

Memorandum

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Subject: List of Commission Documents in National Archives
which are excluded, in whole or in part, from
the Commission Exhibits in Volumes XVI-XXVI

The attached list of documents has been compiled from a crude listing prepared by me shortly after the release of the Hearings and Exhibits and from an index prepared by Paul Hoch on July 30, 1966.

The list of documents provides a generally comprehensive indication of the material in the Archives which researchers may wish to study or to purchase (on microfilm or photocopy, 5¢ and 20¢ per page respectively). It is not a definitive list. Some documents are omitted for technical reasons (inability to decipher missing page numbers, or lack of information on pagination of the document); others are omitted because they have already been purchased on microfilm by one or more of the researchers (i.e., CDs 3, 80, 706, and 1554).

The list was compiled primarily as a basis for discussion of a possible pooling arrangement under which the listed documents would be purchased collectively by a group of researchers, one copy each on microfilm at 5¢ per page, to be placed in the custody of a designated person. The pool would then seek to rent or purchase a combination microfilm-viewer/copier. The custodian would screen the contents of the documents and provide photocopies, on either a selective or comprehensive basis, depending on the importance of the contents and on the costs.

Whether or not this arrangement can be put into effect, it was thought that the attached list would be useful to those who ~~are~~ are continuing research and study of the evidence. It provides a basis for individual purchase, and for personal visits to the Archives to consult unpublished documents.

Time has not permitted an indication of the subject of each document; if anyone can fill in the subject on his copy of the list, a revised edition will be prepared and circulated. Comments and suggestions will be appreciated.