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Dear Jim,

Rehoads enclosed an original carbon of the letter I mentioned today. He it is, with my response.

I believe the fraud is both civil and criminal. Courts were defrauded, too.

Government lawyers were knowing part of both, including one GSA office in which I have hit a single name, Harding. They slipped up once and sent me the wrong copy, hence the content about their practise.

We should consult Howard's memory on this. His familiarity with these files is good. He indexed most of the correspondence. But what I can think of, off the top of the head, is:

Assuring me I had a copy of every medical record/file they have and not sending me the executive sessions when they were declassified (especially for David Wise, I'm sure, and the article he wrote pinning the hat on Warren) originally.

Denying me the GSA- JFK estate contract for reasons not subject to change then actually begging Fred Graham to ask for it under FOI because they'd have to give it to him; then giving it to him so exclusively they didn't even send me a copy until some time after his story appeared. Bahmer quit over my long and angry complaint and this Rehoads became the beneficiary of his impropriety, first begging Graham and then moving up to Bahmer's job. If Graham is unwilling to testify to this I have it all on tape. That tape happens to include warning him that the manner and purpose of the opening of the medical files was to blame the Kennedy family for the suppression. This is precisely what Fred did.

Swearing falsely to Gesell in 1969-70 that I had not applied for what I sued for; giving him regulations that did not exist and they promulgating them (I have both copies); misrepresenting the applicable regulations to him; Werdig's certifying to Gesell that he had sent me copies of what was essential to his motion when he hadn't and then not sending them until what ordinarily would have been too late (you personally made two requests for me) and even then not doing it completely.

False swearing - I think perjury - in 718-70 (Anderson)

Vawter in what became 2002-73 in a) not forwarding my appeal automatically and b) misrepresenting that he would be in touch soon again. Plus much of which you know on this case.

Williams in the spectro suit. That was a fraud, as any criminalist can attest.

DJ's withholding from me of the Ferris documents I finally got. No basis. No law-enforcement purpose possible, nothing defamatory. I know the real reason but nobody else has tumbled to it and I will be using it. Had this not been withheld all my writing would have been different.

Intercepting and refusing to give me the memo of transfer after the Secret Service gave it to me through the Archives. (I believe this was essential to pinning a bum rap on the Kennedys. I think they have shown it to Cyril and others but still have not sent me a copy.) FYI only- the transfer was not to Bobby but to Evelyn Lincoln, IN the Archives, for the JFK library, which is under Archives. Not Bobby.

My head is not fully screwed on today. This is openers. We might want to consider filing in Baltimore, despite my record with Beall, my adversary in the helicopter suit. He has not responded to my inquiry could he, after plagiarizing himself, consider taking a case of plagiarism (open and shut by the way) for me. Ref. here to the Meredith case. They haven't even made pro forma denial.

Of course, the problem is time. There is a separate relevant memo.

W9 is DJ