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Mr. Lawrence R. Brown Western View La Plata Maryland 20646

Dear Mr. Brown,

1. You may be entirely correct about the spectography. I was not aware that a spectrographic analysis could yield such refined information. In the light of your explanation, I would share your assumption that spectography ruled out rather than kept open the possibility that the metal fragments came from a bullet fired from the Carcano rifle.

2. About the fabricated Hidell card: Perhaps the best thing I can do is to list the citations from the 20-page chapter of my unpublished manuscript. 4H 388 (Alwyn Cole); 10H 52-54 (Lt. Martello); 4H 399-400 (Marina Oswald); CE 2726 (Marina Oswald); 7H 58 (Gerald Hill); 2H 256, 293 (W. Whaley); 7H 174 (R. Sims); CE 2160 (G.Hill); CE 2003, p. 78 (Bentley); CE 2003, pp. 81-82 (Carroll) 91 (Lyon) 100-101 (C.T.Walker); 7H 187-188 (Stovall); 7H 228 (Rose); 7H 41 (Walker); 7H 197 (Potts); 6H 438 and 7H 439 (Roberts); 10H 295, 303 (Johnson); 15H 509-510 (Johnston); Johnston Exhibit No. 1; Kantor Exhibit No. 3, pp. 360 and 375; CE 3119, pp. 5, 11, 12; WR 181, WR 602, 4H 221-222 (Fritz); 4H 356 (Lawson); 7H 353 (Sorrels); CE 2145 (Curry); WR 614, 7H 180 (Sims); 1H 64, CE 1739 (Marina Oswald); 1H 46, CE 1781 (Marina Oswald); CE 2003, p. 269; 2H 46 (M. Lane).

Good luck. And please let me know when your book is coming out and where I can order a copy.

Yours sincerely,

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