8/29/70

Dear Howard,

Thanks for your letter of the 26 and the enclosures. I'll read the clips as I can. Here, breifly, I address the rest. I'm very tired, having out in 20 hrs. yesterday going over the pedantic editing of COUP II. Wish I was done with it, for every exposition of the unnecessary obvious depresses and angers me.

Glad to get Eckhoff's 8/20/ By now you know the inspiration, that I forced this.

Curtain rods: Think I have this in WW, probably JEH response rather than JER request, which I'd glad to have.

Autopsy auth: Seems to me that while all copies are not legible, the one I originally dug up, misfiled, is a bit clearer, other copies now being made available being made from a copy made from it. Why not check when next you are here?

On Srch writing other agencies: you now have my latest on that. I've been after them on this for years. Someday I'll have it in court. I am sending you all my letters, by the way, so you can keep the index to them current and have the knowledge. Except on the Justice Ray suit. I'm too short on paper.

Black Star: See PW. I went over them long ago when I smoked them out, too. My recollection is that these contacts show nothing of great importance. I've been unsuccessful getting more interesting things from BS directly and through others.

Hope Dick can bet here.

Best,