

**REPORT  
of the**



**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

**To: FBI, Dallas**

**Date: December 20, 1963**  
**FBI File No. 62-109060**  
**Lab. No. D-437341 ET**

**Re: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT  
JOHN F. KENNEDY, 11/22/63,  
DALLAS, TEXAS**

**Specimens received 12/6/63**

**K51 One Bell and Howell Komatic 8mm motion picture  
camera SN A813486, obtained from Mr. Abraham Kapruder**

**Result of examination:**

The K51 8mm motion picture camera has been tested to determine the running speed of this camera, and it has been determined that this camera when operated at normal "RUN" speed operates at 18 1/3 frames per second.

While it is not possible to establish accurately from the film the moment of impact of the first two shots, applying the above camera speed to the film previously submitted which was exposed by Abraham Kapruder and which recorded the assassination, it has been determined that the best estimate of the elapsed time between the first and third shots lies between approximately five and six seconds. It is noted that the President's car moves behind a signboard at about the time of the first shot, and the President's movements during this period are not observable. However, he begins to fall forward immediately upon emerging from behind the sign.

**Specimen K51 will be returned to you separately.  
Appropriate photographs have been made.**

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**REPORT  
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**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

**To: FBI, Dallas**

**Date: December 11, 1963**

**Re: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT  
JOHN F. KENNEDY, 11/22/63,  
DALLAS, TEXAS**

**FBI File No. 62-109060**

**Lab. No. D-437341 ET**

**Specimens received 12/6/63'**

**K51 One Bell and Howell Zoomatic 8mm motion picture camera  
SN A513486 obtained from Mr. Abraham Zapruder**

**Result of examination:**

The K51 8mm motion picture camera has been tested to determine the running speed of this camera, and it has been determined that this camera when operated at normal "RUN" speed operates at 18 1/8 frames per second.

Applying the above camera speed to the film previously submitted which was exposed by Abraham Zapruder and which recorded the assassination, it has been determined that 4.74 seconds elapsed between the third frame (A) after President Kennedy emerged from back of a sign in this film which is the frame in which he makes a sudden motion forward and the frame (B) in which he is struck in the head. It has been determined that 5.57 seconds elapsed from a frame (C) where the President's head disappears in back of the sign and the frame (B) in which he is struck in the head. In frames prior to this the President's head is turned to the side and he appears to be waving to the crowd.

The time from the third frame (A) after the President emerged from in back of the sign to a frame (D) where Governor John Connally makes a sudden turn back toward the front of the automobile was determined to be 3.49 seconds. It was noted that

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following the third frame (A) after the President emerged from in back of the sign in which he starts to fall forward, Governor John Connally turned and looked directly back, remaining in this position until frame (D) when Governor John Conally makes the turn toward the front.

Specimen K51 will be returned to you separately. Appropriate photographs have been made.

Recorded 12-6-63  
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

LAB FILE

Re: LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka;  
ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT  
JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY,  
11-22-63, DALLAS, TEXAS;  
AFO

File # 62-109060  
Lab. # D-437341 ET

Examination requested by: Dallas (89-43)

12-5-63

Examination requested: Photographic

Date received: 12-6-63

Result of Examination:

Examination by: Webb

Test roll of film exposed in K51 at "RUN"  
speed. For 30 sec run of film on 2nd half  
of load with fully wound camera 209 cm film went  
through camera.

12/9/63

$209 / .38 = 550 \text{ ft. / 30 sec.}$

$\frac{550}{30} = 18\frac{1}{3} \text{ ft. / sec.}$

Specimens submitted for examination  
K51 2 1/2 ft. film

One Bell and Howell Zoomatic 8mm motion picture camera  
SNAS13486 obtained from Mr. ABRAHAM ZAPRUDER.

8mm movie film recording assassination examined  
to determine timing in light of above.

- A. Time from frame where Pres. Kennedy first starts to fall forward which is third frame after he emerges from back of sign to frame recording direct hit in head is 87 frame.  $87 / 18\frac{1}{3} = 4.74 \text{ sec.}$
- B. Time from a frame about half way through sign to direct hit in head is 102 frame.  $102 / 18\frac{1}{3} = 5.57 \text{ sec.}$

64 frames :  $64/18\frac{1}{2} = 3.49 sec$

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**DIRECTOR, FBI  
ATTENTION: FBI LABORATORY**

**12/5/63**

**SAC, DALLAS (89-43) (P)**

**LEE HARVEY OSWALD, Aka;  
ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT  
JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY,  
11/22/63, DALLAS, TEXAS;  
AFO**

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Re tel call Assistant Director Conrad, 12/4/63, concerning roll of film previously submitted relating to the assassination of the President.

Being forwarded by separate cover is one 8 millimeter Bell and Howell zoom-lens movie camera.

This camera was obtained 12/4/63 from Mr. ABRAHAM ZAPRUDER, who desires that this camera be returned to him after it has served its use to the FBI. Mr. ZAPRUDER furnished the following:

ABRAHAM ZAPRUDER, 3909 Marquette Street, Dallas, advised that on 11/22/63 he was standing in the park area north of Elm Street and just west of the intersection of Elm and Houston Streets. He had taken this position in order to take 8 millimeter movie film of the President and the Presidential motorcade as it passed by him. He stated he had with him a Bell and Howell 8 millimeter zoom-lens camera which was either a 1962 or 1963 model. He advised he had loaded this camera previously with a 25-foot roll of 16 millimeter film, which in effect affords 50 feet of 8 millimeter film. He had shot the first 25 feet earlier and had reversed the roll and shot a few feet on 11/22/63 at the park area of some girls who work in his office, prior to the arrival of the Presidential motorcade. He stated his camera was fully wound, was set, manually, on maximum zoom-lens. The camera was set to take normal speed movie film or 24 frames per second. The control buttons for the zoom-lens were not touched once he started taking photographs of the Presidential motorcade.

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1 - Dallas  
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ZAPRUDER stated that he first picked up the motorcade as it made the turn on to Elm Street from Houston Street. The motorcade then passed behind a street directional sign and from that point on until it disappeared from sight to his right, or the west, he was taking moving pictures of the President's car. He stated he had started taking picture prior to the first shot being fired and continued taking pictures until the motorcade disappeared to his right. ZAPRUDER advised he could not recall but having heard only two shots and, also, stated that he knew that from watching through the viewfinder that the President had been hit. He stated he took the exposed film immediately to the Jamieson Film Company on Bryan Street, Dallas, and stayed with the film through its entire processing. He had the original print and three copies made. The film was in color. The original is on 16 millimeter film, and according to Mr. ZAPRUDER is much clearer than those appearing on 8 millimeter film. He subsequently turned over two copies to the United States Secret Service and sold the original and one copy to Life Magazine.

Mr. ZAPRUDER turned over to SA ROBERT M. BARETT his Bell and Howell 8 millimeter zoom-lens camera described above. He requested that the camera be returned to him after it had served its use to the FBI. He advised this camera had been in the hands of the United States Secret Service Agents on 12/3/63 as they claimed they wanted to do some checking of it. He, also, stated he had received a call from the Bell and Howell Company who stated they wanted to place the camera in their archives and would replace the camera with a new one.

1 - Mr. Conrad  
1 - Mr. Griffith  
1 - Mr. Webb *lab.*

Mr. Conrad

12/10/63

W. D. Griffith

**ASSASSINATION OF  
PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY,  
11/22/63, DALLAS, TEXAS**

Among the items made available by Dallas was a roll of 8mm Kodachrome movie film which shows some exposures of the Texas Schoolbook Depository Building, including the window from which the assassin fired the gun killing President John F. Kennedy on 11/22/63. These exposures were made just prior to the assassination as the President and his convoy approached and turned into the street immediately in front of this building.

The corner window on the sixth floor of the Texas Schoolbook Depository Building shown in this 8mm film has been examined in the Laboratory to determine whether an individual or individuals were recorded in this window. No images that could be interpreted as an individual or individuals were found in any of these exposures. The exposures do show an outline of what may be interpreted as the boxes which were later at and just behind the window.

On 12/2/63, SA Frederick E. Webb took the above roll of film to the Navy Photographic Interpretation Center at Suitland, Maryland, for the purpose of having the critical exposures in the film examined for the same purpose that the FBI Laboratory had examined these exposures. The findings of the experts at the Naval Photographic Interpretation Center were the same as the FBI Laboratory's findings.

**ACTION:** A Laboratory report in this matter is being furnished the Dallas Office.

62-109060

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

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*Radigan*

12-7-63

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TO: SAC, NEW ORLEANS (89-69)

FROM, DIRECTOR, FBI (62-100000)

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY, APO.

EMILIAIRIEL B TWELVE SIX, SIXTYTHREE, SUBMITTING PERSONAL HISTORY SHEET FOR LEE OSWALD OBTAINED FROM WARREN EASTON HIGH SCHOOL, NEW ORLEANS, LA.

NADES REASED FROM LAST ITEM ON BACK OF PERSONAL HISTORY SHEET ARE ARTHUR OR ARTHUR ABEAR AND EDWARD VOENL.

COPY BY MAIL TO DALLAS. REPORT FOLLOWS.

LLE:wb  
(9)

(1) Dallas (10)

- 1- Schutz
- 1- Turner
- 1- Conrad
- 1- Griffith
- 1- Cadigan
- 1- Shaneyfelt



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

① Cadigan  
② White

To: **FBI, Dallas (89-43)**

Date: **December 8, 1963**

Re: **ASSASSINATION OF  
PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY,  
11/22/63,  
DALLAS, TEXAS**

*J. Edgar Hoover*  
John Edgar Hoover, Director

FBI File No. **62-109080**  
Lab. No. **D-437297 AX**

Examination requested by: **New Orleans**  
Reference: **Airtel 12/4/63**  
Examination requested: **Document - Fingerprint**  
Remarks:

You will be separately advised regarding the latent fingerprint examination of specimens Q213 and Q216.

A search was made in the files of the Identification Division on the basis of the name "A. J. Hidell" and fingerprint card signatures of individuals using this name or a similar name were compared with the various questioned Hidell signatures in this case, but nothing of interest on the signatures was noted.

Typewriting similarities were noted in the examination of Q218 and Q219 which indicate both of these specimens were probably prepared from the same typewriter.

- Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)
- 2 - New Orleans (89-69) Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)
- 1 - Mr. Schutz, Room 5722 (sent direct)
- 1 - Mr. Turner, Room 649 RB (sent direct)

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Printing similarities were noted which indicate that Q217, Q67 and the cards in Item 115 probably came from the same printing source.

Item 115 was personally delivered to the Laboratory on 11/27/63, by Agents of the Dallas Office. Q43 through Q45 were previously submitted by the New Orleans Office with an airtel dated 11/25/63. Q67 was contained in OSWALD's wallet which was personally delivered to the Laboratory on 11/27/63, by Agents of the Dallas Office.

**REPORT  
of the**



**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

**To: FBI, Dallas**

**Date:**  
**FBI File No.**  
**Lab. No.**

**December 6, 1963**  
**62-109060**  
**D-487297 AX**

**Re: ASSASSINATION OF  
PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY,  
11/22/63,  
DALLAS, TEXAS**

**Specimens received 12/1/63, from New Orleans**

- Q213** Rough draft layout for handbill commencing with words "HANDS OFF CUBA!" and ending with the words "Everyone Welcome!"
- Q214** Job ticket #9 7548 dated 1/29/63 for the Jones Printing Co.
- Q215** Three copies of handbill commencing with the words "HANDS OFF CUBA!" and ending with the words "EVERYONE WELCOME!"
- Q216** A 2½" by 3½" hand printed copy of what appears to be a membership card, entitled "FAIR PLAY FOR CUBA COMMITTEE NEW ORLEANS CHAPTER"
- Q217** A printed copy of hand printed membership card entitled "FAIR PLAY FOR CUBA COMMITTEE NEW ORLEANS CHAPTER"
- Q218** One 4" by 9" offset printed paper soliciting membership and/or contributions to the Fair Play for Cuba Committee
- Q219** Application for Fair Play for Cuba Committee

**Result of examination:**

It was concluded that LEE HARVEY OSWALD, K4 and K5 in this case, prepared the hand printing on specimens Q213 and Q216.

Q215 agrees with the limited descriptive data appearing on the job ticket, Q214.

It was concluded that <sup>Q215</sup> Q215 came from the same printing source as specimens Q43 through Q45, previously submitted.

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The rubber stamp impression "A. J. Midell P. O. Box 30016, New Orleans" on Q219 was prepared from the rubber stamp kit, K39, previously submitted. K39 was previously identified as having been used in the preparation of Q43 through Q45.

Evidence was found on Q218 and Q219 indicating these specimens were prepared from a paper or parchment plate which had at least two images thereon. Due to the limited number of significant typewriting characteristics present, no conclusion could be reached whether Q218 and Q219 were prepared from the same typewriter. No characteristics were noted on Q218 and Q219 which would indicate whether they did or did not come from the same offset printing lot.

Q217 does not contain a sufficient number of significant printing characteristics to determine whether it came from the same printing source as Q67, previously submitted and the 159 cards previously submitted and designated as Item 115.

The submitted evidence is retained.

Recorded 12/6/63  
DAS

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

LAB FILE

Re: ASSASSINATION OF  
PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY,  
11/22/63, DALLAS, TEXAS

File # 62-109060  
Lab. # D-437297 AX

L A T E N T

89-43

Examination requested by: New Orleans (89-69) 12/4/63

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Date received: 12/5/63

Result of Examination:

Examination by: *Adigan*  
12/6

T.F. Sep rpt det. Egan Q213 & Q216

A search was made in the files of the Ident Div on the basis of the name A.J. Hidell & of phot card sig of persons using this or a similar name were comp with the various questioned Hidell's sig but nothing of int. or signif noted

TWN's Q215-19 indic both prob prep from same tw

(item 115 pres. per. del 11/27 Dallas prob)

Print no = Q217, 67 & marks in item 115 from same party source  
SEE over report

Specimens submitted for examination

- Q213 Rough draft layout for handbill commencing with words "HANDS OFF CUBA!" and ending with the words "Everyone Welcome!"
- Q214 Job ticket #D 7548 dated 5/29/63 for the Jones Printing Co.
- Q215 Three copies of handbill commencing with the words "HANDS OFF CUBA!" and ending with the words "EVERYONE WELCOME!"
- Q216 A 2 1/2" by 3 1/2" hand printed copy of what appears to be a membership card, entitled "FAIR PLAY FOR CUBA COMMITTEE NEW ORLEANS CHAPTER"
- Q217 A printed copy of hand printed membership card entitled "FAIR PLAY FOR CUBA COMMITTEE NEW ORLEANS CHAPTER"
- Q218 One 4" by 9" offset printed paper soliciting membership and/or contributions to the Fair Play for Cuba Committee
- Q219 Application for Fair Play for Cuba Committee

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12.1.63  
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Q213 <sup>L L L L L L L L</sup> LITERA M NEW ORLEANS NY ident LHO K4, 5 etc

Q216 NEW ORLEANS AY SIGNATURE ident LHO, K4, 5 etc

The limited data on Q214 (Job Ticket) conforms to Q215

Q215 <sup>NO. airtel 11/25</sup> felting, size, color, spacing, type, in "Location" deficit left side of "off."  
"a" in "Literature" left side of A in "ORLEANS; H in CHAPTER  
Hence Q215 + Q43 → Q45, prep out, come from same printing so

Rubber stamp impression "A. J. Hiddell P.O. Box 30016, New Orleans" or  
Q219 ~~id~~ was prep from Rubber stamp kit, K39, prep out  
which was also used in prep. Q43 → Q45

Evid was found on Q218-219 indicating this <sup>space</sup> were prepared from a  
paper or parchment plate which had at least two images thereon.  
No concl whether same tw used due to lim # sig tw characs [TF. sig. tw =  
No characterising on Q218 + Q219 to indicate whether they did or  
did not come from the same offset printing lot

Item 115 (159 FPFCC, New Orleans duplr ID card) similar to Q217 + Q67  
TF C P I F AIR + could have come  
↑ ↑ ↑ ↑ ↑ from same  
space TF printing (offset) source

(218-19 not 1 space difference in length of top line ending "1.0")

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Q218-2A

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A.J. Hidell

no criminal or civil record.

Alec James Hidell

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rpt

No criminal or civil record.

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176

Alec James Hidell

No criminal or civil record

1 criminal tag under Allan J. Hibal

1 criminal tag under Allen M. Hidell

1 civil tag under Alan Maxwell Hidell

4 civil tags under A.S. Hidell

1 civil tag under Dennis Alexander Hidell

5 civil prints under Axel Emil Kidell

2 civil prints under Alexander ~~Hidell~~ <sup>Hyatt</sup> Kidell

1 civil print UTK.

not  
signed  
1/2/76

Alexander Stephens Hidell

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Seattle Wash.



FBI

Date: 12/4/63

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

Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL  
(Priority or Method of Mailing)

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-109060)  
ATTENTION: LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION 437297  
DOCUMENT SECTION

FROM: SAC, NEW ORLEANS (89-69) (P)

*Coyle*

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY  
DALLAS, TEXAS  
NOVEMBER 22, 1963  
AFD

SPECIMENS RETAINED IN LAB.

Q213

ENCLOSURE # 1: Rough draft layout for handbill commencing with words "Hands Off Cuba!" and ending with the words "Everyone Welcome!"

Q214

ENCLOSURE #2: Job ticket # D 7548 dated 5/29/63 for the Jones Printing Co.

Q215

ENCLOSURE #3: Three copies of handbill commencing with the words "Hands Off Cuba!" and ending with the words "Everyone Welcome!" which were retained by the Jones Printing Company for their files.

MYRA SILVER, Secretary, Jones Printing Co., 422 Girod St., New Orleans, La., advised SA JOHN M. MCCARTHY on 12/3/63 that her records show a man named OSBORNE appeared at the Jones Printing Co. on 5/29/63 and ordered 1,000 copies of a handbill and supplied the rough draft layout, described above and enclosed with this communication. She stated her records show that OSBORNE reappeared at the Jones Printing Co. and gave a \$4.00 down payment for this particular job. She advised that on 6/4/63

ENCLOSURE  
C. C. Wick  
Co. Sullivan

3 - Bureau (Encls. 7) (RM)  
2 - Dallas (Encls. 6)  
2 - New Orleans  
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Approved: \_\_\_\_\_  
Special Agent in Charge

Sent \_\_\_\_\_ M

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OSBORNE again came to the Jones Printing Co. and he picked up the ~~final copy of the~~ handbills he had requested and paid \$5.89 in cash, which was the balance due at that time. MYRA SILVER supplied the documents enclosed.

Q216

ENCLOSURE #4: A 2½" by 3½" handprinted copy of what appears to be a membership card which LEE H. OSWALD took to the Mailers Service Co., 225 Magazine St., New Orleans, at an unknown date. OSWALD ordered 300 copies of the above.

Q217

ENCLOSURE #5: A printed copy of the above handprinted membership card obtained from JOHN I. ANDERSON, Mailers Service Co., by SA W. J. DANIELSON, JR.

Q218

ENCLOSURE #6: 4" by 9" offset printed paper which LEE H. OSWALD had ordered 500 copies printed from the Mailers Service Co., 225 Magazine St., 6/3/63, soliciting membership and/or contributions to the Fair Play for Cuba Committee.

Q219

ENCLOSURE #7: Application for Fair Play for Cuba Committee obtained from LEE HARVEY OSWALD by SA JOHN LESTER QUIGLEY.

LFPS //

Latent Fingerprint Section is requested to conduct latent fingerprint examination of Enclosure 1 and compare with known fingerprints of LEE HARVEY OSWALD.

LFPS //

Will conduct latent fingerprint examination of Enclosure 4, comparing known fingerprints of LEE HARVEY OSWALD with any fingerprints found on this item.

Document Section is requested to compare handprinting on Enclosures 1 and 4 with known handprinting samples previously submitted of LEE HARVEY OSWALD.

Laboratory is requested to compare Enclosure 2 with Enclosure 3 to determine if specifications met, as set out on Enclosure 2.

Also, compare Enclosure 3 with original handbills previously submitted to the Bureau and determine if Enclosure 3 is identical to them.

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Laboratory is requested to compare the stamp "A. J. HIDEELL, P. O. Box 30016, New Orleans" appearing on Enclosure 7 with the impressions from the stamp kit submitted by the Dallas Office as well as with the stamp of a similar nature on documents previously submitted by the New Orleans Office.

Laboratory is also requested to compare the type on Enclosure 7 with the type on Enclosure 6 to determine if they were prepared on the same typewriter and can be identified as coming from the same offset printing lot.

New Orleans is not in possession of information as to whether membership cards in the Fair Play for Cuba Committee were found in the possession of OSWALD when arrested in Dallas or following the search of his home. In the event such cards were found and have been submitted by the Dallas Office, they should be compared with the printing appearing on Enclosure 5.



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

*Just file*  
*D. Caligan*

To: **FBI, Dallas (89-43)**

Date: **December 6, 1963**

*JS*

Re: **ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT  
JOHN F. KENNEDY, 11/22/63,  
DALLAS, TEXAS**

*J. Edgar Hoover*  
John Edgar Hoover, Director

FBI File No.  
Lab. No.

**62-109060  
D-437277 AX  
D-437279 AX**

Examination requested by: **Dallas**

Reference: **Letters 12/3/63, 12/4/63**

Examination requested: **Document**

Remarks:

Through the use of K49 and K50, it was possible to verify K44 (purported known of MARINA OSWALD) as actually having been written by her.

K49 and K50 will be of value for future comparisons of any questioned writings in Russian which may become pertinent to this case.

**Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)**

**1 - Mr. Henry A. Schutz, Jr. Room 5722 (sent direct)**

**1 - Mr. Elbert T. Turner Room 649 RB (sent direct)**

**JCC:GFM (8)**

REPORT  
of theFEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C.To: **FBI, Dallas**

Date:

**December 6, 1963**Re: **ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT  
JOHN F. KENNEDY, 11/22/63,  
DALLAS, TEXAS**

FBI File No.

**62-109060**

Lab. No.

**D-437277 AX****D-437279 AX**Specimens received **12/5/63****K49 Two sheets of paper with handwriting in the Russian  
language prepared by MARINA OSWALD****K50 One sheet of paper dated 12/3/63, bearing Russian  
handwriting prepared by MARINA OSWALD at Dallas, Texas****Result of examination:****It was concluded that MARINA OSWALD, K49, K50,  
and K44 (previously submitted) wrote the letters in  
Russian in Q176 (Soviet Embassy File), previously submitted,  
signed M. Oswald or Marina Oswald.****The submitted evidence is retained.****JCC:GWH (8)**

Recorded 12/5/63  
DAS

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

LAB FILE

Re: ASSASSINATION OF  
PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY,  
11/22/63, DALLAS, TEXAS

File # 62-109060  
Lab. # D-437277 AX

Examination requested by: Dallas (89-43) 12/3/63

Examination requested: Document

Date received: 12/5/63

Result of Examination:

Examination by: Cadigan 12/6/63

*K49 & K50 will be of value for future comparisons of any  
writings in Russian which may become pertinent to this case.  
K49 & K50 verify. K44 (purported to be) as actually written by her  
K49, 50 retained.*

*and that letters in Russian in Q176 (Soviet Embassy file)  
re-subm, signed M. Oswald or Marina Oswald were written by K49, K50, K44*

Specimens submitted for examination

K49 Two sheets of paper with handwriting in the Russian language  
prepared by MARINA OSWALD

*Марина Освальд  
→ Дядя Мар  
→ сестра моего брата*

*ident Q176 lets in Russ  
signed M O S  
Marina Oswald*

*J. Edgar Hoover  
12-6-63  
JCC JFW*

*Photo 12/1*

Director, FBI  
ATTENTION: FBI LABORATORY  
SAC, DALLAS (89-43)(P)

December 3, 1963

*Lab File Copy*

LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka;  
ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT  
JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY,  
11/22/63, DALLAS, TEXAS  
AFO

||| There are enclosed two sheets of paper with handwriting in the Russian language prepared by MARINA OSWALD. These papers are receipts issued by Mrs. OSWALD for material and money given her. The paper on which the mistake was made and written over by MARINA may be retained by the Laboratory. The other is the receipt which will be maintained in the Dallas file. It is requested this copy be returned to Dallas when it is no longer needed by the Laboratory.

These specimens are being forwarded to the Laboratory for such comparison purposes as may be necessary by the Laboratory to determine if Russian handwriting in possession of the Laboratory and believed to be that of MARINA OSWALD is identical with this known handwriting of MARINA OSWALD.

Further handwriting specimens will be obtained in the future and forwarded to the Laboratory.

2 - Bureau (Enc. 2)(AMSD)(REGISTERED)  
3 - Dallas (89-43)(100-10,461)(105-1435)  
WRH/gm  
(5)

Recorded  
12/5/63  
DAS

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

LAB FILE

Re: ASSASSINATION OF  
PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY,  
11/22/63, DALLAS, TEXAS

File # 62-109060  
Lab. # D-437279 AX

Examination requested by: Dallas (89-43) 12/4/63

Examination requested: Document

Date received: 12/5/63

Result of Examination:

Examination by: *Caragan*  
*12/6*

*See 437277*

Specimens submitted for examination

K50 One sheet of paper bearing Russian handwriting prepared  
by MARINA OSWALD on 12/3/63 at Dallas, Texas

*Photo 12/6*

*Handwritten notes and signature*



DIRECTOR FBI  
ATTENTION: FBI LABORATORY

SAC DALLAS

12/4/63

*for file*

LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka;  
ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT  
JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY  
11/22/63, DALLAS, TEXAS  
APO  
DL 89-43

LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka  
IS - R - CUBA  
DL 100-10461

MARINA NIKOLAEVNA OSWALD  
IS - R  
DL 105-1435

There is enclosed one sheet of paper bearing Russian handwriting prepared by MARINA OSWALD on 12/3/63 at Dallas, Texas. This is a receipt for correspondence containing checks received for Mrs. OSWALD through the FBI, Dallas, and it is requested that the Laboratory return the sheet when it is no longer needed as it will be made part of the Dallas file.

It is requested this known handwriting of MARINA OSWALD be compared with any Russian handwriting in the Laboratory believed possibly identical with that of Mrs. OSWALD.

3 - Bureau (Enc.1) Reg. Mail AMSD  
4 - Dallas ( 2 - 89-43 )  
( 1 - 100-10461 )  
( 1 - 105-1435 )

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**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

*Lab File*

To: **FBI, Dallas (89-43)**

Date: **December 9, 1963**

Re: **ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT  
JOHN F. KENNEDY, 11/22/63,  
DALLAS, TEXAS**

*J. Edgar Hoover*  
John Edgar Hoover, Director

FBI File No.  
Lab. No.

**62-109060  
D-437878 AX**

Examination requested by: **San Antonio**  
Reference: **Letter 12/4/63**  
Examination requested: **Document**  
Remarks:

Previous Laboratory report D-436846 AX dated 12/2/63, addressed to your office with copies for San Antonio advised that no conclusion could be reached with respect to the warrants in Qc68 dated 8/9, 8/26, 9/3, 9/13, 9/23, and 10/1 (all in 1963) as they were too indistinct for an adequate examination. Based on the clear photographs submitted and designated as item I, it was possible to positively identify OSWALD, K4 and K5, as the writer of the questioned endorsements on these warrants.

Also, the same Laboratory report advised that LA Forms 1 B-2 in Qc69 dated 8/27/63, and 9/6/63, were too indistinct for an adequate examination. On the basis of the original forms contained in item II, it was possible to positively identify OSWALD, K4 and K5, as the writer of the questioned signatures on the forms.

Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)

2 - San Antonio (89-67) Enclosures (3) (2 Lab report, original documents contained in item II)

1 - Mr. Henry A. Schutz, Jr. Room 5722 (sent direct)  
1 - Mr. Elbert T. Turner Room 649 RB (sent direct)

JCC:GFM (10)

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REPORT  
of theFEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C.To: **FBI, Dallas**Date: **December 6, 1963**Re: **ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT  
JOHN F. KENNEDY, 11/22/63,  
DALLAS, TEXAS**FBI File No. **62-109060**Lab. No. **D-437278 AX**Specimens received **12/2/63**

**Item I** Photographs and negatives of the original Texas state warrants photocopies of which were previously submitted and designated as Qc68

**Item II** Original documents photocopies of which were previously submitted and designated as Qc69 and Qc70

**Result of examination:**

It was concluded that **LEE HARVEY OSWALD, K4** and **K5** in this case, wrote the questioned signatures and endorsements on items I and II.

The material contained in item I is retained. The original documents contained in item II are returned with copies of this report to San Antonio. Photographs of the material in item II are retained.

**ACC:GVI (10)**



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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To: **FBI, Dallas (89-43)**

Date: **December 6, 1963**

Re: **ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT  
JOHN F. KENNEDY, 11/22/63,  
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REPORT  
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: **FBI, Dallas**

Date: **December 8, 1963**

Re: **ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT  
JOHN F. KENNEDY, 11/22/63,  
DALLAS, TEXAS**

FBI File No. **62-109060**

Lab. No. **D-437878 AX**

Specimens received **12/1/63**

- Item I** Photographs and negatives of the original Texas State Warrants photocopies of which were previously submitted and designated as Q68
- Item II** Original documents photocopies of which were previously submitted and designated as Q69 and Q70

**Result of examination:**

It was concluded that **LIE HARVEY OSWALD, RI and IS** in this case, wrote the questioned signatures and endorsements on items I and II.

The material contained in item I is retained. The original documents contained in item II are returned. Photographs of the material in item II are retained.

**SECRET (10)**

Recorded 12/5/63  
DAS

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

LAB FILE

Re: ASSASSINATION OF  
PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY,  
11/22/63, DALLAS, TEXAS

File # 62-109060  
Lab. # D-437278 AX

Examination requested by: San Antonio (89-67) 12/4/63

Examination requested: Document

Date received: 12/5/63

Result of Examination:

Examination by: Cadigan *12/6/63*

*It was concl that LHO, K4+K5 in this case, wrote the sigs & ends on Items I + II.*

*I Item I retain I Item II returned. Photos Item II retained*

*See over.  
T.F. Pres rpt 12/2/63 D 436846 to Dallas cc SA adv. that made  
indist nature of some of Q material no concl. The originals &  
good foto subm ~~for review~~ to be reached.  
enable def couns Texas State warrants  
and negatives*

*Specimens submitted for examination (previously submitted) - and design Qc68*

*Item I Photographs of the originals of ~~Qc68~~ ~~Qc69~~ and Qc70, previously submitted  
and design Qc68  
and design Qc69 + Qc70  
documents, photos of which were prev sub'd*

*Return subm evid to San Antonio per advice from Mr Belmont on 12/5.  
orig.*

*12-6-63  
JAC*

*Note on yellow: Item II ret'd on approval of Mr Belmont on 12/5*

*to foto 12/5*

MEMORANDUM FOR THE DIRECTOR  
FROM THE SAC, [illegible]

DATE: [illegible]

TO: [illegible]

FROM: [illegible]

SUBJECT: [illegible]

RE: [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

Prior Lab report 436846 dated 12/25 adds Dall & San Antonio  
indic no council warrants 8/8/9, 8/26, 9/3, 9/13, 9/23 & 10/1 (all 1963)  
in Qc68 not too indistinct. Beyond photos sub-  
subs are ident. Oswald, K4, J.

LA forms 1 B-2 in Qc69 dated 8/27 & 9/6/63 were  
also too indistinct

On basis originals now ident Oswald K4, J.



DIRECTOR, FBI (62-109060)

12-4-63

SAC SAN ANTONIO (89-67) (P)

ATTN: FBI LABORATORY  
Lab. File No.  
D 436846AX

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT  
JOHN F. KENNEDY 11/22/63  
DALLAS, TEXAS

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Enclosed herewith are all the original documents from the file of the Texas Employment Commission, Austin, Texas, relative to LEE HARVEY OSWALD as requested. These documents were released to SA H. T. BURK by MR. JACK W. BURCHAM, Chief, Unemployment Insurance Section, of TEC on a hand receipt.

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The TEC file should be returned to the San Antonio Office when the handwriting examination is completed.

3 Bureau (Via AM -Registered)  
(Enc. TEC file )  
2 San Antonio  
NTB

**DIRECTOR, FBI (62-109060)**

**12-4-63**

**SAC SAN ANTONIO (69-67) (P)**

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Lab. File No.  
D 436846AX**

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DIRECTOR, FBI (62-109060)

12-4-63

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(Enc. TEC file)

2 San Antonio  
HTB



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

② Lab File  
① Cadigan

To: **FBI, Dallas (89-43)**

Date: **December 8, 1963**

Re: **ASSASSINATION OF  
PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY,  
11/22/63, DALLAS, TEXAS**

*J. Edgar Hoover*  
John Edgar Hoover, Director

FBI File No. **62-109060**  
Lab. No. **D-437236 AX**

Examination requested by: **Dallas**

Reference: **Personal delivery on 11/27/63**

Examination requested: **Document**

Remarks:

**Q212 is designated as your item 237 in the material personally delivered to the Laboratory on 11/27/63, by Agents of your office.**

**Enclosures (1) (1 Lab report)**

- 1 - Mr. Henry A. Schutz, Jr., Rm. 5722**
- 1 - Mr. Elbert T. Turner, Rm. 649, 2B**

**NOTE: The Laboratory examination of Q212 was made from photographic copies furnished the Laboratory on 12/4/63 by Mr. E. T. Turner.**

**JCC:gl (3)**

REPORT  
of theFEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C.To: **FBI, Dallas (89-43)**Date: **December 6, 1963**  
FBI File No. **62-109060**  
Lab. No. **D-437230**Re: **ASSASSINATION OF  
PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY  
11/22/63, DALLAS, TEXAS**Specimens received **11/27/63**

**Q212** Seventeen-page typewritten manuscript entitled  
"Part I The Collective" found among personal  
effects of LEE HARVEY OSWALD (Your item 237)

**Result of examination:**

It was concluded that the hand printed corrections  
on Q212 were written by LEE HARVEY OSWALD, K4 and K5 in this  
case.

**The submitted evidence is retained.**

**JCC:gl  
(8)**

(3) 2-109060  
D 437230-

Pers delive from Dallas 11/27

Q212 ~~Seventeen~~ <sup>Seventeen</sup> page typewritten manuscript, <sup>entitled "Part I The Collective"</sup> with Lp corrections, found among personal effects of Lee H Oswald (your item 337)

It was concl that the Lp on Q212 was prep by Oswald. K45 etc  
Evid retained



*Lab-File*

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: **FBI, DALLAS (88-43)**

Date: **December 5, 1963**

*28*

Re: **ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT  
JOHN F. KENNEDY, 11/22/63,  
DALLAS, TEXAS**

*J. Edgar Hoover*  
John Edgar Hoover, Director

FBI File No. **62-109080**  
Lab. No. **D-637202 AX**

Examination requested by: **Legat, Mexico**  
Reference: **Letter 12/2/63**  
Examination requested: **Document - Fingerprint**  
Remarks:

**A photograph of Q208 is forwarded to your office herewith.**

**A separate report will be submitted on the latent fingerprint examination.**

**Q208 was submitted under the caption "Lee Harvey Oswald, IS - R" Bufile 105-82555.**

**Enclosures (3) (2 Lab report, photograph of Q208)**

**3 - Legat, Mexico (105-3782) Enclosures (3) (2 Lab report, Q208)**

- 1 - Mr. Henry A. Schutz, Jr. Room 3722 (sent direct)**
- 1 - Mr. Elbert T. Turner Room 649 EB (sent direct)**
- 1 - Mr. John C. Stokes Room 645 EB (sent direct)**
- 1 - Foreign Liaison Unit**
- 1 - Bufile (105-82555)**

**JCC:GFM (13)**

REPORT  
of the



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: **FBI, Dallas**

Date:

**December 5, 1963**

Re:

**ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT  
JOHN F. KENNEDY, 11/22/63,  
DALLAS, TEXAS**

FBI File No.

**62-109060**

Lab. No.

**D-437208 AX**

Specimens received **12/1/63, from Legat, Mexico**

**Q208 Two portions of Mexican Tourist Card (Form TM-8)  
No. 24085, issued to OSWALD by the Mexican Consulate  
General in New Orleans on 9/17/63**

**Result of examination:**

**It was concluded that the two handwritten Oswald  
signatures on Q208 were written by LEE HARVEY OSWALD, M4  
and M5.**

**Q208 has been photographed and is being returned  
with copies of this report to Legat, Mexico.**

**JCC:GFE (13)**



Recorded 12/5/63  
DAS

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

LAB FILE

Re: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT  
JOHN F. KENNEDY,  
11/22/63, DALLAS, TEXAS

File # 62-109060  
Lab. # D-437202 AX

L A T E N T

Examination requested by: Legat, Mexico (105-3702) 12/3/63

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Date received: 12/5/63

Result of Examination:

Examination by: *C. J. G. 12/5/63*

*two*  
Concl. sig's of Oswald on Q208 ident LHO, K4, J.

*Q208 has been photostated & is being ret'd with copies of this report to Legat Mex.*

*T.F. Sup. report on LFP exam -*

*Note on yellow Q208 ret'd Legat on approval of Mr. Belmont & Mr. Stokes*

Specimens submitted for examination

Q208 Two portions of Mexican Tourist Card (Form FM-8) No. 24085, issued to OSWALD by the Mexican Consulate General in New Orleans on 9/17/63

*usual cc  
1 for Liaison Desk  
1 Stokes 645RB*

*J. Edgar Hoover  
12-5-63  
[Signature]*

*To LFB 12/5  
To Trip file 12/5*

*Note on yellow: Evid. ret'd to Legat; photo held, Belmont approves Mr. Stokes approves*

**DIRECTOR, FBI (105-22555)  
(ATTN. FBI LABORATORY)**

**12/3/63**

**LEGAT, MEXICO (105-3702) (P)**

**LEE HARVEY OSWALD  
IS - R**

**ReBucab 12/2/63 and remycab 12/3/63.**

**Enclosed for handwriting and latent fingerprint examinations are the two portions of Mexican Tourist Card (Form FM-8) No. 24085 issued to subject OSWALD by the Mexican Consulate General in New Orleans on 9/17/63.**

**For the Bureau's information, it is to be noted that under Mexican Government procedures the duplicate of this tourist card is delivered by the bearer at the port of entry into Mexico and, therefore, bears only the date and seal of the Mexican Immigration Inspector, in this case HELIO TUEXI MAYDON, who handled the entry, and the place of entry. The original of the card, which is surrendered by the bearer upon departure from Mexico, bears both the stamp placed thereon at the time of entry and the stamp showing the date and place of departure and the name of the Mexican Immigration Inspector handling the departure.**

**The two portions of the tourist card were made available to this office on 12/3/63 by Lic. RAFAEL HERNANDEZ OCHOA, Sub-Director of the Central Immigration Section of the Ministry of Gobernacion (Interior). HERNANDEZ OCHOA requested that these documents be returned to him as soon as possible since they are official records of the Mexican Government and under Mexican law are not supposed to be released to outsiders.**

**4 - Bureau (Encs. 2)  
(1 - Liaison Section)  
1 - Mexico City  
CDA:plb  
(5)**

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- Callahan \_\_\_\_\_
- Conrad \_\_\_\_\_
- DeLoach \_\_\_\_\_
- Evans \_\_\_\_\_
- Gale \_\_\_\_\_
- Rosen \_\_\_\_\_
- Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
- Tavel \_\_\_\_\_
- Trotter \_\_\_\_\_
- Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_
- Holmes \_\_\_\_\_
- Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

AIRGRAM

CABLEGRAM

RADIO

TELETYPE

URGENT 12-3-63  
 TO DIRECTOR  
 FROM LEGAT MEXICO CITY NO. 202

7613  
*Cayigan*

BUFILE 105-82555.  
 LEE HARVEY OSWALD, IS - R. U  
 REBUCAS DECEMBER 2 LAST. U

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Classified by 1259  
 Exempt from GDS, Category 1, 2  
 Date of Declassification Indefinite  
5/15/78

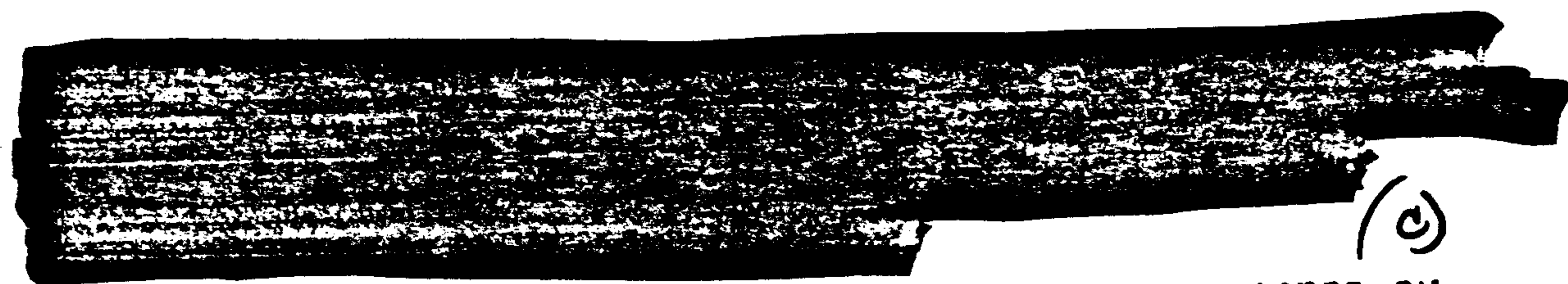
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 Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
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PAGE TWO FROM LEGAT MEXICO CITY NO. 232



SOURCES AT AMERICAN EMBASSY IN GUATEMALA REQUESTED BY CABLE TODAY TO INTERVIEW GUATEMALANS MENTIONED IN CABLE. RESULTS OF THESE INTERVIEWS WILL BE FURNISHED TO BUREAU AS SOON AS RECEIVED. (u)

RELIABLE SOURCE TODAY FURNISHED FOLLOWING INFORMATION WHICH MAY BE HELPFUL ON INSTANT CASE. (u)

ON NOVEMBER 23 LAST US CITIZEN NAMED GILBERTO LOPEZ, 23 YEARS OF AGE AND BE HON OF US PASSPORT 510162 ISSUED JULY 13, 1950, ENTERED MEXICO AT NUEVO LAREDO. HE WAS PART OF MEXICAN TOURIST CARAVAN. MEXICAN GOVERNMENT CLOSED BORDER ON AFTERNOON OF NOVEMBER 22 FOLLOWING ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT AND BORDER NOT REOPENED UNTIL SOMETIME AROUND MIDNIGHT OR EARLY MORNING HOURS OF NOVEMBER 23. (u)

ALTHOUGH MEANS OF TRAVEL NOT KNOWN LOPEZ APPARENTLY DEPARTED TO MEXICO CITY. HE WAS ONLY PASSENGER ABOARD AIRLINE FLIGHT 465 WHICH DEPARTED MEXICO CITY FOR GUANAJUATO ON NOVEMBER 27 LAST. (u)

IN VIEW OF TRAVEL OF LOPEZ DURING SIGNIFICANT PERIOD AND FACT HE WAS ONLY PASSENGER ON COMMERCIAL FLIGHT GOING TO GUANAJUATO IT IS SUGGESTED THAT WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE CHECK

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PAGE THREE FROM LEGAT MEXICO CITY NO. 202

PASSPORT RECORDS TO OBTAIN FULL BACKGROUND INFORMATION AND PHOTOGRAPHS OF LOPEZ AND THAT BASED ON INFORMATION OBTAINED AT PASSPORT OFFICE INVESTIGATION BE CONDUCTED TO FULLY IDENTIFY LOPEZ AND ESTABLISH HIS CONNECTIONS.

CLARK D. ANDERSON

RECEIVED:

9:39 PM

NCC

TO: SAC, NEW YORK

FROM: SAC, MEXICO CITY

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