

MEMO to Steve Tilley:

As we discussed on the phone this morning, the Review Board will depose Robert Groden next week pursuant to a subpoena ducas tecum that requires him to produce certain films and photographs relating to the Kennedy assassination. We believe that it will be necessary to take temporary possession of these films and photographs for the purpose of analysis and evaluation.

We are requesting the following support from the National Archives:

1. A NARA employee with relevant professional expertise will be present at the deposition to assist in a description and evaluation of the material that Groden brings with him. The NARA employee will assist in the preparation of appropriate receipts for the material and will provide technical consultation to the Review Board attorney who is conducting the deposition.
2. The NARA employee will supervise the packing and transport of the material to Archives II and ensure that these are carried out according to relevant professional standards for the protection and conservation of photographic material.
3. NARA will assist in the examination and analysis of the photographic material.

The review Board is prepared to cover all costs associated with the travel of the NARA employee.

Please met me know whether NARA will be able to assist us in this matter.