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To: Jeremy Gunn/ARRBcc: From: Laura Denk/ARRBDate: 05/30/97 08:37:30 AMSubject: Conversation with David Kepley re: Connick tapesDavid Kepley called me back late yesterday afternoon. He said that he had talked to David Marwell about copying of the tapes and told him that NARA would not be able to complete such a big job for us. You probably already know about their conversation, but I hadn't heard about it yet -- Kepley told David Marwell that could think of three options for getting copies made of the tapes:1) have an independent contractor copy the tapes2) ask another Federal agency to copy the tapes (he mentioned the FBI & CIA, which were both unacceptable to David for obvious reasons), or3) NARA could do it on an overtime basis with funds we would provide to them, not to exceed \$5,000, but more likely in the \$3,000 to \$4,000 range. They could finish in approx. 3 months.Given Wessel's query to Art about the tapes, what do you think?To: Jeremy Gunn/ARRBcc: From: Laura Denk/ARRB Date: 05/29/97 03:09:13 PMSubject: HearingArt called today to tell us that argument on the Harry Connick appeal has been scheduled for July 8 in New Orleans. Also, Art talked to Bill Wessel who asked about the status of NARA's copying of the tapes that I picked up from his office last August. I called David Kepley at NARA (he is in charge of copying the tapes for us) and left a voice mail asking him to call me back and advise me of the status of the copying. I also called Steve Tilley and asked him about the status of the copying. Steve told me that David Kepley told him (some time ago) that he (Kepley) could not prioritize the copying the tapes, but that he would handle it as part of his regular workload. Presumably, the copying is not complete. I'll let you know what Kepley says when he calls back.

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