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Re: LEE HARVEY OSWALD

Date: 10/78
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			Actual	Released	
181	8/22/63	BURRY EXHIBIT Inventory	1	1	
182	8/24/63	" " "	1	1	
1	7/29/61	DL MEMO TO NO	2	0	PREVIOUSLY PROCESSED IN DL FILE
2	7/27/61	NO LETTER TO DL	3	0	" " " " " "
3	7/29/61	DL MEMO TO NO	2	0	" " " " " "
4		THIS NUMBER WAS SKIPPED DURING SERIALIZATION	1	1	
5	7/5/63	NY MEMO TO NO	1	1	b7D b2
6	7/17/63	NO LETTER TO DL	1	0	PREVIOUSLY PROCESSED IN DL FILE
7	11/23/61	CHARGE-OUT SHEET	1	1	
8	7/17/63	NY MEMO TO NO	1	1	b7D b2
9	7/29/63	DL MEMO TO NO	1	0	PREVIOUSLY PROCESSED IN DL FILE
10	5/9/63	ASSET MEMO TO SHC, NO	2	2	b7D

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11	8/13/63	NEWS ARTICLE	1	0	PREVIOUSLY PROCESSED IN HQ FILE
12	8/13/63	NO LETTER TO DIR	1	0	" " " " DL "
13	8/15/63	FO-302 LEE HARRY OSWALD	5	0	" " " " HQ "
14	8/21/63	SAC memo TO FILE	2	2	
15	8/21/63	DIR memo TO HQ	2	0	PREVIOUSLY PROCESSED IN HQ FILE
16	8/23/63	DL AIRTEL TO DIR & NO	2	0	" " " " " "
17	8/23/63	NO LETTER TO DIR	1	0	" " " " " "
18	8/27/63	REPORT MEMO TO SAC	1	1	
19	8/5/63	IDENTIFICATION RECORD	3	3	
20	8/27/63	IDENT. RECORD REQUEST	1	1	
21	7/10/62	DL REPORT	19	0	PREVIOUSLY PROCESSED IN HQ FILE
22	8/30/62	DL REPORT	10	0	" " " " " "

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23	7/9/61	DL REPORT	13	0	PREVIOUSLY PROCESSED IN HQ FILE
24	7/10/63	DL MEMO TO DIR	1	0	" " " " " "
25	9/10/63	DL REPORT	6	0	" " " " " "
26	9/12/63	NO AFR TO DIR	1	0	" " " " " "
27	UNDATED	APPENDIX ON PROPOSED EMERGENCY CIVIL LIBERTIES COMMITTEE	2	2	
28	9/10/63	NY AFR TO NO	1	1	
29	9/24/63	NO AFR	7	0	PREVIOUSLY PROCESSED IN HQ FILE
30	9/24/63	NO AFR TO DIR	1	0	" " " " " "
31	9/24/63	DIR LETTER TO DL	1	0	" " " " " "
32	10/2/63	NO AFR TO DL	2	0	" " " " " " DL "
33	10/10/63	AGENT CHARLEGRAM TO DIR	1	0	" " " " " " HQ "
34	10/22/63	DIR CHARLEGRAM TO AGENT	1	0	" " " " " " "

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35	10/24/63	DL A/T TO DIR & LR	2	0	PREVIOUSLY PROCESSED IN HQ FILE
36	10/24/63	NO A/T TO DIR	1	0	" " " " " "
37	10/24/63	NO A/T TO DIR & DL	1	0	" " " " " "
38	10/24/63	NO REPORT	20	0	" " " " " "
39	10/30/63	DL A/T TO DIR	2	0	" " " " " "
40	11/6/63	LR A/T TO DIR	2	0	" " " " " "
41	11/4/63	DL A/T TO DIR, NO A/LR	1	0	" " " " " "
42	11/19/63	NO MEMOR TO DIR	1	0	" " " " " "
43	11/24/63	WFO A/T TO DIR	2	0	" " " " " "
43A	11/24/63	NO LETTER TO DIR	1	0	" " " " " "
44	11/28/63	DL TEL TO DIR & NO	2	0	" " " " " "
45	UNSORTED	NO TEL TO DIR & DL	1	0	" " " " " "

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46	11/30/63	LS TEL TO DIR, DL + NO	2	0	PREVIOUSLY PROCESSED IN HQ FILE
47	11/30/63	DIR TEL TO SAC SACS	1	0	" " " " " "
48	UNDATED	NO TEL TO DIR, DL + LS	1	0	" " " " " "
49	12/1/63	DIR TEL TO SAC SACS	1	0	" " " " " "
50	12/1/63	DIR TEL TO DL + NO	1	0	" " " " " "
51	11/30/63	KR REPORT	3	0	" " " " " "
52	12/2/63	SAC LETTER TO BUREAU OF VITAL RECORDS	1	1	
53	12/1/63	SV REPORT	7	0	PREVIOUSLY PROCESSED IN HQ FILE
54	12/2/63	DL MEMO TO DIR	1	0	" " " " " "
55	12/2/63	DL TEL TO DIR + LS	1	0	" " " " " "
55A	12/7/63	AGENT MEMO TO SAC, NO	1	1	
55B	12/4/63	DL TEL TO DIR + NO	1	0	PREVIOUSLY PROCESSED IN HQ FILE

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56	12/7/63	DIR TEL TO NO 458	2	0	PREVIOUSLY PROCESSED IN HQ FILE
57	12/2/63	LS REPORT	22	0	" " " " " "
58	12/3/63	SA a/r TO DIR	14	0	" " " " " "
58A	12/6/63	AGENT MEMO TO SAC, NO	1	1	b7D
59	12/6/63	SA TEL TO DIR, DL, SL, HD & NO	4	0	PREVIOUSLY PROCESSED IN HQ FILE
60	12/6/63	SA TEL TO DIR, DL, NO & NO	3	0	" " " " " "
61	12/4/63	DL a/r TO DIR	1	0	" " " " " "
62	12/6/63	NO TEL TO DIR, DL & MS	2	0	" " " " " "
63	12/6/63	ME TEL TO DIR, DL & NO	3	0	" " " " " "
64	11/6/63	NO TEL TO DL & NY	1	0	" " " " " DL "
65	12/6/63	NO TEL TO SL & DL	1	0	" " " " " "
66	12/6/63	NO a/r TO DIR	1	0	" " " " " HQ "

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67	12/7/63	DIR TEL TO NO	1	0	PREVIOUSLY PROCESSED IN HQ FILE
68	12/7/63	NO TEL TO DIR, DL & SR	4	0	
69	12/7/63	NO TEL TO DIR, DL & SR	1	0	
70	12/7/63	NO TEL TO DIR	1	0	
71	12/6/63	JK TEL TO DL & NO	2	0	" " " " DL "
72	12/7/63	NO TEL TO DL & JK	2	0	" " " " "
73	12/7/63	NO AIR TO DIR	1	0	" " " " HQ "
74	12/6/63	NY TEL TO DIR & DL	2	0	" " " " "
75	12/6/63	NY AIR TO DIR	1	0	" " " " "
76	12/6/63	FBI LAB REPORT TO DL	2	0	" " " " "

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Date August 22, 1963

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File # 105-82555 Field Division New Orleans

Title and Character of Case
LEE HARVEY OSWALD
IS-R - CUBA

Date Property Acquired 8/22/63 Source From Which Property Acquired
Mrs JEANNE RODGERS, Secty to Manager Radio Station
WDSU

Location of Property or Bulky Exhibit Reason for Retention of Property and Efforts Made to Dispose of Same
Evidence

Description of Property or Exhibit and Identity of Agent Submitting Same
Record of Radio Program "CONVERSATION CARTE BLANCHE" broadcast 8/21/63
at 6:05PM

Submitted by S. M. R. Kaack

*Sent to Bureau
8/31/63
[Signature]*

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Field Division

New Orleans

Title and Character of Case

LEE HARVEY OSWALD
IS-R - CUBA

Date Property Acquired

8/26/63

Source From Which Property Acquired

EDWARD SCANNELL BUTLER, Staff Director
The Information Council of the Americas, 620 Gravier St
N.O.La.

Location of Property or Bulky Exhibit

Reason for Retention of Property and Efforts Made to Dispose of Same

Transcription

Description of Property or Exhibit and Identity of Agent Submitting Same

1 roll magnetic tape recording an interview of OSWALD by Bill Stuckey
of the Ross Agency, 525 Gravier St, N.O.La. on 8/17/63

Submitted by SA M.R. KAACK

*Returned to Ed. S. Butler
8/30/63 mpr*

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Lee M. Nelson

Employee
RICHARD
Date

To From

Date
Case Number

Date Closed

Employee

Location

NY-113

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT
MEMORANDUM

TO : SAC, NEW ORLEANS

DATE: 7/5/63

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK

SUBJECT: LEE H. OSWALD
P.O. Box 30061
New Orleans, La.

*See New Orleans Bureau 100-16601**

Jim 7/10

On 6/26/63, [redacted] a source who has furnished reliable information in the past, made available photographs of material located at CP National Headquarters, 23 West 26th Street, New York City. Included in this material, a copy of which is attached hereto, was:

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Letter dated 6/10/63, from subject to "The Worker."

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(X) Forwarded for your information and appropriate action.

(X) No copy of this memorandum is being retained other than the copy directed as above.

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[Signature]*

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO : SAC, NEW ORLEANS
 FROM : SAC, NEW YORK
 SUBJECT: LEE H. OSWALD
 PO Box 30061
 New Orleans, La.
 SM-C

DATE: 7/17/63

Handwritten initials and scribbles

[Redacted] who has furnished reliable information in the past, made available to the New York Office information concerning the above captioned subject, obtained from the building located at 23 West 26th Street, New York City. Since 4/15/57, this building has been occupied by the New York State and National Offices of the Communist Party, USA. The CPUSA has been designated pursuant to Executive Order 10450. Since June, 1958, space in this building has been occupied by Publishers New Press, Inc., publisher of "The Worker," East Coast Communist newspaper.

b2 b7D

Strict care must be exercised so that the existence of this important source of information will not become known to any outside agency. It is also to be noted that because of the nature of this source of information it will be impossible to recontact the source regarding information furnished.

Information received on 7/8/63

by SA EVERETT K. DEANE & SE FRANCIS W. MILLER

The following disposition is being made of the original exhibit:

() Place in NY file # _____ Serial _____
 Exhibit _____

(* Forwarded for your information and appropriate action.

(* No copy of the exhibit or this letter is being retained by the NYO.

Description of exhibit: See attached change of address card for captioned individual.

Att: (1) *md*
 RM
 KD: job

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Handwritten notes:
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, NEW ORLEANS (100-16601)

DATE: 8/9/63

FROM : SA Stephen M. Callender

SUBJECT: LEE H. OSWALD
SM-C

This is to advise that on this date [REDACTED] who requested that her identity be kept confidential appeared at the office and furnished the following information. She informed that at about 1:15 PM she was walking on Canal St. and she observed an unknown individual handing out leaflets. One of these leaflets were white in color and yellow in color and consisted of one page each. She said that she did not obtain a leaflet but read the contents on a yellow leaflet in the hand of the unknown person. She said that it contained large printing "Hands off Cuba, Viva Castro." She said that she reported this to an unknown policeman and that she did not observe any other persons around who appeared to be also distributing leaflets. This person was handing out leaflets on Canal Street between Baronne and Carondelet on the same side of the street as Godchaux's. She described this person as a white male, age 25 to 30, 5'10", 140 pounds, very thin build, light complexion, sandy hair, wearing either an off white or light grey shirt and medium colored trousers. She could provide no further description. b7D

At 4:20 PM Lt. William Gaillot, First District NOPD advised that the following persons had been arrested on Canal St. for Disturbing the Peace.

1. LEE H. OSWALD, white, male, age 23, born 10/18/39, New Orleans, residence 4709 Magazine, New Orleans, lower center apt. OSWALD informed arresting officer that he is a member of the New Orleans chapter of the Fair Play For Cuba Committee with headquarters at 799 Broadway, New York City. Lt. GAILLOT informed that OSWALD was handing out yellow leaflets with inscription "Hands Off Cuba, Viva Castro."

2. CARLOS JOSE BRINGUIER, white male age 29, 501 Adele St. Apt. F New Orleans who informed he is the Director of the Cuban Student Directorate for the New Orleans area. He informed he immigrated to this country on 2/8/61 INS # A12546223 and has a clothing shop at 107 Decatur St.

3. CELFO MACARIO HERNANDEZ, white, male age 47, 519 Adele St. Apt. E. He advised he is a member of the same group as Bringuiier.

4. Miguel Mariano Cruz, white male age, 18, 2526 Mazant, Apt. C who advised he is also a member of the Cuban Student Directorate.

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1-100-16739 (Carlos Jose Bringuiier)

1-97-74 (Fair Play For Cuba Committee)

SMC: [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

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According to Lt. GAILLOTT all four individuals were arrested for Disturbing the Peace when OSWALD became involved in an argument with BRINGUIER, HERNANDEZ and CRUZ and that a crowd developed. Exxx Lt. Gaillott informed that he had no further information at this time. //

*Indicis contained no information
identifiable with Hernandez or Cruz.*

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : FILE (100-16601)

DATE: 8/21/63

FROM : SAC

SUBJECT: LEE HARVEY OSWALD
IS - R

On 8/21/63 at approximately 10:00 a.m., BILL STUCKEY, who was formerly with one of the New Orleans newspapers, telephonically advised he is no longer with the newspaper but is now connected with the Ross Agency, which is an advertising concern, telephone 529-2274, and also has a Latin American program on WDSU radio.

He advised that within the recent past he had interviewed LEE HARVEY OSWALD and has a 32 minute tape of his interview with OSWALD. He said this interview took place on the night of 8/20/63 and was in connection with OSWALD's claim that he is an officer in the local Fair Play for Cuba Committee. STUCKEY stated that as the FBI was probably aware, OSWALD was recently arrested by the NOPD.

STUCKEY stated his call was for the purpose of determining if the Fair Play for Cuba Committee had been cited as a subversive organization.

I advised STUCKEY I could not furnish him an answer to this question and suggested he contact the Internal Security Section of the U. S. Department of Justice.

STUCKEY stated he appreciated this information and that he would probably call.

Prior to terminating the conversation, STUCKEY mentioned at 6:05 p.m., 8/21/63, OSWALD will appear on a radio program over WDSU which will last for approximately 30 minutes and that this program will be a debate type program. STUCKEY stated he tentatively has Mr. BUTLER of the ~~South American Alliance~~ lined up to talk with OSWALD.

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STUCKEY said this is the carte blanche program and thought that possibly I might like to hear this program.

STUCKEY also volunteered that if the FBI is interested in listening to the 32 minute tape mentioned above, that STUCKEY would make same available.

The above information was telephonically furnished SA KAACK to whom captioned case is assigned.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC (100-16601)

DATE: 8/27/63

FROM : SA JOHN L. QUIGLEY

SUBJECT: LEE HARVEY OSWALD
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On 8/10/63 Lt. FRANCIS MARTELLO, Platoon Commander, First District, New Orleans PD, advised that captioned individual had been picked up on 8/9/63 and charged with disturbing the peace. He said that OSWALD had been distributing literature for the "Fair Play for Cuba Committee" in the 700 block of Canal St. He said that OSWALD was desirous of seeing an Agent and supplying to him information with regard to his activities with the "Fair Play for Cuba Committee" in New Orleans.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF
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J. Edgar Hoover
Director

The following FBI record, NUMBER **327 925 D**, is furnished FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY.

CONTRIBUTOR OF FINGERPRINTS	NAME AND NUMBER	ARRESTED OR RECEIVED	CHARGE	DISPOSITION
Marine	Lee Harvey Oswald #1653230	10-24-56		
PD New Orleans La	Lee Harvey Oswald #112-723	8-9-63	828 MCS 42-22 dist the peace by creatin a scene	<i>8/12/63. Plat this factual #10 on rd elect to pay fine.</i>

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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J. Edgar Hoover
Director

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CONTRIBUTOR OF FINGERPRINTS	NAME AND NUMBER	ARRESTED OR RECEIVED	GRADE	DISPOSITION
	FLASH BY BUREAU: Lee Harvey Oswald (maybe ident) Any information or inquiry received notify Espionage Section, Div. 5, Bu. (Ref. memo dated 11-4-59 captioned Lee Harvey Oswald IS-R).			
THIS PAGE SHOULD NOT BE DISSEMINATED OUTSIDE FBI				

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4. Furnish descriptive data and fingerprints classification only when FBI Number not available.
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6. Do not fill in block in lower-right corner.
7. Where available furnish Law Enforcement Identification Number and Military Service Number.

To: DIRECTOR, FBI

Attention: Identification Division

Date

8-27-63

Re

LEE HARVEY OSWALD; ^{BURFILE 105-82555} 15-R-CUBA

Furnish The Known Identification Record of the Following:

Name
LEE HARVEY OSWALD

FBI No. **327-925-D**
Other No. **MOAD # 112-723**

Aliases

Sex M	Race W	Birth Date 10/18/39	Birthplace NEW ORLEANS, LA	Residence NEW ORLEANS
Height 5'9"	Weight 140 #	Build SLENDER	Hair BROWN	Eyes BLUE
Complexion RUDDY			Age 23	

Fingerprint Classification

Scars, marks and tattoos

Also Furnish:

- Photo
- Fingerprints
- Handwriting Specimens

Return Reply to:

SAC, NEW ORLEANS (100-1660)

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Identification Division's Reply

On basis of information furnished, unable to identify:

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Record Attached **PLN**
 Photo Attached **100-16601-20**

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Fingerprints Attached

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APPENDIX

EMERGENCY CIVIL LIBERTIES COMMITTEE

The "Guide to Subversive Organizations and Publications," revised and published as of December 1, 1961, prepared and released by the Committee on Un-American Activities, United States House of Representatives, Washington, D.C., contains the following concerning the Emergency Civil Liberties Committee:

"Emergency Civil Liberties Committee

"1. 'The Emergency Civil Liberties Committee is an organization with headquarters in New York, whose avowed purpose is to abolish the House Committee on Un-American Activities and discredit the FBI. * * * The committee finds that the Emergency Civil Liberties Committee, established in 1951, although representing itself as a non-Communist group, actually operates as a front for the Communist Party. It has repeatedly assisted, by means of funds and legal aid, Communists involved in Smith Act violations and similar legal proceedings. One of its chief activities has been and still is the dissemination of voluminous Communist propaganda material.'

'FRANK WILKINSON was called as a witness when he appeared in Atlanta as a representative of the Emergency Civil Liberties Committee to propagandize against the Committee on Un-American Activities and to protest its hearings. In 1956 WILKINSON was identified as a Communist Party member by a former FBI undercover agent within the party. Summoned at that time to answer the allegation, his reply to all questions was, "I am answering no questions of this committee." This also became his stock reply to questions when he appeared during the Atlanta hearings. * * * WILKINSON has since been convicted of contempt of Congress and sentenced to one year in jail.'

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APPENDIX

EMERGENCY CIVIL LIBERTIES COMMITTEE (CONT'D)

'Disputing the non-Communist claim of the organization, the committee finds that a number of other individuals connected with the ECLC also have been identified under oath as Communists.

* * *

(Committee on Un-American Activities, Annual Report for 1958, House Report 187, March 9, 1959, pp. 34 and 35.)

'To defend the cases of Communist law-breakers, fronts have been devised making special appeals in behalf of civil liberties and reaching out far beyond the confines of the Communist Party itself. Among these organizations are the * * * Emergency Civil Liberties Committee. When the Communist Party itself is under fire these fronts offer a bulwark of protection.'

(Internal Security Subcommittee of the Senate Judiciary Committee, Handbook for Americans, S. Doc. 117, April 23, 1956, p. 91.)"

FBI

Date: 9/18/63

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plain text or code)

Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority or Method of Mailing)

TO : SAC, NEW ORLEANS (100-16601)

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (105-38431)

SUBJECT: LEE HARVEY OSWALD
IS - R - CUBA

Re New Orleans airtel to NY dated 9/12/63, requesting
characterization of CORLISS LAMONT.

Characterization of CORLISS LAMONT

On September 28, 1953, LOUIS F. BUDENZ testified
before the United States Senate Permanent Investigations
Subcommittee that EARL BROWDER, as head of the Communist Party
(CP) in the United States, had referred to CORLISS LAMONT as
one of the "four prides" of the CP because CORLISS LAMONT was
ready to cooperate with any Communist front or any Communist
cause. BROWDER made this reference at a National Committee
meeting of the CP in the early 1940s. BUDENZ also recalled
that LAMONT was a member of the CP when he, BUDENZ, was a
member.

"Rights", self-identified as a publication of the
Emergency Civil Liberties Committee (ECLC) April - May, 1962
issue, reveals CORLISS LAMONT is Vice-Chairman of the ECLC,

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T-7013 Federal Building
701 Loyola Avenue
New Orleans, Louisiana
December 2, 1963

Mrs. Naomi Drake
Bureau of Vital Records
City Hall
New Orleans, Louisiana

Dear Mrs. Drake:

It is requested that this office be furnished a certified copy of birth certificate of Lee Harvey Oswald, white male, born October 18, 1939 at New Orleans, Louisiana. Name of the father is Robert E. Lee Oswald and mother is Marguerite Claverie.

Very truly yours,

E. G. MAYNOR
Special Agent in Charge

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, NEW ORLEANS (89-69)

DATE: 12/5/63

FROM : SA MERRIMAN D. DIVEN

SUBJECT: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT
JOHN F. KENNEDY
AFO

Mr. ROY LEONARD, Manager, Montgomery and Co.,
430 Chartres St., New Orleans, advised that he has his
car serviced at Will and Son Service Center, 4888
Tchoupitoulas St., New Orleans phone #TW 9-5921.

He stated that the operator of that Esso-Humble
Oil Service Station advised him that LEE HARVEY OSWALD has
an outstanding bill in the amount of \$9.00. He said that it
was his understanding that the debt was incurred for the
purchase of gasoline for his station wagon.

LEAD:

The operator of Will & Son Service Center, 4888
Tchoupitoulas, should be thoroughly interviewed to determine
the circumstances concerning the alleged debt. It should
be determined whether OSWALD had in fact driven the automobile;
any associates with him and all information relative to the
description of the vehicle should be obtained.

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On 12/5/63, [REDACTED] b7D
America-Fore Loyalty Group, 2515 Canal Street, New Orleans,
was contacted concerning another matter.

It was determined through conversation with [REDACTED] b7D
[REDACTED] that insurance companies have an index of all
personal injury claims. This area is serviced by the
Southwest Bureau of the Index System, 2204 Tower Petroleum
Building, Dallas, Texas. However, a complete search of the
entire country can be made through the Index System,
Administration Office, Room 1101, 60 John Street, New York,
New York.

It is recommended that a lead be set out to
determine if LEE HARVEY OSWALD had entered any claims
against insurance companies and as a result received
substantial sums of money with which he may have supported
himself while unemployed.

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