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	LEE HARVEY OSWALD, IS-R.	
	RE TELEPHONE CONVERSATION WITH ASSISTANT DIRECTOR W. C. SULLIVAN TODAY. FOLLOWING IS IN CONFIRMATION.	
9803A	(W) WINSTON SCOTT, HEAD OF CIA OFFICE HERE, REPORTED THIS	
26 Ag	MORNING THAT LUIS ECHEVERRIA, ACTING MINISTER OF GOBERNACION, HAD ADVISED THAT TELEBRIC ALVARADO UGARTE HAD SIGNED STATEMENT	
	IN WHICH HE ADMITTED HE HAD NEVER SEEN OSWALD HERE IN CUBAN	
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***	HAD NEVER SEEN ANY MONEY PAID TO OSWALD OR ANYONE ELSE IN CUBAN CONSULATE. HE ALSO ADMITTED THAT HIS STATEMENT TO EFFECT HE	
200	HAD CALLED OUR EMBASSY SEVERAL TIMES IN UNSUCCESSFUL EFFORTS TO	
7.2	REPORT INFORMATION RE OSWALD WAS FABRICATION AND THAT SUCH CALLS NEVER MADE.	•
c /a	ALLEGED MOTIVE BEHIND ALVARADO'S STORY WAS THAT HE INTENSELY	
15 J	DISLIKES CASTRO AND HOPED TO PROVOKE UNITED STATES INTO THROWING CASTRO OUT OF CUBA. *NO INFORMATION AVAILABLE TO INDICATE THAT	
25.71	NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT WAS BEHIND ALVARADO'S FABRICATED STORY.	
146	SCOTT ADVISED THAT REPRESENTATIVE OF NICARAGUAN INTELLIGENCE SERVICE, CAPTAIN WHEELOCK, DID NOT ACTUALLY PARTICIPATE IN	
18 63 5 5 63	INTERROGATION OF ALVARADO BUT WAS PRESENT IN ADJOINING ROOM AND	
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CONSULTED BY MEXICANS. SCOTT SAID WHEELOCK TOLD HIM HE IS

ENTIRE MATTER OF ALVARADO'S ADMISSION TO FABRICATION WAS FULLY DISCUSSED WITH AMBASSADOR MANN IN LENGTHY SESSION. HE ACCEPTS FACT THAT STORY WAS FABRICATION BUT CONTINUES TO FEEL CASTRO MAY HAVE BEEN BEHIND KENNEDY ASSASSINATION. THIS OPINION IN PART BASED ON TWO PHONE CALLS WHICH OCCURRED BETWEEN PRESIDENT DORTICOS OF CUBA AND CUBAN AMBASSADOR HERE ON NOVEMBER 26 LAST IN WHICH DORTICOS REPEATEDLY QUESTIONED AMBASSADOR WITH REGARD TO WHETHER SILVIA DURAN HAD BEEN INTERROGATED ABOUT MONEY WHEN SHE WAS ARRESTED BY MEXICAN AUTHORITIES NOVEMBER 23 LAST.

AMBASSADOR MANN WAS MOST EFFUSIVE IN HIS COMMENTS CONCERNING DIRECTOR'S COOPERATION IN HAVING SENT KEENAN HERE AND REQUESTED THAT KEENAN CONVEY PERSONALLY HIS APPRECIATION TO DIRECTOR. HE STATED HE FEELS THAT WITH ALVARADO'S ADMISSION OF FABRICATION THERE WOULD APPEAR TO BE NO REASON FOR KEENAN TO REMAIN HERE ANY LONGER. KEENAN HAS RESERVATIONS TO DEPART MEXICO CITY AT 11 PM TODAY ON EASTERN FLIGHT 304 WHICH IS SCHEDULED TO ARRIVE AT DULLES AIRPORT IN WASHINGTON AT 6 AM TOMORROW. & (W)

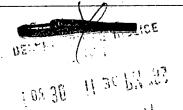
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