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Mr. Frank DeBenedictis
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Re: Florida Johns Committee Records

Dear Mr. DeBenedictis:

In response to your previous letter, Review Board staff recently contacted the Florida State Archives to inquire into the status of the Johns Committee records. We were informed that these records are largely open in full to the public. For this reason, absent evidence that important and unique information related to the assassination remains withheld from these documents, we are reluctant to allot our limited resources towards processing the Johns Committee records for inclusion in the JFK Collection.

However, we would be interested in specific leads to information in the Johns Committee records that may require further investigation. Please feel free to provide the Review Board with any information in this regard that you have discovered or gained knowledge of through your research.

Again, thank you for sharing your research with the Review Board.

Sincerely,

T. Jeremy Gunn
General Counsel