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Mr. Howard Roffman 8829 Blue Grass Road Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19152

Dear Mr. Roffman:

I should first like to establish and clarify the status of my previous letter to you, which, as I stated in that letter, was based entirely on my recollection of an analysis performed over seven years ago. Since then, I have performed hundreds of analyses, and I hope that you realize that one cannot properly talk of inconsistencies in my recollections as compared to the report made to the Warren Commission upon the conclusion of my analysis in July, 1964.

The conclusions reported to Mr. Rankin in July, 1964 are the <u>factual</u> conclusions of my analysis at that time. That letter report was accompanied by spectrographic confirmation of my findings and was sent with the letter. From that date forward, I have no further knowledge of any actions taken, nor do I have any way to account for the exhibits not being in the archives.

Let me also make it very clear that I have never had any restrictions placed upon the scope of my small part in the proceedings, nor were any inhibitions put on me by either the Warren Commission or the Bell Telephone Laboratories. The result of my analysis was that of a scientist expert in the area and was a scientific report.

The only change in my expertise which has occurred between that date and this is that in the interim period I have had opportunities to analyze other types of rifle, hand gun and other gun shots. I am clearer in my mind now, therefore, that the shot I analyzed in 1964 was, in my opinion, a rifle shot. Beyond this, I'm afraid I can be of no further assistance to you.

Sincerely yours,

L. G. Kersta

President

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