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FRED MADDEN, Personnel Manager, American Metals, Inc., 4401 Bienville Avenue, advised as follows:

Upon seeing various photographs of LEE HARVEY OSWALD beginning on November 22, 1963, he had a vague recollection that this individual had in possibly the past six months, been in his place of business inquiring for employment. Upon returning to his office the following work day, he had checked all available applications and records and found that no proof of such an inquiry by OSWALD could be located.

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by SA DONALD L. HUGHES/lrs Date dictated 11/29/63

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FRED OLSEN, Personnel Director, Katz-Basthoff, Inc., 900 Camp Street, furnished the following voluntary information:

He stated that he recalled LEE HARVEY OSWALD applying for employment with Katz-Basthoff and as best he can recall, this was in the latter part of July or early part of August, 1963. He stated that he could not locate the application executed by OSWALD and inasmuch as it is company policy to destroy applications after two months, it was quite possible that OSWALD's application was destroyed.

OLSEN stated that the reason he is able to recall OSWALD applying for employment, was that it was only a short time prior to OSWALD applying for employment that he had been involved in passing out handbills on Canal Street in regards to Fair Play for Cuba or something in that regard. OLSEN stated that in the event that the application would be located, he would notify the FBI of same.

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