

Lead cards - JFK



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Mr. Harold Weisberg
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Dear Mr. Weisberg:

This is an initial response to your letter of October 21, 1979 (copy attached).

By copy of this letter, I am requesting the Bureau's FOIPA Branch to ascertain whether "lead cards" pertaining to the King or Kennedy investigations exist and were processed. Alternatively, I am requesting the Bureau either to inform you that such cards never existed or have been destroyed, to process for release any unprocessed cards that exist, or to articulate a legal basis for refusing to process or release any such cards. I am asking the Bureau to respond directly to you concerning this matter. If you are dissatisfied with that response, you can bring that fact to the further attention of this Office.

Sincerely,

John H. Shenefield
Acting Associate Attorney General

By:


Quinlan J. Shea, Jr., Director
Office of Privacy and Information Appeals

CC: James H. Lesar, Esquire

Attachment