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"Dallas, Texas
March 18, 1964

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"At the time President Kennedy was shot I was standing on the front steps of the Texas School Book Depository Building. I was with William H. Shelley, 126 South Tatum, Dallas, and Billy Lovelady, 7722 Hume Drive, Dallas, when the President was shot.

"I did not see Lee Harvey Oswald at the time President Kennedy was shot.

"On the morning of November 22, 1963, I did not see any person in the Texas School Depository Building that was a stranger to me.

"I left the Texas School Book Depository Building sometime between 1:00 PM and 2:00 PM on November 22, 1963, and went directly home.

"I have read the above statement consisting of one and one-third pages and it is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

"/s/Buell Wesley Frazier

"Witnesses: /s/E. J. Robertson, Special Agent, FBI, Dallas, Texas, 3/18/64.

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"I, William H. Shelley, make the following voluntary statement to Alfred D. Neeley who has identified himself to me as a Special Agent of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

"I am of the Caucasian race, thirty-seven years of age and reside at 126 South Tatum St., Dallas 11, Texas.

"On November 22, 1963, I left my office in the Texas School Book Depository and walked just outside the front entrance of the building to watch the Presidential Motorcade pass. This was about 12:15 PM. I recall that as the Presidential Motorcade passed I was standing just outside the glass doors of the entrance. At the time President John F. Kennedy was shot I was standing at this same place. Billy N. Lovelady who works under my supervision for the Texas School Book Depository was seated on the entrance steps just in front of me. I recall that Wesley Frazier, Mrs. Sarah Stanton and Mrs. Carolyn Arnold, all employees of the Texas School Book Depository, were also standing in this entrance way near me at the time Pres. Kennedy was shot. I did not see Lee Harvey Oswald at the time Pres. Kennedy was shot.

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"I did not observe any strangers in the building at any time during the morning of November 22, 1963.

"Immediately following the shooting, Billy N. Lovelady and I accompanied some uniformed police officers to the railroad yards just west of the building and returned through the west side door of the building about ten minutes later. I remained in the building until about 1:30 PM when I was asked to go to the Dallas Police Dept. to furnish an affidavit. I returned to the Texas School Book Depository Building about 5 PM. I did not leave the building until about 7 PM that day.

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"Lee Harvey Oswald worked under my supervision. He was at work when I arrived for work on November 22, 1963 at about 8 AM. I specifically recall seeing Oswald on the first floor about 11:50 AM this day. He was going about his regular duties filling orders at that time. I did not see Oswald again after this until I saw him at the Dallas Police Dept.

"I have read this statement consisting of this and two other pages and it is true.

"/s/William H. Shelley

"Witness: /s/E. J. Robertson, Special Agent, FBI, Dallas, Tex.

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"/s/Alfred D. Neeley, Special Agent, FBI, Dallas, Tex.

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"I, Billy Nolan Lovelady, freely furnish the following 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 male and reside at 7722 Hume Drive, apartment C, Dallas, Texas. I was born on February 19, 1937, in Myrtle Springs, Texas.

"At approximately 12:15 PM, November 22, 1963, I walked out the front entrance to the Texas School Book Depository where I am employed as a stock clerk on the first floor. I have been so employed since December 16, 1961. I walked out in front of the building to await the Presidential Motorcade which I knew was due to pass the Depository building about 12:30 PM.

"At the time the Presidential Motorcade passed the Depository building heading west of Elm Street, I was standing on the top step to the far right against the wall of the entranceway to the Texas School Book Depository building. At this time I recall that William H. Shelley, who resides at 128 South Tatum, Dallas, and Mrs. Sarah Stanton, also of Dallas, Texas, both of whom are likewise employed by the Texas School Book Depository, were standing next to me.

"I recall that following the passing of the Presidential Motorcade, as the car in which the President was riding traveled down the Elm street extension, I heard several loud reports which I first thought to be firecrackers and which appeared to me to be in the direction of Elm Street viaduct just ahead of the Motorcade. I did not at any time believe the shots had come from the Texas School Book Depository building. I am acquainted with Lee Harvey Oswald as a fellow employee only and I recall that on the morning of November 22, 1963, I was on the sixth floor of the Texas School Book Depository putting down a new wooden floor when Oswald came over to me and asked where a certain book was stored. I don't recall name of book but told him that book was out of stock. That is the last time I saw Oswald prior to the assassination of President John F. Kennedy.

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"I recall that following the shooting, I ran toward the spot where President Kennedy's car had stopped. William Shelley and myself stayed in that area for approximately five minutes when we then re-entered the Depository building by the side door located on the west side of the building. After several minutes we were asked to stay in the building by a police officer and at approximately 1:45 PM, I and several other employees accompanied a police officer to City Hall for questioning. I returned to the building briefly at 4:30 PM to pick up my coat following the interview at City Hall and immediately departed and went home.

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"I have read this and the preceding three pages, initialed each page and each correction and found it true and correct, to the best of my knowledge.

/s/ Billy Nolan Lovelady

Witnessed:

/s/ Eugene F. Petrakis, Spec. Agt., FBI, Dallas, Texas, 3/19/64.
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