Mrs. Marina Oswald interviewed by Federal Bureau of Investigation while ATSAIC Leon L. Gopadze of Los Angeles acted as Russian translator.

FBI Hosty, Jr. admitted interviewing Mrs. Marina Oswald on or about October 27, 1963, twenty-seven days before the assassination.

Chief Rowley's orders were to act as a coordinator and to relay investigative information from Dallas to the Chief's Office.

During this pre-interview briefing, SA James P. Hosty, Jr. casually mentioned that he had talked to Mrs. Marina Oswald at the Irving Street address about two months ago.

SA Hosty was asked by the reporting Special Agent, "How did you talk to her - doesn't she only speak Russian?" SA Hosty replied that Ruth Paine, acted as a translator. SA Hosty was further asked by the reporting Special Agent, "Did you interview her (Mrs. Marina Oswald) before or after the new baby was born?" SA Hosty replied that it was about ten days after the baby was born. (Mrs. Marina Oswald's baby was born on October 27, 1963.)

Upon terminating the pre-interview conference above, the reporting Special Agent and ATSAIC Gopadze were transported in the FBI vehicle to Six Flags Inn, Arlington, Texas. FBI Special Agents Brown and Hosty were the accompanying agents. While at the Six Flags Inn, FBI Special Agents Brown and Hosty questioned Mrs. Marina Oswald using ATSAIC Gopadze as a translator. (See ATSAIC Gopadze's memorandum report regarding his interview with Mrs. Marina Oswald on this occasion.)

Upon terminating the interview above, the reporting Special Agent, ATSAIC Gopadze and FBI Special Agents Brown and Hosty then returned to the U. S. Secret Service Dallas Office wherein the foregoing interview with Mrs. Marina Oswald was reduced to narrative form for the benefit of FBI Special Agents Brown and Hosty. Inspector Kelley and SAC Sorrels were also present during this period. FBI SA Hosty stated that this Service would be provided with a copy of his report concerning this interview.

At 9:27 P.M., the reporting Special Agent heard ATSAIC Gopadze remark to FBI SA Hosty that Mrs. Marina Oswald had recognized him as the FBI agent who had interviewed Mrs. Marina Oswald on or about October 27, 1963, concerning the whereabouts of Mr. Lee Harvey Oswald. At this time, FBI SA Hosty admitted that he had talked to Mrs. Marina Oswald on or about October 27, 1963, and that Mrs. Paine had acted as his translator at that meeting.

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