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530 PM EST URGENT 2-29-64 PFC

TO DIRECTOR /105-32555/

FROM MIAMI /105-8342/

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INTERNAL SECURITY*

LEE HARVEY OSWALD, IS DASH R DASH CUBA.

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RE BUREAU TELEPHONE CALL, EIGHT FIFTY EIGHT PM,  
TWO TWENTY EIGHT SIXTY FOUR, AND BUREAU TEL SAME DATE.

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SALVADOR DIAZ VERNON REINTERVIEWED TWO TWENTY NINE,  
SIXTY FOUR, AND FURNISHED THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION.

DOCTOR BORRELL NAVARRO IS CUBAN EXILE, FORMER FUNCTIONARY  
OF REGIME OF FULGENCIO BATISTA, HORACIO DURAN NAVARRO AND  
WIFE, SILVIA, ARE MEXICAN CITIZENS, BEAR NO RELATIONSHIP TO  
BORRELL NAVARRO INSOFAR AS DIAZ VERNON KNOWS. DIAZ STATED THAT  
MEXICAN FOREIGN OFFICE DESCRIBED DURAN AND WIFE AS MEXICAN CITIZENS  
IN MEXICO CITY PRESS, WHEREIN FOREIGN OFFICE REJECTED  
CUBAN PROTEST FOR DETENTION AND INTERROGATION OF SILVIA DURAN.

ON TWO TWENTY NINE, SIXTY FOUR, DIAZ VERNON ALSO  
ADMITTED FOLLOWING TO SPECIAL AGENT EDWIN L. SWEET.  
HE DID FURNISH STATEMENTS ON JANUARY FOUR AND NINE, LAST, TO  
SPECIAL AGENT JAMES J. O'CONNOR AT VARIANCE WITH DETAILS

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FURNISHED SA SWEET ON TWO TWENTY SEVEN, LAST. HE DECLARED HE DID NOT DO THIS OUT OF MALICE OR BAD FAITH, OR WITH INTENT TO MISLEAD ANYONE, BUT DID NOT REGARD ANYTHING HE SAID AS EVIDENCE, OR SERIOUS, UNTIL CHALLENGED TWO TWENTY SEVEN, LAST REGARDING THE VARIANCE IN HIS STATEMENTS, AND HE WAS ASHAMED TO ADMIT TO THE IRRESPONSIBLE NAMING OF HIS SOURCES.

HE STATED HE DID NOT GO TO MEXICO TO INVESTIGATE ANYTHING, BUT TO ATTEND THE INTERNATIONAL PRESS CONFERENCE ALREADY DESCRIBED. CONSEQUENTLY, HE DID NOT LISTEN CLOSELY, AND TOOK NO NOTES ON WHAT WAS SAID REGARDING THE OSWALD VISIT TO MEXICO. OF EIGHTEEN OR TWENTY NEWSMEN PRESENT IN THE OFFICES OF ~~EXCELION~~ <sup>S RII</sup> UNQUOTE, HE BELIEVED ALL WERE MEXICAN EXCEPT DOCTOR BORRELL NAVARRO, AND THIS WAS THE ONLY NAME KNOWN TO HIM. HE ADMITTED HE HAD UNDOUBTEDLY ATTRIBUTED MORE TO DOCTOR BORRELL NAVARRO THAN HE SHOULD HAVE IN HIS INTERVIEW WITH SPECIAL AGENT O'CONNOR. HE STATED ALL THE NEWSMEN WERE EXPRESSING

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OPINIONS, THEORIES, ASKING QUESTIONS, AND OFFERING THEIR OWN POSSIBLE SOLUTIONS, REGARDING OSWALD'S <sup>N</sup>CONTACTS IN <sup>E</sup>MEXICO.

DIAZ VERNON STATED HE CANNOT HONESTLY SEPARATE, AS TO SOURCE, WHAT HE HEARD FROM EIGHTEEN OR TWENTY NEWSMEN, READ IN THE MEXICO CITY NEWSPAPERS, AND HEARD FROM DOCTOR BORRELL NAVARRO, BUT HE DID REAFFIRM THAT BORRELL NAVARRO DISCUSSED THE VISIT OF OSWALD TO THE CUBAN CONSULATE IN MEXICO CITY, AND THE FACT THAT SILVIA DURAN WAS PICKED UP AND INTERROGATED BY THE MEXICAN POLICE.

DIAZ VERNON WAS OBVIOUSLY EXTREMELY DISTRESSED AND EMBARRASSED. HE WRITES FOR SEVERAL NEWSPAPERS, INCLUDING QUOTE "AHORA" UNQUOTE OF NEW YORK, AND STATED HE HAD WRITTEN NOTHING CONCERNING INSTANT MATTER BECAUSE HE KNEW HE COULD NOT BE SURE OF HIS FACTS AND SOURCES. HE REGRETTED HIS IRRESPONSIBLE STATEMENTS HAD CAUSED INCONVENIENCE TO THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION AND THE PRESIDENTIAL COMMISSION, AND DECLINED TO TAKE POLY-  
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GRAPH EXAMINATION.

LETTERHEAD MEMORANDUM FOLLOWS. COPY FURNISHED DALLAS.

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~~PAGE THREE LINE TWO WORD FIVE SHOULD BE "CONTACTS"~~

~~LINE NINE WORD TWO SHOULD BE "MEXICAN"~~

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CC-MR. SULLIVAN

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