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Dear Paul,

I am sorry to bother you with a couple of clerical matters.

(1) Please send Gary Owens copies of my indexes to Volumes II, VI, IX and XI. He is missing those and I do not have extra copies to send him.

(2) On Friday the 12th of October I mailed you an 18-page index to Volume IX (Organized Crime). Please drop me a postcard to indicate that it arrived safely, as I learned after mailing it that there had been some problems with mail pick-ups from the mailbox in the lobby of my building. I will be devastated if for any reason it did not reach you. (Yesterday I mailed you an index to Volume II Hearings but I assume there will be no problem with that.)

As you will know from the letter dated 10 October which accompanied the 18-page index, Gary and I are proceeding to index all the JFK volumes. Still to be done are Hearings Volumes III IV and V, Volume VIII (Acoustics) and the two Legal and Administrative volumes (one of which I have, and the other of which I have ordered from the GPO). When all those are completed, Gary will undertake the task of consolidation, using some new sophisticated equipment available to him at his university. While he is doing that, I will prepare a classification of individuals--as in my Subject Index to the WR etc.--listing scientific experts, staff of the HSCA, eyewitnesses to the assassination, friends of Oswald, friends of Ruby, etc. etc. If you have any suggestions for inclusion, please let me know. Jeff Goldberg has material which he would like included and I have asked him to send me a list, from which I may select some items.

What progress with your manuscript?

All the best,