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NARA AR DATE 3/15/87Continuation of OIC-302 of JAMES "SKIP" LWIN RUTHERFORD, III, On 5/3/95, Page 6

RUTHERFORD had lunch at HILLARY CLINTON's mother's residence. HILLARY CLINTON was in complete disbelief and shock at the thought of FOSTER committing suicide. HILLARY CLINTON told RUTHERFORD that she could think of no indication or reason for the suicide. HILLARY CLINTON and RUTHERFORD were trying to determine a motive for FOSTER's suicide.

Subsequent to the interview, RUTHERFORD was shown a photocopy of a message slip entitled "To Mack, dated 7/21 time 10:45". The message was from "Skip", and stated "He just spoke to Hillary-she was very complementary on the way you're handling this." The individual that left the note is identified as "P". RUTHERFORD stated that this call would have occurred at the time, or subsequent to the time, that he had lunch with HILLARY CLINTON, and that he had probably called MCLARTY to talk about his conversation with HILLARY CLINTON. RUTHERFORD was unable to specifically recall the telephone call to MCLARTY that the message references, however, RUTHERFORD stated that it is completely consistent with the sequence of events on the day following FOSTER's death.