

June 2, 1969

Mr. James J. Rowley, Director
U. S. Secret Service
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Rowley,

Inventoried as one of its source materials in the report of the special panel convened by then Attorney General Clark on the pictures and X-rays of the autopsy of President Kennedy is a memorandum of transfer dated April 26, 1965.

Because your agency is the agency of origin, I am writing to ask for a copy. For this purpose, whether or not there may be a copy or copies elsewhere is immaterial, I believe.

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Should you refuse this, I also ask that you send me whatever instructions and forms might be required for my making formal request for this document under the Freedom of Information law.

Sincerely,

Harold Weisberg