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JAMES DARL HUNTER, President, Solid State Electronics Company of Texas, 2647 Myrtle Springs, Dallas, Texas, advised on November 29, 1963, that he contacted a number of employment agencies about the first week of October, 1963, in an effort to obtain a salesman. When this was not productive he contacted the Texas Employment Commission, 1025 Elm Street, and OSWALD was one of the first applicants they sent out to see him. He recalled that OSWALD arrived at his office on October 8, 1963, and he was interviewed by Mr. W. B. MARTIN and Mr. HUNTER. He said OSWALD executed an application form but failed to sign or date it until he was requested to do so, and when it was determined he was not going to employ him this form was destroyed.

He said that LEE H. OSWALD gave a Dallas address, indicated he was married and claimed he had one child. He indicated he was a citizen of the United States, had served the U. S. Marine Corps and was discharged honorably at the end of his tour of duty. He claimed he had graduated from a high school in Fort Worth and indicated he could speak the Russian language. Mr. HUNTER recalled that OSWALD did not indicate he could read and write Russian. He said he could not recall the references by name, but one of his former employers was in New Orleans, Louisiana, and one in Fort Worth. He listed a reference whom Mr. HUNTER believed to be the woman in Irving that OSWALD's wife lived with. He said that he recalled OSWALD's wife was the person shown as the one to notify in case of emergency. He said OSWALD was not accepted for employment because he had no experience, and when he told OSWALD that OSWALD said, "I sure would like to have the job - every place I go they want experience". He said that OSWALD did not seem to express any great resentment at not being able to qualify, but he just sighed and left after being advised he was not being considered for the position.

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 by Special Agent ARTHUR E. CARTER /cv. Date dictated 11/29/63