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KP Walthers,  
Eddie Raymond  
Dep Sheriff

MEMORANDUM

July 22, 1964

TO: Norman Redlich  
FROM: Arthur Marmor (2/2)  
SUBJECT: Deputy Sheriff Eddie Raymond "Buddy" Walthers

The data supplied by Deputy Sheriff Eddie Raymond "Buddy" Walthers does not appear to have been used in the drafts of Chapters 3 and 4 of the Report.

There is a discrepancy between his investigative report of November 22, 1963 and his statement to the FBI on June 18, 1964 (See CR 1245, pp 36-41). In the report, he said he went to the triple underpass to look for possible marks left by stray bullets. An unknown person told him he had been hit in the face while parked on Main Street. (Officer Clyde A. Haygood reported that a person near the underpass was hit by an object during the shooting - Ch 3, p 65). Walthers said he then found where a bullet had splattered on the top edge of the curb on Main Street. He thought it was the last shot fired which had missed. In his statement to the FBI, however, he merely said he heard three shots and never looked for or found a fourth bullet.

Walthers confirmed Patrolman McDonald's testimony that Oswald said at the time of his arrest, "It's all over." (Ch. 4, p 56) He also alleged that a set of metal file cabinets were found at Irving containing records that appeared to be names and activities of Cuban sympathizers. He said this evidence was turned over to Captain Fritz and Secret Service officers.