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Mr. Harold R. Tyler, Jr.
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Dear Mr. Tyler,

After receiving a copy of your December 1 letter to Mr. Jim Lesar and the papers provide to him for me by Mr. Wiseman I wrote you to complain and to specify non-compliance with the stalled initial request under FOIA and in response to my C.A. 75-1996. You have not responded.

Since then I have been informed that others have been given access to what I clearly requested and did not receive.

I believe this violates my rights. I request that in all interests you inquire into this particularly because the most obvious explanation is an official attempt at propaganda in a case that is currently before the courts.

I also request an investigation of an overt fraud in which the mails have been used. It is the book titled "Appointment in Dallas: the ~~official~~ Final Solution to the Assassination of JFK."

It was ghosted for Hugh J. McDonald of California by Geoffrey Bocca of New York, with efforts to defraud by other means including to my knowledge the State of Florida.

On facing pages the book lists two different publishers, both of the same address. One, Zebra Books, is the distributor.

There is no doubt at all that the fraud is deliberate. There is no doubt that McDonald personally and both listed publishers are aware of this. There is every reason to believe that Bocca also is aware of it.

It is my opinion that the fraudulent nature of this enterprise is known within the Department and probably elsewhere within the Government. I have no knowledge that any part of the Government has taken any steps as I believe are prescribed by law. Meanwhile, citizens in the claimed hundreds of thousands are being defrauded and grievously deceived about a great tragedy in which the Department has its own involvement and special interests.

As a matter of fact McDonald boasts of a commendation by the late Director of the FBI, J. Edgar Hoover. And of having served the CIA.

Sincerely,

Harold Weisberg

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