

Hyattstown, Maryland 20734  
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Dr. Robert H. Bahmer  
Archivist of the United States  
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Dr. Bahmer:

You will perhaps recall that some months ago, after I examined Commission Document 371 and found parts of it missing, you also instituted a search and reported to me that these same data were not included in a duplicate file. By definition and testimony, the identical data are part of Exhibit 397 but were not printed as part of it, without explanation.

I now note that one of the Commission's former counsel, Joseph Ball, in a public address and in a newspaper report said that with the film of the autopsy there were returned to the archive "other medical data ... recently placed under seal in the National Archives".

If this is part of the autopsy file, part of Exhibit 397, if it includes any of the autopsy notes, it should be available and I would like two Xeroxed copies at your earliest convenience.

If this is data of a different sort or if Mr. Ball is in error, I should like to be informed of it.

Sincerely yours,

Harold Weisberg