UNITED STATES GOV RNMENT

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DATE: December 9, 1963

FROM

SA RICHARD E. HARRISON

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

Reference Bureau airtel to Dallas dated 12/6/63.

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With reference to Bureau query concerning LEE HARVEY OSWALD possibly being observed by fellow employees at Texas School Book Depository (TSBD) arriving at work carrying a brown paper bag believed to have contained the rifle used in the assassination of President KENNEDY, it should be noted that in interviews conducted by agents of employees at the TSBD, this question was specifically asked as well as questions concerning general activity and any pertinent information relative to the activities of LEE HARVEY OSWALD at the TSBD, especially his activities on 11/22/63. Where pertinent, FD 302 interview forms were submitted by agents containing any information felt of possible value in this regard. In certain instances where negative responses were received to inquiries, same were appropriately set forth in the report of SA GEMBERLING dated 11/30/63, and no FD 302 was dictated.

Further, as WILLIAM H. SHELLEY, warehouse foreman has advised that no payroll/record is maintained wherein an employee signs in or punches a clock, it would be impossible to determine which employees arrived at the TSBD contemporaneously with LEE HARVEY OSWALD on the morning of 11/22/63. 100-10 46

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For further clarification, it should be noted that when interviewed on 11/22/63, BUELL WESLEY FRAZIER advised that he and LEE HARVEY OSWALD came into the TSBD through the rear freight entrance, and it is noted that generally it is felt most of the female office employees would enter through the front entrance and not the rear entrance. However, all employees of the TSBD, including warehouse and clerical staff, have been interviewed as well as employees of the various publishing firms which are located in offices on the south side of the TSBD and where appropriate, FD 302s have been submitted, and where no information of value was obtained, same was set forth under negative interviews.