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JACK L. RUBY, AKA., LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA. DASH VICTIM. CR. REURAIRTEL AUGUST TWENTYFIVE LAST.

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HELEN LAIDRICH, COURT REPORTER WHO TRANSCRIBED INTERVIEW OF RUBY BY COMMISSION ON JUNE SEVEN LAST, IN HER INTERVIEW AUGUST TWENTYFIVE LAST STATED THAT UPON COMPLETION OF THE TRANSCRIPT FROM HER NOTES SHE TURNED THE TRANSCRIPT OVER TO USA SANDERS TO BE MAILED TO MR. SPECTOR OF THE PRESIDENT'S COMMISSION. IMMEDIATELY REINTERVIEW LAIDRICH FOR FULL DETAILS RE SECURITY OF HER ORIGINAL NOTES AND DETERMINE POSSIBILITY OF OTHER TRANSCRIPTS HAVING BEEN PREPARED FROM THESE NOTES. ALSO INTERVIEW USA SANDERS FOR FULL DETAILS RE HIS HANDLING OF THE TRANSCRIPT AND POSSIBILITY OF OTHER COPIES HAVING BEEN MADE WHILE IT WAS IN HIS POSSESSION. 3 ANY OTHER 6 LOGICAL LEADS DEVELOPED FROM THESE INTERVIEWS SHOULD ALSO BE 3 PROLIPTLY COVERED. SUBMIT RESULTS BY LHM SUITABLE FOR DISSEMINATION TO THE PRESIDENT'S COMMISSION.

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The President's Commission on 8/20 requested that we NOTE: conduct investigation to determine how a copy of the transcript of Ruby's testimony before the Commission on 6/7/64 came into the hands of Dorothy Kilgallen and the "New York Journal-American." We interviewed Kilgallen and the publisher of the "Journal-American" who refused to identify source. We also interviewed all persons present at the interview with the exception of the Commission staff members who denied knowledge of how transcript came to be printed in the "Journal-American." Laidrich, the court reporter, when interviewed, stated she furnished transcript to USA Sanders for transmittal to the President's Commission. She also said that while on vacation she visited the Commission offices in Washington, D. C., on 6/30/64, and while there saw some mimeograph copies of the transcript around the office and gained the impression that mimeograph copies had been made up for the members of the staff to study. One copy of the transcript was furnished to the Bureau by the Commission for use in preparing for the polygraph examination of Ruby. This copy has prer been out of Bureau Headquarters, it being noted that Kilgallen said her source furnished her a copy which she kept for several days and of which she also made copies.

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