

April 15, 1975

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Dear Mr. Lesar:

This is in response to your Freedom of Information appeal of March 31, 1975, in which you appeal on behalf of Mr. Harold Weisberg the denial contained in Edward G. Campbell's letter to you of March 28, 1975, for access to the memorandum of transfer from Admiral George G. Burkley to Mrs. Evelyn Lincoln, dated April 26, 1965. It is our decision that the memorandum of transfer previously denied to Mr. Weisberg be opened for public access. A copy of the memorandum is enclosed.

Concerning your additional request for a copy of a letter or memorandum from the Kennedy family representative, such correspondence does not exist. In the interest of expediting your Freedom of Information Act request, consultations were conducted by telephone. In addition, the National Archives does not have a signed copy of the April 22, 1965, letter from Robert F. Kennedy to Admiral Burkley. A copy of the unsigned letter has previously been provided to you for Mr. Weisberg. We do not consider this a denial under the Freedom of Information Act since the records you have requested either do not exist or we do not possess a copy.

Sincerely,

James E. O'Neill

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Deputy Archivist
of the United States

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