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Mr. Harold Weisberg
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Frederick, MD. 21701

Re: Appeal Nos. 80-1644
and 81-0533
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Dear Mr. Weisberg:

This letter is to advise you that we have located certain records that appear to be responsive to your requests to the Criminal Division for records relating to the assassination of President John F. Kennedy. Those requests are the subject of Appeal Nos. 80-1644 and 81-0533. These records contain the original dictabelt provided to the HSCA by the Dallas Police Office. We have also located unindexed working copies of portions of that tape in the Technical Services Division of Bureau Headquarters. These records are now being reviewed and a release determination will be made as soon as possible.

You will be interested to know that these records were located as a result of a lead uncovered by Ms. Hubbell during the processing of certain documents you requested from the Criminal Division that were referred to this Office. The dictabelt and related documents have been stored for the last several years in the office safe of Roger Cubbage, a Criminal Division attorney, who was an assistant to Robert Keuch.

Sincerely,

Richard L. Huff, Co-Director
Office of Information and
Privacy