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From: Joan

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1. Doesn't our statute require the State Department to do more than *ask* foreign governments what they think? In Section 10(b)(2) Congress instructed the Secretary of State to "contact any other foreign government that may hold information relevant to the assassination of President Kennedy and *seek disclosure of such information.*"(my emphasis)

2. Doesn't an act of Congress supersede a treaty?