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Eileen Sullivan wrote:> NE W S R E L E A S E>> FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE> AUGUST 19, 1997>> CONTACT: EILEEN SULLIVAN> 202-724-0088, ext. 253>> JFK ASSASSINATION RECORDS REVIEW BOARD RELEASES NATIONAL SECURITY> AGENCY> DOCUMENTS>> The Assassination Records Review Board, an independent federal> agency> overseeing the identification, review, and release of records> related to> the assassination of President John F. Kennedy, announced today> that it is> releasing documents from the National Security Agency (NSA).>> The Board reviewed 84 NSA documents and is releasing 75 that are> postponed> in part, 6 that are opened in full, and is postponing 3 documents> in full.>> The original records have been transferred to the National> Archives and> Records Administration for inclusion in the JFK Collection, which> is housed> at the National Archives facility in College Park, Maryland.>> The Assassination Records Review Board was established by the JFK> Act,> which was signed into law by President George Bush. The five> members of> the Board were appointed by President Clinton, confirmed by the> U.S.> Senate, and sworn in on April 11, 1994. The law gives the Review> Board the> mandate and the authority to identify, secure, and make available> all> records related to the assassination of President Kennedy. It is> the> responsibility of the Board to determine which records are to be> made> public immediately and which ones will have postponed release> dates.>> -30- Eileen, I appreciate getting the press release. I hope you will fill us inlater on the contents of the documents. I got more details from the NPR news snippet, namely that Castro put Cuba on full alert after the JFK assasination and was afraid of an invasion. Do you have anymore details? Will more be coming out later from you? Why are somedocuments postponed? Inquiring minds are...Best regards, Dan Burnstein

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