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

RE DALLAS TELETYPE APRIL TWENTY LAST.

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██████████ ADVISES HAS NO IDEA WHERE DONALD
EDWARD BROWDER IS BUT BELIEVES IS STILL IN MIAMI, FLORIDA, AREA.
AS POINTED OUT PREVIOUSLY ██████████ OBSERVED PHOTOGRAPH OF EDDIE *b7cd*
BROWDER WHO WAS CONFINED MSP AND STATED THIS INDIVIDUAL NOT IDENTICAL
TO DONALD EDWARD BROWDER. INDICES AND AGENCY CHECKS NEGATIVE,
ATLANTA.

MIAMI INTERVIEW JOE MARRS FOR INFORMATION CONCERNING
POSSIBLE WHEREABOUTS OF BROWDER.

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LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka - VICTIM
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ReBuairtel to FX, 4/15/64; and FX tel and airtel
to Bureau dated 4/20/64.

There are transmitted herewith 25 copies of an
insert reflecting the results of an investigation regarding
a letter dated 4/7/64 from Miss MARY JONE, Mesa, Arizona,
to the Attorney General of the United States.

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JACK L. RUBY, aka;
LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka (DECEASED) -
VICTIM
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Re Dallas airtel to Bureau 4/13/64.

Enclosed herewith are 20 copies FD-302 reflecting
interview with MORRIS GERALD TANNEHILL on 4/17/64
as requested in re airtel.

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TO DALLAS (44-1639)

FROM CHICAGO (44-645) 2P

JACK L. RUBY, AKA; LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA DASH VICTIM,
CIVIL RIGHTS.

RE LOS ANGELES TEL TO DALLAS APRIL SEVENTEEN LAST.

BENJAMIN J. KANTER, ATTORNEY, ONE EIGHT EIGHT WEST RANDOLPH
STREET, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, ADVISED SA DENNIS W. SHANAHAN THIS DATE
THAT HE HAD BEEN A FRIEND OF IRVIN BERKE FOR MANY YEARS IN CHICAGO,
PRIOR TO BERKE'S MOVING TO CALIFORNIA.

KANTER RECALLED ONE OCCASION IN NINETEEN FORTYSIX OR FORTYSEVEN,
WHEN HE AND HIS WIFE, PEGGY, PLANNED TO VISIT THEIR SON AT ANTOICH
COLLEGE IN OHIO. BERKE LEARNED OF THEIR PROPOSED TRIP AND ASKED IF
KANTER COULD DROP BERKE AND HIS WIFE OFF AT MUNCIE, INDIANA, EN ROUTE
TO OHIO. KANTER AND HIS WIFE VISITED WITH THE BERKES AND SOME
UNRECALLED RELATIVES AT MUNCIE, INDIANA, FOR APPROXIMATELY ONE HOUR
ON THIS OCCASION. KANTER DID NOT RECALL SPECIFICALLY THE NAMES OF THE
RELATIVES IN MUNCIE, BUT BELIEVED THAT THEY WERE INLAWS OF BERKE.
HE STATED THIS WAS THE ONLY OCCASION HE EVER WAS IN MUNCIE, INDIANA,
WITH BERKE OR IN COMPANY WITH BERKE'S RELATIVES.

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KANTER WAS NOT ACQUAINTED WITH MRS. BERKE'S SISTERS OR OTHER RELATIVES. HE STATED THAT HE HAD NO RECOLLECTION OF EVER HAVING KNOWN JACK RUBY OR JACK RUBENSTEIN AND HIS FIRST KNOWLEDGE OF THIS INDIVIDUAL CAME AS A RESULT OF THE MURDER OF LEE HARVEY OSWALD.

KANTER ADVISED THAT BERKE WAS ACTIVE IN THE MUSIC PUBLISHING FIELD IN CHICAGO IN THE FORTIES. HE SAID BERKE LOVED TO DO CARD TRICKS AND IN OTHER WAYS PERFORM. HE KNEW OF NO TALL BLOND WOMAN WHO MIGHT HAVE ACCOMPANIED BERKE TO MUNCIE, INDIANA, OR ANYWHERE ELSE. TO THE BEST OF HIS KNOWLEDGE, BERKE, HIS WIFE AND THEIR ACQUAINTANCES KNOWN TO KANTER WERE NOT MEMBERS OF ANY SUBVERSIVE GROUP AND WERE BELIEVED BY HIM TO BE LOYAL AMERICANS.

NO FD DASH THREE ZERO TWOS WILL BE SUBMITTED.

LOS ANGELES FURNISHED AIRMAIL COPY OF THIS TEL.

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SUBJECT: JACK L. RUBY, aka;
LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka -
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Enclosed are 25 copies of an insert reflecting negative investigation to locate DONALD EDWARD BROWDER on 4/21/64, at Atlanta, Georgia.

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9-41 AM CST URGENT 4-22-64 WD

TO ATLANTA (44-1559)

FROM DALLAS (44-1639) 2 P

JACK L. RUBY, AKA; LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA - VICTIM. CR.

REURTEL APRIL TWENTYONE LAST AND MIAMI TEL SAME DATE.

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[REDACTED] SHOULD BE EXHAUSTIVELY INTERVIEWED TO OBTAIN ALL POSSIBLE INFORMATION WHICH MAY BE SUBJECT TO VERIFICATION, TO ESTABLISH IDENTITY OF PERSON KNOWN TO HIM AS BROWDER AND PERSON BELIEVED BY HIM TO HAVE BEEN RUBY.

OBTAIN DETAILED PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION OF BROWDER, BY WHAT NAME OR NICKNAME HE KNEW HIM, WHEN, WHERE AND HOW MANY TIMES HE MET BROWDER, BROWDER'S ORIGIN, WHETHER MARRIED, IF SO, NAMES OF WIFE AND CHILDREN IF ANY, PLACES OF RESIDENCE, OCCUPATIONS, ASSOCIATES, WHAT AIRPORTS HE USED IF HE WAS A PILOT, KIND OF PLANE HE OWNED OR OPERATED, IF PLANE OWNED BY SOMEONE ELSE, WHO WAS IT, WHERE IS THIS OWNER NOW, WHEN AND WHERE HE MET RUBENSTEIN, NAME OR NICKNAME HE WAS KNOWN BY, HOW HE KNEW BROWDER AND RUBENSTEIN WERE ASSOCIATED, WHETHER PERSONAL KNOWLEDGE OR HEARSAY, HOW MANY TIMES HE SAW THEM TOGETHER, WHERE,

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WHO ELSE WAS PRESENT, WHETHER RUBENSTEIN WAS MARRIED, WAS HE A PILOT, WHAT PLANES DID HE FLY, WHAT AIRPORTS USED, IF INFORMATION BASED ON HEARSAY, WHO TOLD HIM, WHEN AND WHERE, HOW BROWDER AND RUBENSTEIN DRESSED.

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THERE HAS BEEN NO CONFIRMATION FROM PAST OR CURRENT INVESTIGATION OF [REDACTED] IDENTIFICATION OF RUBENSTEIN AS RUBY IS CORRECT. RUBY IS NOT KNOWN TO HAVE EVER BEEN MARRIED, TO HAVE BEEN A PILOT, TO HAVE LIVED IN FLORIDA. THERE HAVE BEEN OTHER ALLEGATIONS OF GUN-RUNNING, NONE CONFIRMED.

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TO DALLAS 44-1639

FROM LOS ANGELES 44-895 2P

JACK L. RUBY, AKA; LEE HARVEY OSWALD, (DECEASED) AKA DASH VICTIM. RE
LOS ANGELES TEL TO DALLAS APRIL SEVENTEEN, LAST AND
DALLAS TEL TO LOS ANGELES APRIL TWENTY, LAST.

HAROLD S. SUGERMAN, VICE PRESIDENT, M AND B AMERICAN
CORPORATION, FOUR ZERO FOUR NORTH ROXBURY DRIVE, BEVERLY HILLS,
CALIFORNIA, WAS INTERVIEWED APRIL TWENTY ONE, LAST BY SA
PHILLIP B. DEILY. HE FURNISHED THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

HE CAME TO CALIFORNIA FROM CHICAGO ABOUT EIGHT YEARS AGO.
HE WAS ACQUAINTED WITH IRWIN BERKE AND WIFE IN CHICAGO. HE
AND HIS WIFE MADE ABOUT THREE TRIPS TO MUNCIE, INDIANA, WITH THE
BERKES IN THE MID NINETEEN FORTIES. HE HAS NO RECOLLECTION
OF ANY SHOW GIRLS OR PERSONS IN THE MILITARY SERVICE ACCOMPANYING
THEM ON ABOVE TRIPS. HE NEVER KNEW AND HAS NEVER MET JACK L.
RUBY, AKA JACK RUBENSTEIN, PRESENTLY OF DALLAS, TEXAS.

HIS WIFE AND CHARLOTTE CHAZIN WERE GOOD FRIENDS. HE WAS
ONLY CASUALLY ACQUAINTED WITH MR. AND MRS. SAM JAFFEE, LAWSON

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JASSER AND MR. AND MRS. MAX PRITZKER. HERBERT AND MARTIN PAZOL, PHILLIP JASSER AND MORTON STANDT ARE UNKNOWN TO HIM. HE HAS NEVER BEEN GIVEN ANY REASON TO QUESTION THE LOYALTY OF THE BERKES, THEIR RELATIVES AND ACQUAINTANCES AND HAS NO KNOWLEDGE OF ANY ASSOCIATION OF THESE PERSONS WITH THE COMMUNIST PARTY OR WITH GROUPS OR INDIVIDUALS SYMPATHETIC WITH THE COMMUNIST PARTY.

LOS ANGELES WILL NOT FURNISH FD THREE ZERO TWO TO DALLAS ON ABOVE INTERVIEW. COLOR PHOTOGRAPHS OF BERKE AND WIFE TAKEN APRIL TWENTYONE, LAST AND WILL BE FURNISHED PORTLAND.

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- VICTIM
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ReBuairtel to Chicago and WFO dated 4/9/64,
and Chicago teletype to the Bureau dated 4/15/64.

Enclosed herewith are 25 copies each of the
following:

1. FD-302 interview of JACK MARCUS;
2. FD-302 interview of JAY BISHOV;
3. FD-302 interview of SHERWIN BRAUN.

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10 43 AM EST URGENT 4-23-64 JRD

TO DALLAS (44-1639)

FROM PHILADELPHIA (44-776677) (RUC)) 1P

JACK L. RUBY, AKA, LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA DASH VICTIM. CIVIL RIGHTS.

REURTEL TWENTYSECOND INSTANT.

RE ARLINGTON, TEX., TELEPHONE NO. C R DASH FIVE DASH EIGHT ONE ONE THREE TO PHILADELPHIA.

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[REDACTED] BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF PENNSYLVANIA, ONE FRANKLIN PARKWAY, PHILADELPHIA, TELEPHONICALLY ADVISED SA M. MAX LOUDERMAN ON APRIL TWENTYTWO, SIXTYFOUR, THAT IN OCTOBER AND NOVEMBER NINETEEN SIXTYTHREE PHILADELPHIA TELEPHONE SUBSCRIBER TO DA DASH FOUR DASH SIX FOUR THREE FOUR WAS MIKOL J. CYBAK, FOUR FOUR TWO ZERO NORTH NINETEENTH ST., AND SUBSCRIBER TO TELEPHONE C E DASH SIX DASH THREE SEVEN ZERO ZERO WAS SAINT JOSEPHS HOSPITAL, SEVENTEENTH ST. AND STARRD AVE.

PHILADELPHIA INDICES NEGATIVE ON THE NAME MIKOL J. CYBAK.

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TO DALLAS (44-1639)

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JACK L. RUBY, AKA; LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA. DASH VICTIM,
GR. REURTEL APRIL TWENTY-TWO LAST.

RE CALLS FROM OR FIVE-EIGHT ONE ONE THREE, ARLINGTON,
TEXAS, DURING OCTOBER AND NOVEMBER, NINETEEN SIXTY-THREE.

IC HERBERT C. MEYER WAS ADVISED ON APRIL TWENTY-THREE
INSTANT AT THE NEW JERSEY BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY, FIVE FOUR
ZERO BROAD STREET, NEWARK, NEW JERSEY, BY [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] OF THE TELEPHONE COMPANY,
THAT CA SEVEN-FIVE TWO SEVEN FOUR WAS SUBSCRIBED TO IN OCTOBER
AND NOVEMBER, NINETEEN SIXTY-THREE, BY JOHN P. BIEHL, FIVE TWO
EIGHT EAST CHURCH STREET, BLACKWOOD, NEW JERSEY. CA SEVEN-ZERO ZERO
ONE FOUR WAS SUBSCRIBED TO BY MARY'S COLD CUT CENTER, FIVE ZERO
EIGHT EAST CHURCH STREET, BLACKWOOD, NEW JERSEY. CA SEVEN-
ZERO ZERO ONE FOUR WAS BILLED TO JOHN P. BIEHL, MENTIONED

ABOVE.

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JACK L. RUBY, AKA.; LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA.- VICTIM. CR.

RE DALLAS TELETYPE, APRIL TWENTYTWO, LAST.

b7cd [REDACTED] EXHAUSTIVELY INTERVIEWED APRIL TWENTYTHREE,

SIXTYFOUR. DURING PREVIOUS INTERVIEW, [REDACTED] PICKED FACE PHOTO *b7cd*

OF JACK RUBY OUT OF TWO OTHER PICTURES AS PERSON HE KNEW IN FLA.

BY NAME OF JACK RUBINSTEIN. ON APRIL TWENTYTHREE, SIXTYFOUR,

GROUP OF PHOTOS CONTAINING FULL LENGTH AND FACE PHOTOS OF JACK L.

RUBY WERE DISPLAYED TO [REDACTED] PICKED OUT SEVERAL PHOTO- *b7cd*

GRAPHS AS PEOPLE HE THOUGHT HE HAD SEEN BEFORE. HE PICKED OUT BOTH

PHOTOS OF JACK L. RUBY AS SOMEONE HE THOUGHT HE HAD SEEN BEFORE.

HE WAS ASKED TO IDENTIFY THE PERSON BUT HE COULD NOT DO SO. WHEN

FINALLY IT WAS POINTED OUT TO HIM THAT THESE WERE PHOTOS OF JACK

RUBY, HE BECAME QUITE NERVOUS AND STATED THAT HE POSSIBLY DID NOT

RECOGNIZE THEM BECAUSE HE ALWAYS SAW RUBINSTEIN DRESSED IN A SUIT

AND THE PICTURES OF RUBY SHOW HIM DRESSED IN CASUAL CLOTHING.

b7cd [REDACTED] AS ASKED WHETHER THE SHOCK OF THE PRESIDENT-S DEATH HAD

AFFECTED HIM EMOTIONALLY AND HE STATED HE WAS OVERWROUGHT WITH THE

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PRESIDENT'S DEATH AND AGAIN STATED THAT HE VERY EASILY COULD BE
MISTAKEN BY IDENTIFYING JACK L. RUBY AS BEING IDENTICAL WITH JACK
RUBINSTEIN HE KNEW IN FLA. HOWEVER, ALTHOUGH HE COULD NOT GET ON
THE WITNESS STAND AND STATE THAT HE WAS SURE THEY WERE IDENTICAL
HE BELIEVES THEY COULD BE. [REDACTED] ALSO STATED THAT HE HAS NEVER
SUFFERED FROM EMOTIONAL OR MENTAL ILLNESS OR NEVER BEEN TREATED
FOR SAME.

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CONCERNING DONALD EDWARD BROWDER [REDACTED] DESCRIBED BROWDER
AS WM, THIRTYTHREE TO THIRTYFIVE YEARS OLD (TEN TO TWELVE YEARS
AGO), GOOD LOOKING, FIVE FT. NINE IN. TO FIVE FT. TEN IN., ONE
HUNDRED FIFTYFIVE TO ONE HUNDRED SIXTY POUNDS, BLACK HAIR- FULL
HEAD, SOMETIMES WORE MOUSTACHE, NO GLASSES, NEAT DRESSER, DRESSED
IN CONSERVATIVE SUITS OR CONSERVATIVE SPORT CLOTHING. CARRIED
GERMAN LUGER PISTOL. HAD NO KNOWN MILITARY SERVICE. [REDACTED]
STATED BROWDER WAS CALLED DON AND EDDIE AND DON EDUARDO, BUT WAS
NOT OF LATIN DESCENT. HE HAD NO KNOWN OCCUPATION BUT BELIEVED BY
[REDACTED] TO BE A SMUGGLER. [REDACTED] STATED HE SAW HIM A DOZEN TIMES;
SEVERAL TIMES AT [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] HE STATED

[REDACTED] IS NOW IN NASSAU, BAHAMAS, AND WOULD DEFINITELY KNOW BROWDER BUT IS NOT SURE WOULD KNOW RUBINSTEIN. [REDACTED] HAS NO KNOWLEDGE OF ORIGIN OF BROWDER, STATED HE WAS NOT MARRIED BUT HAD A BLONDE GIRL FRIEND, NAME UNRECALLED, WHO WAS A DANCER IN A MIAMI BEACH CLUB. BROWDER LIVED IN A MIAMI BEACH APARTMENT.

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[REDACTED] DOES NOT RECALL WHERE HE FIRST MET RUBINSTEIN BUT SAW APPROXIMATELY HALF DOZEN TIMES; TWICE AT THE COLONIAL INN IN MIAMI, AND ONCE AT SUNNY SOUTH AIRPORT, N.W. SEVENTH AVE. AND NINETIETH ST. HE CALLED HIM JACK. [REDACTED] NEVER SAW RUBINSTEIN AND BROWDER TOGETHER BUT HEARD BOTH MENTION THE OTHER AND BELIEVED THEY WERE ACQUAINTED. RUBINSTEIN WAS NOT MARRIED. HE WAS NOT A PILOT AND DID HIS ALLEGED GUN RUNNING BY BOAT. HOWEVER, [REDACTED] COULD NOT STATE WHO WOULD HAVE ASSISTED HIM OR FROM WHAT PLACE IN THE AREA HE WOULD LEAVE BY BOAT AND WHOSE BOAT HE WOULD USE. HE FURTHER DESCRIBED RUBINSTEIN AS A NEAT CONSERVATIVE DRESSER.

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IN VIEW OF [REDACTED] INABILITY TO IDENTIFY A PHOTOGRAPH OF RUBINSTEIN AND HIS NERVOUS STATE WHEN IT WAS POINTED OUT TO HIM HIS LACK OF IDENTIFICATION, ATLANTA FEELS THAT [REDACTED]
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ORIGINALLY FURNISHED THIS INFORMATION, NOT BEING SURE OF IT AND IS NOW RELUCTANT TO BACK AWAY FROM HIS ORIGINAL STATEMENTS. HE WAS GIVEN EVERY OPPORTUNITY TO DO SO BUT STILL MAINTAINS HE MAY BE CORRECT IN HIS IDENTIFICATION. ATLANTA RECOMMENDS THAT THIS PHASE OF THE INVESTIGATION BE DISCONTINUED INASMUCH AS ALL OTHER INVESTIGATION HAS FAILED TO BACK UP ANY OF [REDACTED] STORY CONCERNING THE ALLEGED IDENTITY OF A JACK RUBINSTEIN AS JACK RUBY AND THE OTHER INFORMATION SET-FORTH ABOVE. HOWEVER, IF DALLAS FEELS THAT THIS MUST BE PURSUED, MIAMI IS REQUESTED TO CONDUCT FURTHER INVESTIGATION IN CONNECTION WITH THE INFORMATION SET FORTH IN THIS TELETYPE TO LOCATE AND INTERVIEW DONALD EDWARD BROWDER TO VERIFY THE ALLEGATIONS OF [REDACTED] IN THIS CONNECTION, AN INTERVIEW OF [REDACTED] MAY PROVE PRODUCTIVE.

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SUBJECT: JACK L. RUBY, aka;
LEE HARVEY OSWALD - VICTIM
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Re Chicago airtel to Dallas dated 4/17/64.

Enclosed herewith are 25 copies of an insert
reflecting a negative check of INS records at Chicago
on JACK MARCUS, JAY BISHOV, and SHERWIN BRAUN.② - Dallas (Encs. 25)
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3-27 PM CST URGENT 4-22-64 LJH

TO NEW YORK 44-974 ; NEWARK 44-443 ; PHILADELPHIA 44-757
FROM DALLAS 44-1639 3-P.

JACK L. RUBY, AKA., LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA., - VICTIM; CR.

INVESTIGATION REQUESTED BY PRESIDENT-S COMMISSION REGARDING
TELEPHONE TOLL CHARGES TO FOLLOWING NUMBERS, ARLINGTON, TEXAS,
AVAILABLE TO RALPH PAUL, ASSOCIATE OF RUBY;

OR FIVE DASH FOUR EIGHT NINE ONE.

OR FIVE DASH FIVE THREE FIVE TWO

OR FIVE DASH EIGHT ONE ONE THREE.

TELEPHONE COMPANY RECORDS REFLECT AS FOLLOWS CONCERNING
TOLL CHARGES, ALL IN NINETEEN SIXTY-THREE.

OCTOBER THIRTEEN, TWENTY-SEVEN AND THIRTY, NOVEMBER TEN AND
TWENTY-FOUR AND DECEMBER ONE, FROM OR FIVE DASH FOUR EIGHT NINE
ONE, ARLINGTON, TO CY FIVE DASH ONE SIX TWO THREE, NEW YORK, NEW
YORK.

NOVEMBER TWENTY-FIVE, FROM OR FIVE DASH FIVE THREE FIVE TWO,
ARLINGTON, TEXAS, TO CY FIVE DSH ONE SIX TWO THREE, NEW YORK,
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NEW YORK.

FOLLOWING ALL FROM CR FIVE DASH EIGHT ONE ONE THREE,
ARLINGTON, TEXAS:

OCTOBER ONE, TWO, FOUR, FIVE, AND NOVEMBER TWENTY-TWO,
TWENTY-FOUR, TO CA SEVEN DASH FIVE TWO SEVEN FOUR, BLACKWOOD,
NEW JERSEY.

ON NOVEMBER TWENTY-SEVEN TO CA SEVEN DASH ZERO ZERO ONE FOUR,
BLACKWOOD, NEW JERSEY.

ON OCTOBER TWENTY-SIX AND THIRTY, AND NOVEMBER TWENTY-SEVEN,
TO DA FOUR DASH SIX FOUR THREE FOUR, PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA.

ON OCTOBER TWENTY-SEVEN, TO CE SIX DASH THREE SEVEN ZERO ZERO,
PHILADELPHIA.

RECEIVING OFFICES DETERMINE FROM TELEPHONE COMPANY RECORDS,
REPEAT, FROM TELEPHONE COMPANY RECORDS, IDENTITIES OF SUBSCRIBERS
TO TELEPHONE NUMBERS CALLED IN RESPECTIVE CITIES AS OF DATES OF
CALLS.

SUBMIT RESULTS BY TELETYPE TO DALLAS ONLY WITHIN TWENTY-FOUR
HOURS WITHOUT FAIL. REFERENCE SHOULD INCLUDE DATE OF THIS TELETYPE,
FOLLOWED BY IDENTIFICATION OF ARLINGTON, TEXAS, TELEPHONE NUMBER
INVOLVED. INCLUDE SEPARATE PARAGRAPH AS TO EACH CITY INVOLVED
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TO INCLUDE INFORMATION IN THIS ORDER: SPECIAL AGENT CONDUCTING INVESTIGATION, DATE OF INVESTIGATION, NAME AND LOCATION OF TELEPHONE COMPANY CHECKED, NAME OF TELEPHONE COMPANY EMPLOYEE WHO SUPPLIED INFORMATION, TELEPHONE NUMBER IN YOUR CITY, IDENTITY OF SUBSCRIBER AS OF DATE OF CALL.

NO INVESTIGATION EXCEPT OFFICE INDICES CHECK SHOULD BE MADE RELATIVE TO SUBSCRIBERS IDENTIFIED. INCLUDE STATEMENT IN FINAL PARAGRAPH AS TO SUBSCRIBERS ON WHICH INDICES CHECKS ARE NEGATIVE. IF POSITIVE INFORMATION FOUND WHICH SERVES TO IDENTIFY SUBSCRIBER, SO INDICATE IN TELETYPE AND SEND BY RETURN MAIL SIXTEEN COPIES OF APPROPRIATE INSERT, PROPERLY DOCUMENTED, FOR INCLUSION IN REPORT BY DALLAS.

ABOVE INSTRUCTIONS SHOULD BE STRICTLY OBERVED RPT ADHERED TO IN VIEW OF LARGE VOLUME OF SIMILAR CHECKS REGARDING TELEPHONE NUMBERS BEING CHECKED BY DALLAS.

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116PM URGENT 4-23-64 JLW

TO DALLAS 44-1639

FROM NEW YORK 44-974 1P

JACK L. RUBY AKA; LEE HARVEY OSWALD AKA - VICTIM. CR.

RE DALLAS TEL APRIL TWENTYTWO, NINETEEN SIXTYFOUR TO NEW YORK
ET AL.

ARLINGTON TEXAS TELEPHONE NUMBER CR FIVE - FOUR EIGHT NINE ONE.

SA JAMES M. ANDERSON ON APRIL TWENTYTHREE, SIXTYFOUR, ASCERTAINED
FROM NEW YORK TELEPHONE COMPANY, FOUR ALBANY STREET, NEW YORK, NEW
YORK - [REDACTED] THAT TELEPHONE NUMBER
CY FIVE - ONE SIX TWO THREE IS LISTED TO LEE BERRY, TWO TWO SIX FIVE
BEDWICK AVENUE, BRONX, NEW YORK. BILLS TO THIS TELEPHONE NUMBER
AKA SENT TO MR. MAC BERRY, THE SAME ADDRESS. THIS SERVICE HAS
BEEN CONNECTED TO THIS SUBSCRIBER SINCE MAY, NINETEEN FIFTYONE.

ARLINGTON, TEXAS TELEPHONE NUMBER CR FIVE - FIVE THREE FIVE
TWO.

THE SAME NEW YORK TELEPHONE NUMBER CY FIVE - ONE SIX TWO THREE,
AS INDICATED ABOVE, IS REFLECTED IN THE TOLL CHARGES. INDICES
OF THE NEW YORK OFFICE FAILED TO DISCLOSE ANY INFORMATION
IDENTIFIABLE WITH LEE OR MAC BERRY.

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TO ATLANTA (44-1559) MIAMI (44-1412) and JACKSONVILLE
FROM DALLAS (44-1639)

JACK L. RUBY, AKA; LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA = VICTIM. CR.

RE ATLANTA TEL APRIL TWENTYTHREE INSTANT, DALLAS AND MIAMI.

ATLANTA SUBMIT SIXTEEN COPIES OF FD THREE ZERO TWO BY RETURN
MAIL.

JACKSONVILLE FURNISH PHOTO OF EDWARD J. BROWDER, JR., FCI,
TALLAHASSEE, TO ATLANTA FOR EXHIBITION TO [REDACTED] TO
DETERMINE IF HE IS IDENTICAL WITH DONALD EDWARD BROWDER.

IF EDWARD J. BROWDER, JR., PROFESSES ACQUAINTANCE AND
ASSOCIATION WITH RUBY, HE SHOULD BE EXHAUSTIVELY INTERVIEWED FOR
ALL DETAILS AND PARTICULARLY INFORMATION SUBJECT TO CORROBORATION
BY OTHER SOURCES.

NECESSITY FOR ANY FURTHER INVESTIGATION WILL BE CONSIDERED
UPON RECEIPT OF ADVICE FROM JACKSONVILLE AND MIAMI RE ABOVE.

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Special Agent in Charge

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AIRTEL

TO: SAC, ATLANTA (44-1559)
 FROM: SAC, MIAMI (44-1412) (P)
 RE: JACK L. RUBY, aka;
 LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka - VICTIM: (Deceased)
 CR

Re Miami tel to Dallas and Jacksonville (airmail copy to Atlanta), dated 4/21/64 and Jacksonville tel, dated 4/21/64.



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Enclosed for Atlanta is one photograph of EDWARD BROWDER, JR., taken in 1953. Atlanta immediately exhibit this photograph to [redacted] to determine if this is the individual he refers to as DONALD EDWARD BROWDER.

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- 2 - Atlanta (Encls. - 2) (AM)
 - ① - Dallas (44-1639) (Encl. - 1)
 - 1 - Jacksonville (44-346) (Encl. - 1)
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AIRTEL

TO: SAC, DALLAS (44-1639)
FROM: SAC, OKLAHOMA CITY (44-430) (P)
SUBJECT: JACK L. RUBY, Aka;
LEE HARVEY OSWALD, Aka (Deceased) - VICTIM
CIVIL RIGHTS
OO: Dallas

Re: MORRIS TANNEHILL

Re Dallas airtel to Director, 4/13/64.

Enclosed for Dallas, 25 copies each of the following:

1. Insert reflecting criminal record and background information for MORRIS GERALD TANNEHILL.
2. FD-302 reflecting interview with T. V. STEPHENS at Altus, Oklahoma, 2/19/64.
3. FD-302 reflecting interview with T. V. STEPHENS at Altus, Oklahoma, 4/7/64.

3 - Dallas (Enc. - 75)
1 - Oklahoma City
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CITY OF DALLAS
TEXAS
POLICE DEPARTMENT

April 17, 1964

Mr. Gordon Shanklin
Federal Bureau of Investigation
1810 Commerce Street, Room 200
Dallas 1, Texas

Attention Mr. Vince Drain

Subject: Check of Garages and Service
Stations Patronized by Jack Ruby

Gentlemen:

Several days ago I was contacted by Mr. Drain regarding a check of garages and service stations patronized by Jack Ruby.

On April 5, Lieutenant E. L. Cunningham contacted four such places which, from papers found in Ruby's car, indicated he might have patronized. A copy of Lieutenant Cunningham's report is enclosed.

Donnell D. Whittier, named in the enclosed report, formerly worked at the Texaco Service Station, Clarendon and Ewing, serviced Ruby's car when he came to the station. As you will recall, Whittier was arrested by officers of this department on November 18, 1963, at which time two machine guns and two Browning automatic rifles were recovered which had been taken in a burglary of the National Guard Headquarters at Terrell, Texas. According to our records he was convicted in Federal Court and is now serving time for this offense.

Very truly yours,

W. W. Stevenson
W. W. STEVENSON
DEPUTY CHIEF COMMANDING
CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION DIVISION

WWS/as
Enc.

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April 5, 1964

Mr. J. E. Curry
Chief of Police
Dallas, Texas

Subject: Papers found in Jack Ruby's Car

Sir:

I contacted Mr. Leo Navarro, 1323 Claude, who owns the Navarro Garage at 815 South Dentley Drive. He stated he had never met Mr. Ruby, but that a friend of his, a Mr. V. E. Moralli, had given Ruby his name and the address of his garage when Ruby asked Moralli where he could find a good mechanic. Ruby never brought his car to Navarro for repair work.

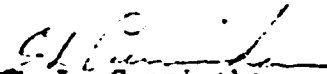
Mr. V. E. Moralli, 715 West Penbrooke, WH 8-9795, states that Jack Ruby traded at his Texaco Service Station at Ewing and Clarendon for about one year. However, he did not know Ruby very well. He gave Ruby a card with Leo Navarro's address on it when Jack asked him where he could find an honest mechanic. Moralli never did see Ruby with anyone that fit Oswald's description.

Donnell D. Whittier worked at Moralli's Service Station and took care of Ruby's work for him. Moralli states he does not know if they were friends or had relations other than that of customer and station attendant or not. Whittier was arrested November 18, 1963 for burglary of National Guard Armory in Terrell, Texas. I understand that he has been convicted of this burglary in Federal Court.

Mr. A. J. Wilson, 3000 Blackburn, LA 1-7131 was contacted. He stated that he knew Jack Ruby when he ran the Silver Spur in 1948. He met Jack about two weeks prior to November 22 in the Merchants State Bank. They greeted each other and Jack asked Wilson what he was doing for a living. Mr. Wilson gave Ruby his business card and told him to come to see him. Mr. Wilson states that to his knowledge Ruby was never in his place.

The Texaco Service Station at 8th and Thornton Freeway was purchased by a Mr. Howard on the 15th of March, 1964 from Mr. E. D. Harris. Mr. Howard does not know where Mr. Harris could be contacted.

Respectfully


E. L. Cunningham
Lieutenant of Police
Forgery Bureau

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Date: 4/23/64

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Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority)

TO: SAC, DALLAS (44-1639)

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (44-974)

SUBJECT: JACK L. RUBY aka;
LEE HARVEY OSWALD aka-
VICTIM
CR

ReLateletype to NY 4/20/64. Enclsod are 25 copies of FD 302 reflecting information obtained from AGVA, NYC, regarding HERBERT EDEN.

It should be noted that EDEN's "file" at AGVA, NYC consisted of an application form executed 5/28/62 and a card reflecting his name and address and the dates that dues were paid.

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Date: 4/24/64

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Via TELETYPE _____
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TO: CHICAGO

FROM: DALLAS (44-1639)

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

REMYTEL 9:57 AM, 4/16/64.

PLEASE FURNISH INFORMATION RE CREDIT CHECKS AND
INTERVIEWS WITH PERSONS NAMED MORRIS ADELMAN, ETC.

REMYAIRTEL 2/7/64 TO DIRECTOR, COPY CHICAGO,
RELATIVE TO COPIES OF NEWSPAPER ARTICLES CONCERNING RUBY'S
LIFE STORY.

DALLAS CANNOT LOCATE YOUR RESPONSE TO THIS REQUEST.

FURNISH ABOVE BY APRIL 28 1964.

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Via TELETYPE _____
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TO LOS ANGELES (44-895)

FROM DALLAS (44-1639)

JACK L. RUBY, AKA; LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA - VICTIM. CR.

RE BUREAU AIRTEL APRIL SIXTEEN LAST.

DALLAS HAS NOT YET RECEIVED FD THREE ZERO TWOS OR INSERTS
RELATIVE TO HERBERT EDEN. IT APPEARS YOU SHOULD INCLUDE INDICES
CHECK, AGVA, AND CREDIT BUREAU CHECKS.

SUBMIT TO REACH DALLAS BY APRIL TWENTYSEVEN NEXT.

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Special Agent in Charge

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SAC, DALLAS (44-1639)

4/21/64

SAC, CLEVELAND (44-255) (RUC)

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

Enclosed are 25 copies of an insert reflecting contact with gambling informants and other logical sources in the Cleveland Division on 11/25/63.

This information was forwarded by Cleveland teletype to Dallas, 11/25/63.

Also enclosed 25 copies of insert re below communications.

Reference Cleveland teletype to Dallas, 11/27/63 captioned, "RE INFORMATION FURNISHED BY DALE DANI, BALTIMORE, MARYLAND". This insert reflects SA JOHN J. BARRITT's contact with CHARLES LAKIS.

Reference Cleveland teletype to Birmingham and Dallas, 12/13/63, concerning an attempt to ascertain the whereabouts of one PAUL ROLAND JONES.

Reference Dallas teletype to the Bureau, Cleveland, Houston and Miami, dated 11/3/63 wherein the aforementioned offices were advised of the request of the President's Commission to check toll calls from phone of RUBY and members of his family. Cleveland's lead was to furnish information concerning telephone number CL 1-5000.

The investigation was conducted by SA ROBERT L. SCHWARTZ.

Reference Dallas airtel to Cleveland, dated 3/21/64 captioned, "UNSUB; Telephone Calls 3/16/64; Mr. and Mrs. THOMAS E. CURNINGHAM - VICTIMS, EXTORTION", OO CV, Dallas file number 9-0.

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1 - Cleveland

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200 Mercantile Continental Building
Dallas, Texas 75201
April 27, 1964

PL 2/4
[REDACTED]
Southwestern Bell Telephone Company
308 S. Akard Street
Dallas, Texas

[REDACTED] *b7cd*
You have been previously requested to maintain until further notice toll charge information relative to certain telephones.

A request was made for retention of information concerning telephone RI 7-2362, Carousel Club, 1312½ Commerce. Please extend the period through December 1, 1963.

Please retain any records relative to pay station at 1312½ Commerce, listed to Sovereign Club (predecessor to Carousel Club), for the period September 26 - December 1, 1963. I am informed no toll charges have been identified with this number during the period indicated.

Your cooperation is deeply appreciated.

Very truly yours,

J. Gordon Shanklin
J. GORDON SHANKLIN
Special Agent in Charge

1 - Addressee
① - Dallas (44-1639)
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(2) *VM*

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4-24-64

AIRTEL

AIRMAIL

TO: SAC, DALLAS (44-1639)

FROM: SAC, ATLANTA (44-1559)(P)

SUBJECT: JACK L. RUBY, aka.;
LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka. - VICTIM
CR

Remytel and Dallas tel, 4-23-64.

Enclosed for Dallas are 16 copies of an
FD-302 setting forth interview of [redacted] on
4-23-64.

ATLANTA

Will display photo of EDWARD J. BROWDER, JR., to
[redacted] when received from Jacksonville.

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AIR MAIL

TO: SAC, DALLAS (44-1639)
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (44-895)(RUC)
RE: JACK L. RUBY, aka;
LEE HARVEY OSWALD, (Deceased) -
VICTIM
CR
OO: DALLAS

Re Bureau airtel to Dallas dated 4/16/64, and Dallas teletype to Los Angeles dated 4/20/64.

Enclosed for Dallas are twenty-five (25) copies of a two (2) page insert reflecting the results of the investigation at Los Angeles to identify HERBERT EDEK.

Enclosed for Portland are three (3) color photographs of IRWIN BERKE and three (3) color photographs of his wife, ROSYLIN BERKE.

BERKE is described as follows:

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|--------|-----------------------------------------|
| Sex | Male |
| Race | Caucasian |
| Born | 5/2/12 |
| Height | 5'9" |
| Weight | 172 pounds |
| Hair | Blond and greying; receding hairline |
| Eyes | Blue |

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1 - Los Angeles
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ROSYLIN BERKE is described as follows:

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| Age | 50 |
| Height | 5'5" |
| Weight | 118 pounds |
| Eyes | Blue |
| Hair | Dark and greying |
| Complexion | Dark |

Portland is requested to exhibit the photographs to GEORGE WILLIAM FEHRENDACH, in an effort to identify the son-in-law of SAM JAFEE, who allegedly made trips from Chicago to Muncie, Indiana, with an individual reportedly RUBY, and advise Dallas of the results.

FBI

Date: 4/25/64

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

By AIRTEL AIRMAIL
 (Priority)

TO: SAC, DALLAS (44-1639)

FROM: *WJ* SAC, PORTLAND (44-225)(RUC)

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

ReCGtel to Dallas and PD 4/17/64, and CGlet to PD 4/17/64, which forwarded copies of three photographs of Mr. and Mrs. SEYMOUR CHAZIN, 67 Lakewood Place, Highland Park, Ill.

Enclosed herewith for Dallas are 25 copies of an FD-302 containing GEORGE WILLIAM FEHRENBACH's identification of Mr. and Mrs. SEYMOUR CHAZIN as being the individuals who brought JACK RUBENSTEIN to Muncie, Indiana, from Chicago. It might be noted that FEHRENBACH made the identification without hesitation. Two copies of this FD-302 are enclosed for Chicago.

Enclosed also for Dallas are copies of the three photographs which were forwarded to Portland by Chicago and which were exhibited to FEHRENBACH.

Chicago Division - ascertain if CHAZINS want their photographs returned and advise Dallas.

- 2-Dallas (Enc. 28)
- 2-Chicago (44-645) (Enc. 2)
- 1-Portland

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Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL
(Priority)

TO: SAC, DALLAS (44-1639)
FROM: SAC, JACKSONVILLE (44-346) (RUC)
SUBJECT: JACK LEON RUBY, aka;
LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka - VICTIM (Deceased)
CIVIL RIGHTS

Re Miami teletype to Jacksonville, 4/21/64.

Enclosed for Dallas are 25 copies of FD-302 of interview with EDWARD J. BROWDER, JR., an inmate at FCI, Tallahassee, Florida.

2 - Dallas (Enc. 25)
1 - Jacksonville
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Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL
(Priority or Method of Mailing)

TO : SAC, DALLAS (44-1639)

FROM : SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (44-494)

SUBJECT: JACK L. RUBY, aka;
LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka - FUGITIVE (Deceased)
CIVIL RIGHTS
OO: DALLAS

Re Bureau airtel to San Francisco, dated 4/21/64.

III. PERSONAL HISTORY, ACTIVITIES,
ASSOCIATES AND ARREST RECORD
OF JACK LEON RUBY

RE: RICHARD LEE SNYDER, aka DICK RUBY, 3021 Curran Avenue,
Oakland, California

Enclosed herewith are 25 copies of FD-302, setting forth results of interview with Mrs. FRANK B. SNYDER, Oakland, California; 25 copies of FD-302 setting forth results of interview with Dr. CATHERINE FAVOUR STILWELL, San Francisco, California; and 25 copies of insert setting forth results of review of Oakland, California Police Department records regarding RICHARD LEE SNYDER. No further action being taken regarding RICHARD LEE SNYDER by San Francisco Division.

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DL 44-1639
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RE JACK LEON RUBY - MINIFON RECORDING EQUIPMENT

The Chicago Office by communication dated December 4, 1963, furnished information indicating that a Mrs. VIVIAN CURRY, 4855 Elmwood Avenue, Apartment 1, Los Angeles, California, advised SA WAYNE E. ELWANGER on November 29, 1963, that she believed that JACK RUBY purchased some Minifon recording equipment from her when she was employed by either the Adair Engineering Company, address unrecalled, or Ernstrom's Record Shop on Lovers Lane, both Dallas, Texas. She recalled selling him a telephone attachment and other pocket recording devices for approximately \$500. She added that the records of the above companies for the Minifon home office in Chicago, Illinois, would be able to verify or eliminate the possible purchase of this equipment by JACK RUBY since all serial numbers are kept of each recording device sold by them.

On December 4, 1963, Mr. M. J. HIRSCHENBEIN, Vice-President, Fotonite Company, 6424 Northwestern, Chicago, Illinois, advised SA JOHN P. QUINLIN that the Fotonite Company formerly distributed Minifon recording products, but they have no present connection with Minifon. All sales records regarding Minifon products were forwarded to the International Telephone and Telegraph Company, Federal Electric Corporation, 485 Victoria Terrace, Ridgefield, New Jersey.

On December 5, 1963, ROBERT HARZ, Stock Controller, Federal Electric Corporation, International Telephone and Telegraph Company, Paramus, New Jersey, advised SA RAYMOND F. HOYLE that the Federal Electric Corporation is the repair division of International Telephone and Telegraph Company. He stated that he had no records except records of repairs on Minifon recording equipment and that his records begin in August, 1961, at which time the International Telephone and Telegraph Company entered into the distributorship of Minifon equipment. He added that the only sure way to trace repairs on this equipment was through serial numbers but that some of the repairs were made using the name of the person requesting these repairs. He added that he would have his records searched and would advise the Newark Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation should he locate any record for JACK LEON RUBY or JACK RUBENSTEIN.

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Mr. HARZ further advised that the Federal Electric Corporation was formerly located at 485 Victoria Terrace, Ridgefield, New Jersey. He suggested that JACK SCULLY, Manager, Distributor Products Division, International Telephone and Telegraph Company, Lodi, New Jersey, might be able to furnish additional information concerning any recording equipment purchased by RUBY in Dallas, Texas, prior to 1961. He commented that minor repairs on equipment of this type may have been handled by either of the following companies in Dallas, Texas:

Archinal Photo Electro Service
2806 Canton Street

Ernstrom's, Inc.
4356 Lovers Lane

Mr. HARZ subsequently advised the Newark Office telephonically that a review of all his records failed to reveal the repair of any equipment for RUBY as having been handled by the Federal Electric Corporation. He added that he would need a serial number in order to positively trace any repairs.

On December 5, 1963, JACK SCULLY, Manager, Technical Services, Distributor Products Division, International Telephone and Telegraph Company, Route 17, Lodi, New Jersey, advised SA HOYLE that his company took over the distributorship of Minifon equipment in August, 1961. He stated that prior to that time the distributorship was handled by the Geiss America Corporation, 6424 Northwestern Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, and that one LEROY COHEN was general sales manager. He added 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. Mr. SCULLY said that consequently the International Telephone and Telegraph Company got no cooperation from the Geiss America Corporation and that none of the records were ever furnished the International Telephone and Telegraph Company. He said that when they assumed dealer responsibility for Minifon they 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.

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DL 44-1639
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Mr. SCULLY commented 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 in Chicago in view of the fact that he has a letterhead from Geiss America Corporation dated approximately one month ago on which a Mr. M. J. HIRSCHENBEIN is listed as Vice-President.

Mr. SCULLY stated that he would have a search of his records made for any customers or the repair of any equipment by JACK LEON RUBY or JACK RUBENSTEIN and that he would advise the Newark Office should any such records be located.

Mr. SCULLY subsequently advised telephonically that he could locate no record at his company for RUBY or RUBENSTEIN.

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DL 44-1639
RFH:mas

RE (FIRST NAME UNKNOWN) COHEN, ALSO KNOWN AS
"PIG FACE" - ALLEGED ASSOCIATE OF JACK LEON RUBY

Special Agent Daniel Adario, Federal Bureau of Narcotics, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, advised SA ROBERT L. TAGG on November 27, 1963, that he had received information from a confidential informant that (first name unknown) COHEN, also known as "Pig Face," who operates used-car lots at 40th and Chestnut Streets and at 41st and Samsone Streets, Philadelphia, told the informant that he was very frequently with JACK LEON RUBY and that he knew RUBY from Chicago. COHEN was further identified as the brother of ROY COHEN, a former official of the Teamsters Union in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

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Date 3/23/64

Records of the New Jersey Bell Telephone Company
at Newark, New Jersey, disclosed the following information:

Telephone number PO 1-5050 is subscribed to by
Elwin A. Beck and Company, 221 Rutgers Street, Maplewood,
New Jersey, and the H and S Agency (same address).

The above information is confidential and can
only be made public by the issuance of a subpoena duces
tecum. This subpoena should be directed to [redacted]
[redacted] New Jersey Bell Telephone
Company, 540 Broad Street, Newark, New Jersey, or his
authorized representative.

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On 3/23/64 at Newark, New Jersey File # Newark 44-443

by IC HERBERT C. MEYER/aas Date dictated 3/23/64

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BK 44-443
DL 44-1639
RFE:ms

RE CHARLES E. MELUNEY - ALLEGED ASSOCIATE OF JACK LEON RUBY

On December 10, 1963, ALBERT NERONI, Neroni Associates, Trenton, New Jersey, who is the former Advertising Manager of the John A. Roebling and Sons Company, Trenton, New Jersey, which is now the Roebling Division of the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company, advised SA T. HOWARD WALDRON that he believed that CHARLES E. MELUNEY, Sales Manager of the Roebling Division office at 5320 Dora Street, Houston, Texas, has been associated with JACK RUBY in a club in Dallas, Texas. Mr. NERONI said his recollection was vague, but he thought MELUNEY had been connected with the Carousel in Dallas.

B. B.
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RE JACK RUBENSTEIN, CIO TEXTILE WORKERS UNION ORGANIZER

The Dallas Office by communication dated November 27, 1963, requested that the Newark Office develop information concerning JACK RUBENSTEIN, CIO Textile Workers Union organizer, for the purpose of ascertaining whether or not this individual was identical to the murderer of LEE HARVEY OSWALD.

On November 26, 1963, Captain JOSEPH MONASH, Garfield, New Jersey, Police Department, advised SA BERNARD J. PIROG that after reading the newspapers regarding the assassination of President JOHN F. KENNEDY during the past few days, wherein the name OSWALD and JACK RUBY, also known as Jack Rubenstein, were mentioned, he recalled that the Garfield Police Department arrested one JACK RUBENSTEIN in 1926.

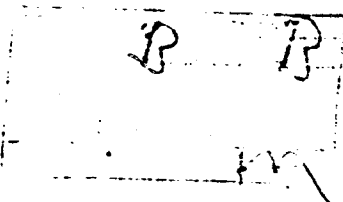
Captain MONASH stated that the records of the Garfield Police Department reveal that JACK RUBENSTEIN, age 22, who resided at 743 Main Street, Passaic, New Jersey, was an organizer for the Textile Workers Union of America during the 1926 textile strike at the Botany Mills, Passaic, New Jersey. RUBENSTEIN was arrested on February 15, 1926, on a charge of being a disorderly person. He was sentenced by Judge RICHARD BAKER, Garfield, New Jersey, on February 17, 1926, to serve 90 days on this charge in the Bergen County Jail, Hackensack, New Jersey.

Captain MONASH added that the JACK RUBENSTEIN who was arrested in Garfield, New Jersey, in 1926 would now be 59 years of age, whereas the JACK RUBENSTEIN arrested at Dallas, Texas, was born in 1911 and would now be 52 years of age.

Captain MONASH stated that it is his recollection that the JACK RUBENSTEIN arrested in 1926 was an organizer for the Textile Workers Union of America, New York City, and may now be connected with the same organization in New York City as one of the officials.

WILLIAM DE MARTINI, Identification Officer, Bergen County Sheriff's Office, Hackensack, New Jersey, advised SA PIROG on November 26, 1963, that Record #15217 of that bureau indicates that JACK RUBENSTEIN, an organizer for the Textile Workers Union

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of America, New York City, residing at 743 Main Avenue, Passaic, New Jersey, was arrested as a disorderly person at Garfield, New Jersey, on February 15, 1926. He was tried by RICHARD BAKER, Magistrate of the Garfield Municipal Court, Garfield, New Jersey, on February 17, 1926, and was sentenced to a term of 90 days' confinement in the Bergen County Jail, Hackensack, New Jersey.

On February 18, 1926, Judge WILLIAM SEIFERT of the Bergen County Common Pleas Court, Hackensack, New Jersey, released RUBENSTEIN on \$500 bail and ordered a review of the conviction at the Garfield Municipal Court.

Officer DE MARTINI related that there is no further notation in the record, and he would assume that RUBENSTEIN's conviction was reversed and he was allowed to go free. He commented that his records indicate that JACK RUBENSTEIN was age 22 in 1926 and was an organizer of laborers for the Textile Workers Union of America at Passaic, New Jersey. He added that no fingerprints were taken in 1926, but there was a verification of RUBENSTEIN's age; therefore, it could be assumed that he was age 22 in 1926 and would therefore be 59 years of age at the present time.

On November 27, 1963, RICHARD WALL, Captain, Passaic, New Jersey, Police Department, advised SA JAMES R. LAUGHLIN that there is no record in his files indicating that JACK RUBENSTEIN of the Textile Workers Union of America had ever been fingerprinted. The arrest blotter for the year 1926 indicated, however, that on April 6 JACK RUBENSTEIN, age 22, was arrested at 9:02 a.m. on the Eighth Street Bridge, Passaic, New Jersey, and charged with being a disorderly person. Captain WALL added that his records indicate that RUBENSTEIN was committed as a result of this charge and was sentenced to serve six months in the County Jail on April 27, 1926. RUBENSTEIN's age was given as 22 in April, 1926, he was born in New York City, and his address at the time of his arrest was 749 Main Avenue, Passaic, New Jersey.

JOHN M. TANIS, Warden, Passaic County Jail, Paterson, New Jersey, advised SA JOHN R. LYONS on November 27, 1963, that there was no identification bureau in Passaic County until 1930,

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and there is no record of a JACK RUBENSTEIN ever having been fingerprinted. The record of commitment concerning RUBENSTEIN indicated he was 22 years of age in 1926, was 5'7" tall, was born in New York City, and his occupation was given as a laborer. His marital status was single, his father was reported as living, and his mother as deceased.

Warden TANIS added that RUBENSTEIN's record also indicates that on April 28, 1926, RUBENSTEIN was released on bail.