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Mr. Harold Weisberg  
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Dear Mr. Weisberg:

I am writing you as General Counsel of the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees.

The President of that organization, Jerry Wurf, has just transmitted to me your July 18, 1974 letter, which follows your telephone conversation with me a few weeks ago as a result of a call Bernard Fensterwald made to Mr. Wurf on June 27th.

These telephone calls and your letter relate to the subject of the late Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., a man whose person and cause were and are held in deep affection by Mr. Wurf and by the organization of which he is President.

Your telephone calls and letter concern themselves with information you believe you have with reference to the circumstances of the late Dr. King's assassination. Certainly if you or anyone else has any information it should be in the hands of the appropriate law enforcement authorities.

You indicate that the FBI has a tape recording which provides it with such information. If you have any additional information which might be helpful we urge you to transmit it to the proper authorities as well.

Very truly yours,

A. L. Zwerdling

GENERAL RESPONSE

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