

Memorandum

JFK assassination records appeals

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Dallas records

Marina Oswald appeals and the FBI's blackmailing of her

Cover-the Bureau false paper

fooling the Director?

False and misleading FBI affidavits

Even the representation of Marina Oswald's Warren Commission testimony in attached 62-109603-778 is less than faithful, which is necessary to the FBI's generation of false paper to cover itself in its Covertian efforts.

So you can understand, first, this begins with Dallas records not provided, the actual records, of whatever and any form, of the FBI's interrogations of Marina. You should also understand that although she was a witness to nothing relating to the assassination she was converted into the main witness against her husband, under such conditions that internal Commission records indicate that a study was made of the legality and propriety.

For this to be accomplished the FBI had to blackmail her- and without any doubt at all it did, contrary to this particular request. She was told, according to other FBI records, what she did testify to, that if she wanted to remain in the U.S. she would have to "cooperate," which in plainer English meant say what was desired. To pull this off the FBI made arrangements for a particular New York IRS official to be in on it and apply the first pressure. (Note ^{NY} airtel to New York for no stated reason on page 5.) It then arranged to have no witnesses by having her Secret Service guards removed. And then, in the FBI's own version in another record, it laid it out straight. She capitulated and said whatever was asked of her, explaining this later to the Commission by saying that in her earlier statements she had lied.

The affidavits referred to were executed and they do not tell the whole truth.

Here there is character assassination to cover the Bureau, again with less than full fidelity. The FBI has, for example, that the Walker story came from her then agent, as did other dubious statements that appeared to him to be corroborable. (page 5)

All the withheld information, which always was historically important, because more important because such misleading records were generated by the FBI to cover itself.