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ADVISORYOCTOBER 10, 1996 CONTACT: EILEEN SULLIVAN(202) 724-0088, ext. 253ASSASSINATION RECORDS REVIEW BOARD RELEASES SCELSO TESTIMONY; CIA, FBI, AND HSCA RECORDS SENT TO ARCHIVESTHE Assassination Records Review Board released to the National Archives the testimony of John Scelso, which he provided to the House Select Committee on Assassinations (HSCA), as well as 439 additional CIA, FBI, and HSCA documents (including duplicates) related to the assassination of President John F. Kennedy. The Board voted to release these documents on June 4, 1996. Scelso Testimony The 193 paged document is a transcript of the once-secret testimony of John Scelso (an alias), a former CIA official who was responsible, for a brief period, for the CIAi¾€s investigation of the assassination of President Kennedy.CIA RecordsThe Review Board released 228 CIA records, 4 in full and 224 in part. Included in these documents is the i¾€Mexico City Chronologyi¾€, a 133-paged summary of CIA communications related to Lee Harvey Oswaldi¾€s trip to Mexico City in the fall of 1963. Other documents relate to Oswaldï¾€s stay in the Soviet Union, and former New Orleans District Attorney Jim Garrisoni¾€s investigation into the assassination. The redacted information includes, for the most part, names of CIA employees and sensitive operational details. FBI RecordsThe Board also released 205 FBI records, 49 in full and 156 in part. Following the June Review Board meeting, the FBI agreed to release in full 12 documents from this group that were originally postponed in part. These documents consist in large part of post-assassination FBI headquarters and field office files on Oswald. The redacted information contains informant symbol names and numbers. HSCA DocumentsThe Board released 6 HSCA documents, 3 in full and 3 in part. Included in this group of documents are: a United States Customs Service document from the Metro-Dade Police files, which was acquired by the HSCA, concerning an organized crime meeting in Miami; multiple-year tax returns for Eileen Kaminsky (Jack Rubyi¾€s sister); a Department of Defense document that includes a fact sheet on the 112th Intelligence Corps, and a fact sheet on the destruction of Oswaldi¾€s IRR dossier.Original Documents At National ArchivesThe original CIA, FBI, and HSCA documents being released have been transferred to the National Archives and Records Administration for inclusion in The President John F. Kennedy Assassination Records Collection, which is housed at the National Archives facility in College Park, Maryland. Secret Service Records As part of the mandate of the Review Board to identify assassination records, the Board designated additional Secret Service records as i¾€assassination records.ï¾€ These records include Secret Service correspondence with members of the Warren Commission in

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