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To: Laura Denk/ARRB, Ron Haron/ARRBcc: (bcc: Non-Record/ARRB)From: Irene Marr/ARRB Date: 08/07/98 11:27:46 AMSubject: JFK LibraryLatest developments:1. Stephanie Fawcett (SF) would still like to make a presentation to the Board prior the deposition. She intends to be forthright and recognizes that due to foot dragging by certain library employees things weren't done properly at the beginning. I will need to let her know which date is best for the Board (the 25th or 26th). She seemed ok with the idea of a deposition and can understand why the Board might have the impression that it does.2. SF is finding more AR's in the RFK papers and they are on their way to CIA for declass. Those which the Library has authority to declass are being opened. She would prefer to designate the EHU's as AR's because by today's more inclusive definition, virtually all the Cuba records would be considered assassination-related. (I don't know what the solution is to this; it bothers me that if we leave them as EHU's the researchers may get miffed. According to the agreement with David and Jeremy, EHU's would not have to be sent to the Collection as long as they were open at the Library) 3. Not all of the Sheridan papers were returned. Yesterday, SF found an additional 18 boxes (31cubic feet) of the undeeded Sheridan, some of which contain records on the Garrison investigation. She thinks that it would be useful if someone [me] from the ARRB went through the material so that a stronger argument could be made to Mrs. Sheridan that these records must be released. Megan Desnoyers has sent a letter to Mrs. Sheridan asking for Sheridan's oral history. (this was a new one on me as well) I suggest that depending on when Ron takes the deposition, that perhaps I could accompany and review the Sheridan at that time.4. SF and MD seem pretty fired up about Max Kennedy and plan to cite from the legislation to push the envelope with him. SF is now more optimistic that the RFK papers will get out.

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