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Surveillance of Mark Lane/Marquerite Oswald

1. Hoover to Rankin 2/26/'64 re: Rankin request that FBI monitor all meetings and talks by Mark Lane ✓

Marina Oswald and James Martin Affair ✓

2. Hoover memo 2/24/'64

3. Hoover to Rankin 2/20/'64 a 6-page memo on above and see attached a second 6-page memo.

4. Hoover memo & attachments on Marina Oswald 2/18/'64

5. Hoover to Rankin 2/21/'64 re: Martin/Marina affair

6. Hoover to Rankin 2/27/'64 re: Marina/Martin affair

7. Branigan to Sullivan 2/19/'64 re: Marina/Martin affair

8. Branigan to Sullivan 2/20/'64 re: Marina/Martin affair

The Rectification of Henry Wade Incident

9. Sullivan to Belmont 3/3/'64 re: Wade and record of vouchers. This memo was unsettling in this regard because it notes that during the emergency of WW II that it was possible that some SIS officers paid informers without always seeking FBIHQ approval. Hoover note: "This certainly was a 'gap.'" ✓

10. Brennan to Sullivan 2/20/'64 re: FBI has accumulated Wade's vouchers and receipts during his Equador operations. They seemed satisfied that his will convince the WC. (But see above.)

11. Sullivan to Belmont 2/4/'64 re: Wade issue again

12. Moore to Sullivan 2/8/'64 re: Wade was interviewed by FBI and shown his expense accounts while in SIS, etc. Wade now clear that he did get receipts, etc. He will call Rankin and "clarify the fact(s)" in the case. (Still not absolutely determined. See doc. 9. Although this was inside the FBI.) FBI got Wade to satisfy the WC.

13. Hoover to Rankin 2/10/'64 re: Wade confusion again ✓

Marina Testimony Discussed

Hoover to Rankin 2/19/'64 re: 5-page memo ✓

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14. Story in Washington Evening Star critical of Warren and his statement that some of the info. in JFK case will remain a secret for years, etc. Hoover note: agres w/ criticism "All too true!" As to Warren's loose mouthed unthinking statement.

More on Mark Lane ✓

15. Branigan to Sullivan 2/26/'64 re: Complaint by FBI about Rankin's request about keepig tabs on Mark lane and Marguerite Oswald's public appearances and radio talk shows. Branigan comlaining that this is placing additional burdens on the agents. There was no way to keep track of them unless placed under "fisur," and this could backfire if they were detected. Reasonable. Calls for limiting surveillane. Hoover note: "Ok but I do not like this constant reluctance on our part to comply fully with Commission's requests. I realize how impractical & absurd many of them are. But is is a fact that at least Warren is hostile to the Bureau & we are furnishing him ammunition by our equivocation."

One almost feels sorry for the FBI in this matter.

I need to read closely exactly what Rankin wanted from the FBI re: Lane/Mrs. Oswald. Discloses how thin-skinned or nervous he was about these two and their defense of LHO.

Marina/Martin and Photo of Oswald w/ Rifle ✓

16. DeLoach to Mohr 2/25/'64 re: How much did Marina get for the photo she sold to Life?\_ Use if need to explain Martin's interest in her.

Hoover Mad on w/ WC. ✓

17. Baumgardner to Sullivan 2/24/'64 re: Notes that WC has approved the appearance of representatives of the American CP before the Commission. Hoover note" "This is shameful."