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Carla HarrisonDescription of the Call Date: 10/09/96Subject: USAF Training Records on Lee Harvey
OswaldSummary of the Call:Ms. Harrison called Wray regarding the above topic. (Wray had passed on to
Jessica Spencer, USAF point of contact in the Pentagon, the ARRB's request for information regarding any
records that might still exist concerning Oswald's attendance at the Air Force's Air Control and Warning
Operator Course at Keesler AFB in 1957. Spencer passed on this request to Harrison.) Ms. Harrison is the FOIA
Manager for Keesler AFB. She said that, by regulation, training records (class rosters, etc.) are kept for 30
years and then destroyed. Consequently, the records from 1957 would have been routinely destroyed in 1987.
She suggested that the one place the ARRB staff might look to see whether any training records from that era
might still survive (despite their scheduled destruction) would be the Military Personnel Records Center in St.
Louis. With respect to other records (such as course outline or syllabus), she said that records of that sort are
only retained locally until superseded--that is, whenever a course is updated with new material, the old course
outline, etc., is thrown away and no record copy is kept anywhere. Consequently, Keesler AFB presently has
nothing that would reflect course content or any other details about the AC&WOC as it existed in 1957. Ms.
Harrison volunteered to fax Wray a copy of the course outline for the current course (Aerospace Control and
Warning Systems Operator) that is the modern successor to the course Oswald attended. (Fax received.)Don't
forget to compose individual Action Item documents for any action items that resulted from the call!
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