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Miss Sylvia Meagher 302 West 12th Street New York, New York 10014

Dear Miss Meagher:

Thank you for the copy of your April 17 letter to Mark Lane. The suppression to which we made reference was "telephone numbers on the 47th page of Oswald's address book". This is described in the latest list of withheld documents (that is to say the latest such list in my possession) as Commission Document No.941. The classifying agency is the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the guideline for suppression of Page 47 is Classification "2" which is "national security".

The list of all withheld documents to which I refer is, I believe, current and was recently obtained by us from the Archives. It seems likely that the page which you have described as having been presented in its entirety (CE 18) is a notebook of his which is apparently quite different from his address book as described in the list of withheld documents.

At all events, one cannot help but wonder what is on Page 47 of the latter book which might affect the security of the nation if revealed. For a "loner" with few acquaintances Lee Oswald seems to have carried a remarkably potent address book. One is almost relieved to learn that he did not drop it while he was at the book depository.

Sincerely,

JIM GARRISON District Attorney

CC: Mark Lane
Mort Sahl

P.S. Thanks for your thoughtful notes & continued help. Hope to meet