

Len Whitten

JFK assassination records as only
Records not searched

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Manipulation of the media and the Warren Commission - the DeLoach operation

Attached to a recent, similarly-captioned appeal was a copy of a story written by Len Whitten to which Director Hoover attached a note that could have been self-serving or could have ^{been an} indication that what he knew was controlled by those around him. The same thing exists in 62-109000-1002, which is in Section 13.

The story is headed "Report to LBJ Call ~~an~~ Oswald 'The Assassin.'" The story is an accurate reflection of both FBI records of the period, 11/27/63, and the five-volume report, CBI, the FBI did provide.

Either Whitten was a remarkable forger, complete with direct quotes, or he did have an FBI source of sources.

Director Hoover's note reads, "I assume most of this is coming from FBI."

There is a DeLoach to "our memo for Hoover alleging, 'We have given Len Whitten no informant on whatsoever.'" This is followed by a stamp form stating that a deleted copy was sent to Whitten 9/21/76.

None of the records in ~~should~~ ^{should} have been withheld from Whitten under his FBI request? None of the records, in fact, qualifies for withholding.

The only ~~and~~ the obvious explanation is that Whitten would know that the DeLoach memo was false. Whatever his sources, Whitten knows them.

As a subject expert I am certain that the FBI has to have provided Whitten's information because I know what information the FBI had and what was public or so before the date of the story.

This has to have been part of the FBI's vast leaking campaign by which it fixed the public mind and boxed in and limited government officials and what they could do or dare want to try to do.

In turn this leads to what is of great historical importance, FBI records not searched in which its records of its manipulations are recorded, most of all the records of the DeLoach operations, especially the 94 and similar files.

I am not attaching a copy of this report.