PRESIDENT'S COMMISSION ON THE ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT KENNEDY 200 Maryland Ave. NE. WASHINGTON, D.C. 20002

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Dear General:

As you know the Commission has been investigating all aspects of the assassination of the late President John F. Kennedy and the subsequent killing of the man charged with the crime.

In connection with this investigation the Commission has asked me to request through you that the Dellas authorities make no change or alteration in the physical surroundings of the assassination scene without first advising the Commission of its intention to do so.

In the Commission's view this would include the area north of Main Street, south of Elm Street, west of Houston, and east of the first viaduct under which the President's car motored after passing the Texas School Book Depository Building.

Thank you for your continued cooperation in the work of this Commission.

Sincerely,

J. Lee Rankin General Counsel

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