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Dear Mr. Weiss:

Mr. Doug Horne, a Senior Analyst on the Assassination Records Review Board staff, has informed me of his conversation with you today, and of your reluctance to discuss any further the subject matter discussed during your initial contact interview with Dave Montague, our staff investigator, on February 28, 1997.

You stated to Mr. Horne that you felt the ARRB should pursue information on the documents you sighted circa 1982 directly from the Army, rather than seeking more information from you. It is our desire and intention to pursue this matter directly with the U.S. Army, but we cannot do so until we probe your best recollections regarding specific details about the documents you sighted, such as their origin, their content, and the specific circumstances under which you viewed them. Since I will be in Houston along with Mr. Horne on Friday, March 21, I wish to reiterate here that I feel this is an ideal opportunity to pursue this matter in confidence with you, face-to-face, so that the ARRB can then independently pursue the matter further. Inasmuch as this is a matter directly involving assassination-related records, which you provided to us voluntarily, we are obligated by the provisions of the JFK Act to pursue this matter to the fullest extent possible.

I want to assure you that the Review Board has received, and is still receiving, the fullest cooperation from the Department of Defense and the U.S. Army, as we pursue our mandate to locate and declassify records within the purview of the JFK Act. If you desire, I can obtain written assurance from the office of the DOD General Counsel advising you that it is in keeping with DOD and U.S. Army policy to cooperate fully with the Review Board on this or any other matter involving the search for records related to the assassination of President Kennedy, or to any of the previous Federal investigations of the assassination. If you desire such written assurance, please call me collect at (202) 724-0088, and I will obtain such assurance on your behalf as soon as is practicable.

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As our upcoming trip to Houston is imminent, if I do not hear from you in the meantime, I intend to call you on Monday, March 17, 1997 so that I may address any concerns you may have.

We look forward to your cooperation, and I hope to be able to meet with you on Friday morning, March 21, 1997 while in the Houston area.

Sincerely,

T. Jeremy Gunn
General Counsel