

JL, re transcript 77-2155

HW 7/25/73

The reason I kept after you to get this transcript does not exist in the copy prepared by the court reporter. My memory is not playing tricks on me about this. I am quite certain. I hope you will recall it.

There came a point at which Judge Gesell asked Figley about all the FOIA requests I'd made of the FBI without any response, any compliance. Figley's response was that they would comply with all the requests by providing the 1/18/78 release.

I was agahast at the sweep of his lie and I immediately saw the importance of the lie with regard to the other requests.

When you can I'd appreciate it if you could take this up with the court reporter, ask for a check of the notes, etc. It is possible that her notes may be a bit garbled and she omitted for that reason, or that in haste she just made an error.

However, I regard this as important because of its meaning in other requests and cases and I am quite certain about the exchange. As the record now stands there is no reference to the number of my requests at all, and that did come up other than as Figley tried to palm it off, there were too many and I'd have done better with fewer.