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LEE HARVEY OSWALD, also known as  
INTERNAL SECURITY - RUSSIA - CUBA

Immediately following the arrest of Lee Harvey Oswald by the Dallas Police Department in Dallas on 11/22/63, the Dallas Police Department, through search warrants, made a search of Oswald's residence at 1023 North Beckley Street in Dallas and of the quarters of Oswald in the residence of Mrs. Ruth Paine, Irving, Texas. The Dallas Police Department photographed such evidence and made the film available to the Dallas FBI Office. When the Bureau took over handling of the Oswald investigation, the Dallas Police Department turned over all of its evidence regarding Oswald to the Bureau. However, the Dallas Police Department was furnished photographic copies of all of the evidence turned over.

Among the effects of Oswald seized by the Dallas Police Department were a number of photographic negatives. The negatives were apparently not printed by the Dallas Police Department because the Dallas Police Department turned such negatives over to the Bureau. The Dallas Police Department has now requested that it be furnished positive prints of these negatives by the Bureau.

We have made prints of the negatives in question and they largely concern photographs of Lee and Marina Oswald taken in Russia. One negative is a picture of Oswald taken in the United States wherein he is holding the assassination rifle and is wearing a revolver at his hip. This is not the same picture that has received wide publicity which depicts Oswald holding the rifle, wearing a revolver and holding copies of "The Worker" and the "Militant."

Inasmuch as the Dallas Police Department have been furnished photographic copies of other evidence maintained by the FBI Laboratory in this case, it is believed we should also furnish the Dallas Police Department with prints of the negatives in question.

ACTION:

This memorandum should be routed to the FBI Laboratory in order that a set of prints of the negatives in question (Evidence Item 53) can be made and sent to the Dallas Office for delivery to the Dallas Police Department.

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