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December 3, 1963

Mrs. Ruth Ershen
1532 East Swan Circle
Brentwood, Missouri 63144

Dear Mrs. Ershen:

My staff and I certainly share your concern over the brutal assassination of President Kennedy, and we want to assure you that the full forces of the FBI were immediately deployed to assist the Secret Service and the local authorities in their investigation.

The President has instructed the FBI to conduct a full investigation into the assassination of President Kennedy and the murder of Lee Harvey Oswald. I can assure you that this Bureau will discharge its responsibilities in this regard with the same thoroughness and dispatch that have characterized our investigations in the past.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Correspondent is not identifiable in Bufiles.

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Handwritten signatures and initials:
- Large signature: *James M. [unclear]*
- Signature: *DeLoach*
- Initials: *DM*
- Initials: *PLR*
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