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Embassy Moscow

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[REDACTED] Lee Harvey Oswald. Is dispatch enroute? If not pouch correct and report date, pouch invoice and registration number.

For Embassy's Information Only: If Oswald insists on renouncing US citizenship Section 199 Revised Statutes precludes Embassy withholding right to do so regardless status his application pending Soviet Government and final action taken Petrulli case.

PR/FEA-130-Oswald, Lee Harvey

PFT:Waterman: bb [REDACTED]

PFT:John T. White

Clearances: EE:SOV:V. James in substance paraphrased by telephone.

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