The following investigation was conducted by SA TOM E. CHAPOTON, JR., at Dallas, Texas:

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CHARLES DUARTE, 1418 Congress, Houston, Texas, advised SA JAMES L. WILLIAMSON that he has resided in Houston for the past year but for the 14 years before, resided in Dallas and knew JACK RUBY during that time.

He stated he knew RUBY was from Chicago but knew of no connections with any hoodlum element in Chicago and stated he believed RUBY’s night club operation in Dallas was not financed by any hoodlum element.

He stated he did not believe RUBY had any extreme political beliefs and stated RUBY was only interested in making money.

He stated RUBY had mentioned to him on several occasions that he was selling hot jewelry and furs but said he had never seen any of these items.

He advised he did not know OSWALD and did not know if he was known to RUBY.

He stated he knew of no girl friends of RUBY and said that R. D. MATTHEWS, who is employed at a Redman’s Club in Dallas and who was a past member of the DELOIS GREEN Gang, is well acquainted with RUBY.

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