

More On Oswald

A CONFIDENTIAL REPORT, recently released by the U.S. Secret Service, indicates that an imposter falsely posing as Lee Harvey Oswald was secretly tape-recorded by a U.S. intelligence agency shortly before President Kennedy's assassination.

According to the document, the alleged Oswald imposter was tape-recorded by American agents when he made a visit to the Soviet embassy in Mexico City approximately six weeks before the assassination.

The newly declassified report was written up by the FBI and turned over to the Secret Service on Nov. 23, 1963, the day following President Kennedy's murder. *The Los Angeles Times*, which reviewed a copy of the document, says it was apparently never provided to the Warren Commission.

According to that 13-year-old

report, FBI agents in Dallas immediately after the assassination were rushed photographs and a tape recording of a man, claiming he was "Lee Oswald," who had visited the Soviet Embassy in Mexico six weeks earlier.

In the words of that long-suppressed report: "Special agents of this bureau, who have conversed with Oswald in Dallas, Texas, have observed photographs of the individual referred to above and have listened to tape recordings of his voice. These special agents are of the opinion that the above referred to individual was not Lee Harvey Oswald."

The Times notes that the new information in this report is that, "Someone other than Oswald 'identified himself as Lee Oswald' at the (Soviet) embassy and was secretly recorded while doing so."

Many critics have charged for years that Oswald was framed, in part, by impersonators who deliberately incriminated him

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