

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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DATE: April 24, 1964

FROM :

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SUBJECT:

LEE HARVEY OSWALD  
INTERNAL SECURITY - RUSSIA - CUBA

During a conversation on 4/13/64 Mr. J. Lee Rankin of the President's Commission asked Inspector Malley whether the FBI had contacted all informants for information concerning any connection Oswald may have had with the Communist Party (CP). The Commission, by letter dated 4/22/64, asked if this Bureau possessed any information not hitherto disclosed to the Commission concerning the association of Lee Harvey Oswald with any communist or subversive organizations or individuals either in the United States or abroad, or with any criminals or criminal groups either in the United States or abroad.

All information contained in Bureau files and information developed subsequent to the assassination of President Kennedy has been furnished to the Commission. Bureau teletype to all offices under the caption "Assassination of President John F. Kennedy," dated 11/22/63, instructed that all informants, security, racial and criminal, as well as other sources, be contacted for information bearing on the assassination of President Kennedy. Bureau airtel 4/15/64 to all offices with copies to Legat, Mexico City, captioned "Lee Harvey Oswald, IS - R - Cuba," instructed that all security informants and potential security informants, this to include Nation of Islam, CP, Socialist Workers Party, espionage, etc., informants be contacted to determine if any possess information regarding Oswald or his activities. To date contacts with live informants have developed no information to indicate Oswald was a member of the CP or any subversive organization, and information developed through sources other than live informants has been disseminated to the Commission. All but 23 offices and Legat, Mexico City, have replied to Bureau airtel dated 4/15/64.

ACTION:

There is attached for approval a cablegram to Legat, Mexico City, and a teletype to all offices that have not replied to Bureau airtel 4/15/64 instructing that the requested information be submitted to reach the Bureau by 4/27/64. Upon receipt of this information an appropriate letter will be furnished to the Commission.

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