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I III HERE. TO: Tracy Shycoff/ARRBcc: Eileen Sullivan/ARRBFrom: Jeremy Gunn/ARRBDate: 06/08/98  
 07:06:03 AMSubject: Re: pending donation from David LiftonWe should discuss this as soon as we are all in  
 the office at the same time.To: Eileen Sullivan/ARRBcc: Jeremy Gunn/ARRBFrom: Tracy  
 Shycoff/ARRBDate: 06/04/98 07:54:51 AMSubject: Re: pending donation from David LiftonI know about this.  
 We should discuss it with Jeremy. We obligated the money in September to come out of last year's funds.  
 Obviously, we can no longer use last year's money for this so Jeremy will need to authorize using this year's  
 money. I have some paperwork and e-mails on this if that helps.To: Jeremy Gunn/ARRB, Tracy  
 Shycoff/ARRBcc: From: Eileen Sullivan/ARRBDate: 06/03/98 05:44:13 PMSubject: Pending donation from  
 David LiftonBelow is a note from David Lifton about the status of his donation to the JFK Collection. There is  
 discussion of reimbursement to Pat Valentino by the Review Board (in the amount of \$1500) -- he is handling  
 the audio work. Do either of you know about this? Mr. Lifton wants me to confirm that we still intend to  
 reimburse Mr. Valentino.To: "Eileen Sullivan" <Eileen\_Sullivan @ jfk-arrb.gov>cc: bcc: Eileen  
 Sullivan/ARRB)From: David Lifton <DLifton @ compuserve.com> @ INTERNET @ INTERLIANT  
 Date: 06/03/98 08:43:09 PM GMTSubject: Re: follow-upEileen: I am most sorry for the delay in replying to  
 your email. As you might imagine, I am deluged with tasks connected with the completion of my manuscript on  
 Oswald. That is the only reason for the delay and my silence. Yes, I very much intend to follow through on and  
 complete the donation of the promised audio materials. Here's where that situation stands as of right now: 1. I  
 told Tom Samoluk that Pat Valentino, a very competent and professional audio person who I've known for  
 years (he made some of the dupes used in the ARRB depositions, on short notice) would be doing the work--  
 i.e., the conversion from tapes (which are years old, but ok to play, at least again, for this purpose of copying  
 them to DAT (digital audio); and we agreed on a price of \$1500 as compensation for Valentino. (I believe  
 Pat sent in paperwork that was requested by Tom, describing his operation; and it Tom indicated everything  
 was ok). 2. Then a small glitch developed at my end. I told Tom there was a problem in getting a machine  
 which would play back the recordings, many of which were made at 1-7/8 ips (inch per second). (My original  
 machine---a SONY TC800 (the identical model used by Nixon to create the Watergate tapes)---was not  
 functioning. At that point, I put in some time searching around Los Angeles for someone to repair/rehabilitate  
 that machine. I accomplished this---it cost about \$120 as I recall---and it was shortly thereafter that Tom left  
 ARRB. 3. At that time, I was hit with numerous tasks and responsibilities in connection with my work. Just to  
 give you an idea: I am now renting 3 full rooms up here at the City National Bank Building in Los Angeles, plus  
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