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Mr. John W. Warner, Jr.
Assistant to the Director
United States Secret Service
1800 G Street, N. W.
Washington, D. C. 20228

Dear Mr. Warner:

This is in reference to your letter dated March 14th, with enclosures, and subsequent telephone contacts between Special Agent Thomas H. Bresson of the FBI Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) Unit, and Mrs. Jennie Maupin of your office, concerning the FOIA request of [redacted]

As you know, [redacted] has made an identical request for access to records of this Bureau relating to the John F. Kennedy assassination investigation, and his request is presently under consideration. With regard to information obtained by Secret Service during contacts with the FBI and set forth in Secret Service reports, copies of which were attached with your March 14th letter, the following comments are furnished:

Information furnished orally by Special Agents of the FBI was disclosed for official use and on a confidential basis. Review of the documents in question reveals that in certain instances it was stated that the information was furnished in circumstances wherein confidentiality was expressly requested by the original source. In those other instances, the circumstances were such that an assurance of confidentiality can be reasonably inferred. Basis for denying this information would be contained in Title 5, United States Code, Section 552 (b) (7) (D). With regard to references to written FBI reports and other documents these will be considered in connection with [redacted] request directed to the FBI, and it is suggested he be so advised in order to preclude duplication of reviewing efforts.

1. - The Deputy Attorney General - Enclosure
Attn: Susan M. Hauser

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Our appeal procedures provide an appeal within thirty days may be directed to the Attorney General, Attention: Freedom of Information Appeals Unit, Washington, D. C. 20530. The envelope and letter should be marked "Freedom of Information Appeal." Additionally, judicial review is thereafter available either in the requester's district of residence or place of business, or in the District of Columbia, the location of the records.

In the event you have any questions concerning this, it is requested you contact Mr. Bresson at telephone number 324-4790.

Sincerely yours,

C. M. Kelley

Clarence M. Kelley
Director

NOTE: Secret Service has a request from [redacted] which is a copy of his FOIA letter directed to the Bureau. Response is with regard to references to information originating with FBI and contained in Secret Service documents. Address per Mrs. Jennie Maupin.