

September 3, 1969

Dr. James Rhoads  
Archivist of the United States  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Dr. Rhoads,

There are these questions about the pictures and X-rays of President Kennedy's autopsy to which I would appreciate an answer:

How many of each are there, in all?

What is the size of each (totals of each size)?

What identifications are on each?

Where there are prints, how many of what kind of each? Please include sizes of prints and any identifications.

Do they include a ruler or scale, either inches or centimeters? If so, how many and which ones?

Is there any explanation of the burning, where there is burning? If so, I'd like a copy of the explanation or explanations, and the identification of each burned film.

Is there any explanation of the absence of image on any film? If so, I'd like a copy of such explanation or explanations.

The answers to these questions do not involve the letter agreement or its provisions, whether or not they are legal and proper. I hope you can respond expeditiously. In the event, for a reason I cannot anticipate, you decline to provide these answers, will you please forward a copy of this letter to Mr. Marshall, to save me time?

Sincerely,

Harold Weisberg