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CHICAGO, Jan. 20 (AP)—
The American Bar Association will consider a proposal by the Warren Commission to make it a Federal Offense, rather than a state crime only, to kill the President of the United States or make an attack on his life.

The association said today that its house of delegates

would be asked to endorse such legislation at its meetings in New Orleans Feb. 8 and 9. An endorsement would place the 118,000-member lawyers' association on record as favoring the proposal.

The Warren Commission, headed by Chief Justice Earl Warren, made the recommendation following its investigation of the assassination of President Kennedy.

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