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TO DIRECTOR, AND SACS, LOS ANGELES AND DALLAS  
FROM SAC, CHICAGO /44-645/ 5 PAGES

JACK L. RUBY, AKA. JACK RUBENSTEIN, JACK LEON RUBY, LEE HARVEY OSWALD,  
AYA. O.H. LEE, ALEK JAMES HIDELL DASH VICTIM, CR. RE...ALLEGED COMMUN-  
IST ACTIVITIES.

RE DALLAS TEL THIS DATE. RE UNSUB POSSIBLY JACK RUBENSTEIN WHO  
ALLEGEDLY TRAVELED TO MUNCIE, INDIANA, IN COMPANY OF SON IN LAW OF SAM  
JAFFEE IN EARLY FORTIES AND POSSIBLY NINETEEN FORTYSIX OR FORTYSEVEN.

FOR INFO LOS ANGELES, PORTLAND ADVISED GEORGE WILLIAM FEHRENBACH,  
JEWELRY STORE PROPRIETOR, MEDFORD, OREGON, IN SIGNED STATEMENT ALLEGED  
THAT IN ABOUT NINETEEN FORTYTWO HE TOOK A JOB WITH SAM JAFFEE AS JEW-  
ELPY APPRENTICE AT STORE LOCATED MUNCIE, INDIANA. THERE A GROUP OF  
MEN IN NEIGHBORHOOD TALKED ABOUT COMMUNIST PARTY AND RUSSIA, AND HE  
BELIEVED THEM MEMBERS OF CP. THEY WERE PHILLIP JASSER,  
LAWSO JAFFEE AND MORTON STANDT, ALL OF MUNCIE. ABOUT SIX  
MONTHS TO YEAR THEREAFTER, GROUP OF PEOPLE CAME FROM CHICAGO FOR  
WHAT SOURCE BELIEVES WAS TO HOLD MEETING IN MUNCIE. MEETING WAS  
BELIEVED TO HAVE HAD SOMETHING TO DO WITH CP OR RUSSIA. IT WAS  
HELD IN UNION HALL UPSTAIRS FROM STORE WHERE SOURCE WORKED OR IN  
JEWISH MEETING HALL. SON IN LAW OF SAM JAFFEE WAS ONE OF PEOPLE.

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WHO CAME FROM CHIAGO AND BROUGHT WITH HIM MAN WHO WAS INTRODUCED TO SOURCE AS JACK RUBENSTEIN, PHONETIC. SOURCE SAW PHOTOS OF JACK RUBY ON TELEVISION AND INITIALLY DID NOT THINK MORE OF IT. HOWEVER, LATER IT SUDDENLY CAME TO HIM THAT JACK RUBY WAS SAME PERSON WHO WAS INTRODUCED TO SOURCE IN MUNCIE AS JACK RUBENSTEIN.

SOURCE RECALLED JACK RUBENSTEIN CAME TO MUNCIE TWICE WITH SON IN LAW OF SAM JAFFEE BEFORE SOURCE WENT INTO NAVY JUNE ONE FOUR, NINETEEN FORTYFOUR. BOTH TIMES THEY WERE THERE TO ATTEND MEETING WITH GROUP THAT TALKED TO SOURCE ABOUT CP. SOURCE RECALLED JACK RUBENSTEIN WAS IN SHOW BUSINESS IN CHICAGO SINCE HE SHOWED SOURCE FEW CARD TRICKS AND READ FROM A FOLDED PAPER SOMETHING SOURCE HAD WRITTEN. HE ALSO BROUGHT WITH HIM A VERY TALL BLONDE GIRL WHO WAS IN SHOW BUSINESS. SOURCE WAS DISCHARGED FROM NAVY JUNE TWO ONE, NINETEEN FORTYSIX AND RETURNED TO EMPLOYMENT OF SAM JAFFEE IN MUNCIE. SHORTLY AFTER JUNE, NINETEEN FORTY SEVEN THERE WAS ANOTHER MEETING HELD AND JACK RUBENSTEIN AGAIN CAME FROM CHICAGO WITH SON IN LAW OF SAM JAFFEE. THIS MEETING HELD IN UNION HALL ABOVE JAFFEE STORE.

NEXT DAY SOURCE VISITED UNION HALL AND SAW LIST OF NAMES ON TABLE. FIRST NAMES SOURCE RECALLS WERE THOSE OF LAWSON JAFFEE,  
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PHILLIP JASSER, ~~HERBERT PAZOL~~, ~~MORTON PAZOL~~, ~~MORTON STANDT~~ AND JACK RUBENSTEIN. SOURCE ADVISED THAT OTHER PICTURES SHOWN TO HIM OF JACK RUBY BEAR VERY STRONG LIKENESS TO PERSON WHO WAS INTRODUCED TO SOURCE AS JACK DUBENSTEIN. OTHER PHOTOS SHOWN TO SOURCE AND HE COULD NOT MAKE POSITIVE IDENTIFICATION. AFTER ABOUT NINETEEN FORTYSEVEN SOURCE NEVER SAW RUBENSTEIN AGAIN. HE DESCRIBED THE JACK RUBENSTEIN WHO VISITED MUNCIE AS FOLLOWS. THIRTY TO THIRTY FIVE YEARS OLD, ABOUT FIVE TEN TO SIX FEET, ONE SIXTY FIVE TO ONE SEVENTY FIVE POUNDS, NO SCARS OR MARKS OR ANYTHING UNUSUAL THAT HE COULD RECALL BUT ALMOST ALWAYS WORE A HAT. SOURCE ADVISED SAM JAFFEE DIED IN MIAMI NINETEEN FIFTYNINE OR SIXTY AND BURIED IN CHICAGO, WHERE HIS WIDOW IS BELIEVED TO STILL LIVE. HE HAD TWO DAUGHTERS, CHARLOTTE AND ANOTHER, NAME UNKNOWN, WHO WAS MARRIED TO ABOVE SON-IN-LAW IN MUNCIE WHERE PAZOLS ONCE OPERATED JEWELRY STORE AT JACKSON AND WALNUT STREETS. DALLAS REQUESTED INVESTIGATION TO DEVELOP DATA TO DETERMINE IF JACK RUBENSTEIN ALLEGEDLY IN COMPANY OF SON-IN-LAW OF SAM JAFFEE IS IDENTICAL WITH JACK RUBY INVOLVED IN OSWALD MURDER.

SIDNEY LEVINSON, LEVINSON JEWELRY, CHICAGO, ADVISED SA HERBERT K. STALLINGS THIS DATE THAT SAM JAFFEE HAD THREE CHILDREN, ALL GIRLS WHO ARE AS FOLLOWS.

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CHARLOTTE MARRIED TO SEYMOUR CHAZIN, CPA OF HIGHLAND PARK, ILL.,  
ROSYLIN MARRIED TO ERWIN BERKE, FIVE EIGHT ZERO SEVEN ALCOVE,  
NORTH HOLLYWOOD, CALF, MARIAN MARRIED TO MAX PRITZKER, OWNER OF  
CINDY SUE RESTAURANT, CHICAGO. LEVINSON ADVISED MR'S. SONJA  
JAFFEE, WIFE OF SAM JAFFEE, PRESENTLY IN FLORIDA, EXACT LOCATION  
UNKNOWN. LEVINSON STATED BERKE MARRIED TO ROSYLIN WAS IN SHOW  
BUSINESS IN CHICAGO AND STILL BOOKING AGENT LOS ANGELES AREA.  
HE DESCRIBED BERKE AS BEING QUOTE RED HAired JERK UNQUOTE.  
INDICES NEGATIVE ON ABOVE NAMED INDIVIDUALS.

MAX PRITZKER, OWNER, CINDY SUE RESTAURANT, CHICAGO, SON IN  
LAW OF SAM JEFFEE, ADVISED SA/S WALTER A . BOYLE AND RICHARD W.  
HANSEN THIS DATE THAT SON IN LAW RESIDING IN CHICAGO DURING  
PERTINENT PERIOD WAS ERWIN BERKE, NOW OF LOS ANGELES. HE SAID  
HE COULD FURNISH NO INFO RE IDENTITY OF INDIVIDUAL IN QUESTION.

LOS ANGELES INTERVIEW ERWIN BERKE AND DEVELOP DATA RE  
POSSIBLE TRIPS TO MUNCIE EARLY FORTIES AND APPROXIMATELY NINETEEN  
FORTY SIX OR SEVEN AND IDENTIFY INDIVIDUAL BROUGHT BY SON IN LAW  
OF SAM JAFFEE TO MUNCIE WITH HIM FOR PURPOSES OF DETERMINING  
WHETHER JACK RUBENSTEIN SUBJECT IN OSWALD CASE IS  
CORR LINE 15 LAST TWO WORDS ARE "DATE-RE"  
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IDENTICAL. SUGEST SON IN LAW BE SHOWN PHOTOS OF JACK RUBY.

FOR INFO, LOS ANGELES, INDIANAPOLIS TELEPHONICALLY ADVISED THIS DATE MORTON PAZOL WAS CHAIRMAN OF CP MUNCIE BRANCH NINETEEN FORTY SIX AND INTERVIEWED IN NINETEEN FIFTY TWO, ADMITTED MEMBERSHIP IN MUNCIE BRANCH FROM NINETEEN FORTY TO FORTY SEVEN, STATING HE WITHDREW FROM CP IN FORTY SEVEN BECAUSE HE COULD NO LONGER ACCEPT CP IDEAS. INDIANAPOLIS HAS LOCATED HERBERT PAZOL AND MORTON STANDT AND ALSO HAS INTERVIEWED MORTON PAZOL. NONE RECALL UNIDENTIFIED SUBJECT WHO TRAVELED TO MUNCIE WITH SON IN LAW OF SAM JAFFEE. INDIANAPOLIS, NEW YORK, CINCINNATI AND NEWARK BEING ADVISED BY SEPARATE TELETYPE.

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