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(Director's Office and Offices)

[ ] 261.1122 OSWALD,  
LEE HARVEY 1-2661DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
Memorandum of Conversation

DATE: January 26, 1961

SUBJECT: Lee Oswald

PARTICIPANTS: Mrs. Oswald  
PPT - Mr. Edward J. Hickey  
SCS - Mr. Norman F. Stenfield  
SOV - D. E. BosterCOPIES TO: PPT  
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Ambassy Moscow

Mrs. Oswald came in to discuss the situation with regard to her son, Lee Oswald, who had gone to the Soviet Union and attempted to renounce his citizenship in a visit to the Embassy on October 31, 1959. Mrs. Oswald said she had come to Washington to see what further could be done to help her son, indicating that she did not feel that the Department had done as much as it should in his case. She also said she thought there was some possibility that her son had in fact gone to the Soviet Union as a US secret agent, and if this were true she wished the appropriate authorities to know that she was destitute and should receive some compensation.

Mrs. Oswald was assured that there was no evidence to suggest that her son had gone to the Soviet Union as an "agent", and that she should dismiss any such idea. With respect to her son's citizenship status, Mr. Hickey explained that he had not yet taken the necessary steps in order legally to renounce his citizenship. At the same time, we did not know whether he had taken any action which would deprive him of his American citizenship under our laws. Mrs. Oswald conceded that there was a good possibility that her son was acting in full knowledge of what he was doing and preferred the Soviet way of life. If this were the case, she would respect his right to do so.

It was agreed that the Department would send a new instruction to the Embassy at Moscow asking that the Soviet Foreign Ministry be informed that Mrs. Oswald had not heard from her son in several months and was very anxious to have word from him.

Mrs. Oswald said that her address at the present time was Box 305, Boyd, Texas.

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AIR MAIL

## OPERATIONS MEMORANDUM

TO: DEPARTMENT OF STATE (OS)

Date: March 9, 1962

FROM: Ambassador MOSCOW

SUBJECT: MOSCOW-AMEMBOSCOV: Loan Application of Lee OSWALD

Enclosed is the original of Lee OSWALD's application for a registration loan for himself, his wife and daughter, which he mailed to the Embassy from his residence at Minsk, USSR.

A loan not to exceed \$500.00 has been authorized in the MEMORANDUM under reference. The funds will be advanced to Mr. Oswald upon his personal appearance at the Embassy, and a promissory note will be secured from him at that time.

## Enclosures:

Original of Lee Oswald's Application for a Registration Loan

J. Hickey/vcb

Commission Exhibit 2682

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LEE H. Oswald  
House 4, DIST. 24  
KALININA STREET  
Minsk, U.S.S.R.

American Embassy  
Moscow, U.S.S.R.

1. LEE HARVEY Oswald
2. NEW ORLEANS, LA. Oct. 15, 1939
3. NO. 1733242, LOS ANGELES, CALIF., SEPT. 10, 1959
4. 1950-1956 FT. WORTH, TEXAS, 1956-1959, U.S. MARINE CORPS ACTIVE; DUTY STATIONS: Los Angeles, CALIF.; ATSUGI, JAPAN; SUGI DAY, PHILIPPINE IS., 1959-1962, MINSK, U.S.S.R., Residence
5. ACTIVE DUTY U.S. MARINE CORPS, RADAR OPERATOR, RANK E1-E2, ACTIVE DUTY TERMINATED SEPT. 10, 1959 HONORABLE DISCHARGE RECEIVED.
6. MARINA N. OSWALD, WIFE, RUSSIAN  
June Lee Oswald, daughter, American
7. NONE
8. PETITION FOR DONATIONS TO; INTERNATIONAL RESCUE COMMITTEE, 251 PARK AVE-SOUTH, NEW YORK, N.Y., I HAVE NOT BEEN NOTIFIED OF RESULT OF PETITION.
9. NONE
10. \$800.00 (\$200.00 CAN BE PAID BY MYSELF).
11. INTERNATIONAL RESCUE COMMITTEE, 251 PARK AVE-SOUTH, NEW YORK, N.Y.
12. 7313 DAVANPORT ST. FT. WORTH, TEXAS,

1. Your name in full
2. Place and date of birth.
3. Number, place, and date of issue of your last passport.
4. Periods and places of residence in the United States, and periods, places and purpose of residence abroad.
5. Previous means of livelihood or support, including occupation, salary, when terminated, and name and address of last employer.
6. Full name, age, relationship, and nationality of dependents who will travel with you.
7. Personal funds or property in the United States or abroad, estimate of amount, exact location and person or institution in charge of them.
8. Efforts made to obtain funds from private sources and the results thereof.
9. Any previous advances of United States Government funds received (indicate amount, from whom and when).
10. Estimated amount which you and your dependents will require for repatriation (expressed in dollars). Please note that it is necessary to indicate just how much of the cost of your return trip you can pay yourself.
11. Names and addresses of relatives, friends, employers or other interested organizations which may be asked to provide funds for you and your dependents.
12. Permanent or last address in the United States to which you desire to return.

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