOBILE INTERVIEW REQUESTED AT MONTGOMERY OR TUSKEGEE AND IF NOT ALREADY DONE INTERVIEW PIERCE AND WOOD.
END AND PLS ACK.....

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TO SACs CHICAGO /44-645/ & DALLAS /44-1639/
FROM SAC, NEWARK /44-443/

JACK LEON RUBY, AKA. LEE HARVEY OSWALD DASH VICTIM PAREN
DECEASED PAREN. CIVIL RIGHTS

RE CHICAGO TELETYPE TO NEWARK AND DALLAS DECEMBER FOUR LAST.

RE COLON JACK LEON RUBY DASH MINFON RECORDING EQUIPMENT.

THE FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION WAS CONDUCTED BY SA RAYMOND F.
HOYLE ON DECEMBER FIVE LAST COLON

ROBERT HARZ, STOCK CONTROLLER, FEDERAL ELECTRIC CORPORATION,
INTERNATIONAL TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH CO., PARAMUS, NJ ADVISED
THAT THE FEDERAL ELECTRIC CORP. IS THE REPAIR DIVISION OF ITT.
HE STATED THAT HE HAD NO RECORDS EXCEPT RECORDS OF REPAIRS ON
MINIFON RECORDING EQUIPMENT AND THAT HIS RECORDS BEGIN IN AUGUST,
SIXTY ONE AT WHICH TIME ITT ENTERED INTO THE DISTRIBUTORSHIP
OF MINIFON EQUIPMENT. HE STATED THAT THE ONLY SURE WAY TO TRACE
REPAIRS ON MINIFON EQUIPMENT WAS THROUGH SERIAL NUMBERS BUT THAT
SOME OF THE REPAIRS WERE MADE USING THE NAME OF THE PERSON
REQUESTING THESE REPAIRS. HE ADVISED HE HAD SEARCHED HIS RECORDS
SEARCHED AND ADVISED THAT NEWARK OFFICE SHOULD BE ABLE TO LOCATE
ANY RECORD FOR JACK LEON RUBY OR JACK B. [REDACTED]

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MR. HARZ FURTHER ADVISED THAT THE FEDERAL ELECTRIC CORP. WAS FORMERLY LOCATED AT FOUR EIGHT FIVE VICTORIA TERRACE, RIDGE DASH FIELD, NJ. HE STATED THAT JACK SCULLY, MANAGER, DISTRIBUTOR PRODUCTS DIVISION, IIT, ROUTE SEVENTEEN, LOKE, NJ, MIGHT BE ABLE TO FURNISH ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CONCERNING ANY RECORDING EQUIPMENT PURCHASED BY RUBY IN DALLAS, TEXAS PRIOR TO NINETEEN SIXTY ONE. HE COMMENTED THAT MINOR REPAIRS ON EQUIPMENT OF THIS KIND MAY HAVE BEEN HANDLED BY EITHER OF THE FOLLOWING COMPANIES IN DALLAS, EXAS COLON

ARCHINAL PHOTO ELECTRO SERVICE, TWO EIGHT ZERO SIX CANTON ST., RIVERSIDE EIGHT DASH SIX SIX THREE SEVEN.

ERNSTROM-S INC., FOUR THREE FIVE SIX LOVER-S LANE.

MR. HARZ SUBSEQUENTLY ADVISED THE NEWARK OFFICE TELEPHONICALLY THAT A REVIEW OF ALL HIS RECORDS FAILED TO REFLECT THAT THE REPAIR OF ANY EQUIPMENT FOR RUBY WAS HANDLED BY THE FEDERAL ELECTRIC CORP. HE ADDED THAT HE WOULD NEED A SERIAL NUMBER TO POSITIVELY TRACE ANY REPAIRS.

JACK SCULLY, MANAGER, TECHNICAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT, DISTRIBUTOR PRODUCTS DIVISION, IIT, ROUTE SEVENTEEN, LOKE, N. J., ADVISED
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THAT HIS COMPANY TOOK OVER THE DISTRIBUTORSHIP OF MINIFON EQUIPMENT IN AUGUST SIXTY ONE. HE STATED THAT PRIOR TO THAT TIME THE DISTRIBUTORSHIP WAS HANDLED BY THE GEISS AMERICA CORP., SIX FOUR TWO FOUR, NORTHWESTERN AVE., CHICAGO, ILLINOIS AND THAT ONE LEROY COHEN WAS GENERAL SALES MANAGER. HE STATED THAT THE MINIFON CONTRACT WAS CANCELLED BY THE MANUFACTURER WHO AT THAT TIME WAS PROTONA IN HAMBURG, GERMANY AND THAT THERE WAS ILL WILL AT THE TIME OF THE CANCELLATION. HE SAID THAT AS A RESULT ITT COMPANY GOT NO COOPERATION FROM THE GEISS AMERICA CORPORATION AND THAT NONE OF THE RECORDS WERE EVER FURNISHED THE ITT COMPANY. HE ADDED THAT WHEN THEY ASSUMED DEALER RESPONSIBILITY FOR MINIFON, THEY THEREFORE HAD NO KNOWLEDGE OF WHEN OR TO WHOM THE EQUIPMENT HAD BEEN SOLD AND THEY HAD TO ABSORB THE COST OF REPAIRS ON SOME EQUIPMENT ON WHICH HE FELT SURE THE WARRANTY HAD EXPIRED.

MR. SCULLY FURTHER ADVISED THAT THE FOTONITE COMPANY WAS UNKNOWN TO HIM BY NAME BUT THAT IT WAS PROBABLY IDENTICAL TO THE GEISS AMERICA CORPORATION AT THE SAME ADDRESS CHICAGO IN VIEW OF THE FACT THAT HE HAS A LETTERHEAD FROM THE LATTER CORPORATION DATED APPROXIMATELY ONE MONTH AGO ON WHICH A MR. M. J. HIRSCHENBEIN, -----CORR ON PAGE T W O LINE NINE WRD THREE SHD BE "TEXAS" RPT "TEXAS"

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IS LISTED AS VICE PRESIDENT.

MR. SCULLY STATED THAT HE WOULD HAVE A SEARCH OF HIS RECORDS MADE FOR ANY CUSTOMERS AND THE REPAIR OF ANY EQUIPMENT BY JACK LEON RUBY OR JACK RUBENSTEIN, AND THAT HE WOULD ADVISE THE NEWARK OFFICE OF THE FBI SHOULD ANY SUCH RECORDS BY LOCATED.

MR. SCULLY SUBSEQUENTLY ADVISED TELEPHONICALLY THAT HE COULD LOCATE NO RECORD AT HIS COMAPNY FOR RUBY.

THE CHICAGO OFFICE WILL RECONTACT THE FOTONITE COMPANY, SIX FOUR TWO FOUR NORTHWESTERN AVE., TO ASCERTAIN IF THE COMAPNY IS THE SAME AS THE GEISS AMERICA CORPORATION. WILL THEREAFTER ATTEMPT TO LOCATE THE RECORDS OF THIS LATTER COMPANY FOR INFORMATION CONCERNING THE ALLEGED PURCHASE MADE BY RUBY BETWEEN JULY NINETEEN FIFTY EIGHT AND MAY NINETEEN SIXTY.

NO ADDITIONAL INVESTIGATION CONTEMPLATED BY THE NEWARK OFFICE.

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TO SACS, LOS ANGELES AND DALLAS /44-1639/
FROM SAC, LAS VEGAS /44-48/ 1P

JACK LEON RUBY, AKA - LEE HARVY OSWALD / VICTIM. CR.

RE LAS VEGAS TEL TO DALLAS AND LOS ANGELES, DECEMBER FOUR,
LAST, R ROBERT STUART.

ROBERT STUART ADVISED SA FORD E. HOLMES AT RENO, NEVADA, THIS
DATE THAT WHILE HE, STUART, WAS WORKING FOR RUBY IN DALLAS, TEXAS,
ONE JOHNNIE HAYDEN WAS A REPRESENTATIVE FOR THE AMERICAN GUILD OF
VARIETY ARTISTS. HAYDEN WAS VERY CLOSE FRIEND OF RUBY AND THEY
SPENT A CONSIDERABLE AMOUNT OF TIME TOGETHER. HAYDEN IS NOW IN
LOS ANGELES.

LOS ANGELES OFFICE LOCATE HAYDEN THROUGH AGVA AND INTERVIEW
RE HIS KNOWLEDGE OF SUBJECT AND ADVISE DALLAS OF RESULTS.

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LAST, RE ROBERT STUART.

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FROM SAC, DALLASS /44-1639/

JACK L. RUBY, AKA, LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA DASH VICTIM PAREN
DECEASED PAREN, CR.

PAUL ROTHERMEL, AN EMPLOYEE OF H. L. HUNT CORPORATION,
DALLAS, TEXAS, STATED THAT HE HAD HEARD FROM SOURCE HE
WOULD NOT DISCLOSE THAT ABOUT SIX OR SEVEN YEARS AGO RUBY
ATTENDED THE FUNERAL IN KENNEDY, TEXAS, OF A KNOWN UNDERWORLD
FIGURE, DALLAS HUSKEY AKA HUSKEY. HUSKEY ALLEDGEDLY KILLED
TWO PEOPLE SEVETEEN OR EIGHTEEN YEARS AGO, HAD CHICAGO
LAWYER TO DEFEND HIM.

FOLLOWING PEOPLE ACCORDING TO ROTHERMEL IN KENNEDY,
TEXAS, WILL KNOW OF RUBY-S ATTENDANCE OF HUSKEY-S FUNERAL
COLON DOCTOR FNU MANLEY AND FNU RUTMAN.

ROTHERMEL COULD FURNISH NO FURTHER INFORMATION.

SAN ANTONIO HANDLE INTERVIEWS WITH MANLEY AND RUTMAN
AT KENNEDY, TEXAS. P.

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TO SAC, HOUSTON

FROM SAC, DALLAS /44-1639/

JACK L. RUBY AKA, LEE HARVEY OSWALD AKA DASH VICTIM,
CR.

GAIL RAVEN, STRIPPER, STATED TO LOIS MEEKS, WAITRESS,
WEBB-S WAFFLE SHOP, SOUTHLAND HOTEL, DALLAS, IN JULY,
SIXTYTHREE, THAT JACK RUBY WAS A MEMBER OF MAFIA.

INTERVIEW GAIL RAVEN, WHOSE TRUE NAME IS REPORTED
TO BE BARBARA POWELL, BOX THREE THREE TWO, WOODSBORO,
TEXAS, FOR FULL DETAILS CONCERNING HER STATEMENT, HER
EMPLOYMENT WITH JACK RUBY, AAND ALL INFORMATION SHE HAS
ABOUT HIM. RAVEN MAY BE ATTENDING BEAUTY SCHOOL IN
CORPUS CHRISTI.

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