September 18, 1964

Senator:

Mrs. Eide dictated the following over the phone which she identified as paragraph 3 (referred to as Rider 19-B or Mr. McCloy's proposed language):

"Although it is not necessary to any essential findings of the Commission to determine just which shot hit Governor Connally, there is very persuasive evidence from the experts to indicate that the same bullet which pierced the President's throat also caused Governor Connally's wound. However, Governor Connally's testimony and certain other factors have given rise to some difference of opinion as to this probability but there is no question in the mind of any member of the Commission that all the shots which caused the President's and Governor Connally's wounds were fired from the sixth floor of the School Book Depository."

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