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December 27, 1966

Mr. Steven J. Burton
4829 "orealls Ave.,
North Hollywood, Calif. 91607

Dear Steve,

I will be more than happy to serve on your Citizen's Committee of Inquiry as a member of the advisory counsel or any other way in which you think I can help.

I have read the petition you enclosed with your letter of the 22nd and I am in accord with it also.

It was good to meet you and the several other members of your committee when I was in Los Angeles. I wish we could have spent more time together.

What I can do about getting similar groups activated in the east I do not know, but I will, when and as I can, and will let you know or ask those to whom I speak to write you.

Thank you for asking me to join you.

Sincerely yours,

Harold Weisberg

CITIZENS' COMMITTEE OF INQUIRY

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Los Angeles, California 90024

STEVEN J. BURTON
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Co-Chairmen

December 22, 1966

JACKIE PILCHER
Secretary

Mr. Harold Weissberg
Hyattstown, Maryland 20734

Dear Mr. Weissberg,

Enclosed is a complete copy of our petition. Our lawyer has advised us that all that we need is a simple letter signed by you giving us permission to use your name as a member of our advisory counsel. The various members will be listed at the left of our stationery.

Our greatest problem now is simply that all of our activity is on the West Coast. If you know of anyone in the East who may be interested in forming a group similar to ours, we would greatly appreciate hearing of him.

Sir, may I reiterate what a great pleasure it was to meet you. I am,

Very sincerely yours,

Steven J. Burton
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Please reply to my home address:

*4829 Morella Ave.
North Hollywood, Calif. 91607*

*Thanks,
Steve*

A PETITION

To Renew the Investigation of the Assassination of John F. Kennedy

- WHEREAS: The Report of the President's Commission on the Assassination of President Kennedy (Warren Commission) has failed to prove conclusively to the American people that one man, acting alone, was responsible for the death of the President.
- WHEREAS: Evidence relevant to the assassination of President Kennedy has been made unavailable to the public until September of the year 2039 A.D. by executive order.
- WHEREAS: The citizens of the United States of America are greatly concerned that the assassin(s) of John F. Kennedy be identified conclusively.

Therefore, we, the undersigned citizens of the United States of America hereby demand that:

- (1) The Congress of the United States of America institute a new investigation of the assassination of John F. Kennedy to be conducted by qualified non-government lawyers, criminologists, pathologists, et.al., employing advocate procedures in open, public hearings.
- (2) The new investigative body be empowered to examine all of the evidence including that which is now classified, and that all the evidence be subsequently published or otherwise made available to the public.
- (3) The assassin(s) of President Kennedy be identified conclusively.

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