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November 30, 1963

Captain W. F. Gansaway
Special Service Bureau
Dallas Police Department

Thru:
Lt. Jack Revill
Criminal Intelligence Section
Special Service Bureau
Dallas Police Department

SUBJECT: Criminal Intelligence (4)
Ralph Paul
White Male

Sir:

SUBJECT is the owner and operator of the Bull Pen, 1936 East Abrams, Arlington, Texas, CR 5 4851 and CR 5 4891.

SUBJECT stated he has known Jack Ruby for about 15 years. Stated Ruby did not have any interest in the Bull Pen. Stated he has loaned Ruby money on several occasions to pay the rent at the Caracel Club.

Stated Ruby called him about 15 minutes after the President was shot and told him he was going to close all his places for three days. Stated Ruby talked as if he was emotionally upset.

SUBJECT stated an Agent of the Federal Bureau of Investigation had interviewed him recently regarding Jack Ruby.

Respectfully submitted,

D. N. Boyd

D. N. Boyd, Detective
Criminal Intelligence Section

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24 January 1964

Captain W. I. Gannaway
Special Service Bureau
Dallas Police Department

Thru:
Lt. Jack Newill
Criminal Intelligence Section
Special Service Bureau
Dallas Police Department

SUBJECT: Criminal Intelligence (6)

Ralph Paul

CR. 5-4791

Sir:

Pursuant to the instructions of Captain W. P. Gannaway the following information is submitted.

SUBJECT is a known associate of Jack Ruby and is a possible witness for the defense in the forthcoming trial of Ruby.

SUBJECT was interviewed by the undersigned officer November 30, 1963. (See Int. 2965-10) SUBJECT stated he has known Jack Ruby for about 15 years. Stated Ruby did not have any interest in the Bull Pen, 1936 E. Abrams, Arlington, Texas. Stated he has loaned Ruby money on several occasions to pay the rent at the Carousel Club. Stated Ruby called him about 15 minutes after the President was shot and told him he was going to close all his places for three days. Stated Ruby talked as if he was emotionally upset.

SUBJECT owns and operates The Bull Pen, 1936 E. Abrams, Arlington, Texas. SUBJECT is living on Copeland Road, Arlington, Texas.

T-1 stated SUBJECT was born December 17, 1904. He was divorced in 1931 and has not remarried. SUBJECT is buying a new home at present, Lot 8 Block 6 Western Plains Estates. SUBJECT made application to obtain a loan for this new home from Fleet Ball Mortgage Company, 2nd floor Sinclair Bldg., 5th and Main, Fort Worth, Texas.

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T-1 stated SUBJECT is buying a residence at 2026 Wilbur, Dallas, Texas. owes balance of \$4,000.00 to Foster and Son. Stated SUBJECT lived at this location prior to moving to Copeland Road, Arlington, Texas. Stated SUBJECT has lived in Arlington for 6 years.

T-1 stated SUBJECT'S mother, Millie Paul is 82 years old and lives in New York City.

SUBJECT stated he was the sole owner of The Bull Pen, 1936 E. Abrams, Arlington, Texas and it was valued at \$45,000.00. Stated he owned a 1962 Cadillac, owes a balance of \$1,500.00 to the 1st National Bank, Arlington, Texas. SUBJECT stated he has \$1,000.00 in stocks in the Industrial Bank in Dallas and receives \$25.00 yearly in dividends. Stated he has the account for the Bull Pen, in the amount of \$11,000.00, \$5,000.00 personal and \$400.00 in savings, at the 1st National Bank, Arlington, Texas. SUBJECT'S trade good.

T-2 stated SUBJECT is the owner of The Bull Pen 1936 E. Abrams, Arlington, Texas. Stated in 1955 thru 1957 SUBJECT and G. L. Bowman formed a corporation, called B.C.M.A, Inc. This was the Bull Pen.

T-2 stated SUBJECT did own the Bluebonnet Bar, 1300 Commerce and the Miramar Restaurant, 1950 Fort Worth Avenue, Dallas, Texas.

The indices of the Record Bureau reveals SUBJECT was arrested December 21, 1952 for Investigation Violation State Liquor Law at the Bluebonnet Bar, 1300 Commerce, Dallas, Texas. SUBJECT gave home address at this time at 2026 Wilbur. Case was transferred to the County and was dismissed May 15, 1953.

The indices of the Identification Bureau were searched by Clerk Crossland with negative results.

The indices of the Sheriff Office were searched by Clerk Sanders with negative results.

The indices of the Special Service Bureau reveals that SUBJECT made application for beer license in 1956 for the Miramar Restaurant, 1950 Fort Worth Avenue. SUBJECT was living at 2026 Wilbur at this time. In 1957, 1958 and

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1959 SUBJECT was the Dance Hall Supervisor at the Vegas Club, 3903 Oak Lawn Avenue. In 1961 SUBJECT made application for beer license using the trade name S & R Corporation for the Carousel Club. SUBJECT listed himself as President and gave Abe Weinstein, Tom Lemos and Johnny Cola as references. SUBJECT gave Copeland Street, Arlington, Texas as his home address.

Respectfully submitted,

D.M. Boyd

D.M. Boyd, Detective
Criminal Intelligence Section

1958- Judgment Against him For \$7200.00
Result of Auto Accident

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February 11, 1964

Captain W. P. Gannaway
Special Service Bureau
Dallas Police Department

Thru:
Lieutenant Jack Revill
Criminal Intelligence Section
Special Service Bureau
Dallas Police Department

SUBJECT: Criminal Intelligence (6)
JACK RUBY

Sir:

The following information was received from a confidential informant.

The source reported that on December 10, 1963, a member of the SUBJECT'S defense team was given a check for \$1500.00 and signed by RALPH PAUL. This check was drawn on the First National Bank of Arlington. The check was presented by EARL RUBY, brother of the SUBJECT. The person receiving the check was told to take it to the Carousel Club, that he would be given the \$1500.00 in cash and that the check would then be returned to RALPH PAUL.

It is reported that the Federal Bureau of Investigation was aware of the above and had the check in their possession.

Respectfully submitted,

L. E. Stringfellow
L. E. Stringfellow, Detective
Criminal Intelligence Section

Evaluation: The source believed reliable.

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February 17, 1964

Captain W. P. Cannaway
Special Service Bureau
Dallas Police Department

Thru:
Lieutenant Jack Nevill
Criminal Intelligence Section
Special Service Bureau
Dallas Police Department

SUBJECT: EDDIE PIERCE, c-2-56 (6)
1507 1/2 McCoy
Dallas, Texas
TA 3 8215

Sir:

Pursuant to the instructions of Captain W. P. Cannaway, Subject was interviewed this date, regarding his knowledge of LEE HARVEY OSWALD and the assassination of President John F. Kennedy.

Subject gave the following information: "I have been working here at the Texas School Book Depository for five years as a porter. I come to work at 10:00 A. M. and get off at 8:00 P.M. On the day Kennedy was shot I came to work at my usual time and saw Oswald who comes to work at 9:00 A.M. going about his usual routine as an order filler. I noticed nothing unusual about Oswald's actions. At 12:00 noon, I told Oswald that I was going to eat my sandwich. Oswald mumbled something that he was going up to eat. This was the last time I saw Oswald."

"During the Presidential parade, I was standing by a window on the lower floor at the front of the building watching the cars pass when I heard this shot. It shook the window and I moved away from the window and looked at the clock. It was exactly 12:23 P. M. Some more shots were fired. I distinctly heard three shots in all. Some one said they were coming from the railroad tracks, I said no they are coming from the top of the building".

"I did not see Oswald leave the building. Oswald was very quiet and had nothing to say much to the other employees. During the lunch breaks, Oswald usually made several phone calls, which were usually short in length."

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"I have never seen Jack Ruby before watching him
on television when he shot Oswald."

Respectfully submitted,

P. M. Farks
P. M. Farks, Detective
Criminal Intelligence Section

M. H. Brunley
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