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Mr. Leon Hubert
c/o Honorable Barefoot Sanders
United States District Attorney
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Dear Leon:

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This letter confirms the latest information concerning a copy of the statement of facts in the Ruby trial.

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Yesterday I had a long conversation with the court reporter, Jas. J. Muleady, 10631 Desdemona Street, Dallas, Texas, Telephone Number DA 1-5882, as follows:

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He has not actually begun the transcript. He indicated that on the conclusion of the Ruby trial he was exhausted and, in fact, his doctor suggested that he go to bed but the result was that he took a long rest and he said he was ready to begin yesterday but that he was shocked by the statement in the press that Ruby had filed a "pauper's oath". However, I indicated that I would assume that the State would pay for the record if the pauper's oath was not set aside.

He recognizes that, as, if and when he transcribes his notes, he will send a copy directly to us. He made no promise of the time of delivery and the information is the best that I could obtain.

As you realize, Bob Davis, Assistant Attorney General, whom you met today at the luncheon, will be in attendance during the interrogation of witnesses and will be able to give his full time as long as you gentlemen are taking testimony in Dallas.

This also confirms that I will be out of the city and overseas for four weeks beginning Friday, March 27, but will be at the Warren Commission hearings on next Monday, March 30, and will stop over in Washington April 22-23 upon my return.

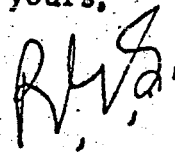
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In the meantime, we are ready to cooperate in every way possible to expedite your mission.

Sincerely yours,



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cc: Honorable Waggoner Carr ✓
Honorable Leon Jaworski
Mr. Robert T. Davis