

MEMO TO: GRF In RE: WARREN COMM REPORT

From Frank Fallon

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These are my major comments at this time. They are primarily things which should be watched for as later drafts come in, or as the present drafts are corrected.

1) The Russian Period--

Don't allow a whitewash job. In too many areas we just don't have enough information. Try to get more info if possible.

Be sure you see sources for statements attributed to "confidential sources."

2) The Mexican Trip--

~~Again~~ Again, don't let the conclusion be overstated. We have not, to my knowledge, accounted for all Oswald's time while in Mexico. Again, be sure to see all the necessary documents for this period, especially "Comm. Doc. 1094(e)."

3) Domestic Conspiracy--

Put pressure on to get this draft ~~down~~ quickly. Be sure it is well done, and does not gloss over any possible criticisms.

4) Motivation--

The following factors ^{seem} ~~are~~ important to me: Oswald's fight with Marina on the weekend of Nov. 15-17 and ~~his~~ her attitude to him; his previous attempt to murder Walker (and possibly Nixon?); his allegiance to what he called Marxism and its doctrine of violent overthrow of the government. Be tough on this draft when it comes

5) Oswald's Rifle Practice--

We have not yet seen this section, but the conclusion was that none of the stories were credible. The story of the doctor and his son sounds very convincing and the date is a possible one; be sure this is answered well before you accept the conclusion.

6) Recommendations by the Commission--

Where there is room for conflict, these should be discussed by the Commission members, at least part of which should be on the record. I am particularly interested in seeing SS transfer, evaluation of State Dept. procedures and law on citizenship renunciation, criticism of police and of press in Dallas receive careful consideration.

Best wishes, and hope to see you soon.

Frank