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Dear Jim:

You did not say why you sent me a copy of Secret Service ATSAIC Juris' 10/24/84 letter to you re Mark Allen's request but after reading the attachement I presume you had in mind the entry on page 9 reflecting the fact that EBIHQ had sent the Secret Service what is described as my correspondence with the FBI, the entire file.

Two questions come immediately to mind: in pursuit of which of their proper functions, if any, did the FBI send the Secret Service its file of my correspondence and did the Secret Service request and/or keep it? and why did not either of these agencies include this in response to my requests and appeals?

That the FBI did not is of particular intereat and I think significance because it is constantly assuring the courts that it responds to my requests administratively and I do not have to sue it to obtain what I request. Aside from JFK assassination records requests of the FBI my requests for all records on or about or in any way connected with me are at least seven years old and my appeals began not very long thereafter. Some are recent - and still ignored.

I did know that the FBI had engaged in what, to use its favorite cliches, can be fairly described as vicious and scurrilous behavior in its distributions of its records. For example, it sent the Secret Service a complete fabrication that on the face of it nobody not bent on mischief would have believed, that the Secret Service was conspiring with me to harm the FBI. Rotten as that was, it can at least be explained as in some FBI person's view of proper interest to the Secret Service. But I believe that my correspondence is entirely different and not in any way any business of the Secret Service in performing its proper functions.

Because I do not want to intrude into the Mark Allen matter I am not writing the directors myself. But if this does not intrude, I would appreciate it if you would forward a copy of this letter to both of them as my request for copies and an explanation. I enclose signed copies for each.

Sincemely

Harold Weisberg