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- June 27, 1975
- 1 - Mr. Moore

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Honorable Alan Steelman  
 House of Representatives  
 Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear Congressman Steelman:

Your June 11, 1975 letter to the Department of Justice enclosing a letter you received from Mr. Kenneth Shaddock has been referred to me for reply.

As I am sure you are aware, the FBI conducted a thorough investigation into the assassination of President Kennedy and furnished numerous reports to the Warren Commission. That Commission, after careful study of these reports and information from other agencies and sources, arrived at the conclusion that Lee Harvey Oswald acted alone in committing this heinous act.

Due to the voluminous nature of the material available regarding the assassination, it is quite possible for an individual to pick bits and pieces of information and arrive at a conclusion which raises questions as to the findings of the Warren Commission. But, it should be remembered that the Warren Commission considered all available information in toto in arriving at its conclusion.

I trust these comments will be of assistance to you in replying to Mr. Shaddock. I can appreciate his concern, but I do not feel a point-by-point analysis of his questions would be appropriate since some were further explained by the Warren Commission and others are matters of individual judgment.

Sincerely yours,

Clarence Kelley

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 Director

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Honorable Alan Steelman

**NOTE:** Congressman Steelman sent the Department of Justice a letter from his constituent Kenneth Shaddock which analyzed certain aspects of the Warren Commission Report concerning the rifle, ammunition, distance, moving target, timing, and shooting ability of Lee Harvey Oswald. Shaddock urged the Congressman to support House Resolution 204 as it would be in the best interest of the country to have questions regarding the assassination resolved. Congressman Steelman requested comments on this matter. The Department referred the letter to the FBI for reply. This letter to the Congressman advises him that the Warren Commission considered all available information in arriving at its conclusion. A point-by-point analysis of his questions is not being made since some are further explained by the Warren Commission and others are matters of individual judgment. This has been coordinated with Supervisors John C. Wagner of the External Affairs Division and C. B. Cunningham of the Laboratory Division.

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