

HIGH PLAINS NATURAL GAS COMPANY

1717 Southland Center . Riverside 8-9861 . Dallas, Texas

April 3, 1964

Warren Commission Federal Building Dallas, Texas

Attention: Miss Martha Stroud

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to telephone conversation this morning,
I herewith make request under the Commission's regulations
for a copy of my deposition which was taken a week ago here
in Dallas. The stenotype machine was not operating effectively
on the day of my deposition and accordingly numerous corrections
were required to the typed deposition. In view of this circumstance I, therefore, prefer to sign my deposition at the time
I receive a corrected copy of same, which I presume will be at
commercial Xerox reproduction rates.

I trust you will understand the reasons for this request and that same will not unduly inconvenience the Commission.

Very truly yours,

Samuel B Ballen

SBB: JR