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1 WELL RESULTS LITEAGE-1 MEET WITH KUZ-ETSOV 4 DECEMBER

A. RE ASSASSINATION PRESIDENT KENNEDY, KUZ SAID ACT INCOMPREHENSIBLE BECAUSE COULD NOT EFFECT CHANGES IN U.S., ESPECIALLY FOREIGN POLICY OR BENEFIT RACISTS. OSWALD COMMUNIST TENDENCIES, IF TRUE, OR STAY RUSSIA HAD NO BEARING CRIME BECAUSE OF DIRECTIVE SINCE TIME OF LENIN CONSIDERED OPPRESSION OPPONENTS ONLY DAMAGED COMMUNIST MOVEMENT.

B. CONTRADICTIONS ABOUT CRIME: USE 3 DIFFERENT TYPES OF ARMS, INABILITY ACCOUNT FOR OSWALD APPREHENSION FAR FROM SITE OF ASSASSINATION, SOME BULLETS EXPLOSIVE OTHERS NOT. KUZ INORDINATELY DISCONCERTED BY L-1 QUESTIONS RE OSWALD ENTRY EXIT WORK MARRIAGE SOVIET UNION. EXPLAINED THAT ALTHOUGH NOT COMMON,

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[illegible] FRIENDS CAN [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] AND [illegible]
DID NOT KNOW DETAILS BUT DOUBTLESS [illegible] WITH [illegible]
OSWALD'S CASE, HIS EXPATRIATION, RUSSIAN WIFE, NO [illegible]
THAT SOVIET UNION [illegible] FAVORABLY [illegible] ATTACHED [illegible]

2. L-1 ASKED IF SOVIETS COULD ASSIST FINANCIALLY IN
INSTANCE [redacted] [illegible] [redacted] OF WHICH L-1 [illegible].
SUBJ REPLIED L-1 COULD TALK WITH CONSUL PAVEL [illegible]
ABOUT IT BUT DOUBTED ANY OFFICIAL HELP FORTHCOMING. SUGGESTED
[illegible] TO WORK [illegible] AND ALSO [illegible]
[illegible] AND [illegible] SUGGESTED L-1 [illegible]
[illegible] UP TRANSLATION SERVICE TO DO WORK FOR [illegible], [illegible]
EXPECTATION TRANSLATE [illegible] TO FACILITATE
CONTACTS. L-1 SAID HE BELIEVED [illegible] HAD OWN TRANSLATION SERVICE
BUT WOULD INVESTIGATE MATTER ANYWAY.

3. SUBJ HAS NOT HAD ANY NEWS FROM [redacted]
[redacted] ADVISED [illegible] TO THIS EFFECT.

4. NEXT MEET 19 DEC.

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C/S COMMENT: *DISSEMINATION APPLICABLE TO [illegible]
**Reported the results of [illegible]/1 [illegible]
[illegible] on 13 November.