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Dear [illegible],

[illegible] that you are [illegible] interested in the Oswald literature bit, [illegible] if you should have [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Butler. Before I [illegible] there, if you can find time to read [illegible] this is important, really part of the whole story.

Bill [illegible]'s letter to Jim in [illegible] 1967;
[illegible]

If it [illegible], then Butler was no less a part of it than Bringuier. Butler, however, also involves Lodge and Dodd. [illegible] excellent one.

[illegible] other things related might have significance. I will tell you about them, for example, Lansdale-Vik, the [illegible] (as I explain in Oswald in New Orleans), before whom Butler appeared as part of the usual anti-Castro [illegible] thing. [illegible], p. 245.

The whole things that Butler and Bringuier together, [illegible]. Butler uses Bringuier. Bringuier is Harris. Other extremist connections.

One of the most provocative Butler angles is his "freedom academy" situation by Lodge. [illegible] that on a similar name. I have just tuned a check somewhere, through one of our boys, but [illegible] for you. Butler, by the way, did not oppose me on NBC as he was supposed to [illegible].

I hold up the rest of this little [illegible] together. I have other angles in Cour d'Etat, other Bringuiers and a [illegible] interesting things.

It seems inevitable to me that there must be such an investigation [illegible] one. [illegible] have already begun my own. It looks very promising. I have not been [illegible] the effect of his very early proselytizing on Capitol Hill. It is important.

Sincerely,

Harold Weisberg