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DCI already aware. Two additional salient facts not covered in this memo are:

a. Rocca Keller Commission debunked Sturgis' allegation of CIA employment (see p. 252) and [REDACTED] has been citing this to deal with the current press spate, and.

b. By memo of January 1964 [REDACTED] reported to J. Edgar Hoover unconfirmed info from Cuban refugees that Ruby visited Castro in 1962 or 63.

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9 JUL 1976

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

FROM: [REDACTED]

VIA: Deputy Director for Operations

SUBJECT: Washington Star Article on Jack Ruby/  
Fidel Castro, 9 July 1976

1. The Washington Star on 9 July 1976 carries an article entitled "Ruby Met with Castro, Sturgis Says". In the article, Sturgis claims he knew that Jack Ruby met in Havana with Fidel Castro 10 weeks before the assassination of President Kennedy and discussed the "removal of the president". Sturgis claims, according to the article, that he had been assigned to investigate possible involvement of Cuban exiles in the Miami area in the Kennedy assassination. The article also states that Sturgis refused to say for what agency he was working, or who gave him the assignment, but the article indicated that Sturgis was working for CIA at the time. Attached is a copy of the article.

2. For the record, Frank Sturgis continues to allege a relationship with the Central Intelligence Agency, but no such relationship has ever existed.

signed  
[REDACTED]

Attachment: h/w  
Newspaper Article

cc: BDCI

CONCURRENCE:  
[REDACTED]

Deputy Director for Operations

9 JUL 1976

Date

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SUBJECT: Washington Star Article on Jack Ruby/Fidel Castro,  
9 July 1976

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# Ruby Met With Castro, Sturgis Says

MIAMI (UPI) — Water-  
gate burglar Frank Sturgis  
says that Jack Ruby met in  
Havana with Fidel Castro  
10 weeks before the assassi-  
nation of President Kenne-  
dy and discussed "removal  
of the president" along with  
arms purchases for Cuba  
and smuggling of illicit  
drugs into the United  
States.

Sturgis said in a tele-  
phone interview yesterday  
that he "and other agents"  
passed that information on  
to various government  
agencies early in 1964, be-  
fore the Warren Commis-  
sion completed its hearings,  
but he is uncertain whether  
the information was ever  
made available to the com-  
mission.

Sturgis said he had been  
assigned to investigate  
possible involvement of  
Cuban exiles in the Miami  
area in the Kennedy assas-  
sination. He said neither his  
investigation nor that of fel-  
low agents turned up any  
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shooting of Kennedy.

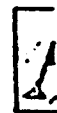
He refused to say for  
what agency he was work-  
ing, or who gave him the as-  
signment. Records have  
indicated that he was work-  
ing for the CIA at about that  
time.

He said the investigation  
did produce evidence that  
Kennedy assassin Lee Har-  
vey Oswald and Ruby, who  
shot Oswald while he was in  
police custody in Dallas,  
"were involved in the same  
conspiracy, along with  
other people."

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