

PRESIDENT'S COMMISSION
ON THE
ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT KENNEDY

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
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Washington, D. C. 20535

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Colpix Records, a division of Columbia Pictures Corporation, has produced in association with United Press International, a record entitled "Four Days that Shocked the World".

A portion of that record deals with a purported on-the-spot broadcast, from a mobile unit, of the assassination. We have listened to the original record, and it is possible that the timing of the gunshots may be detectable. In connection with this matter, would you please:

- (1) Obtain the original tape recording of the broadcast at the assassination scene,
- (2) Obtain the identity and address of the announcer, and
- (3) Determine where the announcer was standing at the time he made his broadcast.

Sincerely,

SIGNED

J. Lee Rankin
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