

Dear Jim,

5/18/82

Once I completed the 0522 affidavit I started again on the accumulation, first of back correspondence. Sandwiched between some unanswered letters I found three FBI records that, from the notes I added, were sent with the FBI's letter of 9/29/81. I take it that these withheld less or replaced earlier withholdings.

With regard to the Dallas record, which I used in the affidavit, it does disclose that the bug and taps were on Marina. But it, as I stated, withholds the file numbers. To put it another way, the FBI finally "disclosed" some of what it had disclosed earlier and withheld. I'm pretty sure the file numbers are 62-1313 and 62-1313A.

The letter about the spectro suit, by Bresson, states that all they provided is 17 pages. (190-709-X22)

Gallagher's letter is cute. He limits the recommended and considered uses of NAA to the wrong formulation of what they did tests re paraffin casts, and to nothing but the paraffin casts, which were already exculpatory.

The record I used in the affidavit is that record as it was disclosed. Whenever they reprocessed, it makes it apparent that the earlier claims to withhold are not solidly based or even necessary. I don't expect them to attract any attention to this but if they do you can be prepared to write back.

The student who has been supposed to be helping with the filing is in some ways worse than the one who preceded her. The preceding one did work until she suddenly stopped, I suppose because she got better jobs. The new one, who doesn't really need a job, did little work and then stopped. She did not begin to catch up on what the one before her failed to get done.

I've written Rae, who said she was coming down, to see if she can stay long enough to break another girl in. I have one in mind and I'll speak to her in the event Rae can stay long enough for that.

Best,