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Subject: Initial conversation with Stephan Weiss of the 112th M/I group
CALL REPORT ISSUE # 70DOCUMENTS AUTHOR: Dave Montague/ARRB Date Created: 02/28/97 WHO initiated the call? Review Board's representative in the call: Dave Montague112th M/I Project; related to Secret Service Protection ProjectSubject: Initial conversation with Stephan Weiss of the 112th M/I groupDescription of the Call I spoke with Weiss today, identified myself & explained the purpose of the Review Board. Weiss confirmed that he was once a Lieutenant in the US Army's 112th MilitaryIntelligence Group during 1963.Weiss was cordial & said he's been retired from the Government since 1982, but has something to tell us which he considers very important. I asked him to be more specific & he said he won't specify over the phone, but will discuss it in person; he added that he was surprised that I'd interview anyone over the phone. I apologized for having to initially speak w/him over the phone & explained the small structure/resources w/which we are working; Weiss understood & said he'll be happy to cooperate. Weiss said that in circa 1982 (appx 3 weeks prior to his retirement), he was an "Intelligence Oversight Officer" (another name for Inspector General). He attended a meeting at which some "high level" personnel showed him some material which he said: "It scared the shit out of me". Weiss thinks they were just trying to get his reaction to the material as "one of the guys", but they soon realized he was not very amused or happy about it & began pretending it never happened. I reminded Weiss of the independent nature of the Review Board & our desire to place "everything" at NARA for the American people. I then told him I'd like to discuss the 1982 event w/Senior Staff here for a potential interview at his home. Weiss said the material does not relate specifically to the assassination itself, but does relate to the WC & dossiers. Weiss said: "...it devastated me for many years...I lived pretty straight & knew government people should not have done what they did...".The conversation then switched to Weiss' knowledge of events surrounding the assassination, of which he made the following statements:-he was a 1st Lt. assigned to the 112th in Dallas during 1963-prior to JFK's Dallas trip, his office received word from Col. Robert E. Jones who ordered them to offer "full cooperation" to the USSS in preparation for JFK's visit to Dallas- an agent-in-charge named possibly "Sour" of USSS allegedly said: "...No, we don't need any assistance from anyone...Both us & the Texas Department of Public Safety will handle everything..."*-his group (which he said included people like Major James E. Cloud) was surprised to hear they (USSS) had everything under control...the 112th had not done any special training w/USSS, but did have weapons & he feels they could have been of some help-since his unit wasn't helping that day, he decided to walk down in front of a hotel named either the "Baker" or "Adolfus" to watch the motorcade...after it passed, he returned to his office & was w/Col. Tate who'd just returned from Korea...they heard sirens & the secretary ran in saying JFK had been

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