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May I have a copy of the Rocca memorandum, please?
To: Jeremy Gunn/ARRB, Michelle Combs/ARRB, Bob Skwirot/ARRB
From: Ron Haron/ARRB
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Subject: CIA Records
Over the weekend, I was reading some of the Rockefeller Commission materials that have been publicly released. Among them was a formerly SECRET May 23, 1976 27-page memorandum for the Commission by Raymond Rocca entitled "Review of Selected Items in the Lee Harvey Oswald File regarding Allegations of the Castro Cuban Involvement in the John F. Kennedy Assassination." I thought the memo was very interesting and would provide at least one means of verifying that the CIA has identified, under the JFK Act, all relevant CIA materials relating to the assassination. For instance, the memo references CIA interviews with certain people claiming they saw or met Oswald in Mexico City. There was one reference in particular that caught my attention -- "Vega [the Deputy DGI Chief in Mexico City during Oswald's visit] is . . . cited by a Cuban DGI defector as having stated he was aware Oswald made several visits to the Cuban Consulate." Not being as familiar as you are with the CIA records being processed under the JFK, I had the following questions: (1) Do the CIA materials so far identified include any files on this DGI defector, include transcripts of interviews and any other materials on his statement regarding Oswald? (2) Has the CIA provided the files on all of the DGI personnel who were identified as having worked at the Cuban Consulate in Mexico City at the time of Oswald's visit? (3) Are we satisfied that the CIA has provided all materials that may relate to Oswald's visit to Mexico City? (4) Should we ask the NSA for any materials on the DGI and DGI officials? (I can make you a copy of the Rocca memorandum if you want to see it).

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