

STANDARD FORM NO. 64

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Snyder
 FROM : Marie Cheatham *MC*
 SUBJECT: Lee Harvey OSWALD

DATE: November 2, 1959

According to your instructions, I telephoned Mr. Oswald at 0930 at his hotel this morning informing him that the Embassy had received a telegram from his brother and asked if he could stop by the office today to pick up the message. He replied in the negative.

I again called Mr. Oswald immediately thereafter, as instructed by you, to ask him if I could read the message to him over the telephone. His room did not answer.

At 1105 I contacted Mr. Oswald at his hotel and asked him if I could read the messages from his brother, that I now had two telegrams for him. Mr. Oswald replied, "No, not at the present time", and hung up.

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D. F. Stanfield - SCS
 Mr. Sternberg - International Rescue Committee

Mrs. Van Cott - SCS

I called Mr. Sternberg with the International Rescue Committee, 251 Park Avenue, New York, telephone number OR 4-4200 to find out whether or not their organization was going to furnish the funds for Mr. and Mrs. Oswald's return from Russia. Mr. Sternberg said he had received, from the Red Cross, Vernon, Texas, a couple of documents concerning the Oswald case but they were unable to take any action. On January 22nd, he said he sent a letter to the Red Cross in Vernon outlining the information they would need. He said that they must have the mother's complete name and address, reason why Mr. Oswald had been in Russia, etc. He said in any event, they would not furnish funds to return Mr. Oswald since it was his understanding that was the responsibility of the State Department. He said normally they do not approve funds as in this case but for refugees. He doubted very much that the committee would approve even for Mrs. Oswald. In any event there will be considerable delay.

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