

November 9, 1995

Ms. Delores Hopper  
P.O. Box 549  
Quechee, Vermont 05059

Dear Ms. Hopper:

I would like to thank you again for your helpful cooperation at a time that was obviously very difficult for you personally. We very much regret having had the need to take legal steps to ensure that any assassination records possessed by the Late Richard Case Nagell, to the extent that such records might exist, be protected for posterity. I understand from Mr. Samoluk of our office that you understand our concern in this matter and that you have agreed to cooperate in helping us with this important task.

It is very important to us, and I believe that it is in your own interest as well, to ensure that there be no erroneous or unwarranted speculation about lost, hidden, or destroyed assassination records.

As you know, the subpoenas bore return dates of November 13 in Washington. Based upon my understanding of your willingness to cooperate with us in the task we have identified, I am willing to suspend the November 13 subpoena return date. Under this circumstance, you will neither need to appear in Washington or produce documents on that date. If my understanding is correct, would you please countersign the letter below and return it to me? I am enclosing a copy for your files and a self-addressed stamped envelope.

Sincerely yours,

T. Jeremy Gunn  
General Counsel

I understand that I am under a continuing obligation to protect any assassination records that may come into my possession in connection with the Estate of the Late Richard Case Nagell and that I am under a continuing obligation to inform the Assassination Records Review Board if any such records should come into my possession. I further understand that the subpoena return date of November 13, 1995, is suspended.

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Delores Hopper

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Date