

Assassination Records Review Board

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Dear Dr. Kurtz:

On behalf of the Assassination Records Review Board, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for agreeing to testify at our public hearing in New Orleans on Wednesday, June 28, 1995. The hearing will be conducted in the third floor auditorium at the Old U.S. Mint Building, located at 400 Esplanade Avenue, and will begin at 10:00 a.m. Because the Board will hear from you and other witnesses as one of the first items on the agenda, we ask that you arrive at 9:45 a.m., if possible. After introductory remarks by Mr. John R. Tunheim, Chair of the Review Board, the witnesses will be called.

The Board has set aside 10 to 15 minutes for the testimony of each witness. Per our prior conversations, it would be helpful to the Board if during your testimony you briefly described your background, discussed your work on the Kennedy assassination, provided some context for what was occurring in New Orleans in the 1960's which may relate to the assassination, and, of course, made suggestions to the Board about identifying, locating and prioritizing assassination records. Following your prepared remarks, it would be useful if you were prepared to respond to questions from the Board. In addition, the Board would like to extend to you the opportunity to submit a prepared written statement that would become part of the permanent record of the public hearing. If you choose to provide us with a written statement, it would be helpful for us to receive it by Friday, June 23, 1995.

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Again, the members of the Review Board thank you for all of your cooperation. We look forward to having you testify at our public hearing on June 28th in New Orleans. Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any comments or questions prior to the hearing. A fact sheet on the Review Board is enclosed for your additional information.

Sincerely,

Thomas E. Samoluk, Esq.
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