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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (44-2406)
FROM : SAC, WFO (44-520) (P)

JACK L. RUBY, aka;
LEE HARVEY OSWALD - VICTIM
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ReBuairtel to Dallas and WFO dated 6/9/64.

Enclosed for the Bureau are six copies of a LHM containing information obtained from the records of the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company, Washington, D.C., concerning telephone calls placed by SETH KANTOR on 11/22/63, to Washington, D.C. telephone number DI 7-7750, Scripps-Howard Newspaper Alliance, Washington, D.C. Two copies of LHM also enclosed for Dallas.

The records of the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company as set forth on the LHM were furnished to SA WILLIAM D. CAMPBELL on 6/15/64, [REDACTED]

Twenty-five copies of an FD-302 will be furnished Dallas by separate communication.

- 3 - Bureau (Enc 6)
- 2 - Dallas (44-1639) (Enc 2)
- 1 - WFO

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58 JUN 22 1964
Special Agent in Charge

WFO 44-520

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AT DALLAS, TEXAS: Will conduct appropriate investigation to identify the locations of the telephones utilized by KANTOR on 11/22/63, it being noted that the President's Commission expressed particular interest in knowing whether any of KANTOR's telephone calls were placed from telephones located at Parkland Hospital, Dallas, Texas.



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20535
June 15, 1964

**JACK L. RUBY;
LEE HARVEY OSWALD - VICTIM
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The records of the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company, 930 H Street, N.W., Washington, D.C., indicate that the following toll calls charged to Washington, D.C. telephone number, DI 7-7750, were made from Dallas, Texas, on November 22, 1963. The above telephone number is listed to Scripps-Howard Newspaper Alliance, 1013 13th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C.

| <u>Call From</u> | <u>Call To</u> | <u>Amount</u> | <u>Type</u> | <u>Time</u> | <u>Length of Call</u> |
|---|-----------------------------------|---------------|-----------------|-------------|-------------------------------|
| Dallas, Texas - Kantor - Telephone 748-9711 | Washington, DC DI 7-7750 | \$1.30 | Station Collect | 9:51 p.m. | One minute |
| Dallas, Texas - Kantor - Telephone 351-9072 (pay telephone) | Washington, DC Telephone 347-7750 | \$2.15 | Station Collect | 3:23 p.m. | Three minutes, twenty seconds |
| Dallas, Texas - Kantor - Telephone 748-9711 | Washington, DC 347-7750 | \$.80 | Station Collect | 11:43 p.m. | Two minutes fourteen seconds |
| Dallas, Texas - Kantor - Telephone 831-5050 | Washington, DC 347-7750 | \$1.70 | Station Collect | 1:52 p.m. | One minute fifty-one seconds |

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|--|----------------------------|---------|--------------------|------------|--|
| Dallas, Texas - Kantor - Telephone 748-9711 | Washington, DC 347-7750 | \$3.95 | Station Collect | 8:43 p.m. | Eight minutes seven seconds |
| Dallas, Texas - Kantor - Telephone 748-9711 | Washington, DC 347-7750 | \$1.30 | Station Collect | 8:50 p.m. | Two minutes thirty-eight seconds |
| Dallas, Texas - Cantor - Telephone 748-9711 | Washington, DC 347-7750 | \$.00 | Station Collect | 11:46 p.m. | Twenty-six seconds |
| Dallas, Texas - Cantor - Telephone 631-5080, extension 430 | Washington, DC 347-7750 | \$12.05 | Station Collect | 1:02 p.m. | Twenty-five minutes forty seconds |

The above information is confidential and is not to be made public except upon the issuance of a subpoena duces tecum issued to Mr. C. D. Scultz, Manager, Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company, 725 13th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C.



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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-24016)

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

SUBJECT: JACK L. RUBY, aka;
LEE HARVEY OSWALD - VICTIM
(Deceased)
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ReBueairtel 6/9/64, by which was transmitted a letter of the President's Commission, dated 6/5/64, requesting a review of television tapes and films in possession of WFAA-TV, Dallas, to determine if SETH HANTOR or JACK RUBY appear in pictures taken near the main entrance of Parkland Hospital on 11/22/63.

Enclosed are ten copies of a letterhead memorandum reflecting the investigation requested. Copies of FD-302's reflecting interviews with JIM PRATT, JOE GRAHAM and observation of the films and tapes by SA MANNING C. CLEMENTS are made a part of the LHM.

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ENCLOSURE
3 - BUREAU (ENCS.-10)
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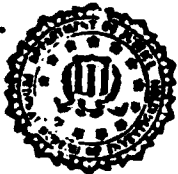
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

Dallas, Texas

June 16, 1964

JACK L. RUBY;
LEE HARVEY OSWALD

The investigation which follows was based on a request in a letter dated June 5, 1964, from the President's Commission on the Assassination of President KENNEDY, to Director J. EDGAR HOOVER that television tapes and films in possession of WFAA-TV, Dallas, Texas, be reviewed to determine if SETH KANTOR or JACK RUBY appears in pictures taken near the main entrance of Parkland Hospital on November 22, 1963.

Attached are reports of interviews on June 12, 1964, in this connection and the results of a review of television tapes and films in possession of WFAA-TV.

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Attachments



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June 16, 1964

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Date 6/15/64

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JIM PRATT, Production and Operations Manager, WFAA-TV, advised all video tape and 16 mm film taken by members of his staff at Parkland Hospital on November 22, 1963, and the period immediately following have been catalogued. Reels of video tape are catalogued as "PKT" and film as "PKF." He said the cataloguing of the tape and film in question discloses the following as having been taken at Parkland Hospital:

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| PKF-1 | 25 minutes, 34 seconds, deep in the reel |
| PKF-3 | 29 minutes, 44 seconds, deep in the reel |
| * PKF-5 | 7 minutes, 48 seconds, deep in the reel |
| ** PKF-5 | 21 minutes, 5 seconds, deep in the reel |
| PKF-6 | 20 minutes, 34 seconds, deep in the reel |
| PKF-9 | 2 minutes, 49 seconds, deep in the reel |
| PKF-9 | 4 minutes, 40 seconds, deep in the reel |
| PKF-10 | 2 minutes, 27 seconds, deep in the reel |
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| PKT-5 | 16 minutes, 48 seconds, deep in the reel |
| PKT-6 | 13 minutes, 57 seconds, deep in the reel |
| PKT-6 | 16 minutes, 55 seconds, deep in the reel |
| PKT-7 | Zero to 27 minutes, 40 seconds, deep in the reel |
| * Time catalogued as 7 minutes, 48 seconds, deep in the reel, PKF-5 was found subsequently to be actually 4 minutes, 17 seconds, deep | |
| ** Time catalogued as 21 minutes, 5 seconds, deep in the reel, | |

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PKF-5 was found subsequently to be actually 17 minutes, 28 seconds, deep in the reel.

Mr. PRATT stated he has reviewed the tapes in question on numerous occasions since November 22, 1963. He said he is completely familiar with the physical appearance of JACK RUBY and he has not observed RUBY's picture on any of the video tapes and films taken on November 22, 1963. He said he does not know BETH KANTOR and cannot, therefore, state whether BETH KANTOR's photograph can be observed on the tape and film.

Mr. PRATT stated he is aware that KTVT-TV, Fort Worth, Texas, and KLRD-TV, Dallas, Texas, also made tapes and/or films at Parkland Hospital on November 22, 1963.

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JOE GRAHAM, who identified himself as being a free-lance producer, most of his business being with WFAA-TV, Dallas, was interviewed in offices of this television station.

Mr. GRAHAM stated he catalogued and edited all of the tape and film taken by WFAA-TV on November 22, 1963, at Parkland Hospital, on behalf of this station and the ABC television network.

Mr. GRAHAM stated he is very familiar with the physical appearance of JACK RUBY, that he has reviewed the tapes and film in question on numerous occasions, and that he has not observed RUBY's photograph on any of the tape and film taken at Parkland Hospital.

Mr. GRAHAM stated he is not acquainted with SETH KANTOR and cannot, therefore, state whether KANTOR's picture appears in any of the tape and film.

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Special Agent MANNING C. CLEMENTS is thoroughly familiar with the appearance of JACK L. RUBY, having interviewed him on December 21, 1963, and having seen him at close range on numerous occasions during RUBY's trial in Dallas, Texas, for the murder of LEE HARVEY OSWALD. SA CLEMENTS has met and conversed with SETH KANTOR and is familiar with his physical appearance.

On June 12, 1964, on the premises of WFAA-TV, Dallas, SA CLEMENTS reviewed all of the video tapes and 16 mm films reportedly taken by the staff of WFAA-TV at Parkland Hospital, Dallas, on November 22, 1963, and during the period immediately following that date.

SA CLEMENTS did not see, in the tapes or films, any person recognizable to him as JACK RUBY or SETH KANTOR.

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 by Special Agent MANNING C. CLEMENTS/eah Date dictated 6/15/64

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44-24010-1579
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June 18, 1964

BY COURIER SERVICE

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Rosen
- 1 - Mr. Malley
- 1 - Mr. McGowan
- 1 - Mr. Swanson

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

Dear Mr. Rankin:

Reference is made to your letter dated June 5, 1964, wherein you requested a review of television tapes and film in possession of WFAA-TV, Dallas, Texas, to determine if Seth Kantor or Jack L. Ruby appears in pictures taken near the main entrance of Parkland Hospital on November 22, 1963. You also requested investigation concerning long-distance telephone calls charged to telephone number DI 7-7750, Washington, D. C., on November 22, 1963, to determine if any telephone calls originated at the Parkland Hospital, Dallas, Texas.

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Enclosed are two copies of a memorandum dated June 16, 1964, at Dallas, Texas, together with two copies of its three attachments concerning the review of the above-mentioned television tapes and film. Also enclosed are two copies of a memorandum dated June 15, 1964, at Washington, D. C., regarding the long-distance telephone calls.

Investigation is currently in progress to determine if any of the telephone calls charged to telephone number DI 7-7750, Washington, D. C., originated at the Parkland Hospital, Dallas, Texas. You will be advised of the results.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE:

By letter dated 6/5/64 Commission requested check of long-distance telephone calls to telephone number DI 7-7750, Washington, D. C., (Scripps-Howard) to determine if any calls originated at Parkland Hospital, Dallas, Texas. Commission also requested that we review television tapes and films in possession of WFAA-TV, Dallas, Texas, to determine if Seth Kantor and Jack Ruby appear in pictures taken near the main entrance of the Parkland Hospital on 11/22/63. Seth Kantor, a reporter for Scripps-Howard, Washington, D. C., has been previously interviewed by the Bureau and in a deposition to the President's Commission insisted he saw Ruby at Parkland Memorial Hospital between 12:45 p.m. and 2:00 p.m. on 11/22/63. We have conducted extensive investigation to check this out and our investigation established that Ruby could not reasonably have been at Parkland Memorial Hospital during this period.

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TO DIRECTOR FBI (44-24016)

FROM SAC DALLAS (44-1639)

SUBJECT JACK L. RUBY, aka;
LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka - VICTIM
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ReBuairtel 6/5/64 transmitting Commission's letter of 6/4/64 requesting determinations of approximate driving times over five routes specified.

Enclosed are ten copies of letterhead memorandum to which are attached copies of FD-302 incorporating requested investigation.

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- 3 - Bureau (Enc. 10)
- 2 - Dallas

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In Reply, Please Refer to
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Dallas, Texas
June 12, 1964

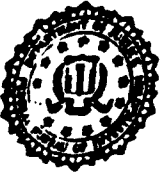
JACK L. RUBY;
LEE HARVEY OSWALD

The investigation in the attached document was based on a request of the President's Commission on the Assassination of President Kennedy that determination be made of the approximate driving times over five specified routes in Dallas, Texas.

Attachment

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**Dallas, Texas
June 12, 1964**

**JACK L. RUBY;
LEE HARVEY OSWALD**

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Attachment

Date 6/11/64

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The following times and distances were computed at the times indicated by driving at legal speed limits and via the routes indicated:

1. From the Temple Shearith Israel, 9401 Douglas, to Phil's Delicatessen, 3531 Oak Lawn, a distance of 4.9 miles, it required 13 minutes to drive via the Club Bali Hai, 8200 Douglas Street, and the Gaylife Club, 6135 Sherry Lane. This is a reasonable direct route from 9401 Douglas Street to 3531 Oak Lawn.

It should be noted that the Club Bali Hai and the Gay Life Club are not on a reasonable direct route from the Temple Shearith Israel to Phil's Delicatessen at 1111 North Central Expressway. It should also be noted that the Club Bali Hai is located on the northeast corner of the intersection of Douglas Street and Sherry Lane.

2. From 223 South Ewing to the parking lot at the northwest corner of Main Street and Pearl Expressway, a distance of 4.1 miles, it required 15½ minutes to drive, starting at 10:30 AM, and via the Thornton Expressway, Industrial Boulevard and Main Street.
3. From 4611 Cole Avenue to 1312½ Commerce Street (Carousel Club), a distance of 3.8 miles, it required nine minutes to drive, late at night in light traffic and via Knox Street to Central Expressway, south to Elm Street, west to Murphy Street, south to Commerce Street, then east to 1312½ Commerce Street.

(It should be noted that the Pogo Club is no longer located at 4611 Cole Avenue).

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on 6/9/64 at Dallas, Texas File # DL 44-1639

by Special Agent ROBERT M. BARRETT & IVAN D. LEE Date dictated 6/11/64

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From 4611 Cole Avenue to 1312½ Commerce Street, via Knox Street, west to Abbott Avenue, south to Armstrong Avenue, west to Turtle Creek Boulevard, then south via Turtle Creek Boulevard, Cedar Springs Road and Field Street to Ross Avenue, west to Griffin Street, south to Commerce Street, then east to 1312½ Commerce Street (Carousel Club), a distance of 4.2 miles, it required 17 minutes to drive late at night and in light traffic.

From 223 South Ewing to 1312½ Commerce Street (Carousel Club), via Thornton Expressway and Commerce Street, a distance of 3.6 miles, it required 5 minutes to drive, late at night and in light traffic.

From 223 South Ewing to 4611 Cole Avenue, via the Thornton Expressway, Commerce Street, North Central Expressway and Knox Street, a distance of 7.3 miles, it required 19 minutes to drive, late at night and in light traffic. From 223 South Ewing to 4611 Cole Avenue, via the Thornton and Stemmons Expressways, Oak Lawn Avenue, Armstrong Avenue, Abbott Avenue, Knox Street, a distance of 7.3 miles, it required 15 minutes to drive, late at night and in light traffic.

(It should be noted that it is 5.5 miles from 223 South Ewing to the Vegas Club at 3508 Oak Lawn, it required 10 minutes to drive at 2:30 PM, via the Thornton and Stemmons Expressways and Oak Lawn Avenue).

4. From the Dallas Morning News Building, Young and Houston Streets, to Parkland Memorial Hospital rear entrance, 5201 Harry Hines Boulevard, a distance of 3.7 miles, it required 10 minutes to drive, starting at 1:00 PM, via Houston Street to Elm Street, Stemmons Expressway, Industrial Boulevard and Hines Boulevard.

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5. From Parkland Memorial Hospital rear entrance, 5201 Harry Hines Boulevard, to 1312 $\frac{1}{2}$ Commerce Street (Carousel Club), via Harry Hines Boulevard, Cedar Springs Road, Ross Avenue, Griffin Street and Commerce Street, a distance of 3.7 miles, it required ten minutes to drive, starting at 1:30 PM. From the hospital to the Carousel Club via Hines Boulevard, Industrial Boulevard, Stemmons Expressway and Commerce Street, a distance of 4.1 miles, it required 9 minutes to drive.

It should be noted that the traffic conditions at 1:00 and 1:30 PM, on November 22, 1963, cannot be duplicated, in view of the emergency situation which existed at those times on that date.

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June 17, 1964

BY COURIER SERVICE

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Rosen
- 1 - Mr. Malley
- 1 - Mr. McGowan
- 1 - Mr. Swanson

EX-102

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

Dear Mr. Rankin:

Reference is made to your letter dated June 4, 1964, requesting this Bureau conduct investigation to determine the approximate driving times over five specified routes in Dallas, Texas.

Enclosed are two copies of a memorandum dated June 12, 1964, at Dallas, Texas, together with two copies of its attachment setting forth the requested information.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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Enclosures (4)

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NOTE:

By letter dated 6/4/64 the Commission requested that we determine approximate driving times of routes that our reports show Ruby traveled during the period between the assassination of President Kennedy and Ruby's shooting of Oswald. The object appears to be to establish rebuttal for the many rumors concerning Ruby's activities and contacts during this period. Commission desired this information so that Ruby's known movements could be timed under traffic and other conditions as similar as possible to the time stated.

FBI

Date: 6/10/64

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Via AIRTEL _____
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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (44-24016)

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (44-645)

JACK L. RUBY, AKA.
LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA. - VICTIM
CIVIL RIGHTS
OO: DALLAS

Re Chicago teletype to Director 11/25/63, 8:37 A.M.

Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are 8 copies and
for Dallas one copy of a letterhead memorandum in captioned
matter.

The confidential source mentioned in the letterhead
memorandum is [redacted] who was contacted
on 11/25/63 and 6/10/64 by SA JOHN W. ROBERTS, Jr.

*2 cc thru
per Pres. Commission
6/17/64, Head/pab*

1 cc thru CC Unit

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EX-104

44-24016

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- 3 - Bureau (Encls. 8) (AM) (SD)
- 1 - Dallas (44-1639) (Encl. 1) (AM) (SD)
- 1 - Chicago

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Special Agent in Charge



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Chicago, Illinois

June 10, 1964

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

**JACK L. RUBY;
LEE HARVEY OSWALD - VICTIM
CIVIL RIGHTS**

A confidential source of the Chicago Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation advised on November 25, 1963, that Jack Ruby was reportedly a friend of Joe Scaramuzzo who owned a gunsmith shop on South Halsted Street.

Based on the above information, on June 10, 1964, Joseph Scaramuzzo was interviewed.

Mr. Scaramuzzo, a gunsmith located at 1624 West 18th Street, Chicago, Illinois, formerly of 801 South Halsted Street, Chicago, Illinois, advised that he is 44 years of age and has resided in the Harrison-Halsted area of Chicago for most of his life. He stated that his father, Louis Scaramuzzo, has also spent most of his life in this same Harrison-Halsted area.

Mr. Scaramuzzo stated that he had never done any business with nor had he ever heard of Jack Ruby prior to the murder of Lee Harvey Oswald. He stated that most assuredly he was not an acquaintance of Jack Ruby. Mr. Scaramuzzo said that from what he had read concerning Ruby, he understood that Ruby had been a resident of the Lawndale area of Chicago which was primarily settled by Jewish and Greek families whereas the Harrison-Halsted area where he, Scaramuzzo, resided is and has been for many years basically settled by Italian families. Mr. Scaramuzzo stated he certainly would furnish any information in his possession concerning Ruby if he had such information.

The confidential source mentioned above was reinterviewed on June 10, 1964, at which time he advised that he did not know Scaramuzzo personally nor did he know Jack Ruby. He stated that following the murder of Lee Harvey Oswald,

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**RE: JACK L. RUBY;
LEE HARVEY OSWALD - VICTIM**

Jack Ruby was a general subject of conversation in the Chicago area. He stated that he had overheard a conversation on November 25, 1963, in a Chicago bar in which an unidentified individual stated that Ruby was a friend of Joe Scaramuzzo the gunsmith. This source advised that he was unable to attest to the validity of the above remark since he did not know the identity of the person making this remark.



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Chicago, Illinois
June 10, 1964

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A confidential source of the Chicago Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation advised on November 28, 1963, that Jack Ruby was reportedly a friend of Joe Scaramuzzo who owned a gunsmith shop on South Halsted Street.

Based on the above information, on June 10, 1964, Joseph Scaramuzzo was interviewed.

Mr. Scaramuzzo, a gunsmith located at 1624 West 18th Street, Chicago, Illinois, formerly of 801 South Halsted Street, Chicago, Illinois, advised that he is 44 years of age and has resided in the Harrison-Halsted area of Chicago for most of his life. He stated that his father, Louis Scaramuzzo, has also spent most of his life in this same Harrison-Halsted area.

Mr. Scaramuzzo stated that he had never done any business with nor had he ever heard of Jack Ruby prior to the murder of Lee Harvey Oswald. He stated that most assuredly he was not an acquaintance of Jack Ruby. Mr. Scaramuzzo said that from what he had read concerning Ruby, he understood that Ruby had been a resident of the Lawndale area of Chicago which was primarily settled by Jewish and Greek families whereas the Harrison-Halsted area where he, Scaramuzzo, resided in and has been for many years basically settled by Italian families. Mr. Scaramuzzo stated he certainly would furnish any information in his possession concerning Ruby if he had such information.

The confidential source mentioned above was reinterviewed on June 10, 1964, at which time he advised that he did not know Scaramuzzo personally nor did he know Jack Ruby. He stated that following the murder of Lee Harvey Oswald,

- 1 - Belmont
- 1 - Rosen
- 1 - Mr. Malley
- 1 - Mr. McGowan
- 1 - Mr. Swanson

June 17, 1964

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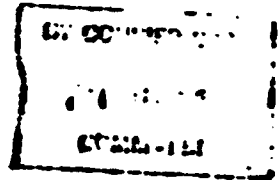
Honorable J. Lee Rankin
 General Counsel
 The President's Commission
 200 Maryland Avenue, Northeast
 Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Rankin:

Refer to my letter dated June 10, 1964, wherein you were advised of information relating to one Joe Scaramuzzo being an acquaintance of Jack L. Ruby. You were also advised that Scaramuzzo had been interviewed and advised he did not know Ruby, had never done any business with him, and had never heard of him prior to the shooting of Lee Harvey Oswald.

Enclosed are two copies of a memorandum dated June 10, 1964, setting forth the details of the interview with Mr. Joseph Scaramuzzo together with the results of a reinterview with a confidential source of the Chicago Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Sincerely yours,
 J. Edgar Hoover



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NOTE:

By letter dated 6/10/64 we advised the Commission of information concerning a confidential source of the Chicago Office who had furnished information alleging that Ruby was previously a close friend of one Joe Scaramuzzo, a Chicago gun collector. The Commission was also advised that Scaramuzzo had been interviewed and advised he did not know Ruby, had never done business with him, and never heard of him prior to the Oswald shooting. The Commission was advised that details would be furnished by separate communication.