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Mr. Harold Weisberg Coq d'Or Press Routo 8 Frederick, Maryland 21707

Doar Mr. Weisberg:

This is in reply to your letter of January 13, 1971.

I have been informed by the Archivist of the United States that CES personnel were not permitted to see or examine President Konnedy's clothing, and that no photographs or motion picture film of that clothing were taken by or for CBS. Photographs of the following exhibits were taken by the National Archives staff with CBS equipment: Commission Exhibit 139 (rifle), CE 142 (bag), CE 399 (bullet), CE 567 (bullet fragment), and CE 569 (bullet fragment). As indicated by Mr. Verster letter of September 17, 1970, to you, these photographs will be rise a to you in the National Archives on request, and copies of any year set will be furnished to you for the usual prices. I hope this clarifies the matters discussed in Mr. Vawter's letter.

If you have any further communications regarding matters in litigation, I suggest that you communicate with the attorneys handling the legal proceedings.

Sincerely,

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(Signed) W. L. Johnson, Jr.

W. L. JOHNSON, JR. Assistant Administrator for Administration

cc: Official File - LC B(2) L LL ALI NND Mr. Axelrad, Justice Dept. U, S. Attorney, District of Columbia

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