

Weisberg

Dear Paul and Sylvia only,

10/7/79

Re: 8/4 note and attached 7/28 newsletter and index

I may be getting somewhere in an effort to make available all FBI records made available to HUCA (and I'm also trying for others). Any kind of nuttiness could have counterproductive consequences, so please do not tell any others any of this. I have a somewhat encouraging letter from DJ in today's mail. If I succeed I promise all these records will be placed in the reading room as well as coming to me. So I hope you can understand, whether or not you sympathize with my concerns, and will say nothing to others.

In connection with this effort I may want to be able to refer DJ appeals people to you, which is why I include Sylvia in this, and to give them a copy of her index. One of the ways in which I may be able to accomplish what I seek is to be able to demonstrate that the HUCA put an appreciable number of records within the public domain. You will be familiar with what HUCA published so I will not be and do not intend to attempt to be because that will take time I don't have from making records available.

Please let me know if you have no objections if the time comes when this may appear to be a useful step. I promise that with the index clearly titled "selective" there will be no objection to that but I'll wait a while, merely using it myself if there is need.

I'll be including records showing that during the HU days the FBI obtained identifications of Clay Shaw as Clay Bernard and ~~wasn't~~ know of his SN and homosexual bent. I do not suggest that this is assassination-relevant but believe it relates to withholdings from the Commission and since I've drafted the appeals and will file them. In connection with my "third man" interests in the LHO K.O. activities I have located redundant proof of a young man along with Steele on 8/16 and as I believe I've told you, that there was one with him the time he and not this other was arrested. I've given Spiz the info and loaned him the copy of the Doyle (and Hagman) films I've received, with an OK for anyone who wants copies to make them while he has them, Mary, etc., and anyone else.

On your 7/28 list I'd appreciate 5,6,7, and 21.

Re #6, I don't believe that Gardner identified Becker in his story. I can use this in other appeals so would appreciate citation to the volume. It is I who gave Gardner what he used in the lead, the HUCA suppressed and you comment on re Sarko and Carlos.

I referred the Childs man to both of you, if he didn't tell you.

I've been expecting a Florida story quoting Dolco. I've been helping that reporter, who has interviewed Dolco.

If you get the missing St. Louis conspiracy footnotes I'll be interested because as I told you it is all fabrication and I can get those records in C.A. 75-1996.

CT 7/10