

Oswald - Mexico

Dear Jim,

1/8/81

Re your expectation that the CIA will claim need to withhold to avoid official confirmation of operations in Mexico, the spurious claim it has made in the past, in today's mail I received a few referrals in 78-0322. I attach two, both disclosed after referral to the CIA and stating that the CIA approved on their face, 89-43-15 and 104. Each states that the CIA photographed Oswald outside the Russian Embassy in Mexico City. I think the second bears heavily on the forwarding of the tape, about which Mark is concerned we haven't enough proof.

They made this claim in our CIA case before Smith, who accepted their claims.

You might want to remind him when this comes to an issue.

Mark: I forgot to ask you for the numbers of the four CDs or CEs you said the FBI is withholding and their FBI #s. I want to provide this on appeal.

Best,