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ED B. BENEDICT, 11409 Lippett, Dallas, Texas, self-employed as a free-lance photographer in Dallas, Texas, advised he has known JACK RUBY on an informal basis for about eight years.

BENEDICT stated he had no contacts with JACK RUBY and did not see JACK RUBY for at least one month prior to November 22, 1963. BENEDICT further stated he definitely did not see JACK RUBY on November 22, 23 or 24, 1963. He stated he saw RUBY off and on after RUBY killed LEE HARVEY OSWALD and during RUBY's trial. On each occasion BENEDICT was acting in his official capacity as a free-lance photographer, and he did not speak with RUBY during any of these visual meetings.

BENEDICT stated he had done some photography work for RUBY at Market Hall several weeks prior to November 22, 1963. BENEDICT recalled that upon his completion of this assignment at Market Hall, RUBY had mentioned he might desire at a future date for BENEDICT to photograph the interior of the Carousel Night Club; however, BENEDICT never discussed this matter further with RUBY.

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