

ASSASSINATION RECORDS RELEASE ADVISORY

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ASSASSINATION RECORDS REVIEW BOARD RELEASES ADDITIONAL CIA RECORDS

The Assassination Records Review Board has released 61 additional CIA documents relating to the assassination of President John F. Kennedy.

The Review Board voted to release these 61 CIA documents, 56 in full and 5 in part, on September 21, 1995. They relate primarily to Lee Harvey Oswald's trip to Mexico City in the fall of 1963, only weeks before the assassination of President Kennedy. The Board has focused much of its attention to date on this part of the CIA files.

The Review Board voted to release 276 of the 281 redactions in this group of CIA documents. The Board agreed with the CIA that in some instances information relating to intelligence sources and methods should not be released at this time. In these instances, the Board provided substitute language which gives some relevant information in place of the redactions, while not revealing sensitive intelligence information.

The original CIA documents being released have been transferred to the National Archives and Records Administration for inclusion in The President John F. Kennedy Assassination Records Collection, which is housed at the National Archives facility in College Park, Maryland.

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