

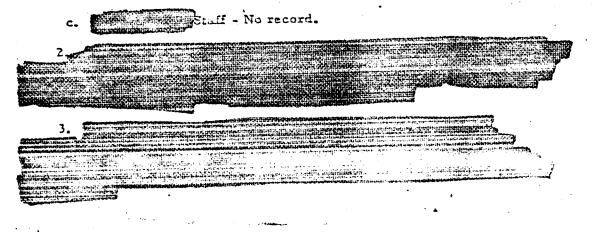
MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Clay SHAW's Connection with CIA

L. In light of recent newspaper mention of Clay SHAW as a possible collaborator of Lee Harvey OSWALD's, a name check on him has been conducted with the following results:

2. Cone reference leading to an FBI report which states that the Bureau interviewed SHAW in 1951 in his capacity as managing director of the New Orleans International Trade Mart. The interview was in connection with a routine check of the Mart's employment records and concerned a former employee of one of the Mart's exhibitors. The FBI report was sent to CIA as a matter of information.

b. The Office of Security Index - A file on SHAW indicates that that a check of FBI records at that time was completed with negative results.



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