

MEMORANDUM

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To: David G. Marwell
From: T. Jeremy Gunn
Date: April 17, 2017
Re: Foreign Government Assassination Records
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The following are some suggested requests that we may wish to make to foreign governments with respect to JFK assassination records. Although we could make requests that are much broader, we are likely to receive more cooperation if the requests are more modest and are clearly related to the assassination.

Russia (former USSR)

All files on Oswald (particularly KGB files).

All surveillance records on Oswald (particularly KGB records).

All files on Marina Prusakova Oswald.

Cables (or other communications) between the Soviet embassy in Mexico City and Moscow (or other Soviet base) dated between September 1, 1963 and December 30, 1963 that refer to Oswald or to any other American visitors to the Soviet embassy or consulate.

All Soviet records on the JFK assassination.

All official Soviet communications about the JFK assassination (particularly among the Communist Party (USA), Soviet embassies and consulates, and Soviet officials under official and unofficial cover in the US).

Soviet intercepts of Cuban communications about Oswald or the assassination (especially those between September 1, 1963, and December 30, 1963).

Documents that identify American requests to the Soviet Union for information about the assassination and Soviet responses to those requests.

Belarus (former USSR republic)

All files on Oswald (particularly KGB).

All surveillance records on Oswald (particularly KGB).

All files on Marina Oswald née Prusakova.

France

Documents that identify American requests to France for information about the assassination and the French responses to those requests.

All documents, studies, inquiries or investigations by France (including the former Service de Documentation Extérieure et de Contre-Espionage (now Direction Générale de la Sécurité Extérieure)) of the assassination.

All communications between the US and France regarding Oswald, QJWIN, Jean Souetre, Michel Roux, or communications regarding any suspected members of the OAS (Organisation armée secrète) thought to be inside the United States during 1963.

Great Britain

Documents that identify American requests to Great Britain for information about the assassination and the British responses to those requests.

All documents, studies, inquiries or investigations by Great Britain (including MI-5 and MI-6) of the assassination.

Japan

All documents and files on Oswald (particularly Japanese National Police files from the late 1950s).

Documents that identify American requests to Japan for information about the assassination and the Japanese responses to those requests.

All documents, studies, inquiries or investigations by Japan (including the Japanese National Police) of the assassination.

Israel

Documents that identify American requests to Israel for information about the

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assassination and the Israeli responses to those requests.

All documents, studies, inquiries or investigations by Israel (including the Mossad) of the assassination.

Federal Republic of Germany

DDR (especially Stasi): all files and records on Oswald and the assassination of JFK (including any intercepts of foreign communications about the assassination).

DDR (especially Stasi): documents about Stasi assistance to Cuba with regard to counterintelligence and internal security in Cuba during the years 1961-1964.

FRG: Documents that identify American requests to the FRG for information about the assassination and the German responses to those requests.

All documents, studies, inquiries or investigations by the FRG of the assassination.

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