

TO : FILE (100-10461)

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FROM : SAC SHANKLIN

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File up
Fort-Oswald
on S.I.

SUBJECT: LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka
IS-R-CUBA

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HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
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At 3:30 PM today Assistant Director JAMES H. GALE telephonically requested that the following information be obtained and furnished to the Bureau.

(1) Why didn't Dallas recommend OSWALD be placed on the Security Index? Explanations to be obtained from all Agents who have had this assigned.

(2) Why didn't Dallas interview the wife prior to the assassination?

(3) Why didn't Dallas conduct additional investigation concerning OSWALD after he returned from the USSR? Why did the only investigation conducted at that time consist of interviewing OSWALD, interviews with Govt. officials, three of his relatives, and two CP informants?

(4) During the course of investigation by SAS JOHN W. FAIN & B. TOM CARTER, why did Dallas not ask OSWALD why he was contacted by MVD? The report indicates that he was asked whether or not he has an espionage assignment and he said "No". He was asked whether or not he had furnished RUSSIA information, and he said "No." He said he had been contacted by the MVD, but he never said why. Why was it Dallas never questioned him as to whether he furnished a signed statement with Dept. of State, indicating that he affirmed his allegiance to the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics?

(5) Why was he not questioned re above? Explanations to be furnished as to why not.

✓ (6) Why was no report submitted by Dallas from 3/25/63 until 8/23/63 concerning a lead to determine OSWALD's employment? Why the delay?

6 (7) There has been no report concerning the lead on 3/25/63 to consider interviewing Mrs. OSWALD. Explain why not.

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