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Note to Myself

Ask what project file 61701616 placed

Ask who found 61701616 Memo in Dec. 1965

Ask what if any actions taken when stored

Aske: identity of CIA informant Nov. 24, 1964

Identify agent who wrote Nov. 24, 1964

Go back to text for B. Smith

Now call NY U. get bulletin

Application
Dear Team Leader, a.k.a. FRESH AIR,

Please read my ever growing write up.

I feel it flows well now! (Except Dec. 25th, where more summarizing) I can still pilgrim into each timeline so that it not only will
Osweal - alone - Oswald - activities in Nov.
but the interesting angle is the Watergate -
the CIA framing us.

Beginning with p. 29

What Committee did in investigate story

Results

Analysis

Conclusions.
Did the Central Intelligence Agency write the Senate Intelligence Committee that an investigation into the Cuban Nov. 22, 1963 flight was conducted?

After a careful review of the Central Intelligence Agency letter to the Senate Intelligence Committee, the Committee determined that the Senate Intelligence Agency's interpretation of the letter is misleading. The Central Intelligence Agency sent the Senate Intelligence Committee that theMexican authorities were asked about the reported flight delay, although there was no recorded response.

(CIA letter to Senate Intelligence Committee, 4/12)

Did the Central Intelligence Agency further investigate the report?

The Central Intelligence Agency conducted regular surveillance of Cuban flights, laying cable reports to Havana. There was one surveillance team that observed, avoided, and reported on Cuban flights, reporting any unusual incidents and providing copies of flight manifests (id. p. 5). The Mexican authorities also had a surveillance team to monitor the airport, which provided the CIA with photographs and copies of passenger lists (id. p. 5). Additionally, a telephone wiretapping operation (id. p. 5) against the Cuban Embassy provided transcripts of conversations with the Cuban office.
To a reported five-hour delay of a Cuban flight from Miami to Havana the evening of President Kennedy's assassination November 22, 1963. Senate Intelligence Committee Report, April 23, 1976, p. 20.

The most intriguing aspect of the report was that the reported delay was to await arrival at 10:30 P.M. CST of a private four-engined aircraft, which deposited an unidentified passenger who later boarded the aircraft without a security clearance and traveled to Havana in the jet's cabin. (Ibid p. 20.6.) The Senate Intelligence Committee wrote that the Central Intelligence Agency "had no information indicating that a follow-up investigation was initiated to determine the identity of the passenger and had no further information on the passenger, and no explanation for why a follow-up investigation was not initiated." (Ibid p. 20.)

The Senate Intelligence Committee Report raises many questions: did the Central Intelligence Agency write the Senate Intelligence Committee that no investigation was "initiated by the Central Intelligence Agency" further conducted, or that further investigation was conducted, investigate the report? "What were the results of the investigation?" and, were they given to the Senate Intelligence Committee?

In an attempt to answer these questions, good by the Senate Intelligence Committee Report, the House Select Committee on Assassinations has done the following:

1) Conducted an extensive review of the Central Intelligence Agency files that pertain to the November 22, 1963 Cuban flights.

2) Requested a copy of the 1977 Staff Report and the pertinent portions, which included the November 22, 1963 Cuban flights.
b) The Cuban flight departed at 2035 hours Mexican City time, 55 minutes ahead of the 'alleged' arrival at 2130 hours of a private flight with a secret passenger. The departure at 2035 hours also coincides with the Senate Intelligence report which states that the flight was with the alleged time of the Cuban flight.

Cuban flight departed at 2205.

Were the Results of the Central Intelligence Investigation given to the Senate Intelligence Committee?

Unfortunately, the Senate Intelligence Committee was only given the informant's notes. The Central Intelligence Agency made available to them the CIA FILE 844 WU-turn report. Hence, the Senate Intelligence Committee cannot make any

conclusion reached by the NSA.

informant's allegations could have verified the allegations.