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Washington, D.C., February 16, 1967 ... Rep. Theodore R. Kupferman (R., 17th District, Manhattan, N.Y.) today called on President Lyndon B. Johnson to make available for official examination the X-rays and photographs taken at the autopsy of President Kennedy. Mr. Kupferman pointed out that his own request to examine the X-rays and photographs, together with New York Medical Examiner, Dr. Milton Helpert, and Pittsburgh Chief Deputy Coroner, Dr. Cyril H. Wecht, had been rejected by the National Archives and by Burke Marshall on behalf of the Kennedy family.

Mr. Kupferman stated that the "single bullet" theory of the assassination and the shooting of Governor Connally of Texas needed official examination of these items for substantiation, and failure to make them available made their deposit in the Archives "illusory" and the situation "almost ludicrous".

Attached hereto are: the letter of February 16, 1967, to President Johnson and the attached correspondence of December 27, 1966, January 6 and January 25, 1967, between Mr. Kupferman, Robert H. Bahmer, Archivist of the United States, and Burke Marshall.

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