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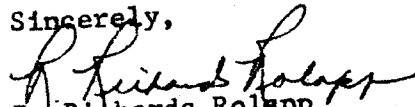
Dear Mr. Weisberg:

I have received your letter of February 4, 1970 in which you express dissatisfaction with my response to your prior request for certain materials you believe are in the files of this Department.

My letter of February 2 was not a denial of your request pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act. In accordance with the regulations of this Department, such requests must be submitted on Form D. J. 118. I am enclosing copies of this form in the event you wish to file a formal request.

As I have indicated in my previous letter, the materials described in your letter of December 15 do not exist in our files. We are assuming you are referring in your request to reports of observations made by the autopsy surgeons and the advising panel to the Attorney General of the autopsy photographs and x-rays. If so, raw materials such as described in your letter are not among this Department's files. The two panels met, examined, deliberated and reported. If they kept notes etc., they were not turned over to the Department.

Sincerely,


R. Richards Rolapp
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Deputy Attorney General