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To: David Marwell/ARRBcc: From: Tom Samoluk/ARRBDate: 04/22/97 02:23:36 PMSubject: Contact with Jennifer Mummert, House Appropriations SubcommitteeI called Jennifer Mummert, House Appropriations Subcommittee staff, today and spoke with her regarding several matters, including the pending matter of the original Zapruder film.I told Mummert that I wanted Michelle Mrdeza and her to be aware that the Board was having a public meeting on Thursday at which time some type of decision could be made on the Zapruder film. I advised her that I could not predict precisely what the Board's decision would be on Thursday, but that it may include: (1) a determination that the original film is an "assassination record;" and (2) Congress being advised of the Board's action and a request from the Board for guidance from the Congress on the acquisition of the film.Mummert reacted quickly and said, "Whatever the Review Board does, I strongly recommend that they not commit the federal government to any expenditure of funds" for the film. She had to go into a meeting, but thanked me for the update.  
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