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From Miss Patricia Ann Lawrence
(NAME OF CONTRIBUTOR)

Dallas, Texas
(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)
(CITY AND STATE)

By Raymond Sitzer
(NAME OF SPECIAL AGENT)

To Be Returned Yes
No

Description:
Signed statement of
Miss Patricia Ann
Lawrence dated 3/20/64

Dallas, Texas
March 20, 1964

I, Miss Patricia Ann Lawrence, freely furnish the following voluntary statement to Eugene F. Petrakis and A. Raymond Switzer, who have identified themselves to me as Special Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

I am a caucasian female born March 8, 1943 at McKinney, Texas and I reside at 302 North Kindomere, Dallas, Texas. I am a stenographer for the MacMillan Company in the Texas School Book Depository Building, 411 Elm Street, Dallas, Texas and was so employed when President John F. Kennedy was assassinated on November 22, 1963.

At approximately 11:30 A.M. on November 22, 1963 I left the Texas School Book Depository Building and went shopping at Sanger-Harris Department Store returning to the front of the building at approximately 12:15 P.M. to view the Presidential Motorcade.

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I took up a position along the parade route on Elm Street about seven feet West of Houston Street and viewed the motorcade in company with Lucy Whitaker, also an employee of the MacMillan Company in the Texas School Book Depository Building.

I recall that when the car in which the President was riding passed my position I was looking at Mrs. Kennedy who was looking to the other side of the car. President Kennedy was looking in my direction and I waved. A few seconds following this I heard a shot and following this shot two additional shots. I thought the shots had come from right over my head, but I looked up and did not see anyone shooting. Along with others in the crowd, I moved in the direction of the President's car but turned and returned inside the Texas School Book Depository Building.

I believe I may have seen Lee Harvey Oswald at sometime in the Texas School

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Book Depository Building, but I did not see him on November 22, 1963 nor did I see any strangers in the building on that day.

I left my office at about 2:00 P.M. on November 22, 1963, went downstairs and after being checked out by the police, I left the building at about 2:15 P.M.

I have read the above statement consisting of this page & two other pages. I have initialed each page and this statement is true to the best of my knowledge.

Patricia Ann Lawrence

Witnessed:

Raymond Entzer, Special Agent, F.B.I.

Dallas, Texas 3-20-64

Eugene J. Petrich, Special Agent, FBI, Dallas, Texas,
3/20/64