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Reject Shaw Plea, DA Asks Court

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WASHINGTON—The U.S. Supreme Court has been asked by attorneys contended Shaw has no grounds for appeal. It said the circumstances of which he is trial on a charge of conspiring to kill President John F. Kennedy.

In a brief filed with the high court yesterday, the Garrison attorneys contend Shaw has no grounds for appeal. It said the circumstances of which he is complaining are the lot of "every person so unfortunate as to be the subject of a criminal prosecution."

Shaw claims his constitutional rights are being violated and is asking for a permanent bar to prosecution by Garrison. A three-judge federal panel in New Orleans denied Shaw's motion, but permitted him to appeal to the Supreme Court.

The high court has given no indication whether it will accept jurisdiction. If it does not, the case will return to state court for trial.