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ITEM 1

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David Ronis, 57, real estate agent
May 1950 - June 1994 - voluntary retirement
gail operations officer - DDP
clandestine

1963 - member Cuban Taskforce
SAS
↓ recruiting + handling agents for
intelligence collection

principally in HQ
but short TDY's

TDY's - in U.S. - to contact potential
sources or agents
known to be traveling
to or from Cuba
+ people known to be
in Cuba

visited Mexico during this period -
en route to or from Santiago -

in 1964 - Economic Warfare Officer
in SAS

worked on SAS fr Oct 61 - mid 66

knew Harvey but not well -
only as business matters
were concerned

knew Dave Phillips -
had met Mr. Scott but did not know him
well - only as a name
worked w [Bob Shaw] - worked
w/ Himat
HQ

doesn't recall what in Mexi for.
definitely related to recruitment of
agents

called leads - from all sources
FBI, INS

would meet w/ prospect
target individual -
would do thorough
background study
see if had letter
writing exchanges

Doesn't recall any visits to
Texas or Cuba

visited Miami field office -
related to work on Economic
Warfare

knew Barney Hidalgo -

" [Swenson]

" of Piccolo

didn't know Maurice Bishop

no involvement in AMLAH - / - peratic
remember AMMUG - but no involvem

show him dispatch re - Luisa Calderon
sister

part of program to scour WH
for leads -

domestic exploitation ϕ - inside
task force
might have
been his
own operatio

table of org of SAS

he worked in Foreign Intell ϕ
of SAS

chief was Ed Maurilius

worked pretty much on his own

would send out request to
station & after nothing
would come back -

also had Dom. Contacts Division
he might have requested DCD
to ~~make~~ attempt to locate
sister

but you didn't fly

shown ϕ - - from '65 - A/1 debriefing
report

Can't recall recruiting any
CUIS

ER-390 - no recollection

Shawn & Mary [Swanson] A/1
memo

never saw memo before
doesn't remember
can't remember going to Miami
to recruit
did recruit women - ~~###~~
but can't recall
Lison

can't remember recruiting
any Cuban Embassy people
in Mexico City

knew of surveillance gear
"a surveillance capability"
at Mexico City

doesn't recall seeing any LHO photos
from the
operation

didn't know of LHO before ~~assass.~~
never involved in pursuing any leads
about LHO or IFKassas.

doesn't recall reading or hearing about
Lison Calderon transcript

Dwight D. - wants to sign - ~~the~~
wasn't related to
his work
She requires a
clearance

never worked in CI/Intelligence
CI/SIS] address for signal
but can't recall
what SIS was
all about

Can't recall if Miami ran ops
into ~~MEX~~

if recruits would have been
handled by SAS person
who handled Mexican affairs

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Ray something
Can't remember ^{pseudo} name