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Mr. Howard Roffman 8829 Blue Grass Road Philadelphia, Ponnsylvania 19115

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Dear Mr. Rolfman:

Reference is made to your letter dated November 14, 1969, concerning the shape, size and fiber characteristics of the slit in the button line near the collar of President Kennedy's shirt and the possible presence of residues on this shirt in the area of this slit.

Each of the above was considered in the FBI Laboratory's examinations of President Kcanedy's shirt. These examinations, I assure yon, were thorough and inclusive and the results are set out in the detail warranted by the nature and physical condition and composition of the shirt in the testimouy of Special Agent Robert A. Frazier in Volume V, pages sixty through sixty-two, of the Hearings before the President's Commission on the Assaultion of President Kennedy. In yiew of this, it is the opinion of this Bureau that further examinations would serve no useful purpose; and, therefore, I regret that I am unable to comply with your request.

> Sincerely yours, Edgar Houver

John Edgar Hoover Director

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Addressee has previously corresponded with Bureau NOTE: concerning assassination matters and has been furnished info (see his letter dated 8/8/68, in Bufile 62-109060, Serial 6550; and his letter 7/17/69, in Bufile 94-5, Serial 70809).