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TO SAC, NEW ORLEANS (100-16601)

FROM SAC, DALLAS (100-10461)

LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA, IS DASH R DASH CUBA. RE NEW ORLEANS TEL TO DALLAS, FIVE THIRTYFIVE PM, DEC. NINETEEN, SIXTYTHREE, RE POSSIBLE PURCHASE OF AMMUNITION BY OSWALD.

FOR THE INFO OF NEW ORLEANS, IN BUTEL TO CHICAGO AND DALLAS, DEC. THREE LAST, BUREAU INSTRUCTED AMONG OTHER THINGS THAT IT BE DETERMINED FROM GEORGE ZUCKER SALES CO., CHICAGO, IF THAT COMPANY HAD SOLD SIX POINT FIVE AMMO TO INDIVIDUALS, CHICAGO SHOULD REVIEW RECORDS RELATIVE TO ANY SALE OF THIS AMMO TO OSWALD BY NAME OR ALIAS<sup>s</sup>. FURTHER, IF ZUCKER SELLS ONLY TO DEALERS, CHICAGO SHOULD SET OUT APPROPRIATE LEADS TO HAVE LOGICAL DEALERS CONTACTED WHO MIGHT HAVE RESOLD AMMO TO SUBJECT.

THEREAFTER, HOUSTON WAS ASKED TO CONTACT SOUTHERN TRADING CO., HOUSTON, AND OBTAIN NAMES OF ALL RETAILERS BUYING SIX POINT FIVE AMMO ~~FROM THAT COMPANY~~ FROM THAT COMPANY AND SET OUT LEADS TO CONTACT THOSE STORES IN DALLAS, FT. WORTH, TEX. AS WELL AS NEW ORLEANS, LA. TO DETERMINE IF OSWALD UNDER THAT NAME OR ANY OF HIS ALIASES, PURCHASED SUCH AMMO.

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INQUIRY FOR THE PURCHASE OF AMMO BY OSWALD IS BEING  
CONFINED TO CITIES OF RESIDENCE OF OSWALD.

NEW ORLEANS IS REQUESTED TO MAKE INQUIRY AT KNOWN SOURCES  
OF SIX POINT FIVE MM MANNLICHER DASH CARCANO AMMO IN AN  
EFFORT TO DETERMINE SOURCE WHERE SUBJECT PURCHASED AMMO.  
IF SOURCE LOCATED, DETAILED INQUIRY SHOULD BE MADE TO  
DETERMINE WHEN AMMO PURCHASED BY SUBJECT AND QUANTITIES,  
AS WELL AS OTHER INFO PERTINENT.

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