

December 20, 1996

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Dear Steve:

I am writing to follow up on the issue of the address of the Secret Service agent. I have found that Special Agent Edward Tucker's address appears in three documents: 180-10125-10002; 180-10080-10276; and 154-10002-10415. If you happen to come across more places where his address appears, please let me know.

The first number [180-10125-10002] refers to the HSCA version of correspondence between the Secret Service and the House Select Committee in 1977 and 1978. My understanding is that with the exception of Social Security Numbers and some agent addresses, this collection of correspondence is open to the public.

The second number [180-10080-10276, agency file number 005273] refers to a letter from Robert Goff to Robert Blakey (February 16, 1978), which includes Tucker's address on page 2. The Tucker address is the only postponement in that document. I have enclosed a copy of the Final Determination Form with this letter.

The third number [154-10002-10415] refers to the Secret Service version of the correspondence between the Secret Service and the House Select Committee. Again, with the exception of Social Security Numbers and the agent address, my understanding is that the rest of this file is currently open to the public. I am enclosing a draft copy of the Final Determination Form for this document.

In her letter of December 11, 1996, Jane Vezeris stated that "the address [Tucker's address] we seek to protect from release has been permanently withdrawn from public access." This is not entirely correct. The Review Board's policy is to postpone current addresses of Secret Service employees for 10 years.

Thank you for responding so quickly on Monday. I hope this is the end of the Secret Service agent- address issue!

Sincerely,

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