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Memorandum

TO : Director, FBI (105-32555)

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DATE: 3/23/64

FROM : Legat, Mexico City (105-3702) (P)

SUBJECT: LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka
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4-19-93

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CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO OSWALD RELEASE 105-82555

ENCLOSURES

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HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
EXCEPT WHERE SHOWN
OTHERWISE~~

Enclosed herewith are 30 copies of a letterhead memorandum, dated and captioned as above.

REFERENCES

Buairtel dated 2/13/64, and Mexico City cables to the Bureau dated 2/18/64 and 2/19/64.

ADMINISTRATIVE

In the interest of brevity, the names and addresses of 244 stores contacted by MEX-42 and MEX-196 and the 59 stores contacted by MEX-25 and MEX-55 in Mexico, D. F., have not been set out in the attached letterhead memorandum but the names and addresses of all stores contacted are being maintained in MC file 105-3702. (JMK)

Reference is made to the report of SA Robert P. Gemberling, Dallas, dated 1/22/64, in captioned case, page 225, wherein is set forth in FD-302 dated 1/16/64 the interview of MARINA OSWALD concerning the silver colored bracelet with the name MARINA engraved on it and which was among the personal effects of LEE HARVEY OSWALD and MARINA OSWALD and acquired by the Dallas Police Department through search of the residence of RUTH PAINE, 2515 5th Street, Irving, Texas, on 11/22/64.

ENCLOSURE

- 5 - Bureau (Encs. 30)
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 - (2 - Dallas, 100-10461)
 - 1 - Mexico City
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It is noted that MARINA OSWALD identified the bracelet as a gift to her from her husband; that she stated that the bracelet was given to her immediately after OSWALD had returned from New Orleans early in October, 1963; and that OSWALD had purchased a similar bracket for himself with his name on it prior to the time they moved from Dallas to New Orleans in the spring of 1963.

She stated that OSWALD wanted her to have a bracelet like his; that he had not stated where he bought the bracelet; and that she did not know he had gone to Mexico.

The lead for the Dallas office is set forth because the above information presents the possibility that if OSWALD bought a bracelet with his name on it prior to leaving Dallas for New Orleans and since he wanted a similar one with his wife's name on it, he purchased the second bracelet where he purchased the first, probably in Dallas, Texas.

SOURCES

| <u>Identity of Source</u> | <u>File Location</u> |
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| *T-1 is MEX-18 and MEX-19 contacted by SA Nathan L. Ferris on 12/20/63, 1/6/64, 2/18/64 and 2/19/64 | [134-10A] (X)(u) |
| *T-2 is MEX-42 and MEX-196 contacted by SA Eldon D. Rudd on 3/16/64 | [134-31A] (X)(u) |
| *T-3 is MEX-25 and MEX-55 contacted by SA Eldon D. Rudd on 3/16/64 | [134-13A] (X)(u) |

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T-4 is SA ROLF L. LARSON . Instant letterhead memorandum

T-5 is SAs HENRY J. PRATT and FREDERICK E. RODERICK Instant letterhead memorandum

CLASSIFICATION

The attached letterhead memorandum has been classified "SECRET" to protect the Bureau's foreign operations and to protect the identities of informants who are furnishing information of interest to the Bureau on a continuing basis.

It is noted that only MEX-18 and MEX-19 have received the information reported regarding CHARLES SMALL, aka (Bufile 100-12632, MC 100-1535) and KURT ODENHEIM, aka (Bufile 100-386282, MC 105-581). (u) J/S

COPIES

Two copies of the enclosed letterhead memorandum are being designated for the Dallas office as the domestic office of origin and for coverage of the lead set out.

LEADS

DALLAS OFFICE

At Dallas, Texas

Will locate the store where OSWALD first purchased a bracelet for himself with his name on it before he left Dallas for New Orleans, to determine if he could have purchased the bracelet with the name MARINA engraved on it at this same store or any other similar store in the vicinity.

MEXICO CITY OFFICE

At Mexico, D. F.

Will continue to vigorously and immediately handle all investigation growing out of leads in this case and report the results promptly.

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