

Senator will skip traumatic 'JFK'



Sen. Edward M. Kennedy says he won't see Oliver Stone's controversial movie on the assassination of his brother because it would be too traumatic. But he would like to see all documents on the killing made public.

"It is distressing and saddening,"

Kennedy said Friday on WGNC, a cable television station in Worcester, Mass.

"Obviously it's a very painful experience to have, you know, the advertisement, the pictures, the scenes."

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The movie, *JFK*, includes vivid footage of President Kennedy's Nov. 22, 1963, killing, as well as a

graphic re-enactment of Kennedy's autopsy.

It also adopts the theory of former New Orleans District Attorney Jim Garrison that Kennedy's assassination was part of a broad plot that included members of the federal government and organized crime. The government's Warren Commission concluded that Lee Harvey Oswald acted alone.

Kennedy said he believes the commission conducted a responsible investigation, but agreed with the movie's contention that all documents on the assassination should be made public. Some 848 boxes of records have been sealed until 2029.