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April 2, 1964

By Courier Service

Honorable S. Lee Rankin
 General Counsel
 The President's Commission
 200 Maryland Avenue, Northeast
 Washington, D. C.

*Assassination of
 President John F. Kennedy*

Dear Mr. Rankin:

Reference is made to your letter of March 20, 1964, requesting advice as to whether the paper bag found on the sixth floor of the Texas School Book Depository Building (Commission Exhibit 149) might have originated in either the Jaggars-Chiles-Stovall Company or the William B. Dolly Company. A sample of paper was obtained from the Jaggars-Chiles-Stovall Company, Dallas, Texas, and was designated as FBI Exhibit D-103. Samples of paper and three-inch gummed tape were obtained from the William B. Dolly Company, New Orleans, Louisiana, and were designated as FBI Exhibits 101 and 102. The papers and gummed tape comprising Exhibits D-103 and 101 were found to be different from the paper and gummed tape of Commission Exhibit 149.

The Jaggars-Chiles-Stovall Company has advised that the company has used no three-inch gummed tape on the premises in the last several years. It is noted that the gummed tape on Commission Exhibit 149 is three inches wide.

The paper sample D-103 was obtained from the Jaggars-Chiles-Stovall Company on March 24, 1964, and the company advised that the paper which was being used during March 1964 until 1963 during the time of employment of Oswald had been used on March 20, 1964, from the Jaggars-Chiles-Stovall Company.

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advised that this was the only type of wrapping paper and gummed tape that this company has used for a number of years and it was the only type of wrapping paper and gummed tape which this company had in stock at the time Oswald was employed during the months May through July 1963.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

ADDENDUM: A Laboratory report covering the results of the Laboratory examination of the paper samples D-193 and D-195 is being furnished the Dallas Office separately.

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