

*Mr. [unclear]*  
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*Mr. Shaneyfelt*  
*Mr. Jones*  
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BY COURIER SERVICE

Honorable J. Lee Rankin  
General Counsel  
The President's Commission  
200 Maryland Avenue, Northeast  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Rankin:

Reference is made to your letter of August 10, 1964, wherein you requested assistance in preparing visual aids for use in dealing with allegations that the motorcade route which took the President's car past the Depository at the intersection of Elm and Houston Streets was unnecessary and departed from normal practice.

Enclosed are four glossy prints each of the following visual aids which were prepared from information selected by the Commission from documented records:

1. Aerial view (500 feet altitude) of Freeway convergence west of Triple Underpass, Dallas, Texas
2. Freeway convergence at Triple Underpass, Dallas, Texas
3. Photographic views of highway markings in the vicinity of the assassination
4. Plan view of Freeway convergence west of Triple Underpass, Dallas, Texas
5. View from north tower of Union Terminal Company, Dallas, Texas

1 - Mr. Belmont  
1 - Mr. Rosen (Mr. Malley)  
1 - Mr. Conrad (Mr. Shaneyfelt) (Enclosures) (8)  
1 - Mr. Sullivan  
1 - Mr. DeLoach

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6. View from Triple Underpass, Dallas, Texas
7. View of Triple Underpass from location on Elm Street
8. No title (aerial photograph of Triple Underpass)

These visual aids were previously approved by Mr. Willens and comply with the Commission's request contained in referenced letter.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

Enclosures (32)