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8th day of September 19 89

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She was previously married to an American and between 1966 and 1969 she lived in the New Orleans area working as an assistant physio-therapist at the Touro Infirmary. Through general conversation she discovered that one of the patients was the wife of a New Orleans attorney and that the law firm, for whatever reason, had a secretarial problem. As she was able to type she offered her services at weekends when necessary. Having had no training as a legal secretary, much of what she typed meant nothing to her. One letter did however, which was to the mother of Lee Harvey OSWALD. After all this time she can only say that it related to money being sent to her (the mother) and it seemed to refer in some way to President KENNEDY's assassination. She initially considered informing the authorities but decided against it as she didn't wish to bring herself to attention. She denied ever being interviewed by the New Orleans Police Department during the Clay SHAW trial. She was aware of the nature of this trial and was aware of the name Clay SHAW within the attorneys office but she cannot now remember in what context.

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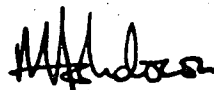
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Enquiries of Sussex Police show that she lives in a good class area of Brighton and nothing to her detriment could be found in local records. At this stage there is nothing to indicate that the events didn't happen. It was, however, impossible to assess the true extent of her knowledge. Should it be considered necessary I will attempt to take the matter further.

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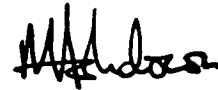
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