

Memorandum

TO : SAC, NEWARK (62-)

DATE: 10/5/65

FROM : SA RAYMOND B. BYRNE

SUBJECT: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT *Lee Harvey Oswald*
JOHN F. KENNEDY *15-12 - Cuba*
MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION CONCERNING

On 9/23/65, [redacted] ^{b7c}
[redacted], telephone number [redacted] appeared ^{b7d}
at the Camden Resident Agency and was interviewed by the
writer. He advised that he is employed [redacted]
[redacted] Camden, N.J. ^{b7c} ^{b7d}

[redacted] stated that on Thursday, 9/9/65, he was ^{b7c}
in Atlantic City, N.J., during the week of the Miss America ^{b7d}
Pageant. He entered the [redacted] located at [redacted] ^{b7c}
[redacted] approximately 10:00 p.m., at which
time he observed a woman customer in the bar. It was his
belief at that time, which he later determined through her
conversation to be true, that she was a prostitute, and that
this was the location where she met her customers. He advised
that he did not know the correct name of this person, but that
she was well known to everybody in the bar, and that they called
her [redacted] or [redacted]. He described her as follows: ^{b7c}

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[redacted] stated he became acquainted with [redacted] b7c
at the bar and talked with her for a short time that evening,
during which time he bought her approximately three or four
drinks. During this time she talked about her general back-
ground and spent about two hours with [redacted] discussing
her background and activities. b7c(D)

[redacted] stated that he returned to the [redacted] b7c
on Friday Night, September 10, and again met [redacted] and
was with her in the bar from approximately 11:30 p.m. to
5:00 a.m. He stated they went from the [redacted] to
Rockie Castellani's in Atlantic City, and that he left her at
6:00 a.m., at which time she was in the company of two wrestlers.
During their conversation at the [redacted] on Friday b7c
evening, [redacted] stated that she had worked as a strip-tease
dancer in various locations around the country. During the
conversation she mentioned that she had been employed as a
stripper in JACK RUBY's Bar, The Carousel in Texas shortly
before the assassination of President JOHN F. KENNEDY. She
stated at this time that, "JACK RUBY was a communist and I
hope they hang the (obscene)." She continued at this time and
stated that OSWALD and JACK RUBY were acquainted with each
other and that the assassination of President KENNEDY was
planned by them; that RUBY shot OSWALD to shut him up and that
there are "big people" behind RUBY and they are going to get
RUBY released from prison.

[redacted] b7c(D)
[redacted] advised that during this conversation
[redacted] was drinking heavily, but did not appear to be
intoxicated at any time.

[redacted] b7c(D)
[redacted] stated that on Sunday, September 12, he
telephoned [redacted] at the [redacted] Atlantic City, N.J. b7c
and invited her to a party at his apartment in the [redacted] b7D
[redacted]. He stated that she joined him in the apartment
on Sunday afternoon, and that also present in the apartment
were two friends of his, [redacted] and [redacted] whom he b7c
became acquainted through [redacted] and who is from [redacted].
b7c He stated that at the party they had a tape recorder, and
for purposes of amusement interviewed [redacted] on the pretext
of being a radio interview and that from this interview and
during this period additional conversation developed concerning
her allegations concerning RUBY and OSWALD.

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[redacted] stated that during this so called "interview" he asked her to repeat to his friends what she had told him about the assassination of President KENNEDY. She stated that although they had a tape recorder present he did not record her conversation originally at which time she stated that LEE HARVEY OSWALD had worked for RUBY in The Carousel Bar, and was a "manager of sorts of this bar." She did not further discuss this alleged knowledge of OSWALD's activities, but did state that OSWALD was "on pills" at that time, but did not further describe these pills. During this conversation she again repeated that RUBY was a communist, and further stated that OSWALD had fired her and four other strippers from The Carousel Bar a few days before KENNEDY's assassination. She stated that one of the girls that was fired with her was BLAZE STARR. She told b7c [redacted] and his friends that she then went to Miami, and a few days later learned of the assassination of President KENNEDY.

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[redacted] stated that [redacted] did not state if she had ever discussed this with anyone else, or had ever reported it to officials. [redacted] stated that during this period b7c [redacted] was drinking constantly and consumed approximately four or five scotch drinks. He stated however, that she was not intoxicated.

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[redacted] stated that during this period she had removed her outer garments and was very gay, but denied that there was any sexual activity with her during this period. He described her as a very hyper-active personality and a manic type. He described her activity as "always speedy." He stated however that he considered her to be an intelligent person, who was familiar with a number of current topics.

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[redacted] stated that Sunday evening his two friends drove [redacted] back to Atlantic City, and dropped her at the [redacted] and he has not seen nor heard from her since. He advised that she lives in a hotel approximately one block from the [redacted] although he does not know the name of this hotel. He stated that it is his recollection that the name of the hotel begins with a "T". He stated that she could be easily contacted at the [redacted] since she is well b7c known to the management and the great majority of customers at the bar.

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[redacted] advised that he was unable to offer any opinion of the mental status of [redacted] stating only that he considered her to be an intelligent person, but did not know if she was suffering from any mental disturbance of any kind. He was unable to account for her failure to apparently report her information to authorities previous to this time.

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[redacted] stated that he had advised his lawyer [redacted] of this b7D information, who advised him that he intended to call ARLEN SPECTOR who served on the Warren Commission as a general counsel and who is the current Republican candidate for District Attorney in Philadelphia, Pa. He stated that he has heard nothing further from his attorney, and that he had personally called a friend in Los Angeles, [redacted] a radio personality in the Los Angeles area who is well known for engaging in controversial topics. He stated he called [redacted] on this Sunday evening after being with [redacted] all day, and that [redacted] indicated that he would bring this matter to the attention of MELVIN BELLI the attorney for JACK RUBY in his murder trial in Dallas, Texas. He stated he has heard nothing further from [redacted] regarding this alleged contact with BELLI. b7C

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[redacted] advised that he was unable to furnish any additional information concerning the information furnished by [redacted] and stated that the only information he could give concerning the manner in which she could be contacted would be an attempt to contact her through the [redacted] in Atlantic City, N.J.

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AT ATLANTIC CITY, NEW JERSEY. Will attempt to locate and interview [redacted] aka [redacted] through the [redacted] to obtain details concerning the information b7C b7D which she allegedly furnished to [redacted] regarding activities of LEE HARVEY OSWALD and JACK RUBY.

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TO : SAC, NEWARK [REDACTED] b7D

DATE: 10/25/65

FROM : SA ROBERT L. TAGG

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SUBJECT: [REDACTED] b7D
PCI

Date of Contact [REDACTED] b7D	
Titles and File #s on which contacted	
LEE HARVEY OSWALD, IS - CUBA	105-15291
Purpose and results of contact	
<input type="checkbox"/> NEGATIVE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> POSITIVE	
<p>The informant said she had learned the girl known to her as [REDACTED] has returned to Atlantic City, NJ. She advised that she had not determined where [REDACTED] is living, but she said, [REDACTED] is spending most of her time in the [REDACTED] and can be located at this bar.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>te</i></p>	
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FROM : SA ROBERT L. TAGG

SUBJECT : [redacted] 670
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DATE: 10/21/65

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Dates of Contact	
Titles and File # [redacted] 670	
LEE HARVEY OSWALD, IS-CUBA	105-15291
Purpose and results of contact	
<input type="checkbox"/> NEGATIVE <input type="checkbox"/> POSITIVE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
<p>The informant advised she had learned the full name of the prostitute who was hanging out in the [redacted] and using the name of [redacted] is [redacted]. She stated she had not been able to obtain a home address for this girl, but that she claimed to live at 10th and Spruce Streets, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. The informant also advised she had learned that [redacted] occupied room [redacted] at the [redacted] Atlantic City, New Jersey, from 7/23/65, until the week of 10/4/65, at which time she left the hotel leaving her clothing in the room. The informant will be alert for any additional information concerning [redacted].</p>	
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Memorandum

TO : SAC, NEWARK (105-15291)(C)
FROM : SA RAYMOND S. BYRNE
SUBJECT: LEE HARVEY OSWALD
IS-R-CUBA

DATE: 12/2/65

Re memo of SA RAYMOND S. BYRNE, 10/5/65.

On 11/8/65, [redacted], no permanent address, b7c was interviewed at the Camden Resident Agency by SAS MARTIN J. GASS and RAYMOND S. BYRNE. b7D

Arrangements for this interview were made through the cooperation of [redacted] who had originally appeared at the Camden Resident Agency on 9/23/65, to furnish information concerning this person and her possible knowledge of the assassination of President JOHN F. KENNEDY. [redacted] advised during early November, 1965, that the individual whom he had mentioned, who he identified as [redacted] who is now living at the [redacted]. He stated he could make arrangements for her to appear at the Camden Resident Agency to be interviewed by FBI agents, and that he would be willing to do so in order to clarify information which he had previously furnished during interview at the Camden Resident Agency. b7c b7D

On 11/8/65, [redacted] was interviewed at the Camden Resident Agency. She advised she is also known as [redacted] and the [redacted]. She identified herself as a stripper and entertainer who has worked in various night clubs and "strip joints" in Atlanta, Ga., Miami, Fla., Atlantic City, NJ, Philadelphia, Pa., Baltimore, Md., New Orleans, La., and Tampa, Fla. She stated she has worked as a stripper for the last two and one-half years and also stated that since she left home at the age of 16 she has worked as a hostess, entertainer, Bunny girl, supervisor for a magazine sale crew, strip tease artist, singer and cocktail waitress. b7c b7D

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Observation of this individual and the description of work which she claimed she has performed indicated strongly that she was primarily a prostitute who has utilized these other descriptions of jobs as a cover up for her activity as a prostitute.

She advised she was born [REDACTED] b7C
[REDACTED] She stated she had left home at the age of 16 and gone to Atlanta, Ga. and subsequently traveled around the country b7D doing various jobs as previously described.

[REDACTED] refused to identify any member of her family, her current residence, or her personal history other than the nature of her previous employments. When questioned as to if she had ever worked in Dallas, Tex., or the vicinity of the Carousel Night Club in that city, she immediately became very petulant and refused to furnish any information concerning possible activity on her part in that city. She became very upset at [REDACTED] at this time and immediately accused him of having furnished confidential information to the FBI. b7C b7D

During interview [REDACTED] appeared to be very emotionally unstable and extremely difficult to interview. She became extremely petulant, as previously noted, when questioned concerning any knowledge she might have of activity in Dallas, Tex., and refused to state if she had ever been in that city. She denied knowledge in any manner of any of the circumstances surrounding the death of President KENNEDY and denied that she had ever stated that she knew JACK RUBY or LEE HARVEY OSWALD. b7C b7D

Observation of [REDACTED] during interview indicated that although she did not appear to be mentally incompetent in any fashion, she did appear to be a very unstable individual. It does not appear that she has any information concerning the assassination of President KENNEDY b7C and that any information she had allegedly furnished to [REDACTED] prior to this time, was public-source information and that she was merely utilizing this as a come on for any individual who had expressed an interest in her alleged knowledge of this assassination. b7D

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In view of the results of this interview, it is not felt this information should be disseminated since it is obvious, based on interview of this individual, that she does not have any knowledge concerning the assassination of President KENNEDY and refuses to discuss any allegations she had previously made concerning this incident.

It is recommended that no additional investigation be conducted in this matter in view of the obvious unstable nature of the individual involved.