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Professor Alexander Bickel
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Dear Professor Bickel,

Your review, "CBS on the Warren Report," in the July 15th issue of *The New Republic*, makes several excellent points and identifies some of the major weaknesses in the presentation. Please accept my congratulations.

While I agree with your position on most of the points covered in your review, I would take issue with your apparent acceptance of the blurred-frames theory. The trouble with the theory is that CBS cited only three blurred frames, as if they were the only ones. In fact, there are about five more frames which are no less blurred than the ones CBS specified. Moreover, the interval between the first two CBS blurred frames falls slightly short of the 42 frames (or 2.3 seconds) required to operate the bolt of the Carcano rifle.

On a minor point: The comments you attribute to Dr. Enos were actually made by Dr. Wecht. The error was in the CBS transcript, which misnamed the speaker.

Yours sincerely,

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