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Clarence M. Kelley, Esq., Director Federal Bureau of Investigation Washington, D. C. 20535

Re: Artifacts of the Warren Commission

Dear Mr. Kelley:

Please allow me to thank you for sending me the requested prints of CE 894 and CE 902. In the case of CE 573, prints of which you previously sent, I should like to ask two negatives of this exhibit as

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- (a) one negative with the exhibit (CE 573) placed on the white background with the metric scale in position as in the submitted sketch, and,
- (b) one large color transparancy for binding into a 3 x 4 inch slide, to be taken on the green background above the metric scale as in the attached sketch.

Turning to CE 399, now in custody of the Archivist, you will recall this as the bullet alleged to have also injured Governor Connally. While being photographed in January 1967 a very minute flake of metal fell from the base. The archivist now has this stuck onto a piece of "Scotch" tape and has previously taken a picture of it for me with a micron scale which I forwarded to him in the picture for comparison. Unfortunately the resultant picture is quite poor. I believe the FBI have better facilities for photographing such small objects of evidence.

Enclosed is a Xerox® copy of a letter of May 17, 1972, to me from the Archivist, Dr. James B. Rhoads, in which he advises that he would send the requested flake to the FBI for my requested photographs if the FBI would agree to make the exposures. I should like to ask if 62:101060you would permit your laboratories to use their superior equipment, and take for me black - white negatives and color transplantancies of this flake from CE 399 lying on a postage stamp as background and also exposures with an appropriate metric scale in the field. If so please advise me so I can remit the correct sum for these services. Nove 28 1973

Sincerely,