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Gilberto Policarpo LOPEZ Rodriguez (201-741600)
 DPOB, 26 January, 1940, Havana, Cuba

Chronology of Activities through 27 November 1963.

2 June 1960 applied for US passport in Havana

13 July 1960 passport #310,162 issued to Lopez, valid only through 25 January 1963.

DATE UNKNOWN - Lopez came to the United States, appeared in Key West, Florida where he worked for a time at the Molina Bakery.

Employed at the Molina Bakery by Jesus RODRIGUEZ (cousin of Lopez) for approx six months.

According to Jesus, Lopez returned to Cuba for two to three weeks before ~~returning~~ returning to the US. Jesus reported that when Lopez returned to the US he hired him again, but said that Lopez "appeared to be a different person".

Lopez was fired from his job at the bakery and Jesus believed Lopez had obtained another job in another bakery.

DATE UNKNOWN RE LOPEZ RETURN TO CUBA ONLY SIX MONTHS AFTER ARRIVING IN THE US.

DATE UNKNOWN RE LOPEZ RETURN TO THE US FOLLOWING TWO TO THREE WEEK STAY IN CUBA.

29 July, 1960 Lopez registered for the Selective Service.

23 February 1962 Lopez was classified 4F due to "language barrier."

11 August 1962 Lopez married one Blanche Andrea LEON at Key West - by a notary republic.

EARLY 1963, Lopez wife said he was admitted to Jackson Memorial Hospital - she said her husband suffered from epilepsy.

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17 November 1963 - Lopez was at the home of one

Mary QUIST in Tampa Florida where he and others saw photos of Cuba (related to the FPCC). Lopez indicated at that time that he had been refused travel back to Cuba.

20 November 1963 - Lopez attended an FPCC meeting in Tampa, Florida and at that time was expecting a call from Cuba in order to get word on his departure for Cuba.

20 November, 1963 - Lopez received Mexico tourist card for 15 days # FM-8-#24,553, in Tampa, Florida. He was listed as being SINGLE .

23 November 1963 - Lopez crossed the border into Mexico at Nuevo Laredo by Car (car belonged to another person - Unknown)

23 November 1963 - according to Enrique RUIX Montalvo (agent of the Federal Judicial Police), one Gilberto Lopez was involved in the assassination of President Kennedy, and that this Lopez entered Mexico on foot from Laredo , Texas about 1200 hours on 13 November, with passport number 319992, issued 13 July 1960 and proceeded by Bus to Mexico City where he entered the Cuban Embassy. According to this source, Lopez left the Embassy for Cuba on 27 November 1963 on Cubana flight 465. Lopez was issued travel form 8 #24553 at Nuevo Laredo. (Above info provided by MEXI on 19 March, 1964.)

25 November 1963 - Lopez checked into the Hotel Roosevelt in Mexico City at 1600 hours local time - Room 203.

27 November, 1963 - Lopez checked out of his hotel and at 2100 hours departed for Havana on Cubana flight 465. He was listed as the only passenger along with a crew of nine.

On 9 December 1963 a source identified the Mexico city airport photo of Lopez as the same Lopez who was at the 17 November party. The same man who at that party ~~xxxx~~ indicated that he ^(Lopez) had been refused travel to Cuba.

According to one Cristina AMOR, Lopez arrived safely in Cuba via Texas and Mexico. ^(date 27 Nov 1963) She received this information from a Teresa (lnu) in Cuba. Amor called Teresa in Cuba - call took 5 minutes to get through-

On 3 ~~xxxx~~ September 1964, it was reported that Lopez "still in Cuba where he is not employed, but merely spends much of his time playing dominoes."

Gilberto P. LOPEZ Rodriguez has two brothers: One known as "SELITO" who is in Cuba with the Militia. Lopez reportedly stated upon his return from Cuba (date unknown) that he had had trouble with a militia man. Lopez' other brother is one Raimundo P. LOPEZ who was sent to the Soviet Union by the Government of Cuba to Study. (DATE UNKNOWN)