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Dear Harold:

I very much appreciate the offer made in your letter dated June 8, 1977, to supply me with a copy of what you get on the naval request and wish to assure you that I shall do the same for you.

A copy of the most recent reply from the Naval Investigative Service is attached hereto and as I told the Director, I can hardly believe that as a matter of routine, records relating Oswald were apparently destroyed. I suppose that in the future, the Establishment will use the excuse of following Defense policies and guidelines to cover the documents which couldn't be rewritten and were destroyed.

Some time ago ( and I do not have your file at hand ) you sent me some material which I believe, had originated in California, being sent to a local disc jockey. It dealt with a letter which LHO had written to the Soviet embassy and a method of encoding messages by using the letter and numeral combinations which appear of the standard telephone dial. I was surprised to note that Eddowes had published the bit regarding the telephone dial in his book and further went on to include related data found in the address books of both LHO and Shaw.

There is really no way the Navy can argue that investigative records of the type I am seeking, did not exist. To assume that such investigations were never conducted would indicate mental incompetence among their investigative personnel. Now in my case, while I was still attending technical school, the Assistant Chief of Security and Law Enforcement requested the Office of Special Investigations to conduct a Background Investigation, stating that my work would require a Top Secret clearance. The office of the District OSI commander within a weeks time had checked their own files along with a check of the F.B.I. Within the next month, local references in my home town plus my schools were contacted and within three months, my base commander received a report from OSI, HQ in San Antonio, Texas, and that was it. So, prior to LHO's departure from Kessler AFB, he would have received his clearance based upon investigations, the reports from which, are not in his "official" file as represented in the exhibits of the Warren Report.

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By the way, I am of the opinion that Mr. Eddowes is in the same boat with Hugh MacDonald of Mother Goose fame. Although I agree that there were certainly more than just one "Oswald", I do not believe nor does Eddowes prove, that the Oswald killed in Dallas was a Soviet agent. I suppose that Eddowes might have had an excessive portion of pickles and icecream before retiring the night before he came up with such a ridiculous theory.

How about Mr. James Earl Ray? And what do you bet we never see him again ( alive )?

Sincerely,



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