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Mr. Larry E. Curry
Director
Correspondence & Directives
Washington Headquarters Services
Office of the Secretary of Defense
1155 Defense Pentagon
Washington, D.C. 20301-1155

Re: Office of the Secretary of Defense Compliance with the JFK Assassination
Records Collection Act, 44 U.S.C. § 2107

Dear Mr. Curry:

Thank you for submitting the Final Declaration of Compliance for the Office of the Secretary of Defense ("OSD") (dated May 21, 1998), which sets forth OSD's final statement, under oath, regarding its compliance with the President John F. Kennedy Assassination Records Collection Act of 1992, 44 U.S.C. § 2107 ("JFK Act"). We appreciate OSD's work and effort in preparing the Final Declaration and in responding to the Review Board's inquiries.

We believe that OSD's record searches under the JFK Act are complete, and we do not anticipate conducting a compliance deposition of OSD. In the event that OSD locates, in the future, any additional records relating to the assassination of President Kennedy, please transmit those records to the Chief of the JFK Collection at the National Archives in College Park, Maryland. In addition, OSD should continue to review, under the JFK Act, its equities in any records that may be referred to OSD by other agencies or by the Review Board.

Please contact me if you have any questions, and thank you again for your cooperation in meeting OSD's obligations under the JFK Act, including the requirements of the

Review Board's compliance program.

Sincerely,

T. Jeremy Gunn
Executive Director

cc: Steven D. Tilley, Chief, JFK Assassination Records Collection,
NARA