

Oswald/USSR, Nosenko

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One of the reasons advanced by those in the CIA who claimed Nosenko was not truthful and was a disinformation agent is his statement that the KGB had no interest in Oswald and did not question him. (Ignoring the fact that Oswald had been questioned by the MVD and the probability that the Intourist guides are probably KGB.)

Disclosed to Mark Allen 5/21/85 is Army records relating to the questioning by it and the lie-detector test administered by it of PFC Bruce Frederick Davis, who defected 8/19/1960 and redefected 7/19/63. (Filed as Army referrals in Mark's HSCA records files.)

Davis had Secret clearance but was not questioned about military secrets and no effort was made to recruit him as a Soviet intelligence agent. He was not (to his knowledge) questioned by the KGB. He was questioned a number of times on his defection, in East Germany.

Like Oswald he was free to travel in violation of restrictions on domestic travel. Nothing happened to him when he was caught in this and he repeated it several times thereafter, including two trips from where he resided, in Kiev, to the American Embassy in Moscow.

The Soviets accepted him and gave him support of 900 rubles (\$90) monthly despite his own belief that "The Soviets appeared to be dissatisfied with the results of" an interview. He also was educated in Kiev.

His account of the questioning by the Soviets reflects normal interests.