

12/2/89

Mr. Michael Ratner
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Dear Mr. Ratner,

Glad what I sent is helpful.

Enclosed is a copy, also at hand here, that I think I forgot. It was obtained under FOIA and in a lawsuit in which Congressional records were excluded. I believe it is an FBI record, it was included in an FBI tickler and I think the purpose was damage control. However, this is only a belief.

When I made the copy from which I made this the paper slipped in the machine and I added the paperclips for my own purposes.

My purpose is to indicate with another example - I think I cited the King tapes as one - how much the FBI can ~~manage~~ from a supposedly full and exhaustive search at FBIHQ, not to include.

Whether or not my presumption is correct, that this is an FBI document, it does use direct quotes attributed to the FBI.

Virtually none of what is referred to is included in the FBI's releases of its HQ files. I think it is apparent that most should be in its Warren Commission file. I believe that if this were to be followed, there would be still another Warren Commission file and this would be in it. Yet the FBI led the country and the courts to believe they had disclosed all relevant HQ records other than what was properly withheld under FOIA.

Some of this is pretty hairy and had it been disclosed contemporaneously or during the two rather poor and inadequate Congressional interests I think all of ~~history~~ history might have been a bit different.

Please excuse my haste.

Sincerely,



Harold Weisberg

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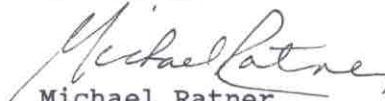
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Dear Mr. Weisberg:

Thanks for the information. It is very helpful.

Sincerely,


Michael Ratner

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