URGENT 12-19-63 5-30 PM CST TJB TO DIRECTOR AND SAC DALLAS FROM SAC NEW ORLEAMS /100-16501/ /P/ 1-PAGE LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA. IS DASH R.

RE NO TEL TWELVE EIGHTFEN LAST.

RE OSWALD/S TRAVELS .

CFCIL MAYFIELD, GRFYHOUND BUS LINES DRIVER, INTERVIEWED LAKE CHARLES, LOUISIANA, TWELVE NIMETEEN INSTANT. MAYFIELD DROVE GREYHOUND BUS ONE THREE ZERO FOUR, DEPARTING NEW ORLEANS ONE FORTY-FIVE PM NINE TWENTYFIVE LAST AND ARRIVING LAKE CHARLES NINE TWENTY PM SAME DATE. MAYFIELD OBSERVED PHOTO OF LEE HARVEY OSWALD AND CANNOT RECOGNIZED HIM AS BEING PASSENGER. MAYFIELD WAS OF OPINION OSWALD WAS NOT PASSENGER, STATING HE OBSERVED OSWALD IN PERSON APPROXIMAT-ELY EIGHT SIXTYTHREE AS OSWALD WAS BEING ESCORTED FROM CITY HALL NEW ORLEANS IN POLICE CUSTODY. STATED HE PEAD IN NEW ORLEANS NEWSPAPER FOLLOWING DAY THIS INDIVIDUAL WAS OSWALD, WHO HAD BEEN END PAGE ONE

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ARRESTED FOLLOWING DISTRIBUTION OF PRO- CUBAN LITERATURE ON STREETS OF NEW ORLEANS. MAYFIELD THEREFORE BELIEVES IF SUBJECT WERE PASSENGER ON HIS BUS, HE WOULD HAVE RECOGNIZED HIM.

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5-33 PM OK FBI DL DEC AND HOLDING