

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Dallas, Texas

April 13, 1964

LEE HARVEY OSWALD

By letter dated April 3, 1964, the President's Commission on the Assassination of President KENNEDY requested further additional investigation for the purpose of obtaining additional information concerning the expenditures of LEE HARVEY OGWALD during the period July, 1962 to October 3, 1963.

The President's Commission letter specifically requested information concerning the monthly rental charges for certain residences at Fort Worth and Dallas, Texas, as well as information concerning the utility payments at such residences.

On April 13, 1964, CHESTER ALLEN RIGGS, JR., 250 Carroll, Fort Worth, Texas, furnished the following information:

LEE OSWALD rented one side of a duplex at 2703 Mercedes Street, from about July, 1962 to October, 1962. RIGGS does not have old rental records to reflect exact date of occupancy. OSWALD peid \$59.50 a month for this duplex and always paid his rent in cash.

All the utilities at this address were in the name of RIGGS. OSWALD paid the water, gas and electric bills, in addition to his rental of \$59.50. The utility bills came to RIGGS and he, or one of his employees, would take them to OSWALD. Sometimes OSWALD would pay RIGGS, or one of his men, in cash for the utilities but, in most instances, OSWALD paid the utility bills direct to the companies in Fort Worth, RIGGS stated OSWALD did not have a telephone in this duplex.

The utilities averaged approximately \$12.00 a month for gas, water and electricity. RIGGS does not have any of the old records to reflect the exact figures on the utilities. He rented some similar-type apartments with utilities and he always charged

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an extra \$12.00 a month to cover these bills. He had kept a record of the utilities on similar-type duplexes and they would average about \$12.00 per month.

On April 8, 1964, Mrs. MANNIE M. TOBIAS, 602 Elsbeth Street, Apartment 7, Dallas, Texas, furnished the following information:

LEE HARVEY OSWALD was required to make utility payments for electricity only during the time he resided at 604 Elsbeth Street, Apartment No. 2, Dallas, Texas, between November 3, 1962, and March 3, 1963. All other utility payments were included in the rental amount of \$68.00 per month.

Mrs. TOBIAS stated that electricity was furnished at this address by the Dallas Power and Light Company, Dallas, Texas.

On April 9, 1964, Mrs. PAT DOUGLAS, Personnel Section. Dallas Power and Light Company, 1506 Commerce Street, Dallas, Texas, advised that the records of this company reflect that Account No. 700-1-2780-2 indicates that this account number was assigned to LEE H. OSWALD, 604 Elsbeth Street, Apertment 2, Dellas, Texas. She furnished the following summary of transactions in this account:

Date	Kilowatt-	Amount		Amount	Date
	Hours	Billed		Paid	Paid
11/3/62	Cut-in date				
12/18/62	162	● 7.13		6 7.13	1/4/63
1/18/63	84	3.64		3.64	2/5/63
2/19/63	88	3.76		3,76	3/1/63
3/20/63	54	2.60			
4/19/63	44	2.16			
4/23/63	16	.66	(final	bil1)	
TOTAL		#19.95		014.53	

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Mrs. DOUGLAS advised that the records of the Dallas Power and Light Company disclose that no deposit was ever placed with this firm by LEE N. OSWALD.

The following investigation has previously been reported as set forth on pages 106, 109, 110 and 112, in the report of Special Agent Robert P. GEMBERLING, dated December 10, 1963, at Dailas, Texas. A summary of expenditures made by LEE HARVEY OSWAID for rent and utilities while residing at 214 West Neely Street, Dallas, Texas, as previously reported, is set forth as follows:

Pate	Rent	Gas	<u>Lights</u>	Water
3/2/63	\$ 60			
3/4/63				\$5.00 (deposit)
3/8/63		\$10 (deposit)		
4/1/63	860			
4/4/63				82.97
5/1/63			None	
TOTAL	8120	\$10	None	87.97

On April 8, 1964, JOE R. MC REE, Secretary, Young Mon's Christian Association, 605 North Ervay, ballas, Toxas, advised that LEE HARVEY GNALD paid a total of 89,00 for room rent at the YMCA in Dallas for the period October 15, 1962 through October 19, 1962. GNWALD's room rent for this period was 82.25 per day. MC REE advised GNWALD paid 82.25 for a room he rented on October 3, 1963. He advised payment for all of the above was made in cash on a daily basis. MC REE said he had previously furnished information regarding GNWALD's room rental payments to am Agent of the Federal Birsau of Investigation and had made Photostats of the receipts for October 15, 1962 - October 19, 1962, and sent them to the President's Commission staff in Ballas.

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On April 9, 1964, H. G. WRIGGE, Assistant Postmaster, General Post Office, 400 North Ervay, Dallas, Taxas, telephone number RI 9-3365, furnished the following information:

On October 9, 1962, LEE H. OSWALD rented Post Office Box 2915, General Post Office, 400 North Ervay, Dallas, Texas. On October 9, 1962, OSWALD paid three months' box rent of 84.50. On December 24, 1962, OSWALD paid three months' box rent of 84.50. On Narch 22, 1963, OSWALD paid three months' box rent of 84.50.

On May 14, 1963, OSMALD gave up the Post Office Box and no refund was made, since the Post Office works on a quarterly basis, and less than three months was left on the box rental.

The application for the rental of Post Office Box 2915, Dallas, Texas, has previously been obtained and the handwriting appearing thereon identified as that of LEE HARVEY OSWALD, as set forth on pages 326-327, of the report of Special Agent ROBERT P. GEMBERLING, dated December 10, 1963, at Dallas, Texas. This Post office Box Rental Application is identified as Federal Bureau of Investigation Laboratory Exhibit No. D-17, Q-34.

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