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TITLE OF CASE LEE HARVEY OSWALD		REPORT MADE BY SA CALVIN W. EVANS	TYPED BY ebt
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SYNOPSIS:

REFERENCES

Reports of SA GERALD J. FLYNN dated 1/20/64 and 4/2/64.
 Report of SA DAVID J. REID dated 5/13/64 at El Paso.
 Denver airtel to Phoenix dated 4/21/64.

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ENCLOSURES

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TO LOS ANGELES OFFICE:

One Xerox copy each of an FD 302 dated 1/8/65 and
 1/30/64 reflecting results of interview of ROBERT
 J. KAYE.

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LOS ANGELES DIVISION

AT BEVERLY HILLS, CALIFORNIA

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Conduct investigation in an effort to identify RAOUL or RAUL (LNU) who worked as a waiter at the Beverly Hilton Hotel and with whom ROBERT J. KAYE reportedly stayed in Chihuahua, Mexico. Enclosed are copies of FD 302s dated 1/9/64 and 1/30/64. It is noted that considerable investigation has been conducted concerning KAYE's story which was originally furnished to U. S. Secret Service, 11/26/63. Investigation by El Paso has failed to identify GLORIA, MIGUEL, and RAOUL or RAUL mentioned in these FD 302s.

PHOENIX DIVISION

AT PHOENIX, ARIZONA

Will follow and report information received in this case.

ADMINISTRATIVE

The U. S. Immigration and Naturalization Service file on ROMAN "BOBBY" SOKOLOWSKI, aka, A-6-208-760, contains no additional information other than that reported in the report of SA RAYMOND J. FOX, Denver, Colorado, 12/27/63, except for the sworn statement of 4/2/64 set forth in this report.

Information copies being furnished El Paso, Las Vegas, and Denver Divisions in view of the fact that investigation was conducted by those offices and additional investigation may be requested in the future.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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Copy to:

Report of: SA CALVIN W. EVANS
Date: 6/10/64

Office: PHOENIX

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Bureau File No.: 105-82555

Title: LEE HARVEY OSWALD

Character: INTERNAL SECURITY - R

Synopsis:

ROBERT J. KAYE, when interviewed on 6/3/64, unable to furnish additional information regarding GLORIA (LNU), MIGUEL (LNU), RAUL or RAOUL (LNU). KAYE reiterated information previously furnished was factually correct; that he had worked in Denver, Colorado, from January, 1963, to October, 1963, and that he had arrived in El Paso, Texas, the end of October, 1963. He denied he had left Denver while working there except to go to Tulsa, Oklahoma, where he purchased 1961 Thunderbird. Sworn statement given by KAYE to USINS, Tucson, Arizona, on 4/2/64 set out.

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DETAILS:

On June 3, 1964, G. C. CHOATE, Officer in Charge, U. S. Immigration and Naturalization Service, Tucson, Arizona, made available to SA HENRY J. BOEGER their file on ROMAN "BOBBY" SOKOLOWSKI, aka Robert Klonowski, Robert Kay, Number A-6-208-760. No additional information was contained in the file except for the following sworn statement given by SOKOLOWSKI on 4/2/64 to the USINS.

"RECORD OF SWORN STATEMENT

"Office Tucson, Arizona File No.: A6 208 760

"Statement by: ROMAN 'BOBBY' SOKOLOWSKI, aka Robert Klonowski,
aka Robert Kay, aka, Richard S. Zamlynski

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"In the case of: Same

"At: Room 224, U. S. Post Office and Courthouse Date: April 2, 1964

"Before: WILLIAM H. PHILLIPS, Investigator
(Name and Title)

"In the English language.

"I am an Officer of the United States Immigration and Naturalization Service, and desire to question you under oath regarding an immigration matter.

"Any statement you make must be made voluntarily and of your own free will. Such statement may be used against you by the government as evidence in any criminal or civil proceedings. Do you understand?

A. Yes.

"Q. Are you willing to make such a statement under oath?

A. Yes.

Q. Do you swear that all the statements you are about to make will be the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth, so help you God?

A. I do.

Q. What is your true and correct name?

A. As far as I know, it is ROMAN SOLOLOWSKI.

Q. When and where were you born, and of what country are you a citizen?

A. December 24, 1934 at Lwow, Poland and I am a citizen of America.

Q. Your Alien Registration Form completed on January 17, 1946, states you were born in Kharkov, Russia on December 24, 1934. What do you say to this?

A. I don't know about this. I was too young.

Q. How did you become a citizen of the United States?

A. Because I have lived here so long.

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- Q. Did you ever become naturalized in the United States?
A. No.
- Q. What are the names of your parents and of what country are they citizens?
A. I don't know their names and I don't know their citizenship. I think they were Polish. They died in a prison camp in Muncher, Germany, during World War II.
- Q. Were either of your parents ever in the United States?
A. I don't think so.
- Q. To your knowledge, were your parents ever citizens of any country other than Poland?
A. I don't know.
- Q. When and where did you enter the United States as a legal immigrant?
A. At Portland, Maine, November 19, 1945, on the SS "James Swan", a United States ship.
- Q. Were you admitted at that time as a resident alien?
A. I was admitted as a refugee.
- Q. Have you ever been outside of the United States since that time?
A. Only to Mexico.
- Q. When and where did you go into Mexico?
A. Oh, about six months ago. I went to Mexico City through El Paso, Texas.
- Q. When and where did you return to the United States?
A. About one week later--about November 24, 1963 through El Paso, Texas.
- Q. Were you inspected and admitted by an Immigrant Inspector at that time?
A. No one asked me anything.
- Q. How did you enter?
A. On foot, across the International Bridge.

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Q. Did you present any papers showing alienage or citizenship?

A. They didn't ask me.

Q. At the time of your departure to Mexico through El Paso, Texas in November 1963, did you claim United States citizenship and secure a paper?

A. I showed them my driver's license and claimed United States citizenship.

Q. To whom did you make this claim?

A. I made this claim to the Mexican immigration authorities and they gave me a permit.

Q. Why did you claim you were a United States citizen?

A. I always thought I was.

Q. Where did you tell the Mexican authorities you were born when you got your permit to visit in Mexico?

A. I told them I was born in Chicago, Illinois.

Q. Why did you tell them that?

A. Because I wanted to get back in the United States.

Q. Have you claimed United States citizenship at any other time?

A. No.

Q. Do you have any immigration card showing alienage?

A. No, I never had one. No one ever gave me nothing.

Q. Have you ever voted in any election in the United States?

A. No, I was supposed to get a birth certificate.

Q. Why have you not voted?

A. Because they told me to get a birth certificate and I couldn't get one. I always wanted to.

Q. Do you have to be a United States citizen to vote in the United States?

A. Yes, I know that.

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- Q. When did you first begin believing you were an American citizen?
- A. When I first came to the United States at Portland, Maine in 1945. I had to get some papers to enter the United States and after I got these papers they said, "now you are an American". Since that time I have believed I was an American citizen.
- Q. Why did you go to Mexico in November 1963?
- A. I don't think I should tell you; it might hurt me if I did.
- Q. Did you contact anyone from Russia or any Communists when you went to Mexico in November 1963?
- A. No.
- Q. Did you contact any subversive or political organizations that desired the overthrow of this Government when you went to Mexico City, in 1963?
- A. No.
- Q. Have you ever belonged to any Communist organization?
- A. No.
- Q. What kind of government do you believe in?
- A. The American government.
- Q. If we went to war with Russia, would you fight for the United States or Russia?
- A. For the United States.
- Q. Have you ever been in the Armed Forces of the United States?
- A. Not legally.
- Q. In what way were you in the Armed Forces?
- A. As a mascot with the American Forces during World War II.
- Q. Have you registered for military service since your entry into the United States?
- A. Yes, sir; in Chicago when I was eighteen years old.

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Q. Do you have your draft card?

A. No, I lost it.

Q. Since you registered for the draft, have you advised the draft board of your address?

A. Yes, always.

Q. Have you ever been arrested by the police?

A. No.

Q. You registered as an alien on January 23, 1951, and gave your address as 4621 Grace Street, Chicago, Illinois. I now show you this Alien Address Report Card dated January 20, 1951 and signed by ROBERT KLOWNOWSKI and ask if you filled this card out?

A. Yes, I signed it.

Q. I ask you again, if you have been claiming United States citizenship, why did you fill out this Alien Card?

A. ED KLOWNOWSKI told me to.

Q. Who is ED KLOWNOWSKI?

A. He is the one who signed the papers for me to come to this country.

Q. You have been through high school in the United States and you know that citizens do not fill out these cards, do you not?

A. I really don't know.

Q. Didn't you know that aliens were the only ones who filled this card out?

A. No.

Q. Did you ever question the fact why you filled this card out?

A. Yes, I did. I questioned ED KLOWNOWSKI in 1951 when I filled the card out, and he told me, "so I would not get in trouble."

Q. Did he tell you you were an alien at that time?

A. Nope.

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Q. Are you married or single?

A. Married.

Q. To whom?

A. ALICE HARDT.

Q. Are you living together at the present time?

A. No.

Q. Of what country is your wife a citizen?

A. American citizen, born in Chicago, Illinois.

Q. Do you have any children by this marriage?

A. Four, all born in the United States.

Q. Have you remarried?

A. No.

Q. Are you divorced?

A. No.

Q. Do you support your four children?

A. Yes.

Q. How much do you give them?

A. Twenty dollars a week and it is returned to me each time. It is a personal affair between me and my wife; I don't think it is anyone else's business.

Q. Are you living as man and wife with anyone at the present time?

A. No.

Q. Does a woman live at the present time at 2116 E. 17th Street, Tucson where you are living?

A. Yes.

Q. With whom are you living?

A. GUADALUPE CONTRERAS. She is a United States citizen.

Q. Is she single?

A. Yes.

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- Q. Have you registered as an alien since your
fourteenth birthday?
- A. No.
- Q. Do you have anything further you wish to say at
this time?
- A. No.
- Q. Will you sign the stenographer's notebook to in-
dicate your presence here today?
- A. Yes. (Signes notebook).

"I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and
correct transcript of the record of examination in this
case as taken by me in shorthand.

"/s/ Mary E. Wilkinson
Mary E. Wilkinson, Secretary

"I have read (or have had read to me) the fore-
going statement, consisting of 5 pages. I state that the
answers made therein by me are true and correct to the
best of my knowledge and belief and that this statement
is a full, true, and correct record of my interroga-
tion on the date indicated by the above-named officer
of the Immigration and Naturalization Service. I have
initialed each page of this statement (and the correction(s)
noted on page(s) _____).

"Signature Robert Kaye
Roman Sokolowski aka Robert Kay

"Subscribed and sworn to before me at Tucson, Arizona

on April 7, 1964

"/s/ William H. Phillips
William H. Phillips, Investigator
Officer, United States Immigration
and Naturalization Service"

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Date 6/9/64

ROBERT J. KAYE was interviewed at the Tucson Resident Agency. He was advised that he did not have to make a statement, that he could consult an attorney prior to making any statement and that any statement he did make could be used against him in a court of law.

KAYE stated that it was impossible for him to furnish any additional information relative to the identity of GLORIA (LNU), an exotic dancer he met at a small club in Juarez, Mexico or MIGUEL (LNU), the individual who accompanied him from Juarez to Mexico City. In addition, KAYE stated that it was impossible for him to furnish any additional information relative to RAOUL (LNU) or RAYL (LNU), the individual he stayed with for several days in Chihuahua, Mexico.

KAYE stated that he had carefully reviewed the information he had previously furnished to the FBI and that he was certain he arrived in El Paso, Texas, the end of October, 1963. KAYE insisted that he had worked for the Colorado Vending Company and for GLENN A. JENKINS during the period January or February, 1963 to the end of October, 1963, and that during that period he had resided at 95 S. Ogden, Denver, Colorado. KAYE stated that he was positive that he arrived in El Paso the end of October, 1963. KAYE stated that during the period January, 1963, to October, 1963, he had not made any trips whatsoever outside of Denver.

KAYE was queried relative to his mode of transportation to El Paso and he stated that he was driving a 1961 Thunderbird, which he had purchased in Denver for \$2,700.00. Upon questioning as to where the 1961 Thunderbird was purchased in Denver, KAYE stated that actually he had made one trip outside of Denver during the period January, 1963, to October, 1963, that being a trip to Tulsa, Oklahoma, where he purchased the 1961 Thunderbird. KAYE stated at that time he owned a 1956 Ford station wagon and he drove that car to Tulsa, and traded it in for the 1961 Thunderbird. KAYE stated that he received a credit of approximately \$900.00 for his vehicle and that he borrowed \$700.00 from another party in Tulsa to complete the down payment on the purchase of the vehicle, the total price of the vehicle being \$2,700.00. KAYE refused to identify the party who loaned him the \$700.00 but added that

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by SA HENRY J. BOEGER/eht Date dictated 6/3/64

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he had repaid the money shortly after he returned to Denver. KAYE stated, however, that he had never received any additional funds from this source and had never entered into any business relationship with this individual.

KAYE stated that the information previously furnished to the FBI was as factually correct as possible and that he could only reaffirm his previous statements to the effect that he had left Denver during the latter part of October, 1963.

KAYE is presently residing at 2814 S. 5th, Tucson, Arizona, telephone 623-5009 and is still employed by Falcon Automatic, Inc., 727 S. Campbell, Tucson, Arizona.