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UNITED STATES SECRET SERVICE

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20226

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Mr. Fred T. Newcomb  
4640 Noble Avenue  
Sherman Oaks, California 91403

Dear Mr. Newcomb:

This is a reply to your letter of July 6, 1972, concerning alleged destruction of film by a Secret Service Agent.

The fact that Secret Service agents were present at the autopsy of the late President John F. Kennedy is factual as reported by the Warren Commission. However, no film or other item related to this incident was destroyed by any member of the Secret Service. All items in the possession of the Secret Service pertaining to the assassination were turned over to the members of The President's Commission on the Assassination of President Kennedy.

We appreciate your interest in this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "John W. Warner, Jr.", written in dark ink.

John W. Warner, Jr.

Assistant to the Director

I plan to continue with this  
until I get a reasonable answer.  
I'll keep you posted with copies of this exchange.