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Sylvia Meagher  
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Dear Sylvia:

Enclosed is the government's response to my last suit. It is rather remarkable that they devote so much effort to denying me the memorandum of deposit which relates to the X-ray films, photographs, clothing, etc., when, in fact, I did not request this memorandum.

They consume a lot of effort in claiming that the bullet, fragments, etc., are not "records" yet when I request the 13 x 20 mm object from the brain Admiral Davis attests that he does not have this "record".

We hope to go forward with this at a very early date. Shall look forward to your suggestions.

I talked with Doctor Noguchi at a recent meeting here in Topeka. He did not do neutron activation analysis on any of the artifacts of the assassination of the late Senator Kennedy but instead has them all on hand to do if it should become desirable. I had misunderstood him at his previous talk to the American Academy of Forensic Sciences. One of the reasons he gave me for not doing neutron activation analysis is that it would have to be done in the atomic reactor at General Dynamics in San Diego. He was afraid that he could not control the results which he believes would be leaked to the press when the calculations were finished. This, of course, is why I want to do my analysis here within the University despite the fact that the Atomic Energy Commission's reactor in Oak Ridge is superior.

Sincerely,

John Nichols

9/9/70  
Xerox to Cyril Wood  
asking  
"what gives?"