Dear Mr. Warren:

This is in reply to your letter of January 2, 1964, in which you requested that this agency send to Mr. Rankin all information it may have concerning Lee Harvey Oswald and Jack L. Ruby, as well as any other information which we believe may be relevant to the investigation being conducted by your Commission.

The records of the Atomic Energy Commission, Division of Security, have been examined, and we have no record of either of those individuals.

We are, however, in cooperation with the Federal Bureau of Investigation Laboratory, investigating the possibility of whether a very sensitive method of trace element analysis (the so-called "activation analysis technique") may be of any value in further corroborating evidence already in hand by the Federal Bureau of Investigation. This work is being done at our Oak Ridge National Laboratory on a confidential basis. When results of this investigation are available, they will be transmitted to Mr. Rankin by the Federal Bureau of Investigation, or jointly by the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the Atomic Energy Commission.

If we can be of further assistance, please let us know.

Sincerely yours,

[Signature]

Chairman

Honorable Earl Warren, Chairman
President's Commission on the
Assassination of President Kennedy

cc: Mr. J. Lee Rankin (2)