

August 28, 1997

Mr. Jack Sawyer
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Waveland, Mississippi 39576-0069

Dear Jack:

Thank you for sending the copies of the Deed of Gift back to us with your signature. They will be forwarded to the National Archives for the signature of the Archivist. You will receive one of the completed originals with all of the signatures after the Archives sends it to us.

Also, thank you for sending the 1972 date book to us. It has now been added to the Clay Shaw collection and will go to the Archives with the rest of the materials. We will advise you when Mr. Shaw's papers will be available to the public.

Per our agreement, I have enclosed a copy of Mr. Shaw's diary. Please advise me if you think that there are additional parts of the collection that you would like to have copied.

Again, thank you for your ready willingness to work with the Board on this important donation. There are already several researchers who are anxious to see the Shaw papers and gain further insight into this chapter of the assassination story.

I hope all is well and I look forward to speaking with you in the near future.

Sincerely,

Thomas E. Samoluk
Associate Director

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