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The following investigation was conducted by SA DANIE F. BODINE at Houston:

On December 2, 1963, Mr. PATRICK CUMMINGS, Desk Agent, Avis Rent-A-Car, 2120 Louisiana, Houston, Texas, telephonically advised that on May 8, 1963, RUBY rented a 1963 Ford from Avis with the expressed intent to drive to Edna, Texas, to take a puppy to CANDY BARR.

The Avis Rent-A-Car records were made available and they revealed the following:

A \$50.00 deposit was paid at 3:48 PM on May 8, 1963, and the car was returned at 5:37 AM on May 9, 1963, to the Avis agent at Houston International Airport. The space for local contacts on contract was left blank because of the expressed intent to return it the same day, thus no contact needed. The car was rented to JACK LEON RUBY, 3929 Rawlins, Dallas, Texas.

GORDON KENT, local Las Vegas television commentator, advised that a source of his, whom he refused to identify, had told him that JACK RUBY had been in Las Vegas, the weekend of November 16 and 17, 1963, at which time he, RUBY, had played golf at the Tropicana Golf Club, and had also made out a credit application at the Stardust Hotel. KENT stated that the source had also advised him that RUBY had previously and still had a credit card at the Riviera Hotel and Casino, Las Vegas, Nevada. KENT stated that he had included the above information in his 6:00 p.m. newscast on November 29, 1963.

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by SAS ARTHUR N. BARRETT and DONALD M. HOLLAND: DMH/nph Date dictated 12/3/63

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