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TO : Mr. Rosen *pl*

DATE: June 2, 1966

FROM : R. I. Shroder

- 1 - Mr. Rosen
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SUBJECT: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT
JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY
DALLAS TEXAS
NOVEMBER 22, 1963

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In connection with the "Washington Post" article on 5/29/66 captioned "An Inquest: Skeptical Postscript to Warren Group's Report on Assassination," I talked to SA James W. Sibert, Hyattsville Resident Agency, today in order to determine the facts concerning certain statements set forth in this article.

The article mentions a "finding" and was the product "of an impulsive report by FBI Agents a few hours after the President was killed." Although it was apparently based on little more than hearsay it found its way into the December 9 document. The article later again alleges the details of the autopsy were obtained on nothing more than hearsay and that the two Agents present at the autopsy left the room before the autopsy was completed.

SA Sibert and SA Francis X. O'Neill, Jr., were the two Agents who were present during the autopsy. SA Sibert stated today that all of the information set forth in their FD-302 dated 11/20/63 concerning the autopsy was obtained from Commander James J. Humes, Chief Pathologist, Bethesda Naval Hospital. None of the information obtained was hearsay.

SA Sibert also advises that either he or SA O'Neill were present at all times while the autopsy was being conducted. They were not, of course, present during subsequent consultations between the doctors, when the official autopsy report was submitted.

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